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# THE "CRUIZE NEWS"

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#### **CRUIZE NEWS**

Our/your club's newsletter, <u>The Cruize News</u>, is made available to club members and friends in both electronic and printed versions. Hopefully you enjoy receiving a copy, browsing the pictures, and reading the text as much as Sally and I enjoy preparing it for you. If you have any comments or suggestions to help improve the newsletter, or have pictures for inclusion, please feel free to forward them to us at <u>dasrob@embarqmail.com</u>. From us to you, have a safe, healthy, and enjoyable new cruising season.

#### **YOUR 2015-16 CLUB'S OFFICERS**

| President:      | Helen Kirk      | 717-248-4560 |
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| Vice President: | John Vasger     | 717-250-9263 |
| Treasurer:      | Brent Miller    | 717-953-4330 |
| Secretary:      | Andrea McCardle | 717-248-2946 |
| Chaplain:       | Rick Sweigart   | 717-899-6225 |

#### **YOUR 2015-16 CLUB'S DIRECTORS (TRUSTEES)**

Don (Butch) Eagler

Matt Fisher

Dale Gantt

Kevin McCardle.

Sally Roberts

Ron Wagner.

## FOR YOUR INFORMATION

#### **CLUB DUES REMAIN THE SAME**

Dues for the current year (2016-17) are <u>currently being accepted</u> and will continue to be accepted until the end of July, 2017. The fees remain unchanged since the club was founded in 2002, and are extremely reasonable. They are as follow:

New, <u>full membership</u> is \$25 (First year dues include a club T-shirt & AAC dash card) Membership renewal is \$10 per year

New, <u>social</u> member, i.e., spouse or no car, is \$20 (First year dues include a club T-shirt) Social membership renewal is \$5 per year

New, <u>junior membership</u> is \$20 (First year dues include a club T-shirt) Junior membership renewal is \$5 per year

Reinstatement (\$25 full or \$20 Social/Jr.) does not include a T-shirt and other benefits

Payment of dues will be accepted at the monthly meetings and at most of the cruise-ins and car shows, or may be mailed directly to the club Treasurer Brent Miller at his home address – 117 North 3<sup>rd</sup> Street, Mifflintown, PA. 17059

#### **CAR SHOWS AND CRUISE-INS ATTENDED**

Numerous car shows were held on <u>Saturday, June 23</u>, and Cruizers were quite spread out between several counties: Dauphin County (Enola Emmanuel Church Car Show), Centre County (Christmas in July Toys for Tots Car Show), and Mifflin County (Victory Auto Car Show). Pictured are the only photos from those events provided by various sources.

Enola



State College











#### A Cancellation & Postponement

A rainy day forced another club cruise-in, this one at the Sticky Bun Café in Yeagertown, on <u>July 30</u>, to be cancelled. Additionally, the cruise-in scheduled for <u>August 13</u> was postponed at the new location of the Sticky Bun Restaurant in Lewistown. Construction at that facility was not completed. Hopefully, whenever ready, we can schedule another date prior to the end of cruising season.

Several car show were held on the last day of the month, <u>July 31</u>, one in Port Royal (Christmas in July) and one in State College (Last Cruise). The Port Royal show was not well advertised and the organizer does not have a good reputation so, probably that is why only 10 vehicles were registered. It was reported that five were Cruizers and each took home a trophy. They were: Danny Hess, Dave Sieber, Tim Thomas, Beverly Williams, and Mike Worthy. Congratulations! A few members of the club, it was reported, attended the cruise in State College - one being Jim Bradley. Thanks for attending and representing the All-American Cruizers at these events.





August 6 was the date of the annual Fayette Carnival Vehicle Show in McAlisterville. Despite the few drops of rain at the outset, and the forecast for severe thunderstorms in the afternoon, some 92 cars, trucks, tractors, and motorcycles were registered. Attending were over forty club members. Thanks to all members who helped the committee at the registration table, and those of you who brought your vehicles (32 on display) braving the heat, and made this show a success. Even though this was not a club event, we collected \$47.00 in donations for the local food banks, which will be added to the fund, and checks written closer to the holidays. Finally, congratulations are extended to the winners of the Dealer's Choice Trophies -- Dale Gantt (GM), Bob Boyer (Ford), Rick Sweigart (Non-Big 3), Don and Sally Roberts (Mopar) – and the other 15 members who took home the "Top 36 Car/Truck" Plaques. We also took home the monetary award for Club Participation (\$50.00).



