

# THE WESTERN ROUND-UP



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## Western PA Region AACA Monthly Meetings

WPR monthly meetings are held on the third Tuesday of every month except December and January beginning at 7:30 p.m. at the American Legion Post 982, 158 American Legion Road, Latrobe, PA (Pipetown).

We start with a business meeting followed by fellowship, a snack and short program. There is also a 50/50 and bonus drawing. If you enjoy old cars please join us. You do not have to own an antique car to belong.

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## *From Your President*

As the season gets into full swing, our Region has a lot of fun events and activities coming down the road. Check out the calendar to the right. All of the WPR activities are highlighted in blue. Be sure to take time out of your busy schedules to enjoy what our Region has to offer.

This year marks our Region's 65th Anniversary. We celebrate together. Go on as many tours as you can. Consider hosting a dining stop on the Progressive Dinner tour.

Touring is one of my favorite activities. I love our Western Pennsylvania back roads with their winding hills and scenic vistas. I especially love it when someone else steps up and plans a tour which will take me to places I've never seen before. As an AACA Region, we often get the opportunity to respectfully visit private collections of antique vehicles and other items that few other people get to see. It is also fun to tour places of interest from natural wonders and historic sites to specialty shops and of course a variety of fun eating establishments.

Be sure to check in with Dave Sheetz about taking on a task for the 52nd Paul P. Bell Memorial Car Show on September 6th at Legion Keener Park. The more hands the merrier. This is really one of the most looked forward to car shows in the area.

Also, anyone for Mecum or Hershey? There are still seats available on the bus for both trips. Please contact me or John Kuhns, Sr. or John Ross Kuhns for more information, or just sign up at a regular monthly meeting.

And lastly, monthly programs – we have had some wonderful programs at our monthly meetings in the past and are in need of new ones. We like to keep them short - about 20 - 30 minutes. We all collect stuff. Perhaps just bring in some of your cool stuff and tell everyone about it. Just talk to one of your friendly WPR directors to schedule a date for your presentation.

See you down the road.

*Mark Jackson*

# Western PA Region AACA – 2015 Calendar

## MAY

**24** – WPR Ice Cream Social, 6:00 p.m. Brusters, New Stanton

**30** – Laurel Valley Motors Western Pa Mopar Group Car Show 10 a.m. - 4:00 p.m., Laurel Valley Motors Used Car Lot, Route 30, Latrobe. Open to all makes and models and years including motorcycles. Free event.

## JUNE

**14** – WPR Tour - Main Street Motors, West Newton

**16** – WPR Monthly Meeting, 7:30 p.m.

**21** – WPR Ice Cream Social, 6:00 p.m., Brusters, New Stanton

**19** – St. Bruno Festival Classic Car Cruise, 5:00 p.m.-10:00 p.m., St. Bruno Church, 1715 Poplar Street, South Greensburg

**19-21**, Pittsburgh Parts-A-Rama, Butler County Fairgrounds, Butler, PA

## JULY

**2-5** – Westmoreland Arts & Heritage Festival, Twin Lakes Park - WPR Car Display on the Lower Lake Dam Breast and Chance Car ticket sales.

**5** – Visitation Church Car Show, Mount Pleasant, PA

**10 & 11** – The Arthritis Foundation Classic Auto Show & Cruise-In, Dublin, Ohio

**16-18** – AACA Southeastern Fall Meet, Louisville, KY hosted by the Kyana Region

**27-31** – AACA Vintage Tour, Lancaster, PA hosted by the Buzzards Breath Touring Region

**21** – WPR Monthly Meeting, 7:30 p.m.

**26** – WPR Annual Picnic, Cooperstown Club, Latrobe

**31 & August 1** – WPR Overnight Bus Trip - Mecum Auction, Harrisburg, AACA National Museum, Hershey and Hershey Outlets.

