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THE “CRUIZE NEWS”

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Our/your club’s newsletter, The Cruise News, 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 dasrob@embarqmail.com. From us to you, have a safe, healthy, and enjoyable new cruising season.

YOUR 2015-16 CLUB’S OFFICERS

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| President: | Helen Kirk ----- | 717-248-4560 |
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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 currently being accepted 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, full membership is \$25 (First year dues include a club T-shirt & AAC dash card)

Membership renewal is \$10 per year

New, social 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, junior membership 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 3rd Street, Mifflintown, PA. 17059**

CAR SHOWS AND CRUISE-INS ATTENDED

Several days after our club's very successful cruise-in at the Newport Tractor Supply, on August 20, there was a rare "Cruise Night" at Lupfer's Grove in Shermans Dale. Quite a few vehicles registered, including several cars and trucks owned by Cruizers. Thanks to Don VanHorn, Dale Gantt, Todd Eshelman, and new members Kathy and Wayne Fickes for representing our club at this event..



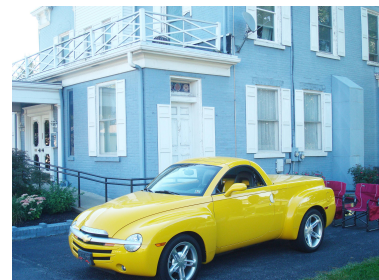
A car show/flea market was held on another very hot day at Williams Grove on Sunday, August 28. Three Cruizers were among the 223 vehicles registered, two of which won trophies. Congratulations are extended to Bob Boyer and Todd Eshelman on winning.



Saturday, September 3, was the date of the annual Burnham Community Day celebration. As in the past, our car club was responsible for a vehicle display at the Burnham location of the Heller-Hoenstine Funeral Home. It turned out to be a nice day, with over 24 cars, trucks, and motorcycles on display. Thanks to all who supported the club at this event.



Burnham Continued



September 10, was quite the busy day for cruise-ins and car shows in various county locations. Our club members were divided, as several attended the cruise-in honoring Rick Sweigart, our Club Chaplain, who passed away quite unexpectedly. It was held at the Swigart Automobile Museum Saturday morning in Huntingdon. Others chose to attend either of two car shows in Perry County, one in New Bloomfield and the other in Lupfer's Grove in Shermansdale. Between 40 – 50 vehicles cruised to the Huntingdon location and it was reported that 67 were registered in New Bloomfield (5 Cruizers/2 trophies) and about 50 were in Shermansdale (3 Cruizers/3 Awards). Congratulations to club members Lee Campbell, Dale Gantt, Todd Eshelman, Cliff Ziegler, and Rob Zwald.

Huntingdon



New Bloomfield & Shermansdale



CLUB PICNIC REVIEWED

Our annual Fall, outdoor picnic was held on Saturday, September 17 at Kish/Derry Park in Burnham. It turned out to be quite a beautiful day with nearly 45 members, and about the same number of family and guests, in attendance. Everyone present had a great time socializing and, of course, eating plenty of good food. There were many beautiful raffle table items to be won, so thanks to all who donated. The club earned \$225 in ticket sales. An additional \$79 was taken in for the club with the 50-50 drawing, with Lee Campbell winning the same amount. Congratulations Lee! We would be neglectful if we didn't thank chief cooks Bob & Cathy Boyer who did a great job preparing the meats, and to all those who were there early to set up. Thanks are also extended to all present who kindly brought covered dishes and items for the raffle table, and to all who helped in any way to make this picnic an enjoyable experience for one and all.



Picnic continued



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DONATION MADE

A donation of 89 pounds of groceries, canned goods and other non-perishable items, were delivered to the Perry County Food Bank. The items were collected at the most recent, 8/18, cruise-in held at the Newport Tractor Supply Store. Thanks to Lee Campbell and Byron Olenski (older photo) for transporting the goods to the New Bloomfield location..



SUNSHINE NEWS

Sally reported she sent a Get Well Card to Tim Thomas who was hospitalized with the flu like symptoms and a case of food poisoning. We are pleased to announce he is feeling much better now.

We are saddened to say that we lost a fellow Cruizer, our Club Chaplain, and good friend in the person of Rick Sweigart on September 4. Rick passed away unexpectedly the day after attending the Burnham Community Day cruise-in. He was a proud Marine, Vietnam Veteran and an avid car enthusiast who will be sorely missed at all of our cruise-ins, car shows, and other club events. A winner in all ways – RIP Rick



A sympathy card expressing our condolences was sent to Rhonda, his wife, as well as a monetary donation to the Central Pa American Vietnam Veterans Association in Rick's memory. Let's keep Rhonda and the rest of the Sweigart family in our thoughts and prayers, as well as all other club members who are suffering an illness or who are in any way 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 - dasrob@embarqmail.com. Thanks, in advance, for your assistance.

NEXT CLUB MEETING

Our club's next monthly meeting is scheduled for **Monday, October 3** 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.



CALENDAR OF EVENTS

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| Sept 28 – Oct 2 | Fall Carlisle | 7:00 – 7:00 |
| October 2 | <u>Raindate</u> for the Toy Drive at Harshbarger's (If Needed?) | 11:00 – 3:00 |
| October 3 | AAC Monthly Meeting at Vince's Pizza | 7:00 |
| October 3 – 8 | AACA Hershey Car Show/Swap Meet | 7:00 – 7:00 |
| October 6 – 9 | Ocean City Endless Summer Cruisin' | 8:00 – 7:00 |
| October 8 | Regester's/PCCC All-Chevy Show | 9:00 – 3:00 |
| October 8 | Enola Pumpkin Fest Car Show | 9:00 – 3:00 |
| October 23 | Port Royal Old Home Foliage Day Car Show | 9:00 – 4:00 |
| November 7 | AAC Monthly Meeting at Vince's Pizza | 7:00 |
| November 8 | AAC FUNDRAISER – HARSHBARGER'S | Anytime (11:00 – 9:00) |
| December 4 | AAC FUNDRAISER – LEWISTOWN HOSS'S | Anytime (11:00 – 9:00) |
| December 5 | AAC Monthly Meeting at Vince's Pizza | 7:00 |

