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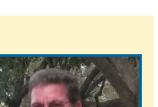


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A Note from our President

Hopefully this note finds you well.

Things have slowed down for the summer months with only a few events. Riverside Theater went well, we had a great time with live blues music, they would like to have us out again weather permitting. Bob's luncheon at The Green Marlin had a nice turnout. Wildwood Antique Mall had a free gathering in their parking lot for us to come hangout, Mopar's of Brevard came down to enjoy the festivities and Wildwood even cooked hotdogs to show their appreciation for us coming out. Keep an eye out for Phil's emails on up and coming events. I can't think of anything else right now so we'll see you at the next meeting.

Respectfully

John Stefanacci

A Message from your Secretary

One of the features this month is a story about a donation from Judy Carnevale to the AACA Museum.

Remember, your memories and photographs are always welcome. I think they add a lot of interest to our Headliner. Consider memories from your teenage days, or even stuff from yesterday are appreciated! Please share.

Sincerely

Phil LoGiudice

Next Meeting: <u>August 13th</u> at the <u>Italian American Civic Association</u> located at 1600 25th Street, Vero Beach, Fl.

Dinner is at 5:30 pm—menu details will follow soon.

Remember, <u>RSVP for dinner is</u> mandatory. If you plan to attend for dinner, send <u>an Email message to Fred Kiesel</u>—

ofcrfred@bellsouth.net

Anyone who has not made a reservation with Fred via Email will not be served.

We look forward to seeing everyone at the meeting that starts at 7 pm.

Welcome New Members

Greg & Annie Sullivan, 1968 Chevy Corvette Conv. L79, 1969 Olds Cutlass Convertible S, 1972 Chevy Corvette Coupe Stingray



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General Meeting Minutes



Indian River Region AACA General Meeting Minutes July 9, 2024

The meeting was called to order at 7:13 pm by John Stefanacci. Craig Waskow led the Pledge of Allegiance to our flag. The meeting was held at the Vero Beach Italian American Civic Association. Dinner was served earlier. There were 47 members in attendance at the meeting.

Secretary's Minutes John asked for a motion to accept the minutes from the June meeting as published in the July Headliner. Bill Dennison made the motion to accept, and Fred Kiesel seconded it; everyone voted to approve.

Treasurer's Report – Bruce Hawkins read the treasurer's report for the month ending June 30, 2024. A motion was made by Billy D'Arton and seconded by Bill Dennison to accept the Treasurer's Report as read. All voted in the affirmative to accept.

Health & Wellness – Nick Bauer has been hospitalized with heart issues. Chris Hicks had a heart attack and is doing well.

Events – The trip to OK Corral is now planned for October 24 with a rain date of October 31, 2024. The antique planes will be there! This will be an Octoberfest celebration. Al And Sue DiDomizio have organized this event.

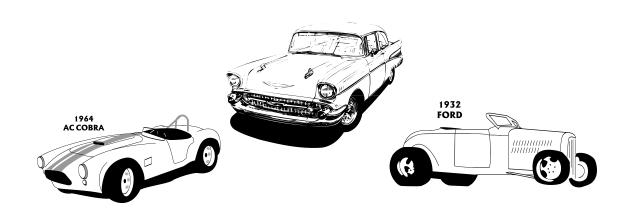
The Monthly lunch cruise will be at the Green Marlin in Vero Beach at 1 pm on July 17, 2024. The 2nd Saturday breakfast will be at Café 66 in Vero Beach. July 27th breakfast is scheduled to be at CJ Cannon's.

Vehicles for Sale: No reports.

50/50 Drawing –There was a 50/50 raffle this month, half of which was won by Carmen Bedell. The meeting was adjourned at 7:31 pm.