## AUGUST

**1 & 2** – Das Awkscht Fescht, Macungie, PA,

**7 & 8** – Swigart Museum 46th Meet, Huntingdon, PA

**12** – Weatherwood Manor Cruise, Weatherwood Manor, Greensburg, PA, 6:00 p.m. - 8:00 p.m.

**18** – WPR Meeting – 65th Birthday Party

**22** – WPR Progressive Dinner Tour

## SEPTEMBER

**6** – WPR Paul P. Bell Memorial Antique Auto, Custom and Street Rod Show, Legion Keener Park, Latrobe

**12** – 50's Fest and Car Cruise, Waynesburg, PA

**14 -18** – AACA Founders Tour, Northeast Ohio, Canton & Meander Chapters of the Ohio Region

**15** – WPR Monthly Meeting

**20** – WPR Ice Cream Social, 6:00 p.m., Brusters, New Stanton

**26** – WPR Tour

**30** – **October 4** – Fall Carlisle

## OCTOBER

**3** – University of Pittsburgh Greensburg Car Cruise, Smith Hall Parking lot, 150 Finoli Drive, Greensburg. For more information, 724-836-7496

**7-10** – AACA Eastern Fall Meet, Hershey, PA, hosted by the Hershey Region

**10** – WPR Bus Trip to Hershey Car Show

**10-11** – Fort Bedford Region AACA Fifty First Annual Fall Meet, Antique Car Parade and Festivities

**20** – WPR Monthly Meeting – October Fest

**24** – WPR Pumpkin Run Tour, hosted by Ron and Alice Shaulis

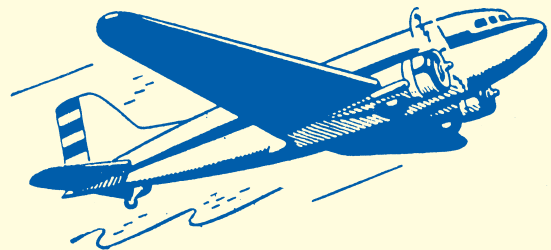
**31** – WPR Chance Car winner determined by PA Lottery Big Four number.

## NOVEMBER

**17** – WPR Monthly Meeting, 7:30 p.m.

## DECEMBER

**5** – Saturday, WPR Christmas Party - Dinner Theater, The Ramada Inn, Greensburg, PA



### Special Calendar Note:

Al Friend is looking into arranging a return trip to Dayton, Ohio to visit the **National U.S. Air Force Museum**. The Museum is undergoing some exciting enhancements. Hopefully, a trip may come together in the **fall of 2016**. Keep watching the *Western Round-Up* for upcoming details and interesting aviation articles from Al to wet your appetite.

# Staying in Touch for 56 Years

by David J. Lizza

**Editors Note:** This year our Region is offering people an opportunity to win our 50th Chance Car. As an ending note to his column in the April Western Round-Up, Fred Nicholls recalled one of the nicest Western PA Region Chance Cars ever offered to be a 1934 Chevy Sedan which was purchased from Region member Dave Lizza. Here is Dave's own great story about this wonderful car for you to enjoy...

It was the year 1959 when a friend of mine, Mr. George French, told me that I needed to join the Antique Auto Club of America and it's local region. I had a 1930 Model A Pick-Up that my dad had bought me at a farm auction when I was just 12 years old. Having grown up around his Gulf Service Station in my early years, it was only natural that I would be familiar with cars like the Model A. I tinkered and worked on the old A until I reached 16 and could then drive it legally. It saw me through my high school and college years, and I kept it for many years.

Then in 1959 just after joining the club, I happened to come across a 1934 Chevrolet Master Deluxe side-mounted sedan parked under a lean-to in the Somerset suburb of New Centerville – dusty, dirty, flat tires and just waiting for me!

I talked my dad into going back to see the car and as a good negotiator, I knew he would talk the owner into



Dave Lizza

selling it to me. The plan worked perfectly. I bought the Chevy. We were so sure that it would happen we brought my dad's new 1959 Chevy Pick-Up, a tow bar and an air tank. We inflated the tires, hooked up the tow bar and made it down the mountains to Latrobe without incident. For the next few years I worked every spare minute on restoring the Chevy. It was tough back then, as things were not readily available for the restorer as they are today.

I drove the Chevy for many years to shows and parades and then one day another car struck my fancy and I decided to sell the Chevy. As it would go, I sold the car to our Region as a Chance Car in the 1980's. When the winner was notified, she said that she didn't know how she had a ticket in her name and had no interest in the car. I then proceeded to ask her if she would like to sell it, and as luck would have it, the Chevy came back home to me!!

