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Greetings, Waynesboro—Staunton Region Members & Friends,

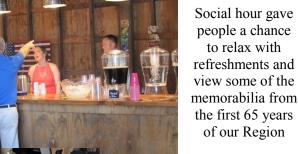
Clarice and I were so sorry to miss the 65th. I was about to head for the hospital for testing and had no choice. By all accounts the celebration was a huge success and in this months "Electronic Version" we'll show more pictures of the event courtesy of Scott Gregory. The people we really owe thanks to for conceiving, planning and pulling off this event are Ken & Shirley Farley. Great job Farleys!

Stu Allen—Editor.



"The Barn" was an ideal location for the celebration. Jim Rimel and family worked long hours getting the facility ready for the 65th.









The original banner for the Region was on display





MAY MEETING: Sunday May 17, 2 PM, Business Meeting at Mrs. Rowe's Restaurant, <u>74 Rowe Road</u>, Staunton. Program on the Harold Lemay Car Collection—Ken Farley and Jim Gregory

# **More Memories of the 65th**



Ken Farley introduces AACA President Don Barlup to the crowd



Pres. Don and wife Carol know a lot of our Region members having participated in the 2012 Sentimental Tour hosted by our Region





Ken surprises Sue Gregory with the Founders' Day award



50/50 Winner Glen Royer



Everyone received a special dash plaque



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# **PRESIDENT'S MESSAGE**

I would like to thank everyone who worked so hard and all those who attended our 65<sup>th</sup> Anniversary Party to make it such a great success and especially thank Jim Rimel for the use of his "Barn". After our social hour we were treated to a delicious meal prepared by Patsy Wood Caterers, a short meeting and then we were entertained by the Boogie Kings. The caterers left us 5 or 6 large trays of leftover food that Bob and Charlotte Kuykendall so graciously took to the Valley Mission in Staunton.



Our Honorary Guest Speaker, Don Barlup, President of the AACA, along with his wife Carol ended up knowing a lot of our members through touring and they seemed to fit right in. Don's message was that the future of AACA rests with the membership. He also reiterated the goals of AACA. He presented our Region with a plaque honoring our 65 years as an active AACA Region.



We recognized our Past Region Presidents who were in attendance. I asked all members with 25 or more years membership to please stand. About half in attendance stood. Is that great or what! After reaching the 50 year mark, there were three left standing, Betty Clemmer and Shirley and Paul Wampler who each received an award for being the Region's Most Senior Members in attendance.



The Founders' Day Award I feel caught someone off guard as when she was announced, Sue Gregory could hardly come forward to accept her award. She has done a lot for the Region over the years, thank you so much Sue. The raffle prize was won by the Royer's.



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#### PRESIDENT'S MESSAGE—Continued

Unfortunately, the Allen's could not make the party due to Stu's return to UVA to have more tests run due to his persistent fever. Both Stu and Clarice had put a lot of time and work into the party's preparations and both of you were in our thoughts.

Our next big event is right around the corner, the 62<sup>nd</sup> ODMA Meet. Nelson Driver and all his committees are hard at work getting the sites all set up and ready. Robbie Gray and Bob Ridle are getting all the registrations into the computer and will give to yours truly, the Chief Judge, so that the final touches can be put together. We will need all our members to make this meet a success so please do what you can.

Our next general meeting will be at Mrs. Rowe's in Staunton on Sunday, May 17, at 2:00 PM. This will be our final time to discuss and get ready for the May 22/23 ODMA Meet. Vice President Alfred Meyer has a long list of upcoming events to discuss along with his report on the Publicity Committee. Jim Gregory and I will present pictures of vehicles from the Lemay and Fountainhead collections.

In closing, I am humbled and honored to serve as your President especially after going through all of our great scrapbooks. We are such a dedicated Region with a remarkable history. I would also like to add this quote, "Be mindful that happiness isn't based on possessions, power, or prestige, but on relationships with people we like, respect, and enjoy spending time with."

Again, thank you for your support.

Ken Farley

#### **More Pictures from Our 65th**



Jim Gregory was one of many volunteers helping with setup.

