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THE "CRUIZE NEWS"

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CRUIZE NEWS

Just as during the past six years, both electronic and printed versions will be made available to club members and friends. 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 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 year.

Don & Sally Roberts

YOUR 2017-18 CLUB'S OFFICERS

President:	Helen Kirk	717-248-4560
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YOUR 2017-18 CLUB'S DIRECTORS (TRUSTEES)

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YOUR 2017-18 CLUB CHAPLAIN

CLUB DUES REMAIN THE SAME

Dues for the 2017-18 year are currently being accepted and will continue to be accepted until the end of 2018. At that point, dues will be collected for the entire 2019 year. Note this is a "transition" to a January 1 - December 31 calendar year, to correspond with Brent's end of year fiscal reporting. Please note that the fees remain unchanged since the club was founded in 2002, and are extremely reasonable: so there is no reason not to join or renew. The costs 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, 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 they may be mailed directly to the club Treasurer Brent Miller at his home address – 117 North 3rd Street, Mifflintown, PA. 17059.

CAR CLUB EVENTS ATTENDED

NEWPORT CRUISE-IN

Our club's first of two cruise-ins at the Newport Tractor Supply was held on Thursday evening, June 28. After the ten minute rain and wind storm created havoc with the canopies and cruise materials (all went flying and one broke), the weather cooperated and the sun began to shine drying everything out. Lee Campbell, the coordinator of this event, reported that 47 vehicles registered and others cruised in, stayed a while, but did not register. It was determined that 23 club members were present, displaying 15 cars and trucks. No trophies were awarded, but all present received a nice door prize. Winner of the 50-50 drawing was Cruizer Keith Sheaffer who kindly donated a portion of his winnings back to the food bank container. Thanks Keith! Speaking of the food bank, the club collected a truckload of canned goods and non-perishable items for the Perry County Food Bank as well as \$214 in monetary donations. Thanks to each of you who contributed. Your generosity was greatly appreciated. Hotdogs and drinks were prepared by the Newport Wrestling Club, earning them about \$286, including a portion of the monetary drawing. Thanks are extended to one and all who participated, and especially to those members who arrived early and stayed late helping out. Because of you this cruise-in was very successful!!!

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IMPROMPTU GET-TOGETHER

An impromptu invitation was forwarded via email to club members regarding this event, hoping to get a good turnout. A group of Cruisers (10 of us) showed up at the River Bend Brewery in Newport on Saturday evening, June 30, to support fellow club member Mike Worthy and his

great sounding band, "Friend of Bob". For those of you who don't know, Mike was a founding member of this musical group and, in our opinion, is one of the best drummers around. It was quite hot that night, but a nice time listening to the music and dancing was had by each of us.







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River Bend continued







LEWISTOWN CRUISE-IN

As part of the "Liberty Day Festivities" in Lewistown, on Saturday, June 30, a cruise-in was held in front of and around the Embassy Theater. No known number of vehicles was reported, but thanks to Cruizer Terry Crosson on Facebook, several photos were retrieved. Thanks Terry!













MCCLURE CAR SHOW

Saturday, June 30, was the scheduled date of the Joe Wolfley Memorial Car Show in McClure. It was reported that four Cruizers displayed their vehicles at this event, Al Coudriet, Sheldon Romig, Dwayne Wagner, and Ron Wagner. We had heard that the first three each one a Top 20 Trophy, congratulations! No photos were submitted, but several were located on the American Legion Facebook Page.







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EAST WATERFORD CAR SHOW

The annual 4th of July car show and parade was held on the carnival grounds in East Waterford on Wednesday, July 4. One Cruizers member, Don VanHorn, reported that about 27 vehicles were registered, four of which belonged to fellow club members. Besides himself at the show were Ken Fleming, Marvin Marsh, and Tim Thomas. Attendance was down, apparently because of the holiday, hot/humid weather and the forecast for showers and thunderstorms. All received a bucket of cleaning supplies because they were one of the first twenty-five registered.













LEWISTOWN CRUISE-IN

On Friday evening, July 6, a cruise-in was held in Kish Park, Burnham, organized by fellow Cruizer Skip Royer and hosted by the Touring Friends Motorcycle Club. This was part of the two day event referred to as "Family Fun in the Park," formally called the Rally in the Park. It was a beautiful evening for a change, nearly the first of the year without pending rain. A total of 20 vehicles were on display, 11 of which belonged to Cruizers. Six other club members made an appearance at this cruise-in to say hello, eat some food, and view the cars and trucks.













Lewistown Cruise-in continued

























LEWISTOWN CAR SHOW

Saturday, July 7 was the date of the "Family and Friends Day" car show held in Kish Park in Burnham. Just as the night before, the show was hosted by the Touring Friends Motorcycle Club. Even though it was not a club event, several Cruizers helped Skip Royer, a fellow club member, with the logistics and necessities of the show. It was a beautiful day with sunny skies and comfortable temperatures. A total of 55 cars, trucks, and motorcycles registered and were on display for the judging. 22 members/17 vehicles were there during the course of the day. Dale Gantt was the lucky recipient of a beautiful wheel clock. Congratulation! Congratulations are also extended to the 15 Cruizers who won a trophy in their appropriate classes. 1st Pace Trophies were won by Dale Gantt, Dale Grove, Shirley McNeal, Byron Olenski, Don Roberts, Sally Roberts, and Dave Shirk; 2nd Place Trophies were awarded to Rod & Darlene Fultz, Rod Fultz Jr., Danny Hess, Marvin Marsh, and Doug Phillips; and 3rd Place Trophies were given to Kevin & Andrea McCardle, Dwayne Wagner, and Ron Wagner. Thanks to all who supported this great cause..