I kept the old gal for a few more years and then a friend of mine in Wheeling, W. VA. asked to buy it. Done deal...sold it. My friend Bob kept it for a few years and then the movie studios came to town to film a movie called "The Molly McGuires." Bob sold it to them and it indeed was used in a street scene in the movie.

I lost track of the old Chevy for a year or so and then I heard it was for sale by the movie company and was bought by a man in York, PA. About two years later, while walking through the Hershey Car Show, there sat the '34 Chevy. I found the owner, a man named Richard, and went over all the history of the car since 1959. He was in awe, and when I told him I still had all of the original pictures, etc. of when I bought the car, we were suddenly good buddies.

Richard had restored the car to a splendor beyond belief. It was after talking to him many times and sending him pictures, and so on, that I asked if he would be willing to bring the Chevy to our Annual Car Show that year. He called back and said that he certainly would be in Latrobe for the show.

As many members will remember, about six years ago Richard showed up as promised and displayed what was once a Chance Car awarded by our Region,



Dave Lizza's 1934 Chevrolet Master Deluxe sidemounted sedan shortly after he and his dad towed it home from New Centerville, Somerset County, PA in 1959.





A new owner displays the 1934 Chevrolet Master Deluxe sedan formerly owned by Dave at Hershey. According to Dave, "It had been restored "to a splendor beyond belief."



Dave invited the new owner to show the beautifully restored 1934 Chevrolet at the Western PA Region's Car Show at Legion Keener Park, which he did. There Dave got a chance to nostalgically sit behind the wheel of the former Western PA Region Chance Car, former movie car once again and enjoy some wonderful memories.

and of course a memory for me.

Richard left the show that day, headed to New Center-ville to try and find the place where I had found the '34. I haven't heard from him in some time, and today I opened up the March/April *Antique Automobile Magazine* and was looking at the classifieds, and there it was...my 1934 Chevy for sale on page 77. Richard was selling it. I guess, like all of us, time is catching up, and some of us are downsizing. I hope to find out who Richard sells it to, as I have never lost track of it in the past 56 years.





Last stop - historic Scottsdale, this group is ready for a delicious Italian buffet dinner at Carson's.

## Spring Tour 2015 - Persistence Pays Off

Although the tour group ended up being a small one, the 2015 Spring Tour turned out to be a very enjoyable afternoon. Fourteen members and guests in five cars braved an initial thunderstorm and occasional light rain on our Region's first tour of the year. Starting at the Greensburg, Ramada a thunderstorm and downpour greeted members as they gathered. At the clever suggestion of Jill Jackson, the cars gathered for a short time under the protective drive-thru at the Ramada's main entrance so all could discuss tour options considering the weather. The group decided to

skip the drive through the Twin Lakes Park West Recreation Area and head out visit Bob and Dorothy Thomas and their collections using a more direct route via the Mount Pleasant Road. As the little group headed out, the downpour faded into a light rain. By the time all got to the Thomas's the rain had stopped and the sun was coming out. Bob and Dorothy Thomas are WPR member Al Wirick's brother and sister-in-law. They have hosted several Region tour stops at their place in the past. Unfortunately, Al was taken ill just before the tour and could not join the group that day. But he did advise us that this was Bob and Dorothy's 60th Wedding Anniversary and said that it would be nice to bring along an Anniversary cake to share. So that we did.

Bob greeted everyone down at his shop and started off by showing all his collection of antique Whizzer motor bikes. Bob purchased his first Whizzer when he was 14 years old. He eventually went on to become one of the area's most-respected motorcycle specialists. Included in his collection is a two-engine Whizzer which was being modified by two friends to race at Bonneville. There were also some other beautiful motorcycles including a BMW, a Triumph and a Chushman Scooter. In the middle of his shop Bob is currently building an interesting scooter.

Along side Bob's mechanical shop is an amazing



A small sample of Bob Thomas's antique Whizzer motor bike collection

woodshop. Bob has and runs his own saw mill - cutting down fresh logs into boards, curing them in racks and then using them to create fine furniture and wooden projects. One of the most inspiring things about Bob's shops is their organization. Everything is in its place. It is like visiting the studio of a fine artist.