Every celebration deserves a special cake!





Last years Founders Award Winner Ronnie Shanholtzer receives his Jefferson Cup as a keepsake.



The Boogie Kings provided a great variety of music selections honoring the occasion.



Rebecca and Duane Perrin took advantage of the music to try a few moves.

**Photos courtesy of Robbie Gray** 



# Woodrow Wilson Rehabilitation Center Foundation Fundraiser

3rd Annual Vehicle Display for these clubs: Corvair, Corvette, Model A, Mustang, and Waynesboro-Staunton AACA Saturday, May 30, 2015, 9 a.m. to 1 p.m.

#### Woodrow Wilson Rehabilitation Center 365 Hornet Road Fishersville, VA 22939

Judging by Woodrow Wilson Rehabilitation Center students.

Check-in time: 9 - 10 a.m.

1st, 2nd, and 3rd place awards for each club.

A trophy will be awarded to "Best in Show."

#### Entry Fee until May 28:

#### \$20 per vehicle (includes 1 meal ticket) \$15 additional vehicle by same owner

#### Entry Fee after May 28 and day of show:

\$25 per vehicle (includes 1 meal ticket) \$20 additional vehicle by same owner



Food/Drinks available (prepared by the WWRC Food Service Students). Portion of proceeds to the WWRC Foundation for student activities.

#### Fire Extinguisher Recommended

#### Rain or shine event.

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#### **BETSY—THE LONG-TERM RESTORATION**

# Restoration of a 1934 Chevrolet Master By Stu Allen

Part 15 - Time to Install Upholstery



Since no reproduction floor mats were available, I found some ribbed rubber material with a similar pattern and using the original remnants as a template, cut a new mat and installed it over the wooden floor.



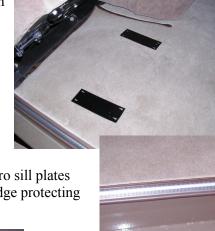
I brought the front seats back from the upholstery shop so that I could drive the car to the shop for installation of the remaining rear seat, etc.

The car came back from the shop with the rear seat, side panels, arm rests, headliner, door panels and kick panels completed, ready for the final interior trim.





I then installed the window garnish moldings, door handles and window cranks. Next came installation of the rear carpet that extends under the front bucket seats. The metal plates protect the carpet when the driver seat slides back and forth when adjusted.



Installation of the repro sill plates provided a finished edge protecting the carpet.



The dome light switch was installed along with the repro assist strap. The strap helps rear seat passengers exit through the front door once the passenger seat is tilted forward.

I then installed the sun visor after carefully locating the hardware mounting hole locations. It was nerve wracking poking holes in the brand new headliner.





The repro rear window shade was installed completing the interior.

Next month—Exterior Trim

#### **2015 Calendar of Events**

- MAY 4-6 AACA Southeastern Divisional Tour, Pigeon Forge, Tennessee, hosted by East Tennessee Region.
  - 7-9 AACA Central Spring Meet, Auburn, Indiana.
    - 9 Saturday, 10:30 AM Member Jim Rimel's Car Show at "The Barn", <u>2165 Churchville Ave.</u>, Staunton. This invitation only event includes the W-S Region AACA. Contact VP Alfred Meyer if you wish to participate, as he is compiling a list of our club's members wishing to attend. Al's number is 540-290-1356. Please let hi know by May 4th!
    - 9 Winchester, VA AACA Shenandoah Region's 57th Apple Blossom Meet.
  - 16 Saturday, 9 AM to 3 PM, <u>Waynesboro Motorsports Show</u> Constitution Park, Waynesboro.
  - 17 Sunday, 2 PM, Business Meeting at Mrs. Rowe's Restaurant, <u>74 Rowe Road</u>, Staunton. Program on the Harold Lemay Car Collection—Ken Farley and Jim Gregory
  - 22-23 Friday & Saturday, W-S Region hosts the 62nd Annual <u>ODMA</u> Meet, Staunton VA. Applications available at our meetings or on the website
    - 30 3rd Annual WWRC Vehicle display and fundraiser in Fishersville VA. See Page 3 for details.

