



TIRE TRACKS

September 2018

THE ELECTRONIC VERSION



Greetings, Waynesboro—Staunton Members, in this issue you'll hear about several August activities including Expo (under water!), the picnic at Grand Caverns (yummy!) and Thunder Road at the Wayne Theater (Wild!). You also will be introduced to the 2018 ODMA Veterans' Day Tour in November. Last year we toured the Hopewell area of Virginia with 40 cars participating. 2017 was the first revival of the tours that were held years ago by ODMA. It was very successful and everyone agreed that it should be continued this year. We hope you'll consider signing up.

Stu Allen



Charles B. Cook Automotive Analysis and Repair Laboratory Dedication

August 27, 2018

Program

WelcomeDr. John A. Downey
President, Blue Ridge Community College

Remarks on behalf of the Charles B. Cook Estate Larry Craun
Executor

Remarks on behalf of the Automotive Program.....Stephen Sanders
Assistant Professor, BRCC Automotive Program

Automotive DemonstrationScott Russell
Instructional Assistant, BRCC Automotive Program

Reception



Several of our members attended the dedication of the Charles B. Cook Automotive Analysis & Repair Laboratory at Blue Ridge Community College. Mr. Cook, who passed away in 2014, regularly attended our Region events and many of you remember that baby-blue Rolls Royce that he was so proud of. Mr. Cook had no children and a friend, Larry Craun, his executor was instructed to donate funds to automotive programs and thus the contributions to BRCC. The endowment will fund an annual student scholarship for the Automotive Technology program as well as funding the purchase of auto technology equipment, machinery and welding equipment.

I remember listening to Mr. Cook and Carl Fulwider as they swapped war stories when we returned from a W-S Region meeting. Mr. Cook served in the Navy during WWII and Carl trained Army pilots so you can imagine the tales they told. Mr. Cook would be proud to have this lab. named after him.



Mr. Cook with the Rolls getting advice at Baldwin Park from W-S members.

July 2005

SEPTEMBER MEETING— Sunday, Sept. 9, 2 PM, Meeting and Annual Steak Fry & Auction, Coyner Springs Park, 2091 Lyndhurst Rd., Waynesboro. Bring a dish to share and a lawn chair. Steaks, drinks, ice, and dinnerware provided. Bring your auction items to sell and your checkbook!



TIRE TRACKS

The Official Publication of the
Waynesboro-Staunton Region



Volume 48, Issue 9

Visit our website—<http://waynesboro-stauntonregion.aaca.com/>

September 2018

MUSINGS FROM THE PRESIDENT

Here it is mid August and our first event is over, that being the car show at the Augusta County Fairgrounds on Friday the 3rd. We had 20 cars under cover in the show building and lots of space to display them. The folks that generate weather forecasts for whatever reason gave some gloomy reports probably scaring some of our members from attending the Fair. Apparently many of the prospective Fairgoers felt the same and stayed home. They missed a cloudy afternoon until some “dew” started to roll in around 5 PM. While we stayed nice and dry inside, the folks next door to us were wading in some 4 inches of “DEW”. To say that the Fair was washed out is to say it mildly.

We sat around munching on Ken Farley’s cheese and crackers, ate Fair “food” and polished it all off with huge servings of Klines homemade ice cream. The “dew” stopped and we left nice and dry for home around 8 PM.

On Saturday the 11th, our Web Master Scott Gregory tied the knot (finally!) Our spy on duty reported that the weather for the wedding was spectacular and the sights from the wine tasting room and the wedding site were breathtaking what with views of the Appalachian Mountains. Patty, Scott’s new bride was dressed in a beautiful white satin gown. The wedding party were dressed in suits and gowns. Scott?? Nice black patent leather work boots, somewhat less than preppy cut off Wrangler work pants and a “Bubba loves Mercury’s” T shirt. That’s our Scott. Always dressed for the occasion. And yes, Scott did sell 50/50 tickets, what for is anyone’s guess. Oh, and Patty’s father holding a shotgun to make sure Scott said the right words.

