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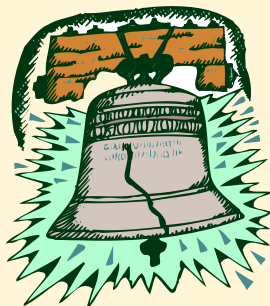
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Hopefully this note finds you well. We had a few things this past month with the weather holding out for the White City Park show in Ft Pierce. We would like to thank everyone who came out and helped with the Flag Day show at the Vero Beach Elks Lodge. The weather got the best of us right at the end of the show, but we had a Great turnout.

Then the Dillard's Father's Day cars and coffee followed by the Burgers and Brews show held out at the Fairgrounds this year. I'll keep it short and hope to see you t the 4th of July celebration then our meeting on the 7th of July this month.

Respectfully

John Stefanacci

From the Editor

July 4, 1776 was the most significant event in the history of our country. On that day, the United States formally declared its independence from Great Britain. We announced to the world that we were now an independent nation. The action by our fore fathers meant that we would fight against Great Britain to truly receive our independence. Honor and enjoy July 4, 2026.

Best Regards,

Phil LoGiudice



Our Next Meeting: **July 7th** at the **Italian American Civic Association** located at 1600 25th Street, Vero Beach.

Dinner is at 5:30 pm—menu details are sent the week before.

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

Email Fred in order to be served, **No texts or phone calls please!**

We look forward to seeing all of you at the **7pm meeting**.



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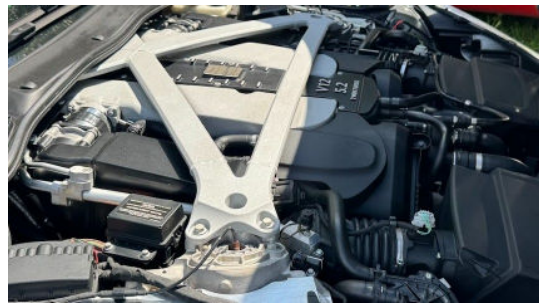


Vero Beach Elks Lodge—Flag Day June 14, 2026



Every year Craig Waskow has hosted a car and truck show at the Vero Beach Elks Lodge. This year, he chose Flag Day instead of the usual Father's Day date.

Flag Day is a holiday celebrated on June 14 in the United States. The **flag of the United States** was **adopted** on June 14, 1777, by resolution of the **Second Continental Congress**. The Flag Resolution stated "That the flag of the thirteen United States be thirteen stripes, alternate red and white; that the union be thirteen stars, white in a blue field, representing a new constellation."



As we have in previous years, volunteers from our Indian River Region, AACA turned out in force to facilitate the show. We handed out goodies bags to the pre-registered, and also managed all the day of show registrations, and other tasks!.



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Antique Automobile Club Showcases Vehicles for America's 250th Birthday Party in Vero Beach



Cathi Canel wrote a brief article about AACA participation in the July 4 static vehicle display to *Fifty Third Neighbors* (a local monthly magazine distributed to about 12 communities in the north end of Vero Beach). The article appeared in the June edition.

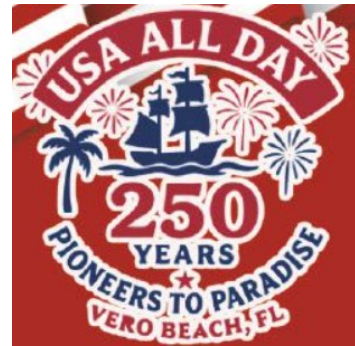
April 24, 2026 – Vero Beach, FL. The Indian River Region of the Antique Automobile Club of America (AACA) is proud to support the *Vero Beach Pioneers to Paradise* 250th Fourth of July celebration. As part of the morning activities on the mainland, club members will be showcasing classic and vintage cars and trucks in a static display at the Old Vero Beach Train Station located at 2336 14th Avenue, just a few blocks from the Pioneers to Paradise parade route. Plan to arrive before the parade starts to see an eclectic collection with vehicles dating from the 1920s through the 1970s.

AACA is the premier resource for the collectible vehicle community in the United States. The Indian River Region was established in 1976 by a small group of people who enjoyed collecting and driving antique vehicles. Now in its 50th year, the local club supports over 200 members and has broadened its scope to include all collectible vehicles.

