



TIRE TRACKS

June 2018

THE ELECTRONIC VERSION



Greetings, Waynesboro—Staunton Members, There are lots of opportunities to get your cars out during June. Check the schedule on page 5. Sue and Robbie Gray have a mystery tour planned following our June 17 Picnic at Tinkling Spring Presbyterian Church. Lets hope the spring monsoons end before then. We hope to see you at this and some other events this month.

Stu Allen

SEMA continues to monitor legislation that affects our hobby. Here is the latest alert:



Legislation (H.R. 5855) has been introduced in the U.S. House of Representatives that would require a larger and more detailed warning label on gas pumps dispensing E15 (gasoline that's 15% ethanol) than is currently required, to help prevent misfuelling. The bill states that labels must provide an adequate warning to consumers about the damage E15 can cause, including images and text on a label that's 5 x 7 or larger, and highlighting that E15 is incompatible with certain engines and equipment. Ethanol, especially in higher concentrations such as E15, can cause metal corrosion and dissolve certain plastics and rubbers in automobiles that were not constructed with ethanol-resistant materials.

You Can Shape the Course of This Proposal

Request support for this legislation by using the following SAN website link for an overview and lawmaker contact.

<http://semasan.com/page.asp?content=aa2018FED2&g=S>
EMAGA

New Member Opportunities

Jack Drago reports that we still have one free membership for a new member.

Special Offer from AACA National

Starting June 1st through October 15th, we will be processing ½ year memberships for the 2018 year. The ½ year membership includes the months June through December at a cost of only \$20.00 (\$25 for non-US members).

The ½ year members receive three bi-monthly issues of **ANTIQUE AUTOMOBILE** magazine

The ½ year membership is for first-time new members only. It doesn't apply to current members that are late in paying their yearly dues or members that have left their membership lapse for a year or more and wish to reinstate their membership.

Any new membership application received June 1st through September 30th with a \$40.00 payment will be refunded \$20.00.

All 2019 new members applying for membership during the October to December time period will receive the Nov/Dec 2018 and all 2019 issues of **ANTIQUE AUTOMOBILE**.

JUNE MEETING –Sunday, June 17, 2:00 PM – Monthly Meeting, Picnic and Tour at Tinkling Spring Presbyterian Church, 30 Tinkling Spring Drive, Fishersville. Bring a dish to pass. No deserts! The tour following the meal will end with a treat. Drinks, utensils and paper goods will be furnished.



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MUSINGS FROM THE PRESIDENT

Prepping for the Tour

And so it was on a beautiful, sunny and warm Wednesday of May 2nd that I got to ride “navigator” in Sue Gray’s VW to confirm the route of Saturday and Sunday’s club tours. We left the shopping center at 10AM and arrived at our “first” turn in Crozet. Whoops! We were supposed to take our “first turn” just 5.1 miles out of Waynesboro. Oh well. Just turn this rig around and follow the printed route. After getting back on track, we managed to arrive in Scottsville just a tick prior to the noon hour. After a “Hey, let’s look at the James River Ferry”, (some 5 miles out of the way) it became immediately apparent that a 14 foot aluminum canoe with Sergio (“Knuckles”) Castellano at the helm with a 10 foot pole to guide across the river while whistling “Oh Solo Mio” was not really in the cards. Quickly about facing the VW and back tracking, it was next on the route to locate the Tavern on the James restaurant. After crossing the James River bridge and driving some 15 miles to no where, we decided that we must have missed the restaurant. Around went the VW and backtracked to Scottsville. Ah hah! There’s the restaurant on the left just BEFORE YOU CROSS OVER THE BRIDGE. No sign to indicate the joint, but we did manage to confirm it. After several other “minor” 5 mile out of the way turns, we eventually found our way to Batesville (we had to stop so Sue could find a suitable casket to stuff my corpse in after my rants and raves). Then continuing on we found a gas station/pit stop (WHEW!) at Route 29, filled up the belly with some heavily loaded sugar goodies and continued our way to Route 250. Banged a left and wandered our way home. Not a bad trip indeed considering we only covered 150 miles in 7 hours. In case you’re wondering, that’s 21.4 Miles Per HOUR with the windows down. Some guy on a Schwinn bicycle passed us doing at least 40 MPH. Here we are in the year of 2018 and this VW has Willy Nelson nasalizing on the radio and no air conditioning. Lest I forget, THANKS Robbie for buying us lunch. I munched on a delicious steak and cheese sub and Sue had a gigantic 18 inch long hot dog. How did they make such a monster? Go figure.