On Sunday the 12th some of us didn’t go to DAP’s ice cream because of some precipitation.

On Sunday the 19th we came out in numbers for our annual cookout at Grand Caverns and had a fabulous time as we always do. I lost count over 42 folks. The food was just delicious and lots of it. After a brief meeting, we were on the road home again, but not until several of us stopped at DAP’s for some ice cream and checked out the cruise-in cars and trucks.

Friday night of the 24th saw both sides of Main Street in Waynesboro packed with antique cars in front of the Wayne Theater for the showing of Thunder Road, a 1958 classic movie sponsored by our own Bruce Elder. Well in excess of over 30 of our club members attended the movie for a well deserved night of fun and laughter. Thanks to Bruce for the enjoyable evening.

Sunday evening we go to Bridgewater with Dave and Pam Potter for an evening of music put on by the Boogie Kings.

Hope to see everyone at Coyner Springs Park in Waynesboro on Sept 9th for our annual steak fry and auction. Bruce will be there to entertain us for several hours of how to “Part With Your Money” and “Fatten The Club’s Treasury” bidding wars.

Jack Drago

It’s Steak Fry & Auction Time Again

September 9, Coyner Springs Park, 2091 Lyndhurst Rd., Waynesboro. Bring a dish to share and a lawn chair. Steaks, drinks, ice, and dinnerware provided. Bring your auction items to sell and your checkbook!

Note that this is a week earlier than our normal meeting time to allow those attending the Glidden Tour in Idaho to make our Steak Fry & Auction.

Scenes from our 2017 Auction



Augusta County Fair at Expo in Fishersville—August 3, 2018

Our Region held its annual car display on Friday of Fair week. We had one of the few dry sites on the fair-grounds. The weather ranged from sprinkles to total gully washers that turned the grounds to a muddy mess. Attendance at our display was limited to a few souls seeking a dry refuge from the rain. In spite of the weather we managed to get 20 cars on display and members seemed to enjoy the chance to get together. Officials cancelled Fair activities at about 5:45 PM and the rain let up so we could pack up and head for home.



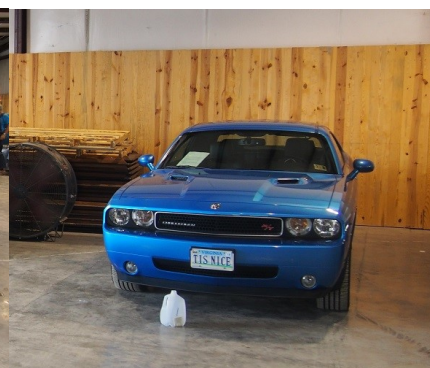
Nelson Driver's 1930 Ford AA Oil Tanker welcomed visitors to our display.



Robbie Gray's 1929 Model A Huckster drew lots of attention.



New member Ward Snyder brought his 1969 Corvair convertible.



Peoples' Choice winners:

1st—1917 Buick (Stu Allen) 2nd—1952 Dodge (John & Doris Stone) 3rd 2010 Dodge Challenger R/T (Jack Drago)



Our August Board Meeting was held as we waited for the rain to subside.



Peoples' Choice winners display their awards. (The Stones had departed for home prior to this photo.)



Our main display banner (designed and built by Alfred Meyer) being disassembled by the crew as we prepare to depart.

August 19, 2018 Joint Picnic with Tri-County Region

Our August meeting was the annual joint picnic with Tri-County Region held at Grand Caverns Park. I didn't get an accurate headcount but best estimate was about 55 people. The weather was excellent, the food was plentiful and great, and the fellowship was enjoyed by all!



Farleys' 1978 Chevy Suburban & Bradfields' '64 Studebaker Gran Turismo Hawk



1965 Chevrolet Impala SS from Tri-County



Wamplers' 1968 Toyota Corona



Shanholtzers and Sargingers arrive with their dishes to share.



