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Ancient City Auto Club & Antique Automobile Club of America

ANCIENT CITY REGION PREPARES FOR 35th

ANNUAL CAR SHOW NOV 9, 2019

Acting Co Chairmen Dewey Porter and Joe Greeves have been working the past several months to prepare for a successful show which is just a little more than a month away. Refer to the minutes of the Sept 19 ACAC Board meeting for details.. The Friday before the show will be set up day from 2 PM to 4 PM. . If this is your first time you will have to go to the guard shack on the south side of the campus and present your driver's license to receive a visitors pass and then return to the front gate to be admitted. Note: We can not enter before 2 PM so don't come early expecting to get in. This is only necessary on Friday as students are still present on campus. On Saturday the day of the show you will not need a pass and the front main gate will be open at 7 AM. Member's cars/trucks are not eligible to be entered in the show but members are encouraged to drive their collector vehicle and there will be an area to park member's cars. Daily drivers must park in the visitor lot on the north side of the campus. Even if you don't have an assigned job we need all members to show up on Saturday to help with the show and the take down and clean up after the show which is usually about 4 PM. Remember this a fun day for us all and make all the visitors glad they came. Ron is preparing coffee and treats (bagels maybe?) for members.

ANCIENT CITY AUTO CLUB

35TH ANNUAL AUTO SHOW



Saturday, November 9, 2019

Registration 8 AM - 11 AM

GATES CLOSE AT 11 AM

RAIN OR SHINE

Minutes of the Ancient City Auto Club Membership Meeting of August 1, 2019

President Dewey Porter called the meeting to order at 7 P.M., August 1, 2019 at the Village Inn restaurant. There were 26 members and two guests in attendance.

Dewey discussed the Old News publication and asked members to send in articles for use in future publications.

Minutes for the membership meeting of June 6th and the board meeting of July 18th were published in the recent Old News. Motions were made and passed to approve both sets of minutes.

Ron Leone discussed the next Dine Out event. This will probably be held at the Panama Hatties location (near the pier on St. Augustine Beach) on August 29th. Dewey will publish the final date and location in his weekly activities email.

Dewey noted that we have only 3 ½ months until the car show. Dewey is working on assignments for tasks to be accomplished.

Fred provided the Treasurer's report. The club has cash in bank and cash on hand totaling \$6,844.52.

Jinny Quackenbush introduced her guests, Dennis and Mary Kalnas. The guests were given a membership applications, and we hope to have them as members soon.

Jim Arpaia conducted the 50/50 drawing. A total of \$51 was collected, and the winner was Ron Leone. Ron's prize was \$25 with \$26 being retained by the club.

There being no further business, the meeting was adjourned at approximately 7:30 P.M.

Minutes recorded by Fred Cooper, acting Secretary.

Minutes of the Ancient City Auto Club Board Meeting on August 22, 2019

The meeting was called to order at 7 PM at the home of Dewey Porter. Board members in attendance were : Dewey Porter, Pres. Jim Arpaia, Vice Pres. Joe Greeves Membership chairman/Car Show Co-Chairman. Rita Arpaia also attended.

A motion was passed to approve all minutes previously published in the Olde News.

Treasurer, Fred Cooper was unable to attend the meeting but submitted his Treasurers Report via Email

Bank balance	\$6622.52
Cash	288.00
Total	\$6910.52

No liabilities

After discussion a motion was passed to approve the treasurer's report

Pres Porter reported on the status of our 35th Annual Car Show. We are only 3 months away from the Nov 9th event. The following members have signed up

Day of Show Program: so far sponsors signed up are slow but it is hoped as we get closer to the show date, sales will pick up. We need all members effort to get sponsors signed up. The Program is a major source of the car show income and enables us to donate to various causes and scholarships we support.

Field Layout Bill Soman and Danny Stephens

Vendors Joe Greeves will coordinate with Tanya

Insurance Certificate from AACAD Dewey Porter

Goody Bags Marion Hunsworth will get 100 bags stuffed and Mark Young will supply his Rancho to pass them out at registration.

Registration: Bill and Pat Meyer and Toby Erwin and Dewey Porter will work day of show. Doug & Marion Hunsworth will do pre registration placards and voting ballot tabulation. We will need 3 members to help with handing out registration forms and collecting money day of show. Also 2 or 3 members to direct entries to parking.