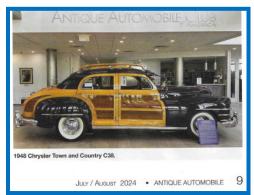
Best Regards,

Phil LoGiudice - Secretary/Editor



Bob Carnevale's 1948 Chrysler Town and Country Donated to AACA





The July / August edition of the AACA bi-monthly magazine contains a great article by AACA CEO Steve Moskowitz. The column entitled *New Kids on the Block* features vehicle donations to AACA in the first half of 2024. Bob Carnevale, a late member of our Indian River Region, and a life long member of the AACA, had a great collection of cars. Bob's wife Judy donated his beautiful Newport Blue 1948 Chrysler Town and Country sedan to the AACA Museum in Bob's memory.

When the issue arrived and I saw Mr. Moskowitz's column, I have to admit that I focused on the first Pontiac Race Car, a

1926 speedster that had been made into a race car when the original sedan was destroyed in a fire. Then I was drawn to the 1950 Olds Rocket 88 tribute race car. I gave a quick glance at the Chrysler woodie and thought, hum, nice car. Thank you Phil Canal who suggested I might want to take another look!



This is a photo I took a few years ago of Bob's 1933 Packard Roadster. It appears to be stock, but features a modern drive train. It too is a beautiful car!

Ed Iskyderian 103rd Birthday



Recently, Hemmings featured a celebration of Ed Iskenderian's 103rd birthday. The birthday bash was held at the Lion's Drag Strip Museum in Los Angeles County. All of the vehicles on display were former drag racers. Ed's contributions to high performance are well known by many people. When I was a kid, having an Isky cam in your engine was something guys bragged about! Back in 1940 he built a very ear-

ly pre-WWII hot rod! Ed and his wife were in attendance and appeared to have a great time.



Ed built this 1924 Ford Model T roadster as a high school senior in 1940, and drove it to a speed of 120 mph at the El Mirage dry lake in 1942. The second photo shows Ed in his roadster many years later.

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The Monthly Lunch Cruise has had its first Anniversary!



Time really does fly by! Since Bob Kaufman was inspired to plan and organize a monthly lunch cruise, one year has elapsed. The plan has been to alternate monthly between Vero Beach and Sebastian. The lunches have been well attended and a lot of fun. An average of about 36 people are attending. So far everyone has enjoyed the restaurants that Bob has picked.

The following photos were taken by John Giudice.





Billy and Kathy D'Arton have been on an extensive road trip. This is a selfie they sent to me from the Hoover Dam. I added the photo of the dam for fun. The Hoover Dam was built between 1931 and 1935. President Roosevelt traveled to the dam to preside over its opening on September 30th, 1935. At the time it was completed, it was the tallest dam in the world, rising 726.4 feet above the Colorado River.





Some significant History occurring in August. (found online at Blackburn)



Aug. 6, 1959



GM officially registers the Corvair name for its brand new compact car. The Corvair was the only mass produced American automobile at the time with a rear mounted engine.

Aug. 7, 1938

Italian automobile designer Giorgetto Giugiaro is born in Garessio Italy. In 2002, Giugario was inducted into the Automotive Hall of Fame.

Aug. 8, 1975

Alejandro de Tomaso purchases Maserati from Citroen. Tomaso was a world renowned Argentinean race car driver.

Aug. 9, 1918

Due to increasing involvement in World War I, the U.S. Government mandates the cessation of civilian automobile production, beginning on January 1st 1919.

Aug. 10, 1897

The first Auto Club was formed by C. Harrington Moore and Frederick R. Simms. It was called the Automobile Club of Great Britain and Ireland. It would later be renamed the Royal Automobile Club, which today is proud to be the world's oldest auto club.

Aug. 11, 1966



Chevrolet manufactures the very first Camaro in its Norwood, Ohio plant.



Aug 31 – Vero Beach Veterans Club – 2500 15th Avenue Classic Car/Motorcycle show. Lunch and soft drink provided for the first 30 entries. RSVP no later than August 24 to John at 772-778-1299. Registration 9 am. Raffles and 50/50. All donations go to charity. Music and Food. Sponsored by M&R Customs and VB Veterans Club.