Throughout the year, Indian River AACA members participate in many activities and fundraisers sponsored by civic organizations, local businesses, churches, and non-profit charities. The club supports the automotive curriculums at both Vero Beach High School and Sebastian River High School. Members visit the automotive classes, interact with the students, and donate uniform shirts to the senior students.

Indian River AACA hosts one of Vero's most popular car shows held each spring at Riverside Park. The club celebrated its 47th show in March with the new name "Concours Under the Oaks." A record-breaking 350 vehicles participated this year.

You don't want to miss this opportunity to view awesome vehicles, take photos of your favorites, and share stories with enthusiastic owners and car aficionados from across the Treasure Coast.



*** PARADE: 10AM - BEGINS ON 14TH AVE.**

*** ANTIQUE CAR DISPLAY: 10AM- 12PM AT OLD TRAIN STATION. PRESENTED BY AACA**

Wednesday Lunch at Casa Amigos

Located at 6200 20th St, Suite 496, Vero Beach, FL 32966

Geroge reported that “Good turnout at our *May IRR AACA Lunch Cruise*. It was tough to fill Bob's shoes while he was away, but somehow we did it. Casa Amigos did a great job for lunch.”



Upcoming Events



Jun 27 – Burgers and Brews, IRC Fairgrounds, 11am to 4 pm (can't leave until 4 pm).

Jul 4 – Vero Beach 250th Celebration - Description of events and timelines. See page five in this Headliner.

Aug 1 – Piper Aircraft Show – 2926 Piper Drive 10 am to 2 pm. Food and Awards. Registration \$20.

Oct 18 – Jumpstart Antique Car Show – Ft Pierce Elks Lodge and Purple Cane Project. 11am to 3 pm at 608 S. 5th Street, Fort Pierce.

AACA Events

AACA NATIONALS AND TOURS

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2026

May 28-30, 2026
Eastern Spring Nationals
 Indiana, Pennsylvania • Shannock Valley Region • 724-783-7140

June 11-13, 2026
Southeastern Fall Nationals
 Oak Ridge, Tennessee • Volunteer Region • 865-803-3412

June 14-19, 2026
Sentimental Tour (1928-1958)
 Mechanicsburg, Pa. • Oakland/Pontiac Worldwide Region • 717-877-4766

July 23-25, 2026
Central Spring Nationals
 Green Bay, Wisconsin • 920-819-1407

August 5-8, 2026
Southeastern Divisional Tour (Up to 2001)
 Flat Rock, N.C. • Great Smoky Mtn Region and LDC • 828-606-2918

August 19-22, 2026
Annual Grand Nationals / Zenith Awards
 Allentown, Pennsylvania • 717-534-1910

September 9-14, 2026
Founders Tour (1932-2001)
 Williamsburg, Virginia • Historic VA Peninsula Region • 757-303-0650

September 21-26, 2026
Revival AAA Glidden Tour® (Pre-1943)
 Dover, Delaware • AACA Hosted • 484-769-7856

October 6-9, 2026
Eastern Fall Nationals
 Hershey, Pennsylvania • Hershey Region • 717-566-7720

2027

February 4-6, 2027
Annual Convention
 King of Prussia, Pennsylvania • AACA National • 717-534-1910

February 18-20, 2027
Winter Nationals
 Melbourne, Florida • AACA National • 717-534-1910

April 8-10, 2027
Southeastern Spring Nationals
 Charlotte, N.C. • Hornets Nest Region • 704-847-4215

June 3-6, 2027
Eastern Spring Nationals
 Fredericksburg, Va. • Fredericksburg Region • 540-834-8120

July 22-24, 2027
Central Spring Nationals
 New Ulm, Minnesota • Minnesota Region • 320-290-4285

August 26-28, 2027
Central Fall Nationals
 Crystal Lake, Illinois • Northern Illinois Region • 815-758-3085

September 8-11, 2027
Special Fall Nationals
 Vernon, N.Y. • Rolling Antiquers Region • 607-316-0648

October 5-8, 2027
Eastern Fall Nationals
 Hershey, Pennsylvania • Hershey Region • 717-566-7720