Door Prizes Jinny Quackenbush (The Board voted a \$350 budget) If members have a new item they would like to donate, please give them to Jinny.

Front Entrance Ron Leone with helpers

Coffee with breakfast items Ron Leone

Signs and Banners Dewey Porter

50/50 Sales Carley King with her Bombshell Belles group has agreed to do 50/50

Trophies and Wall Plaques, dash plaques Joe Greeves

Day of Show Program final proof with publisher Dewey Porter

PA System we will use the Cruisers DJ booth same as last year. Sidney Hobbs announcements and awards with Joe Greeves giving out awards. Plus maybe 2 more to help.

New Business :

Pres Porter stated now that September is near, it is not too soon to think about nominations for officers for next year. We have operated this entire year without a secretary which hopefully will not continue next year. We have 60 members. Adding spouses there are over 100 people in the club. Though it is not an elected position, we also need a news letter editor. We need members to step up. No experience is necessary and all of the jobs can be easily learned so if you are interested.

Pres. Porter said we need a volunteer to head up planning the annual Christmas Party as the best places get reserved early. Hopefully someone or more will step up.

The Board discussed several possible events for club activities and will make arrangements as appropriate. Any member who has an idea for a club activity contact Dewey.

The meeting was adjourned at 8:10 PM

Minutes of Ancient City Auto Club Board Meeting of September 19, 2019

The meeting was called to order at 7:06 pm. at the home of Jim and Rita Arpaia. Board members in attendance were: Dewey Porter, President; Jim Arpaia, Vice President; Fred Cooper, Treasurer and club members Rita Arpaia, Doug Hunsworth, and Marion Hunsworth.

Approval of Minutes

The previous minutes have been published. A motion was passed to approve the previous meetings minutes

Old Business

Dewey reviewed the progress in preparation for the Car Show.

- Advertising revenue received since the last meeting totals \$3858.00. We discussed other possible advertisement purchasers. The deadline for submission of advertisements is October 11, 2019.
- The insurance certificate for the Car Show has been approved by the Antique Auto Club of America. Dewey has an email providing a copy of the certificate, with the original certificate being mailed to Dewey. Upon receipt, Dewey will provide the certificate to the FSDB as proof of insurance.
- The Cruisers have agreed to supply the sound system and DJ for the Car Show.
- Joe Greeves is working with FSDB to insure we have adequate food vendors for the Car Show.
- Jinny Quackenbush is working on procuring door prizes for the show.
- Dewey announced that we need all members at the FSDB on 2:00 pm the day before the show to help with setup. Setup should be finished by 4:00 pm,
- Dewey stated that he had received no further information from the I.R.S regarding the club's Tax Exempt Status. Fred said this is normal and it may take 6 months before the I.R.S. provides their ruling

New Business

- Fred provided the Treasurer's report. As of September 18, 2019, the club has cash assets of \$6,910.14. A motion was passed approving the Treasurer's report.
- Doug Hunsworth agreed to be the head of the nominating committee seeking officers for the 2020 year.
- Marion Hunsworth agreed to be chair person for the Christmas Party. After some discussion, it was agreed that the party will be held at Amici Italian Restaurant.
- Dewey announced that he had mail from the national organization offering 4 free national memberships for new members (\$40 value per member). These will be offered as an incentive to obtain new members at the Car Show. The new members receiving these certificates will have to pay the \$20 fee to ACAC.

- Dewey announced a new insurance program from the Antique Auto Club of America providing liability insurance for Board Members for \$110 per year. This will be discussed at the next meeting.

There being no further business, the meeting was adjourned at approximately 8:10 pm.

Minutes submitted on September 20, 2019 by Fred Cooper, Acting Secretary.

Minutes of the Ancient City Auto Club Membership Meeting October 3, 2019

President Dewey Porter called the meeting to order at 7 15 P.M., October 3, 2019 at the Village Inn restaurant.

Dewey discussed the Olde News publication, and plans to publish the Olde News early next week.

Dewey discussed the status of the Car Show. We have 19 preregistered. Additional Car Show flyers will be passed out at other car shows in the next few weeks.

Dewey announced that club membership dues are now due for calendar year 2020. Members should complete the form (on the web site at <http://local.aaca.org/ancientcity/> and select "Membership"). The form is also in the last copy of the Antique Automobile magazine published by AACA. Completed forms should be mailed to Fred Cooper, 376 Point Pleasant Drive, St. Augustine, FL 32086. Members must mail checks and forms no later than November 27th to be able to qualify for club matching on the cost for attending the Christmas Party.