New Date - Sep 15 - Everything else will remain the same. For your convenience, I've attached an updated application. As we get closer to the September 17th date, we will send other updated information. Until then, have a safe and happy Independence Day celebration. Barefoot by the Lake Show - \$20 Pre-Registration and \$25 day of show. 625 Barefoot Blvd. Barefoot Bay, Fl. 11 – 3 pm. Awards, Food, Music – Family

AACA NATIONALS AND TOURS

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Special Fall Nationals

mpton, Virginia · Historic Virginia Peninsula Region · 757-871-6701

September 12-14, 2024

Western Fall Nationals

· Poudre Valley Region · 970-686-9291

September 22-27, 2024

Revival AAA Glidden Tour® (Pre-1943) Fairfield, Pennsylvania • Sugarloaf Mountain Region • 240-344-2922

October 8-11, 2024

Eastern Fall Nationals

Hershey, Pennsylvania • Hershey Region • 717-566-7720

October 23-26, 2024

Southeastern Fall Nationals

Huntsville, Alabama . North Alabama Region . 256-653-4036

February 6-8, 2025

Annual Convention

Charlotte, North Carolina • National Headquarters • 717-534-1910

April 3-5, 2025

Southeastern Spring Nationals

s Nest Region • 704-847-4215

Loveland, CO September 12-14

Host Hotel: Embassy Suites

4705 Clydesdale Pkwy

Loveland, CO 80538

970-593-6200

Chairman & Registration: Joe Pirrone

970-686-9291, joenkathy@earthlink.net

Vintage Tour (Pre-1931)

ania · Buzzard's Breath Touring Region · 407-261-9318

Western Spring Nationals/ Grand Nationals

June 26-28, 2025

May 1-3, 2025

Eastern Spring Nationals

ter Region • 304-673-6273

July 2-5, 2025

Central Spring Nationals Auburn, Indiana · Crossroads of Am. Region · 260-925-4710

July 17-19, 2025

Grand Nationals / Zenith Dayton, Ohio · National Headquarters

September 18-20, 2025

Southeastern Fall Nationals Corydon, Indiana · Kyana Region · 615-430-8027

September 7-12

Revival AAA Glidden Tour® (Pre-1943)

Owensboro, Kentucky · VMCCA Hosted · mistergreatra ce@gmail.com

October 7-10, 2025 Eastern Fall Nationals Hershey, Pennsylvania • Hershey Region • 717-566-7720

October 22-25, 2025

Central Fall Nationals Galveston, Texas • Gulf Coast Region • 832-693-4008

REGION / CHAPTER EVENTS

JULY 2024

14 Arkport, N.Y. Chemung Valley Region. 68th car show/summerfest Rocco Mesiti 585-409-3310; rmesiti@gmail.com

28 Zoar Village, Ohio, Canton Chapter, Zoar Harvest Festival Car Show Joe 330-806-6084; Gagliaj@aol.com; Denny 330-497-4201; Dennyr@neo.m.com

2-4 Macungle, Pa. Ontolaunee Region. Das Awkscht Fescht. Susan Manwiller 610-823-5033; awkscht.com

SEPTEMBER 2024

Auto, Custom, street rod show. Flo 724-331-7993; 724-879-8281

15 Kingsport, Tenn. Dan'l Boon Region. 46th Allandale car show

David 423-765-1095; dain/booneregion.aca.com 15 McAdoo, Pa. Anthracite Region. 38th annual car show/flea market David Belein dblelen51@gmail.com 29 Manchester, Md. Chesapoelee Region. Autumn Harvest Collector Car Show

Chesapeake.aaca.com; tomdawson315@gmail.com

NOVEMBER 2024

3 Stuart, Florida, Treasure Coast Region, TCVCC Cars of Our Lives (COOL) 2024 Treasure Coast, asca.com; Dennis Dahle 772-237-9755; Sally 314-324-5192

Registration Deadline: August 31 Hosted by Poudre

Valley Region AACA

Send calendar listings to: StelvioGT@vahoo.com AND PBucklev@aaca.org Limited to AACA and its region/chapter events.