### McAlisterville Continued



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A first-ever car show, joining the annual "Pink Out" bike ride, was held on Saturday, <u>August 13</u> at the Port Royal Fairgrounds in Port Royal. The temperature reached 98 and the heat index was equivalent to 110, yet 22 Cruizers were in attendance, displaying 16 vehicles. The show ended early as a result of the weather, with seven members winning trophies. The winners were, for Dealer's Choice Trophies, Dave Sieber (GM), Don and Sally Roberts (Mopar) and for the Top 6 Car/Truck Trophies were Danny Hess, Kevin Paige, Sheldon Romig, Cliff Ziegler, and Rob Zwald. The club also acquired \$28.00 in contributions for the food bank fund. Congratulations to all winners and thanks to all who attended making this show for breast cancer a success.



Port Royal Continued

Note our club logo

On <u>August 18</u> the club held a second cruise-in at the Newport Tractor Supply, the first one not well attended due to the storms in the area. For once it was a nice evening and the cruise-in went on as planned, with 43 vehicles registered and others who cruised in and out failing to register. The club collected large boxes of food for the Perry County food Bank as well as \$72 in contributions for future monetary donations to the tri-county food banks. Additionally, the club netted \$83 from the 50-50 drawing and helped the Disabled Vets Organization earn about \$60 and the Newport Wrestling Club, who sold the food, over \$200. Thanks to all Cruizers and fellow car enthusiasts who made this event quite a success.







#### **SUNSHINE NEWS**

A card expressing our condolences was sent to Doug Detwiler, owner of the Sticky Bun and one of our club's sponsors, on the passing of his mother. Another was forwarded to Donnie Strum on the passing of his wife Peggy. Additionally, since she was an active club member, a monetary donation in Peggy's name was sent to the local chapter of the National Leukemia and Lymphoma Society. Let's be sure to keep Doug and Donnie, and their respective families, in our thoughts and prayers, as well as all other club members who are suffering an illness or are inflicted with a disease.

If you know of any member in need of a card mailed from the club, please call Sally Roberts at 717-535-4155, or contact her with the name at the following email address - <a href="mailto:dasrob@embarqmail.com">dasrob@embarqmail.com</a>. Thanks, in advance, for your assistance.

#### **NEXT CLUB MEETING**

The next monthly meeting of the car club represents a change of day and date due to the Labor Day weekend. It is now scheduled for <u>Wednesday</u>, <u>September 7</u>, at Vince's Pizza & Restaurant in Burnham. Hope to see you at the meeting to provide your input into any and all discussions. After the meeting, as usual, there will be an informal get together at Dunkin Donuts across the street to socialize.

#### **UPCOMING CLUB PICNIC**

Please reserve the following date - SATURDAY, SEPTEMBER 17 – This is the date of the club's annual, OUTDOOR PICNIC for all current Cruizers and their family members. It will be held in the large pavilion at Kish Park from 1:00 – 5:00/6:00, rain or shine. The club, as usual, will be providing a variety of meats, chips pretzels, and place settings for all. Attendees are requested to bring a covered dish to share with the entire group and beverages for yourselves and your party. Please note that no alcoholic beverages are permitted on site.

As usual, we also plan to have a 50-50 drawing and a raffle table. Hopefully, you can remember to provide an item(s) for the raffle table, as the proceeds earned help pay for the picnic and benefit the food banks in the "tri-county" area. Your item(s) may be donated at the September meeting or brought the day of the picnic. In any case, your assistance would be greatly appreciated. More information will be emailed at a date closer to the picnic. Thank you, in advance, for coming to the picnic and supporting this club event.

#### **CALENDAR OF EVENTS**



| Sept 3 Sept 7 (Wed) September 10 Sept 17 Sept 25 (Oct 2) Sept 28 - Oct 3 | AAC BURNHAM COMMUNITY DAY CAR DISPLAY AAC Monthly Meeting at Vince's Pizza Lupfer's Grove Benefest Car Show AAC OUTDOOR PICNIC at Kish Park in Burnham AAC TOY DRIVE (MIFFLINTOWNTHARSHBARGER'S) Fall Carlisle Car Show/Swap Meet | 9:00 - 2:00<br>7:00<br>8:00 - 4:00<br>1:00 - 6:00<br>11:00 - 3:00<br>7:00 - 7:00 |
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| October 3 October 3 – 8 October 6 – 9 October 8 October 23               | AAC Monthly Meeting at Vince's Pizza AACA Hershey Car Show/Swap Meet Ocean City Endless Summer Cruisin' Regester's/PCCC All-Chevy Show Port Royal Old Home Foliage Day Car Show   | 7:00<br>7:00 - 7:00<br>8:00 - 7:00<br>9:00 - 3:00<br>9:00 - 4:00                 |
| November 7<br>November 8<br>December 5                                   | AAC Monthly Meeting at Vince's Pizza AAC FUNDRAISER – HARSHBARGER'S AAC Monthly Meeting at Vince's Pizza  | 7:00<br>Anytime (11:00 – 9:00)<br>7:00   |