After the shop tours, members were treated to a visit to Bob and Dorothy's collection of wild animal and big game trophies from their hunting adventures around the world, including Africa, New Zealand and Russia. There were bears, moose, buffalo, a lion, baboon, antelope, wild boars, rhinos and many others (including fish) each with their own unique stories. There were also many interesting objects of art which reflected the culture of the countries visited by Bob and Dorothy.

As the group was getting ready to depart, Bob invited all to visit his storage shed where he kept his collection of antique tractors, which included Farm-Alls and John Deeres from the 1930's and some really old workhorses with iron tires.

Sincerest thanks to Bob and Dorothy for their warm and friendly hospitality, and many thanks to Al Wirick for arranging this fun visit.

The group was preparing to leave the Thomas's around 3:15 p.m. The weather was encouraging, and so it was decided to continue the tour and head "the long way" to Scottdale and Carson's Premier Restaurant & Catering for dinner.

The route wound up the Kecksburg hill to Rodney Corner Cafe then onto Freeman Falls Road towards Acme. Crossing over Route 31 and continuing on Acme Dam Road we passed Chestnut Ridge County Park and crossed County Line Road into Fayette County. There we traveled some beautiful country roads back down the other side of the mountain around the Bear Rocks community to Pleasant Valley Road, Mudd School Road and Greenlick Lake. From the lake the group made its way past the old Bridgeport Dam into Mount Pleasant. Driving through Mount Pleasant we followed Moorewood Street/981 to the village of Alverton. Passing Southmoreland High School, the group turned onto Mount Nebo Road for a short drive through some of the finest farmland in Westmoreland County.

From the historic Mount Nebo Church all headed to Scottdale and participated in a short driving tour of some of the Scottdale mansions. Many, many years ago, Scottdale was considered the richest small town per capita in North America. Some of that grandeur still shines in the surviving Scottdale Victorian mansions.

Once the cars were safely parked, all headed over to Carson's for a fabulous Italian buffet dinner. Thanks to all who braved the elements to enjoy this fun tour.



I-r, Ron Shaulis and Dave Sheetz enjoy talking with Bob Thomas about he and Dorothy's hunting adventures around the world which includes Africa, New Zealand and Russia.

## Just Thinking Again



by Al Wirick

A few weeks ago, friends Ed and Nancy Vrable told me about going up to Westmoreland Mall about 7:30 or 8:00 a.m. before the stores opened, going in through the food court entrance and "mall walking."

Being that the old leg muscles were starting to tighten up, I thought it would be a good idea. Although they are not yet the way I want them to be, they sure are improving.

I recently went out to Twin Lakes Park to walk, but don't like it near as well. The walkway is too uneven.

At the mall, when you get tired you can stop, lean on the rail and watch the old people down below walking, then continue your walk.

At that time in the morning there are two or three places in the food court open so you can get breakfast or drinks when you sit down to rest your legs. I usually get a coffee, set it at a table with my sweater and take a swig after a round or two.

At first it was a real chore, but each time it gets a little better. Try it sometime.

Thanks to Ed and Nancy.

-- Allen Wirick



# Minutes of the April 21, 2015 Monthly Meeting

A meeting of the Western PA Region of the Antique Automobile Club of America was held on April 21, 2015 at the American Legion Post 982, Latrobe, PA (Pipetown). President Mark Jackson called the meeting to order at approximately 7:34 p.m. followed by the Pledge of Allegiance.

There were 41 members in attendance and one guest, Arthur, Sara Jo Davis's boyfriend.

## Minutes

The minutes of the March 17th monthly meeting were printed in the April Western Round-Up that was available for pick up at tonight's meeting and/or mailed to each member.

President Jackson asked if there were any additions or corrections to the minutes. Howard Finney made a motion to accept the minutes as printed, seconded by Ralph Shearer and unanimously approved.

## Treasurer's Report

The Treasurer's Report was read by Treasurer Craig DeFloria. President Jackson asked if there were any additions or corrections. Gary Wiegand made a motion to approve the Treasurer's Report as presented, seconded by Chuck Speicher and unanimously approved.