Local Cruises:

2nd Saturday Breakfast will be announced. Indian River Region, AACA hosts the breakfast.

4th Saturday Breakfast at CJ Cannon's at 8 am. Hosted by the **Indian River Region AACA**

1st Tuesday - Vero Vintage Volkswagens monthly meeting 5 pm to 8pm. Walking Tree Brewery – A food truck will be available.

3rd Wednesday IRRAACA Lunch Cruise. Destination will be announced. Contact Bob Kaufman with questions.

2nd & 4th Wednesday Dinner Cruise to Five Guys Sebastian.

2nd Thursday – Shift Culture presents a cruise at Ft. Pierce. Take US1 to Avenue C and left to the end at Indian River.

Hiatus until October - 3rd **Monday** – T/A Truck Stop SR 60 in Vero Beach.

1st Friday monthly - Brass Monkey Sports Bar & grill 5 pm to 8 pm. 7781 Lake Worth Road, Lake Worth, FL 33467. Music, 50/50 Raffle, Discount inside the restaurant on food for cruisers, Hamburgers/hot dogs available hot off the grill on the outside patio. Call Carlos for more info 772-528-4247

Weekly on Saturday Night: Cruise to McDonalds in Vero Beach on US1 and Oslo Road. Gather at 5:30pm. Contact Billy D'Arton for details.

3rd Saturday monthly -**Dunkin' Donuts Beachside.** 1220 N. A1A, Indialantic, Fl 8am to 12 noon. Questions, call Bill at 321-725-3648

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Member Ads



Doug Gleim

Formica Counters 46 Years in Cabinetry Business Thermofoil Doors Kitchen Cabinet Installation

FORMICA COUNTERS & CABINETS

Small Cabinet Repairs

772-626-6842

7420 Commercial Circle, Unit #1 • Fort Pierce, FL 34951 douggleim@gmail.com







I have run many ads for people, and now I am listing my car for sale. No, not my '67 Camaro! Holly and I are selling our 2022 Subaru Legacy Premium. We bought this car new and now it has almost 26,000 miles on the clock. It is in great condition. AWD and a 2.5 liter engine with an 8 speed tranny. It gets great gas mileage. It has been serviced every 5,000 miles and tires rotated.

We are downsizing our cars! Call me at 203-507-0008 for more information. The asking price is \$21,500.

Five months remaining on factory warranty.









Five Guys—Sebastian Cruise US1 next door to the Tax Collector's office



For the last several weeks, our club members have participated in an evening cruise to Five Guys in Sebastian. They are enjoying great company and dinner. Menu (fiveguys.com). Plan on joining in on the 2nd and 4th Wednesday of the month in the evening after 5pm. Thank you Bob Kaufman for providing the photos.







CONTACT

1929 US-1 Sebastian, FL 32958

(772) 874-5014

The photos below came from Bill and Mary Maule from their trip to Glacier Park in Montana. The bus is a White! I am unsure of the year. The text (small and hard to read) explains how the Ford Motor Company helped restore the buses making them safer and environmentally improved. The buses returned to service after being out for three years.





Antiques for Sale

Ralph Voorhees is selling his 1932 Ford **Sedan.** Contact him at 732-266-4541 or Sportsroad-ster1@aol.com









Fred Kiesel is selling his **1939 Mercury Sedan.** This is an original car. Contact Fred at: ofcrfred@bellsouth.net or 772-770-6339







1939 Plymouth Sedan—\$18,500—Stroker 383, aluminum radiator, VDO Classic gauges, custom interior and lots more! Call Bruno at 805-801-1759.







Bob Martin has a **car hauler** for sale. He is asking \$2,500. Contact Bob at 772-766-1589.







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