Jack Drago

SUNSHINE REPORT The club was saddened to learn of the passing of Helen Diffie Tyler May 1, 2018. Helen was the daughter of W-S Region Charter Member Jeff Diffie and his wife Mildred.

Scottsville Tour—May 6

On Sunday May 6th, Waynesboro-Staunton Region had a car tour to Scottsville. We had 13 members participate with seven cars leaving Willow Oaks Shopping Center in Waynesboro at 2:30 pm. We drove US 250 across Afton Mountain to route 6 down through Afton to the base of the mountain. There we turned on route 151 and 6 traveling through the Rockfish Valley to Greenfield and then left on 6 to route 29. Turning left on 29 to route 6 again going through the communities of Faber and Esmont to Scottsville Shopping Center. There we toured the River Town Antiques Shop. After which, we traveled into Scottsville to the Tavern on the James where we had nice meal. Upon leaving the Tavern we stopped and toured the Bateau Riverboat display in Scottsville. After leaving the display, we traveled route 20 north to route 712 (Plank Road) through the communities of North Garden and Batesville to US 250 and Waynesboro.

The trip was almost the perfect time of year because spring had sprung and wild flowers were in bloom. A good time was had by all.

Robbie Gray

W-S Members
gather to depart
for Scottsville



Bateau
Riverboat
display in
Scottsville

65th Old Dominion Meet—Lacey Spring Elementary School—Hosted by Tri-County Region
April 27-28, 2018

Tri-County Region did a great job hosting the ODMA meet this year. The weather was perfect and the school grounds were ideal for the 60 cars that participated. Our Region was represented by 14 cars and won both of the ODMA participation trophies (see below). Individual awards are shown on page 3.



The **“Old Dominion Trophy”** is presented to the region with the most member participation points earned as selected from a large number of categories (most judges participating, most vehicles on the show field, longest distance driven, and points for each individual vehicle award, etc).

Waynesboro-Staunton Region won this trophy in 2000, 2006, 2007, 2014, and 2018



The **“Walser & Edgar Rohr Trophy”** is awarded to the region with the largest percentage of members participating in the meet, regardless of region size.

Waynesboro-Staunton Region won this trophy in 1959, 1967, 1972, 1985, 1992, and 2018.



1927 Chevrolet 1-Ton Truck—Mike Embres



1930 Ford Model A—Ronnie Shanholtzer



1934 Ford—Dianne Pennington



1949 Buick—Jim Gregory



1964 Studebaker Wagonaire—Bill Jackameit



1990 Lotus Esprit—Steve Cummins

Waynesboro-Staunton Region Meeting May 20, 2018

Our guest speaker for the May meeting was Fred Hollen of the Shenandoah Valley Beekeeper's Association. Fred is a veteran beekeeper who has his own bees and teaches beekeeping at Blue Ridge Community College. He entertained us while teaching us a lot about honey bees and the critical role they play in pollination of many of our food crops. He also explained the service beekeepers provide in capturing swarms of bees that are not contained in a regular hive. He showed videos of one of his students capturing a swarm of bees and transferring them to a hive. It was a very interesting talk.



Fred brought a demonstration hive with him so that we could see the queen and her supporting cast of bees.



W-S members enjoyed the meal at Golden Corral in Waynesboro as well as our guest speaker.



The demo. hive close up.



The smoker used to calm the bees when working on a hive.



The finished product - locally grown.

2018 ODMA Awards

Duane Perrin	1929 Stearns Knight	First Junior
Ronnie Shanholtzer	1930 Ford 255A	First Junior
Dianne Pennington	1934 Ford Model 40	First Junior
Mike Embres	1927 Chevrolet 1-Ton Truck	Preservation
Steve Cummins	1990 Lotus Esprit	First Junior
James Gregory	1949 Buick 56C	Preservation
Bill Jackameit	1964 Studebaker Wagonaire	Senior
Paul Wampler	1965 Rambler Marlin	Preservation
Dallas Wyant	1969 Ford Fairlane	Preservation
Doris Stone	1984 Cadillac	First Junior
Nelson Driver	1931 Willys-Knight	DPC
Todd Smith	1931 Buick	DPC
Scott Gregory	1967 Chevrolet Impala	DPC
Dick McIninch	1986 Mercedes 300E	Repeat HPOF
Stuart Allen	1957 Buick Roadmaster	Repeat HPOF