October 5-8, 2027
Eastern Divisional Tour
 Swedesboro, N.J. • South Jersey Region • 856-535-1299

REGION / CHAPTER EVENTS

May 2026

16 Lutherville, Md. Chesapeake Region. Annual four-alarm collector car show. Tom Rosso 240-375-5325; 1965barracuda@comcast.net; chesapeake.aaca.com

16 Cedar Rapids, Iowa. Cedar Rapids Region. 48th annual swap meet Sharon Schminke 319-472-4372; cedarregion.aaca.com

23 Galax, Virginia. Twin County Region. Memories on Main car show. Thomas Littrell lv2ty53p@gmail.com

24 Fallbrook, Calif. Fallbrook Vintage CC Region. 59th annual vintage car show. FallbrookVintageCarClub.org

23-24 Luray, Virginia. Greenhorn Region. 2026 Next Generation Tour. Kyle Blake GreenhornRegion@gmail.com

25 Boalsburg, Pa. Ellegheeny Mt. Region. Memorial Day show. Boalsburg Military Museum. Scott Deno nsdedds@hotmail.com

June 2026

7 Lancaster, N.Y. Lake Erie Region. 72nd Annual car show. Como Lake Park. AACA.org/lakeerie

7 Liverpool, N.Y. Onondaga Lake Region. 73rd annual car show/swap meet Jim Smith 315-468-2331; jdsmsmith68@yahoo.com; olraaca.net

13 Union Gap, Wash. Central Washington Region. 42nd Yakima Valley swap meet/car show. Mike Kelley 253-630-2629; temikal@comcast.net

19 York Springs, Pa. Gettysburg Region. Annual car show at Lattimore Valley Fairground. Annette Yost 717-660-8000

14 Waterford, Pa. Presque Isle Region. 50th antique automobile show Howard Krack 814-881-1015; piraea45@yahoo.com

20 Louisville, Ky. KYANA Region. National DeSoto Club 40th convention/car show. Mark Kubanick mark.kubanick@gmail.com; desoto.org/events

20 Princeton, N.J. Mid-Jersey Region. Car show at Terhune Orchards. MidJerseyRegionAACA@gmail.com

27 Charlestown, R.I. Westerly-Pawcatuck Region. 3rd annual South County car show. General Stanton Inn. Text/call 203/913-5562 or 305-731-3852

July 2026

31-Aug. 2 Macungie, Pa. Ontelaunee Region. Das Awkscht Fescht. Susan Marwiler 610-823-5033; smanwi1321@aol.com

August 2026

2 Clearfield, Pa. Central Mountains Region. 49th antique / custom auto show. Ed Milligan 814-553-7493; edclindamilligan@currently.com

September 2026

6 Latrobe, Pa. Western Pa. Region. 62nd antique/custom/street rod show. Flow Myers 724-221-7293; WesternPaRegion.org

10-11 Dearborn, Mich. Snappers Brass & Gas Region. 43rd Lansing to Dearborn Run for pre-1915 vehicles. JFGrace@peoplepc.com

19 Manassas, Va. Bull Run Region. 50th Edgar Rohr Memorial car meet at historic railroad depot. Randy Higgins 703-853-2235

20 McAdoo, Pa. Anthracite Region. 40th annual car show/lea market Dave Bielen 717-471-9313; dbielen51@gmail.com

Local Cruises:

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

2nd Wednesday Evening at 5:15 pm to Five Guys in Sebastian. Please do not come early due to parking availability.

3rd Wednesday – Rotating Lunch cruise Vero Beach or Sebastian. Contact Bob Kaufman if interested, at 772-664-7091.

4th Wednesday – Breakfast at Country Ham & Egg—Call Bob Kaufman RSVP please..

Friday nights—Willy's Bar & Grill in Fellsmere. Music and car cruise.

2nd & 4th Saturday Breakfast at CJ Cannon's at 8 am. Hosted by The Indian River Region AACA.

Every Saturday evening - Cruise to McDonalds in Vero Beach on US1 and Oslo Road. Gather at 5:30pm. See Billy D'Arton for details.

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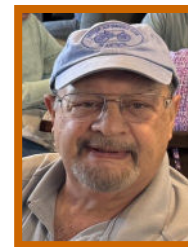
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