



The Headliner



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A Note from our President

Hopefully this note finds you well. We are off to a very busy car show season already. Six couples from the club took off for a week to Biloxi for *Cruising The Coast* this past month and we had a blast!

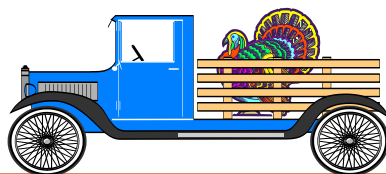
While we were there, we watched the tropical storm turn into a monster Cat 5 hurricane heading straight towards central Florida. In the end we got home and took care of the damage, and as far as I know we are all good.

We had 15 cars that came out to the OK Corral event for the fly in and Oktoberfest lunch. I know Phil sent out a link to pictures and videos from the day. If anyone is not getting all the great information that Phil is sending out please reach out to any of us so that we can get that corrected.

The first weekend of November is packed with five different events, please consider going on Sunday to the Treasure Coast Vintage Car Club's show in downtown Stuart a block south-east of Confusion Corner. This is their annual show like ours in March. We need to see if we can beat the 19 cars they entered as they did at our March show earlier this year. The show is in a very nice paved parking lot with plenty of tree cover for shade. We'll see you at the next event.

Respectfully

John Stefanacci



Our Next Meeting: **November 12th** at the **Italian American Civic Association** located at 1600 25th Street, Vero Beach, Fl.

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

Remember, **RSVP for dinner is mandatory.** If you plan to attend for dinner, send **an Email message to Fred Kiesel with your dinner choice.**

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

John Rybarczyk & Stephanie Cromartie, 1995 Ford Mustang Cobra SVT "Black"

Mark White & Maggie Wood, 1940 Chevy Master Deluxe Town Sedan, 1950 Crosley Hot-shot

Just a note letting everyone know that at the Oktoberfest Show at the IRC Fairgrounds, Geoff Newcombe's '35 Auburn won best in Class. Fred Kiesel's '29 Dodge won 1st in Class and Roger Butler's '50 Ford Convertible won 2nd in class.

Phil

Editor





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 53 members in attendance at the meeting.

Secretary's Minutes John asked for a motion to accept the minutes from the September meeting as published in the October Headliner. Bill Dennison made the motion to accept, and Billy D'Arton seconded it; everyone voted to approve.

Treasurer's Report – Bruce Hawkins read the treasurer's report for the month ending September 30, 2024. A motion was made by Sam Gagliano and seconded by Craig Waskow to accept the Treasurer's Report as read. All voted in the affirmative to accept.

New Business – The revised IRRAACA bylaws that had been sent to the members previously were discussed, a motion to accept was made and the members unanimously voted to approve.

Nominations for Officers and Directors were closed. The following represents the slate of officer / director positions:

President – John Stefanacci—One Year
Vice President – Billy D'Arton—One Year
Secretary – Phil LoGiudice—One Year
Treasurer – Jeff Smith—One Year

Director – Fred Kiesel – Two Years
Director – Bill Maule – Two Years
Director – Geoff Newcombe – Two Years
Director – Scott Carmine – Three Years
Director – Al DiDomizio – Three Years
Director – Bruce Hawkins – Three Years
Director – Brian Banks – Three Years

Since there were no nominations from the floor, the secretary will cast a single vote to approve the slate of officers/directors as stated above at the November 12, 2024, meeting.

Health & Wellness – Doug Gillis had a bad fall at his home. Luckily there were no broken bones and he is recovering from the many bruises he suffered. Marjorie Butler had her surgery for a recurrence of cancer and is recovering at home.

Events – The Vintage Car Club in Stuart will have their annual show November 3, 2024. The Speed World Show and drag strip will be soon – Contact Brian Banks for details.

The next cruise to the OK Corral will be October 24th. The Old Farts Flying club and the Model A Club will be there. People can meet at Pineapple Joe's at 9 am. Contact Al DiDomizio for further details.