Ron Leone announced that he will be supplying drinks and snacks for members working at the Car Show this year.

Jinny Quackenbush announced that she had procured 53 door prizes. Anyone that has items to donate for door prizes should contact Jinny.

There was no 50/50 drawing at this meeting. Ron will bring the 50/50 container to the next meeting.

Fred provided the Treasurer's report. The club has cash assets of \$9701.41.

Dewey announced upcoming events of interest. The Palatka Car Show is October 5th, the Old Guy's Breakfast is October 11th, and the Cruising to the Creek show is October 12th. See Dewey's weekly email for additional information.

The Christmas Party will be held at Amici's on December 5th. Doug and Marion Hunsworth are coordinating the event. The club will pay part of the cost of the party from the club treasury, with the amount of the subsidy to be determined after accounting for the income/expense of the Car Show.

The date for the next membership meeting was discussed, and the date was set for November 14th

Ron Leone announced that the dine-out for October will be at Ned's on October 24th. Ron also announced that he is trying to arrange for 12 Wounded Warriors from Jacksonville to serve as judges at the Car Show for a special category award.

Bill Soman asked about scholarships, and Dewey answered that we would again donate two \$750 scholarships.

There being no further business, the meeting was adjourned at 7:40 pm.

Minutes recorded by Fred Cooper, acting Secretary.

Old Guys Breakfast Aug 9, 2019

A beautiful morning brought out 22 Old Guys with 16 collector cars. We had two very rare convertibles, a 1949 Olds 98 and a 1950 Olds 98. You never know what you might see at breakfast so come to the next one and be prepared to ooh and ah.

Joining the group were Lee Harrington, Bob Barton, Dan Thomasson, Dick Hewitt 1949 Olds 98 Convert, Jim Arpaia 1950 Olds 98 Convert, John Bagg, Ken Bryan 1966 Buick Skylark convert, Paul McCarthy 1957 Chev Belair station wagon , John Kaiser 1963 Falcon coupe with a 427 dual quad engine , Rob Daly, Ray Emery, Fred Bauer 1967 Chev C-10 pickup, Jim Weiss 1965 Falcon convert, Dave Burrows 1969 MGC roadster, Steve Butler 1979 MGB, Geoff Nadler 1972 Corvette convert, Rich Tygrest, Jim Salanitri 1960 Corvette convert, John Battistini 1970 Corvette convert, Gary Steinberger 1970 Chev Camaro Z28, Joe Greeves, Dewey Porter 1990 Mustang GT convert.

Old Guys Breakfast Sept 13, 2019

Fall is in the air (mid 80's) with the hope of 60's right on the cusp. The Old Guys care not what the temp is as long as no rain. 21 Old Guys driving 12 collector cars were present. Number of collector cars were down as several were in the shop. A very rare car was a treat, a 1929 Willys Knight roadster looking very sporty.

Enjoying the breakfast and parking lot cars were Joe Greeves, Dewey Porter 1990 Mustang GT convert, Fred Bauer, Bob Beach 2006 Mustang, Jim Weiss 1929 Willy Knight roadster, Dave Burrows 1969 MGC roadster, Bob Parker 1991 Pontiac Sunbird convert, Rob Daly, Dick Hewitt 2007 Mustang convert, Terry Brown 1973 Dodge Dart Swinger hardtop coupe, Dan Thomasson 1973 Dodge sedan, Dennis McDonald 1999 Mustang SVT convert, Gary Steinberger 1970 Chev Camaro Z28 coupe, Danny Stephens, Ray Emery, Mark Young 1967 Ford Ranchero, Paul McCarthy, Lee Harrington, Bob Barton.

On a sad note one of our regulars, Clay Green passed on Sept 25 2019. He will forever hold the record for the oldest car driven to the Old Guys Breakfast. He drove his 1905 Maxwell

through heavy morning commuter traffic to the April 2019 Old Guys Breakfast. His expertise on brass era cars will be missed by many hobbyist's.

ACTIVITIES

Oct 17 | ACAC Board Meeting 7 PM location Dewey Porter res.

Oct 19 | St. Augustine Cruisers Monthly Cruise Night 5-8 PM at Hobby Lobby shopping center behind Longhorn Restaurant. DJ 50/50 Door Prizes. Lots of nice cars to see.

