

MINUTES OF THE JULY, 2005 MEETING OF THE WESTERN PENNSYLVANIA REGION OF THE ANTIQUE AUTOMOBILE CLUB OF AMERICA

A Meeting of the Western Pennsylvania Region of the Antique Automobile Club of America was held on July 19, 2005, at the American Legion Post 982 (Pipetown) Hall, Latrobe, PA, commencing at approximately 7:30 P.M. There were 57 Members in attendance. The Meeting was called to order by the President, Mark DeFloria, and the Pledge of Allegiance followed.

Minutes of the June, 2005 Meeting: On Motion of Warren Sheppick, seconded by Bill Maurer, and unanimously carried, the minutes of the June, 2005 Meeting, as printed in The Western Roundup, were approved.

Treasurer's Report: Tom Milligan was then called upon to present the Treasurer's Report. On Motion of Howard Finney, seconded by Jim Smith and unanimously carried, the Treasurer's Report was approved.

OLD BUSINESS:

Membership: Membership Chairman, Tom Milligan, was asked to present a membership report. He advised that there were no new Members. Tom also advised that the new Rosters were available for pickup. Tom reported the passing of Tom Bradish, Sr., on June 30, 2005, and that a card had been sent to the family. A moment of silence was observed. Tom further reported that he was circulating a card to send to Guy Davis, who is now in Kuwait.

Dues: No Report

Picnic: Tom Milligan reported that the annual Picnic is scheduled for July 31, 2005 at the Slovak Picnic Grounds in Latrobe. Members are asked to arrive at 1:00 P.M., and the food will be served at 2:00 P.M. Door prizes will be awarded.

Chance Car: The 2005 Chance Car is a 1979 Pontiac Firebird Formula. Tickets for the drawing are available from Barb Erny. The Region sold 369 tickets at Twin Lakes, during the four day Heritage Festival. There are still 2138 tickets remaining to be distributed. Tom Ulishney is handling the car, and has made arrangements to have the Car at Walmart on August 4 and August 8. Anyone wanting to schedule the car should contact Tom.

Chance Car Incentive Points: The Chance Car incentive program has been printed and is available to Members on the front table.

Car Show: Dan Calabrace reported on the car show, to be held on September 4, 2005 at Legion Keener Park. There are ten sponsors so far. 17 more sponsors are needed. There is a sign up sheet available for the Bake Sale. See Dodie Ulishney for the Chinese Auction.

Programs: We are still in need of a chairperson for programs. No program will be presented at this month's meeting.

Tours: The 23rd. annual Arthritis Foundation show in Dublin, Ohio, was held on July 8, 9 and 10. There were 22 members who participated; 5 antique cars and 5 regular cars. Charlie Schifano and Warren Sheppick won awards at the show. Next year's show will be on July 7 and 8. Those going to next year's show will also go to the Goodguys show which will be held approximately 21 miles from Dublin.

A tour to Jennerstown is scheduled for Sunday, August 3. Members should plan to meet at McDonalds in Latrobe at 10 A.M.

The Back in Time Tour is scheduled for August 20. The tour includes Packsaddle Covered Bridge, Gravity Hill, Glen Savage Ranch and the Compass Inn. Members planning to attend should plan to leave McDonald's in Latrobe at 9:00, rather than 9:30 A.M. A second group will leave at 9:30 A.M. More information about the Tour can be found in this month's issue of The Western Round-Up.

We still need hosts and hostesses for a Progressive Dinner Tour.

The AACA Southeastern Fall Meet will be held on September 22-24, in Jefferson, Indiana, just across the river from Louisville, KY. Registration is still open, and may be done through the AACA Website. In addition to the Meet, there is a tour of Cathedral Gardens, and a Dinner Cruise on the Star of Louisville. Anyone interested in attending should contact Harvey Eger for more information.

The Glidden Tour is being held in Altoona PA this year, under the direction of the Allegheny Mountain Region, AACA. The deadline for reservations is July 31. Registration forms must be obtained by mail from the Allegheny Mountain Region. Anyone interested in participating in this Tour should contact Harvey Eger

Christmas Party: The Christmas Party will be held on December 11, 2005 at DeNunzio's at the Airport.

Newsletter: Mark DeFloria continues to look for a volunteer to take over the newsletter. Please have any information for the Roundup in by the 3rd Friday of the Month.

Website: The website is up and running. Flyers for the Car Show and Chance Car are available to print from the website.

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Heritage Festival-Twin Lakes Park: The Heritage Festival was held on July 1-4, 2005. See The Western Round-Up for this month for additional details.

Apparel: John Kuhns brought some apparel to the Meeting. Jackets may be purchased through special order.

NEW BUSINESS:

Howard Finney reported on the recent AACA meet in Warren, Ohio. A group from the Packard Museum asked to take over the meet after the original host region backed out. A new Region was formed by the Packard Museum group, with 75 members. Dave Berg and Jimmy Laughlin both won Senior Awards.

The Marion Center car show will be held September 18.

Miscellaneous:

Guests: There were no guests in attendance.

Kitty: The Kitty started at \$200.75. The Region's portion of the 50/50 was \$36.50, (the other half having been won by Harvey Eger), plus badge fines of \$1.50, bringing the Kitty to \$238.25. Dan Calabrace's name was drawn; he was present.

UPON MOTION of Howard Finney, seconded by Ron Underwood, and unanimously carried, the Meeting was adjourned at approximately 8:20 P.M.

Respectfully submitted, Harvey J. Eger, Secretary



Charlie Schifano's Buick at the 2005 Arthritis Foundation Classic Auto Show July 8th & 9th