Calendar of AACA Events and *Community Car Events*

JUNE

- 2 **Saturday, 10 AM – 1 PM – 5th Annual “Dooms Day” Cruise-In at the Smyrna Presbyterian Church, 174 Dooms Crossing Road, Waynesboro.**
- 2 **Saturday, Historic Fredericksburg Region Car Show—Downtown Fredericksburg. See their Website <http://www.hfraaca.org/> for details.**
- 3-7 ***Hupmobile Club 2018 National Meet & Tour. Host hotel is Holiday Inn & Convention Center, 152 Fairway Lane, Staunton. See the cars on Mon., Tues. or Weds. Evenings at the Holiday Inn.***
- 13 **Wednesday, 7 PM, Executive Board Meeting at the Grays, 1430 Red Top Orchard Rd., Waynesboro**
- 16 ***Saturday – Cruise-In at Camp Light, 107 Creative Works Lane, Waynesboro. This a free event, however, VIP parking is available for \$25.***
- 17 **Sunday, 2:00 PM – Monthly Meeting, Picnic and Tour at Tinkling Spring Presbyterian Church, 30 Tinkling Spring Drive, Fishersville. Bring a dish to pass. No deserts! The tour following the meal will end with a treat. Drinks, utensils and paper goods will be furnished.**
- 25-29 **AACA Eastern Divisional Tour, Lock Haven, PA. Hosted by Bob Giles and Tom Roberts**

JULY

- 7 **Saturday, 10:00 AM – Vehicle Display & Monthly Meeting at Brightview Baldwin Park, 21 Woodlee Road, Staunton**
- 11-14 **AACA Eastern Spring Meet, Gettysburg, PA. Hosted by the Chesapeake Region.**

AUG.

- 8 **Wednesday, 7 PM, Executive Board Meeting at the Grays, 1430 Red Top Orchard Rd., Waynesboro**
- 19 **Sunday, 1:30 PM – Monthly Meeting & Joint Picnic with the Tri-County Region, Grand Caverns, 5 Grand Caverns Boulevard, Grottoes**
- 20-24 **AACA Reliability Tour, Geneva, NY. Hosted by the Genesee Valley Antique Car Society Region & the Wayne Drumlins Region**

Piedmont Region Meetings are the 4th Monday at the Doubletree Hotel on Route 29 North in Charlottesville

**Tri-County Region Meetings
Dates vary - Check their website**

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May 20 Waynesboro-Staunton Region Meeting

The May meeting of the Waynesboro-Staunton Region, AACA was held on Sunday, May 20, 2018 at the Golden Corral in Waynesboro and was called to order by Pres. Jack Drago. The Treasurer's report was given by Treas. Todd Smith. In the absence of Vice President Walter Wilson it was announced that the next meeting would be a picnic at Tinkling Spring Presbyterian Church.

The sunshine report stated that Dolly Harner and Ronnie Shannholtzer are doing fine, however Owen Harner and Vince Ennis are in declining health. Nelson Driver reported that the Old Dominion Meet had approximately 60 cars on the field and it appears to have made a small profit. The big news for the Waynesboro-Staunton Region is that we won both club trophies; the Old Dominion Trophy for the highest score of winning cars and participants and the Edgar and Walser Rohr Trophy for the club with the highest percentage of participants to members in the roster.

Editor, Stu Allen made a plea for articles to include in "Tire Tracks".

In other announcements, the Augusta County Fair is planning for us to exhibit cars again on a Friday at the fair; however the exact date is yet to be decided. The Stuarts Draft firemen's parade is to be July 12, starting at 6:30 PM. Billy Melton reported that the Model T club tour to Scottsville that he sponsored was held on May 3. Stu Allen then reported on a recent contact with Bob Ridle from Florida. The 50-50 drawing was won by Dave Sarginger.

Following adjournment a program was given by Fred Hollen on the subject of honeybees. Fred who is a beekeeper, showed part of an actual hive and explained some surprising facts about the communal life and communication abilities of the bees in a beehive.

Respectfully submitted,

Nelson Driver, acting secretary for
Robbie Gray

More ODMA Cars



1932 Buick—Todd Smith



1984 Cadillac—Doris Stone



1929 Stearns-Knight—Duane Perrin



JUNE BIRTHDAYS

Ken Bahrs

Martha Brooks

Harry DeVore

Susan Gray

Jim Gregory

Owen Harner

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CAR & Collectibles FOR SALE



Owen and Dolly Harner have decided to sell their 1940 Ford 2-Door. It has been fully restored, has a flathead V-8, heater, and is painted Acadia Green.

This car, along with much of Owen's automotive tools and collectibles will be sold through Enlisted Auctions during June. Watch for it at:

<http://www.enlistedauctions.com/>

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