#### **JUNE**

- 11 <u>AACA</u> Central Spring Meet, Independence, Missouri, hosted by <u>Kansas City</u> <u>Region</u>.
- 12 Friday, 5:30 PM 7 PM, Car Display at the Stuarts Draft Retirement Community. Ice cream social, with prizes awarded by resident's vote. 104 Patton Farm Road, Stuarts Draft. Caravan leaves from the Target parking lot in Waynesboro at 5 PM.
- 21 Sunday, 2 PM, Business Meeting at <u>Stella, Bella and Lucy's</u>, 327 W. Main St., Waynesboro. Program on a 2014 trip to France/Normandy/D-Day Sites Bob & Robbie Kuykendall.

#### **JULY**

- 11 Saturday, W-S Region's Annual Brightview-Baldwin Park Car Display, Staunton. Business Meeting followed. *Arrangements/times TBD*.
- 15-18 AACA 80th Anniversary-Southeastern Fall Meet, Louisville, Kentucky, hosted by Kyana Region.
- 27-31 <u>AACA</u> Vintage Tour, Lancaster, PA, hosted by <u>Buzzards Breath Touring</u> Region.

<u>Tri-County Region Meetings</u> - Dates vary- Check their website. http://tri-county-aaca.org/

<u>Piedmont Region Meetings</u> are the 4<sup>th</sup> Monday at the Doubletree Hotel on Route 29 North in Charlottesville at 7pm.

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#### April 18 Waynesboro-Staunton Region Meeting Minutes

On Saturday April 18<sup>th</sup>, the Waynesboro/Staunton Region, AACA held the 65<sup>th</sup> Anniversary Party of the Region. It was held at Jim Rimel's Barn on US 250 just west of Staunton at 5 pm. President Ken Farley opened the meeting by welcoming all present. The blessing for the meal was asked by AACA President Don Barlup and a catered meal was enjoyed by all. After the meal, Ken introduced the invited guests; Don and Carol Barlup, Piedmont President Barry Linke and wife Rose, Tri-County President Larry Huffman and wife Susan and Betty Clemmer. Ken made some brief remarks.

Mary Helen Ayers gave the sunshine report stating the Shirley Wampler had had a knee replacement, Doris Stone had had cataract surgery, and Billy Melton was going to have a hip replaced.

President of the AACA, Don Barlup gave his presentation on the AACA and the importance of the Waynesboro/Station Region had played in it.

Afterwards, he presented the Region with an award certificate.

Ken, then recognized Paul and Shirley Wampler and Betty Clemmer as the most senior members in the Region.

Ronnie Shanholtzer was presented an award as last year's recipient of the John Brown Award.

This year's recipient of the John Brown Award for outstanding service to the club was Sue Gregory.

It was announced that Bob Ridle had received the Master Webmasters Award at the Philly annual meeting.

Jim Rimel and his family were thanked for their help and use of the facility.

Vice President Alfred Meyer stated the activities list is published in the Tire Tracks and on the website. Please check them.

The 50/50 was won by Glenn Royer.

The meeting was adjourned and The Boogie Kings preformed.

Respectfully submitted,

Robbie Gray, Sec.

Note: Mary Helen Ayers will continue to be our Sunshine Reporter. Please notify her of any illness, etc. in our club.

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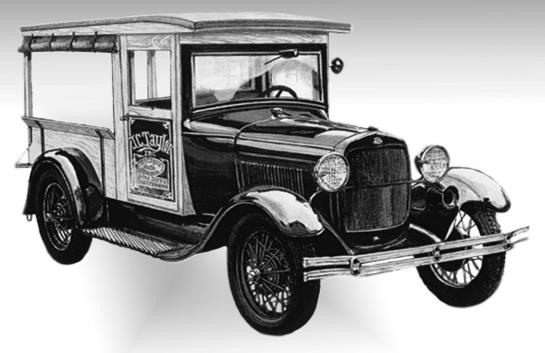
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