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INFORMAL CRUISE

Several car club members have expressed an interest in doing "car related things" other than just attending car shows and cruise-ins. This year we have, therefore, implemented informal gettogethers (see previous article and pictures) and cruises, just on a trial basis. They seem to be going over quite well. The photos below depict the destinations of our last cruise to Mifflinburg and McAlisterville via a circle route. They generally last several hours with several stops along the way. If you are interested in being notified about these "impromptus," be sure to call us at 717-535-4155 or send an email to dasrob@embargmail.com. We would love to have you join us.













BURNHAM CRUISE-IN

The first of two cruise-ins, located in the parking lot of the Sweet Frog in Burnham, was held on Friday, July 13. It was a beautiful, warm evening with no chance of rain, which we always had

in previous years, so attendance was great. A total of 66 vehicles cruised in, 24 which were club members' cars and trucks. Another seven Cruizers showed up to show their support. In addition to contributions of food, the club earned \$77 as its share of the 50-50. The other half of the drawing was won by Ken and Nancy Taylor, who generously donated it back to the club for the food bank. That amount, along with the other donations, garnered some \$109 for us. Thanks to the Taylors and to one and all that attended this event and contributed in any. It was a great success thanks to you. Here's hoping to see you back here for the next cruise-in on Friday, August 17.







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SHERMANS DALE CRUISE-IN

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In memory of fellow Cruizer Ronnie Eshelman, who passed away in June, a "Celebration of Life" cruise-in was held on Saturday, July 14 in Lupfer's Grove, Shermans Dale. It was a beautiful day, weather-wise, to honor our friend, beloved father of Todd Eshelman, one of our own. About 20 vehicles cruised in, twelve of which were owned by club members. Thanks are extended to Todd, and the Eshelman family, for the invitation to memorialize and honor his dad.. There was plenty of good food available, so much so, that many of us took some home. It was a very nice get-together, but a sad one as well considering Ron's passing. May he "Rest in Peace."













































DONATIONS MADE

Several donations were made during the months of June and July, thanks to the generosity of Cruizers club members and other car enthusiasts who attended our events. As you know by now, canned goods and other non-perishable items, as well as monetary contributions, are collected at all club functions. A cruise-in on Father's Day, hosted conjointly between our club and the personnel at Locust Grove, garnered sixty pounds of food and \$100 for the Juniata County Food Pantry. Another AAC cruise-in at Tractor Supply in Newport collected a truck load of canned goods for the Perry County Food Bank and \$88 for the Newport Wrestling Club that was kind enough to furnish hotdogs and drinks for the attendees. As a side note, that club earned a total of \$286 for the evening.

Finally, at the July, monthly meeting of the club, members voted unanimously to contribute another \$400, from funds collected previously, to each of the food banks in Mifflin, Juniata, and Perry Counties. A big THANK YOU is extended to one and all of you that, at any time, made contributions to or participated in our fundraisers at restaurants and our picnics, thus making this,

our Cruizers club, "social endeavor" a great success.













SUNSHINE REPORT

Sally reported that no cards required mailing this month, but let's keep all Cruizers, their family members, and friends who are ill, or inflicted with a disease, in our thoughts and prayers.

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 of that member at the following email address - dasrob@embargmail.com. Thanks, in advance, for your assistance.

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NEXT CLUB MEETING

The next car club meeting will be held on <u>Monday</u>, <u>August 6</u> at Vince's Pizza & Restaurant in Burnham, followed by an informal get-together afterwards at Dunkin' Donuts across the street. Hope to see you there.

Future 2018 meeting dates are:

Wednesday, September 5 Monday, October 1 Monday, November 5 Monday, December 3





"TWO MONTH" CALENDAR OF UPCOMING EVENTS

August 4	MCALISTERVILLE CAR SHOW/BARBEQUE	9:00 - 3:00
August 6	AAC Monthly Meeting at Vince's Pizza	7:00
August 11 (12)	PINK OUT/BREAST CANCER CAR SHOW PORT ROYAL	10:00 - 2:30
August 17	AAC BURNHAM SWEET FROG CRUISE-IN	4:00 - 8:00
August 19	AAC MIFFLINTOWN HARSHBARGER'S CRUISE-IN	11:00 - 3:00

OTHER "SEMI-LOCAL" EVENTS OF INTEREST

August 2-4	Mecum Auto Auction in Harrisburg
August 2-5	Carlisle Truck Nationals

August 4 Fayette Carnival Parade (following the car show)
August 5 Altoona Corvette Club/ Delgrosso Car Show

August 7 National Night Out in Lewistown

August 12 Bloomsburg Nationals

August 14 (15) Touring Friends MC Ride for a Smile at William Penn August 21 (30) Touring Friends MC Ride for a Smile at Elmcroft

August 23-25 Corvettes at Carlisle

August 25 Lewistown Grace Covenant Church Cruise-in