The ladies uncover all the delicious food as we prepare to dive in.



Ken Farley selects carefully to assure he has room for desserts.



Good food and fellowship—That's what AACA members enjoy!



President Drago runs an efficient meeting.



We celebrated our newly weds—
Scott and Patty Gregory

**Old Dominion
Meet Association
Veterans' Day Tour**
November 9-10, 2018
Roanoke Valley, VA

Hosted by the Roanoke Valley
Region - AACA



Host Hotel

Holiday Inn Tanglewood
4468 Starkey Road
Roanoke, VA 24018
Phone (540) 774-4400

Reserve early and mention Roanoke Valley AACA Tour for special room rate of only \$106 plus tax. Includes breakfast for two. Rate guaranteed until October 10.

All This for Only \$69

per person:

Registration
Reception
D-Day Memorial Admission
Lunch Gift Certificate*
Taubman Museum Admission
Bus to Taubman
Virginia Museum of Transportation
Admission
Closing Banquet

*Gift certificate provided to assist with your lunch cost.

REGISTRATION FORM – Please print clearly – Deadline Oct. 10, 2018

Name _____

Address _____

City/State/Zip _____

Cell Phone # used during tour _____ Email _____

Trailer (Check one) _____ Yes _____ No

Hotel (Check one) _____ I have _____ I have not made host hotel reservation

Complete form, include your check for \$69 per person payable to: RVR-AACA and mail to: Ron Vanderpool, 515 Tennessee St., Salem, VA 24153



National D-Day Memorial, Bedford



Taubman Museum, Roanoke

Tour Description

The tour includes scenic driving on the Blue Ridge Parkway. First stop is Mill Mountain, overlooking the Roanoke Valley. Second stop is the National D-Day Memorial in Bedford where you'll have a choice of a guided or self-guided tour. Third stop is on the parkway at the Peaks of Otter Lodge where we'll enjoy mountains views and lunch on your own. (Gift certificate provided to assist with your lunch cost.) Fourth stop is the Taubman Museum of Art in downtown Roanoke where the museum is featuring, "Drive! Iconic American Cars and Motorcycles." It is a display with a

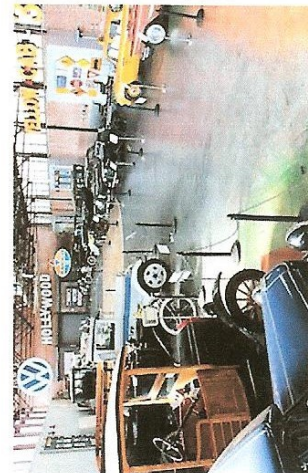
number of very rare and one-of-a-kind cars. Fifth and final stop is the Virginia Museum of Transportation where we'll enjoy a delightful meal and get to tour the museum known for its steam locomotives and antique cars. Each tour car will receive a commemorative dash plaque.

Schedule

Friday, November 9

Arrive at Holiday Inn – Tanglewood
4468 Starkey Road
Roanoke, VA 24018
Phone: (540) 774-4400
Mention Roanoke Valley AACA Tour for special room rate of only \$106 plus tax. Includes breakfast for two. Register early for guaranteed rate.

4pm-7pm Get-to-Know-Each-Other Reception, Vista Room at Holiday Inn. Dinner on your own with many restaurants nearby.



Virginia Museum of Transportation, Roanoke, not only steam locomotives, but automotive displays, too.