The monthly lunch cruise facilitated by Bob Kaufman was cancelled for October but will resume in November on the 3rd Wednesday. Details for that lunch will be coming.

Vehicles for Sale or Purchased: Gavin Ruotolo bought a 1966 Lincoln Continental Convertible with wire wheels. Sam Gagliano bought back a 1940 Ford two door Sedan he had originally owned and restored several years ago.

50/50 Drawing –There was a 50/50 raffle this month, half of which was won by Connie Pavlichko. The meeting was adjourned at 7:49 pm.

Submitted by
Phil LoGiudice - Secretary

Geoff and Jan Newcombe—Back to the Roaring ‘20s

Bill Maule was asked if he would contact the anniversary couple and make arrangements with them to bring the Speedster on behalf of the IRR AACA. The Speedster, with Jan and Geoff were part of a roaring 1920s/’30s themed anniversary party at the RiverHouse in Vero Beach in September. They wanted one ‘20s or ‘30s car parked at the entrance to add to the overall ambiance of the evening.



The Speedster was a big hit and was being photographed with the party goes throughout the early evening until it turned dark. Everyone was dressed for the party’s theme and it was a fun evening. Geoff and Jan were invited to join the party for dinner. The food was plentiful and sumptuous. There was a dance band and an open bar.

OK Corral

This is a preview of the feature that will appear in the December Headliner.

Several of our members went to a great cruise at the OK Corral—they were joined by the Model A Club and the Old Farts Flying Club.

Thank you Al and Sue DiDomizio for the great photos.



Pointe West Motown Evening

Six Member Cars Displayed



The folks at Pointe West invited our members to bring six cars to their Motown Event in the club house. There was a great dinner and entertainment by a couple doing popular Motown tunes.



The cars from left to right.

Geoff & Jan—
1935 Auburn
Boattail Speed-
ster,

Bob Kaufman—
1960 Ford T-
Bird,

Billy & Kathy
D'Arton—1939
Ford Sedan,

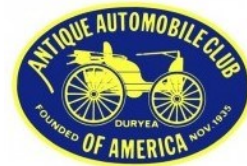
Glenn & Kim
Conn, 1970 Kar-
mann Ghia,

Scott Carmine -
1967 Volkswagen
Right hand drive,

Bill and Mary
Maule—1970
Chevelle.

Holly and Phil
LoGiudice helped
plan the evening
by recruiting the
car owners.

Upcoming Events



Nov 2 – First Presbyterian Church of Vero Beach, 520 Royal Palm Blvd. 10 am to 3 pm. Registration 9 to 11am. \$15 preregistration - \$20 day-of-show. There will be a Food Truck from The Source. Dash Plaques featuring Geoff Newcombe's 35 Auburn for the first 75 vehicles.

Nov 2nd & 3rd– **The Vero Beach Art Club and Motor City Classics** will host a two-day Show. The Corvette Club will be featured November 2nd. The AACA members will be featured on November 3rd. Let Adam Logemann know if you plan on attending.

Nov 3 – **Vintage Car Club – Treasure Coast Region, AACA 43rd Annual Cars of our Lives**, 9 am to 3 pm, 301 SE Stypmann Blvd. Stuart, Florida 34994

Feb 22– **First Presbyterian Church of Sebastian** will present their 2nd Annual Antique Car, Truck and Bike Show. Pre-Registration \$15 – Day-of-show \$20. Registration 9 am to 11 am. Awards, dash plaques and more.

Mar 15 – **Indian River Region, AACA - 46th Annual Antique Automobile Show** – at Riverside Oaks (under the oaks). Show starts at 10 am to 4 pm. Food Court - Registration 9 am to 11 am. Preregistration \$20 – Day-of-show \$25. Dash Plaques for all entries.

Local Cruises:

2nd and 4th Saturdays
Breakfast at CJ Cannon's at 8 am. Hosted by the Indian River Region AACA .