## OLD BUSINESS

### Membership - Howard Finney

Howard presented our guest Arthur as an applicant for membership. Arthur lives in Latrobe and was recommended by Dave and Sara Jo Davis. Tom King made a motion to accept Arthur as a new member, seconded by Denny Blank and unanimously approved. All welcomed Arthur with a round of applause.

### Rev-Up Party - Jill Jackson

Jill Jackson thanked her committee - Molly Detwiler, Lee Speicher and C.J Maurer, and all who helped with the Western-themed Rev-Up Party in April. The party was held at the Westmoreland Conservation District barn. There were 63 in attendance at the party and many dressed in fun western attire. The delicious meal was provided by Cafe Barista in Greensburg.

## NEW BUSINESS

### Correspondence - Mark Jackson

The Lincoln Highway Heritage organization sent the

Region a letter inviting members to visit their office and history center located near the Kingston Dam along Route 30, and to include the center as a stop in a future driving tour.

The AACA Museum sent a flyer on the upcoming Museum Car Show on June 20th.

Central Westmoreland Career and Technology Center Guidance Counselor, Mr. Lon Hayes sent a letter of thanks for the Region's offering of a Scan Tool Scholarship for an Automotive Program Senior student this year.

Flyers were presented for the Cruise for a Cure in Waynesburg, PA on May 16th, which benefits cancer research, and Saint Bruno's Church Festival Car Show in South Greensburg on June 19th.

### 2015 Chance Car Tickets - Mark Jackson and Alice Shaulis

Alice Shaulis will be managing the Chance Car tickets this year. You can sign out tickets with Alice tonight. Please return all tickets and money to Alice. Please also have all ticket stubs in numerical order and pay by check.

Howard Finney will also have a supply of tickets available to sign out if anyone in the Latrobe/Greensburg area needs tickets to sell between monthly meetings.

The minimum quantity of tickets for signing out is five. Tickets are packed in lots of 40.

Sell 40 tickets and earn a free WPR membership. For every 40 sold beyond that earn a \$10 voucher good for WPR events or apparel.

This year's ticket goes off on the Big Four PA Lottery on October 31st.

### Scheduling the Chance Car

Mark Jackson is handling the Chance Car ticket schedule. The Westmoreland Arts & Heritage Festival schedule is filling up. The Festival is Thursday, July 2 through Sunday, July 5. Time slots are two hours each. You can book two slots in a row if you want, or two different slots on different days.

Please let us know of other possible ticket selling venues - flea markets, store fronts, festivals, car shows, etc.

We will have posters made to help sell tickets without the car present if needed, ie: garage sale, family reunion, etc.

John and John Ross Kuhns are storing the car in Latrobe. Please try to give 24 hours notice if possible to pick up the car.

John Kuhns, Sr. informed members present that there is a



Corvette Show in Latrobe coming up on May 2nd, which would be a good chance to sell tickets for the day. The show starts at 8:00 a.m.

### **Tool Scholarship - Eastern and Western Westmoreland Career and Technology Centers - *John Kuhns, Sr. and Mark Jackson***

Both the Eastern and Western schools will be participating in the Region's Tool Scholarship Program this year. The awards will be presented at the May 19th WPR meeting. There will be pizza and salad to celebrate.

**Region Bus Trips - *John Kuhns, Sr. and John Ross Kuhns***  
**Overnight trip to the Mecum Auction in Harrisburg** will on Saturday, July 31st and Sunday, August 1st. We will visit the Mecum Auction on Saturday and the AACA Museum, Chocolate World and Outlet Shops in Hershey on Sunday. Hotel will cost around \$90. You must sign out 40 Chance Car tickets to sell in order to go on this trip. They do not have to be sold by the time of the trip, but we would like you to sell them.

**The single day trip to the Hershey Car Show** will be on October 10th. We would like to have commitments by April 30th. Cost is \$25. per person. Charlie Schifano and Howard Finney commented that the group should plan to leave very early to get to fully enjoy the Hershey Car Show. Others commented that the cost for this trip is cheaper than some of the parking at the show.