Schedule

Saturday, November 10

Complete turn-by-turn tour instructions will be given to you. The schedule is approximately as follows:

9:00 Depart Hotel
9:30 Arrive at Mill Mountain
10:00 Depart Mill Mountain
10:45 Arrive D-Day Memorial
12:00 Depart D-Day Memorial
12:30 Arrive at Peaks of Otter
2:30 Depart Peaks of Otter
3:30 Arrive at Virginia Museum of Transportation to park vehicles
3:45 Bus to Taubman Museum
4:45 Depart Taubman Museum
4:50 Arrive at Virginia Museum of Transportation to tour
6:00 Banquet at Virginia Museum of Transportation

The Old Dominion Meet Association

(ODMA) is one of the few non-geographical associations of its kind in AACA. 14 out of 17 AACA regions in Virginia are members of ODMA. ODMA hosts a statewide meet each year which rotates among the regions around the commonwealth. The class structure organization, judging criteria and awards follow those of AACA with some local exceptions. The 14 member regions are as follows:

Bull Run • Crater • Historic Fredericksburg • Historic Virginia Peninsula • Lynchburg • Martinsville-Danville • Northern Neck • Piedmont • Richmond • Roanoke Valley • Shenandoah • Tidewater • Tri-County • Waynesboro-Staunton

Calendar of AACA Events and *Community Car Events*

SEPT.

- 5** Wednesday, 7 PM, Executive Board Meeting at the Grays, 1430 Red Top Orchard Rd., Waynesboro
- 8** *42nd Annual Somerset Steam & Gas Engine Association Pasture Party, 14375 Blue Ridge Turnpike, Somerset. Car show is Saturday with free admission when displaying an antique car.*
- 9** Sunday, 2 PM, Meeting and Annual Steak Fry & Auction, Coyner Springs Park, 2091 Lyndhurst Rd., Waynesboro. . Bring a dish to share and a lawn chair. Steaks, drinks, ice, and dinnerware provided. Bring your auction items to sell and your checkbook!
- 12-15** AACA Central Division Tour, Texas Panhandle hosted by the Amarillo Region
- 16-21** 73rd Revival AAA Glidden Tour, Magic in Magic Valley, Twin Falls, ID. See website for link to registration form.
- 29** Saturday, 8:00 AM – 2:00 PM – Fall Fest Antique Car Display, Tinkling Spring Presbyterian Church, 30 Tinkling Spring Drive, Fishersville.

OCT.

- 10** Wednesday, 7 PM, Executive Board Meeting at the Grays, 1430 Red Top Orchard Rd., Waynesboro
- 10-13** AACA Eastern Fall Meet, Hershey, PA hosted by the Hershey Region
- 21** Sunday, 2:00 PM – Monthly Meeting at Bella Luna Wood-Fired Pizza, 80 West Water Street, Harrisonburg. Speaker will be Greg Owen, author of a book detailing the history of Camp Lyndhurst, a WW II German prisoner-of-war camp.
- 21-26** AACA Founder's Tour, Metropolis, IL hosted by the Southern Illinois Region Ohio Valley Chapter

NOV.

- 5-9** 10th AACA Sentimental Tour – A Tale of Two Cities, Natchez, MS hosted by the Louisiana Region.
- 14** Wednesday, 7 PM, Executive Board Meeting at the Grays, 1430 Red Top Orchard Rd., Waynesboro
- 9-10** ODMA Veterans Day Toor– Hosted by Roanoke Valley Region (see Page 5 for details)
- 18** Sunday, 2:00 PM – Monthly Meeting & Election of Officers at Heritage on Main, 309 West Main Street, Waynesboro

Tire Tracks

The official monthly publication of the
Waynesboro-Staunton Region of the
Antique Automobile Club of America

2018 Executive Board

President: Jack Drago
412 University Farm Road
Stuarts Draft, VA 24477

Vice President: Walter Wilson III
42 Fishersville Station Road
Fishersville, VA 22939
(804) 475-8993

Secretary: Robbie Gray
1430 Red Top Orchard Road
Waynesboro, VA 22980
(540)-943-3171

Treasurer Todd Smith
1422 Bloomer Springs Road
McGaheysville, VA 22840
(540) 289-9917

Director/Corporate Agent: Stuart Allen
265 Stayman Ln.
Staunton, VA 24401
(540) 886-8056

Directors:

Scott Gregory (727) 542-9723
Class of 2018/ Web Master

Bob Kuykendall (540) 942-3291
Class of 2019

Ken Farley (540) 248-0635
Class of 2020

Alfred Meyer (540)290-1356
Past President

From the Editor's Desk

Please submit any articles, pictures, or
ideas for publication to me at the
following:

Stuart Allen

265 Stayman Lane

Staunton, VA 24401

Phone: 540-886-8056 (Home)

540-290-0329 (Cell)

email: stuscar@aol.com



August 19, 2018 Waynesboro- Staunton Region Meeting

The 2018 annual picnic between the
Waynesboro-Staunton Region and
Tri-County Region of the AACA
was held at Grand Caverns in
Grottoes on August 19th at 1:30pm.

President Jack Drago welcomed all
present and Nelson Driver gave the
blessing, a picnic meal was enjoyed
by all. After the meal, each region
held their meeting.

The next meeting would be the
annual steak fry and auction at
Coyner Springs in Waynesboro on
September 9th.

The sunshine report was given that
Billy Melton was in the hospital in
Charlottesville and Owen and Dolly
Harner were at the Bridgewater
Home.

Treasurer Todd Smith gave his
report for two months which was
accepted and approved.

Stu Allen reminded the members
about the movie "Thunder Road"
on Friday at the Wayne Theater.

The Fall ODMA Tour was
mentioned and more details will be
in Tire Tracks.

Ken Farley gave the Expo Augusta
County Fair reported that the fair
was rained out for the night.

The 50/50 was won by Stu Allen.

The meeting was adjourned and
good fellowship was had by all.

Respectfully submitted,

Robbie Gray, Sec.



The end of a perfect picnic!

August 24, 2018

"Thunder Road" at The Wayne



SEPTEMBER BIRTHDAYS

Rena Caricofe

Peggy DeVore

Joyce McIninch

Dianne Pennington

Pam Potter

Carol Ralston

Robert Ridle

Ann Ridle

Marilyn Rimel

Todd Smith

Richard McIninch
CERTIFIED AGENT

Serving Central Virginia
434-361-2568
olcarfn@aol.com



Auto Appraisal Group Inc.

Toll Free 800-848-2886 Fax 888-575-9319 www.autoappraisal.com

Chris Carper

Project Engineer
Premier Fabrication
dba Southern Stainless

OFFICE: 540-946-7955

EMAIL: ccarper@premierfabrication.net

www.southernstainless.net
www.powdercoatingsolutions.net

1400 HOPEMAN PARKWAY
WAYNESBORO, VA 22980



MADER'S "A" & "T" PARTS
84 Old Churchville Road
Staunton, VA 24401
(540) 885-0053

BUY & SELL FORD PARTS



EASTSIDE AUTO & MACHINE SHOP

BLOCK BORING, BALANCING, & VALVE WORK
PHONE (540) 943-2583

BILL MATHIAS

446 DELAWARE AVE.
WAYNESBORO, VA 22980



220 Frontier Drive Staunton, VA 24401
PHONE: 540-886-6872
FAX: 540-886-4356
shenandoahawards@gmail.com
www.shenawards.com

LASER ENGRAVING
EMBROIDERY
SCREEN PRINTING
SHIRTS, HATS, JACKETS
NAME BADGES
BUSINESS CARDS
RUBBER STAMPS
GLASS ETCHING

ROB STENZEL

LARRY SKILLMAN



"Your Engine Rebuilding Specialists"

Valley Automachine

Complete Automotive Machine Shop

540-943-5800

1115 W. Main St.
Waynesboro, VA 22980

Tri-County Region Meetings
Dates vary - Check their website

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

INSURING YOUR VEHICLES FOR OVER 50 YEARS

UNPARALLELED CLAIMS SERVICE

AGREED VALUE COVERAGE

EASE OF DOING BUSINESS



DRIVE THROUGH TIME WITH PEACE OF MIND™



facebook.com/jctaylorinsurance



JCTAYLOR.COM

1-888-ANTIQUE