Oct 20 | Catholic Church Car Show 5950 SR 16 11 AM – 3 PM

Oct 23-26 | AACA Southeastern Fall Nationals Mobile, Alabama. See AACA magazine for details.

Oct 24 | ACAC Monthly Dineout Location Ned's Southside Restaurant 2450 US 1 So. 6PM

Oct 25 | Friday Night Cruise-In, Beach St. Downtown Daytona, live music, food trucks, free admission.

Oct 26 | Cruisin fund raiser for school supplies, City Hall Holly Hill, FL. 1065 S. Ridgewood Ave. Holly Hill, FL. 32117. 12PM- 5PM Food, music, Open to all years and models, stock and modified, street rods. Info tcchev@aol.com or 386-405-6602

Nov 2 | Green Cove Springs Fall Car Show at City Hall Parking Lot 9 AM-1:30 PM \$20 before Oct 20, \$25 after. All vehicles welcome stock & modified. Info David 904 383 9575 Fundraiser Free Medical Clinic in Green Cove

Nov 2 | Green Cove Springs (yes a 2nd show the same day) North Florida Military Museum 1 Bunker Ave. (SR 16) 10 AM-2 PM First Coast Highlanders Pipes & Drums, All years & makes 50/50 \$25 day of show. Best in show trophies

Nov 7 | ACAC meeting changed to Nov 13 to enable prep for the car show on Nov 9 Location will be the Caddyshack at 6PM dinner with meeting following at 7 PM

Nov 8 | John's Old Guys Breakfast at Steak & Shake US 1 So. next to Home Depot. All guys with old cars invited. You do not have to be a member just have an interest in the vehicle hobby. Each month some one attending wins a free breakfast. Always some nice vehicles to tire kick and admire in the parking lot.

Nov 9 | Ancient City Auto Club 35th Annual Auto Show at FSD&B School. Save the date, all members are needed to work to make the show a success.

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Nov 16 | Classic Car Show Flagler Executive Airport, Palm Coast, FL. 32137 info 386-986-9911 to register kirk@flaglerbeachbroadcasting.com

Nov 16 | Dixie Pontiac Fall Classic Car Show, Jacksonville

Nov 16 | Port Orange, FL. "CLASSIC TRUCK, BIKE, & CAR SHOW" the Church of Epiphany on Saturday, November 16th from 10am – 2pm. This is a Benefit show with proceeds going to the Knights of Columbus Catholic Charities. There is a \$10 entry fee and registration is from 9am-11am or you can pre-register at Registration page: <https://sites.google.com/view/12569carshow/registration> (just copy and paste) Food will be available for purchase. There will be Trophies, Door Prizes, and a 50/50 drawing!!!! **FREE T-shirt to all registered car owners!!!!**

Nov 22-23 | Giant Flea Market & Car Corral Moultrie, GA, Since 1992 info <http://www.moultrieswapmeet.com/>

Nov 28-30 | 46th Annual Daytona Turkey Run 5000 Cars displayed, Flea Market/new parts vendors, Huge car corral www.turkeyrun.com

Dec 5 | ACAC annual Christmas Party at Amici's restaurant corner of SR 312 & A1A This will be our monthly meeting which includes election of officers, this will also be our monthly dineout. Details on menu selections, cost, and other details will be available as we get closer to the date.

Dec 7 | St. Augustine Annual Christmas Parade ACAC will be entered. Details to follow.

Dec 14 | Hastings Christmas parade. Details to follow as we near the date.

**Feb 27-29 2020 | AACA Winter Nationals South Florida Region, Miami, FL
305-978-8037**

**Mar 7, 2020 | AACA Azalea Region 21st Annual Car Show Palatka Riverfront
park U.S. 17 & St. Johns River. Info Bob Cox 904-284-5303 or
rpmoneybag@yahoo.com**

**April 4, 2020 | 19th Annual Fruit Cove Baptist Church Car Show. On line
registration will be available as we get closer to the show date.**

**May 2, 2020 | Saint Augustine Cruisers 18th Annual Car Show. Details will be
available as we get closer to the show date.**

OUT OF THE PAST

Back in 2012, several members put on their 20's costumes for a "Roaring 20's" party at what was then the Glenwood retirement community. We look like we are right out of central casting.