A sign up sheet for each trip was passed around. The bus is a comfortable mini-bus, 24 person capacity.

### **Tours - *Mark Jackson***

**May 16th** will be our Spring Tour. A flyer will go out in the mail. Mark asked for any suggestions.

**Sunday, June 14th will be a tour to Main Street Motors in West Newton** with other interesting places to visit and a meal at Gary's Chuck Wagon.

**The Progressive Dinner Tour** is scheduled for August 22nd. So far we have dining hosts for dessert and possibly salad or breakfast. We need help for the other stops.

### **September Tour - *Connie and Myron Shoaf***

Connie informed those present that she and Myron are looking into a drive to Friendship Hill in Fayette County, which was the home of Albert Gallitan. Gallitan was the Secretary of the Treasury in the early 1800's. The site is a National Park. The Shoafs are also planning a visit to a pottery shop.

### **Pumpkin Run - *Ron and Alice Shaulis***

Ron and Alice will host the Pumpkin Run Tour in October.

### **U.S. National Air Force Museum Return Trip - *Al Friend***

Al informed members present of plans taking shape to for another trip to the U.S. National Air Force Museum in Dayton, Ohio. Unfortunately, during the last trip there was a U.S. Government shutdown resulting in the closure

of the Museum, and a Plan B tour had to be implemented. According to Al the Museum is now in the midst of a major building program. Exciting new exhibits will be available for a possible tour around October of 2016. He will keep us all posted.

### **Monthly Programs - *Mark Jackson***

Mark asked members to consider presenting or suggesting short 20 -30 minute programs for the upcoming June, July, September, October and November monthly meetings. The presentations do not always have to be car related.

### **Picnic - *John Ross Kuhns***

The Region's Picnic will be July 26th at the Cooperstown Club in Latrobe with all your favorite summer time foods. There will also be BINGO games again.

### **Car Show - *Dave Sheetz***

Dave had nothing new to report at this time, but said that things will get rolling soon.

### **AACA Grand National 2018 - *Mark Jackson***

Our Region was granted interim approval to host the AACA 2018 Grand National Meet at the University of Pittsburgh Greensburg. Harvey Eger is serving as chairman. We will be having a kick off meeting when he returns from Florida and meeting with representatives from UPG. The Greensburg Ramada will be the host hotel.

### **Christmas Party - *Craig DeFloria***

The Christmas Party will be on December 5th at the Greensburg Ramada and will feature a dinner theater.

### **The John Kuhns III Participation Award**

President Jackson reminded members present to drive their antique cars and trucks to Region events and meetings this year to qualify for this award.

### **From the Floor...**

**Al Friend** had a flyer available for the Pittsburgh Vintage Grand Prix

**Dave and Debbie Sheetz** announced the birth of their new baby granddaughter Stella, 6lb, 50z.

**Debbie Sheetz** also informed members present about **Dodie Ulishney's** recent bypass surgery.

**The Latrobe Air Show** will be June 20 - 21. John Kuhns, Sr. is making arrangements for selling Chance Car tickets at the show.

**Al Wirick** informed members present that the Jimmy Stewart Museum in Indiana, PA will allow the Region to park antique cars and sell Chance Car tickets there any time. There is a car show on June 27th.

### **Snacks**

Delicious snacks were provided by Debbie and Dave Sheetz

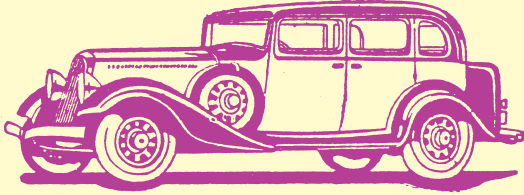
## 50/50

Bob Inhoff won the first 50/50. Jill Jackson won the second. The amounts were \$60.

## Adjournment

President Jackson asked for a motion to adjourn the meeting. A motion was made by Tom King, seconded by Denny Blank and unanimously carried.

-- Minutes submitted by Craig DeFloria and Mark Jackson



## Sharpen Your Car Sense, and Have Fun Doing It

### Judges Needed for Visitation Church 6th Annual Car Show in Mount Pleasant

The 2015 Visitation Church Car Show will take place on July 5 at 720 Walnut Street, Mount Pleasant from 10:30 a.m. to 4:00 p.m. Great music, food and more. Contact WPR member Bob Doppelheuer at 724-366-5930 if you would like to help serve as a judge for this fine show, and/or if you would like to pre-register to show your vehicle.