3rd Monday–T/A Truckstop starts October 21st. 5pm to 8pm.

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.

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

AACA NATIONALS AND TOURS

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August 22-24, 2024
Special Fall Nationals
Hampton, Virginia • Historic Virginia Peninsula Region • 757-871-6701

September 12-14, 2024
Western Fall Nationals
Loveland, Colorado • 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

2025
February 6-8, 2025
Annual Convention
Charlotte, North Carolina • National Headquarters • 717-534-1910

April 3-5, 2025
Southeastern Spring Nationals
Charlotte, North Carolina • Hornets Nest Region • 704-847-4215

May 1-3, 2025
Western Spring Nationals/ Grand Nationals
Tucson, Arizona • Tucson Region • 520-904-7325

June 1-7, 2025
Vintage Tour (Pre-1931)
Pennsylvania • Buzzard's Breath Touring Region • 407-261-9318

June 26-28, 2025
Eastern Spring Nationals
West Virginia • Whitewater 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 • 717-534-1910

September 18-20, 2025
Southeastern Fall Nationals
Corydon, Indiana • Kyana Region • 615-430-8027

September 7-12
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October 7-10, 2025
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October 22-25, 2025
Central Fall Nationals
Galveston, Texas • Gulf Coast Region • 832-693-4006

REGION / CHAPTER EVENTS

JULY 2024
14 Akiport, N.Y. Chemung Valley Region. 68th car show/summerfest
Rocco Mesti 585-409-3310; rmesi3@gmail.com
28 Zoar Village, Ohio. Canton Chapter. Zoar Harvest Festival Car Show
Joe 330-806-6064; Gaglaj@aol.com; Denny 330-497-4201; Denny@neo.r.com

AUGUST 2024
2-4 Macungie, Pa. Ontonagon Region. Das Awkscht Fescht. Susan Manwiler
610-823-5033; awkscht.com

SEPTEMBER 2024
1 Latrobe, Pa. Western Pennsylvania Region. 60th Paul B. Bell Memorial Antique Auto, Custom, street rod show. Flo 724-331-7993; 724-879-8281
15 Kingsport, Tenn. Dan'l Boon Region. 46th Allendale car show
Dave 423-765-1095; danboonregion.aaca.com
15 McAdoo, Pa. Anthracite Region. 38th annual car show/tea market
Dave Bielen dbielen51@gmail.com
29 Manchester, Md. Chesapeake 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
TreasureCoast.aaca.com; Dennis Dahnle 772-237-9755; Sally 314-324-5192



Send calendar listings to: StelioGT@yahoo.com AND FBuckley@aaca.org
Limited to AACA and its region/chapter events.

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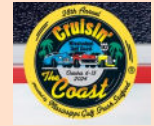
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Recent Trip to Mississippi

Cruisin' the Coast



Several of our members went on a cruise to Mississippi and had a great time. They enjoyed all the sights. They had great weather too! The photographs were taken by Kathy and Billy D'Arton .



Welcome to America's Largest Block Party celebrating classic cars. Car enthusiasts from 40 states plus Canada, Germany, and Puerto Rico arrive on the Mississippi Gulf Coast once a year to showcase their rides and to cruise our beautiful 30-mile stretch of beach-side highway with designated stops in Bay St. Louis, Biloxi, D'Iberville, Gulfport, Pass Christian, Ocean Springs, and Pascagoula.



Antiques for Sale

Mike Gotwalt is selling his 1954 Corvette Roadster. It recently completed a frame off restoration.

michael.a.gotwalt@gmail.com. Phone 717-856-0252

1954 Corvette Roadster, E54S003458.
Same owner since 1967.
Frame off seven-year restoration.
All original, except where noted.
Less than 100 miles since returned from
NCRS restorer.

Price: \$95,000 negotiable
Michael.a.gotwalt@gmail.com



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



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

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