#### Trophies are given in the following classes:

- Class A: 1949 and older - 4 trophies
- Class B: 1950 thru 1959 - 3 trophies
- Class C: 1960 thru 1969 - 3 trophies
- Class D: 1970 thru 1979 - 3 trophies
- Class E: 1980 thru 1989 - 3 trophies
- Class F: 1990 thru 2004 - 4 trophies (participant vote)
- Class G: 2005 thru Present - 3 trophies
- Class H: Import Motorcycles - 2 trophies
- Class I: Domestic Motorcycles - 2 trophies
- Class J: Trucks 1989 and older - 2 trophies
- Class K: Trucks 1990 and newer - 2 trophies
- Class L: Rat Rods - 2 trophies
- Class M: Sports Compacts All Years - 2 trophies (participant vote)

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time and talent to help produce this issue:**

Craig DeFloria, Dave Lizza, Al Wirick

# Name That Car

by Mark Jackson



## April's Car

Chuck Speicher was the first to correctly identify April's car as a 1965 Mercury Comet. Earlier in the 60's Mercury produced an advertisement comparing the Comet to the Studebaker Lark touting the Comet's advantages. No doubt the compact, affordable Lark helped initiate some fierce competition from other U.S. manufacturers for the economical family car market. The Comet proved to be a popular and reliable car for many.



## May's Car

Can you guess the year and make of this month's car? It looks like some kind of reptilian creature. Be the first to contact me with the correct answer and win a bag of Goetz's Carmels. Catch me at the April Meeting, call me at 724-832-9074 or email me at [rpmguy2002@yahoo.com](mailto:rpmguy2002@yahoo.com).

## Chance Car Ticket Sales Support Everything We Do! Please Do Your Part



The Western PA Region's 2015 Chance Car is a 1988 Corvette Convertible with only 35,000 original miles.

Chance Car tickets support our mission, 'the preservation and enjoyment of antique automobiles' and...

- The AACA Museum
- The AACA Library and Research Center
- The Western PA Region AACA Tool Scholarship Program for local automotive students
- Westmoreland Cleanways Fugitive Tire round up and recycling program

To schedule to take the Chance Car out to sell tickets contact Mark Jackson, 724-832-9074.

To sign out tickets or turn in tickets contact Alice Shaulis, 814-926-3306 Please turn in stubs in numerical order and checks only payable to WPR - AACA.

The Chance Car is being stored by John and John Ross Kuhns in Latrobe. Please give 24 hours notice before picking up the Chance Car, 412-558-0994.

## 2015 Chance Car Ticket Order Form

Yes, I am willing to help Western PA Region of the Antique Automobile Club of America sell tickets at \$10.00 each for the 2015 Chance Car. I understand that I may request additional tickets or can return any unsold tickets by contacting Alice Shaulis.

I will try to sell Chance Car tickets

*Please Print*

\_\_\_\_\_ Number of tickets requested (Ticket Packets of 40 preferred, but you may request tickets in lots of 5.)

Name \_\_\_\_\_

I will remit ticket sales money to Alice Shaulis at a later date.

Address \_\_\_\_\_

I cannot sell Chance Car tickets but I will buy tickets for members of our WPR household.

Phone \_\_\_\_\_

I am enclosing a check to purchase: \_\_\_\_\_ tickets at \$10.00 each for a total of \$\_\_\_\_\_. I understand that tickets will be mailed to me.

Please mail form to: Alice Shaulis  
3229 Copper Kettle Highway  
Rockwood, PA 15557



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P.O. Box 882  
Latrobe, PA 15650



### **Spring Carlisle...**

You never know what your going to find in that car corral. Here WPR member Joe Vrable enjoys mulling over the possibilities of bringing this great 1937 Cadillac back up to life. This Caddy earned an AACA Senior back in 1967, but now needs engine head repair and some major refreshing. Nice thoughts...but gotta finish that '41 Chevy Pick Up first.