

January - February 2018

Promoting the Preservation & Enjoyment of Antique Automobiles Since 1950.



A 1936 Cord draws attention at the Trade Show



John Kuhns, Sr. presents a Grand National raffle basket to Lee Ann Smith from Indiana.



At the Awards Banquet, 2017 AACA President Tom Cox presents The Bus Award to John Webb for his amazing restoration of a 1954 GM Greyhound Scenicruiser. As part of the restoration process John replaced over 45,000 rivits on this bus. Watch for a story in the upcoming AACA Antique Automobile Magazine.





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Our 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). You do not have to own an antique car to join us.



A Thank You from Carol Calabrace

"Thank you everyone for your thoughts, prayers, and cards. Your thoughtfulness meant so much. The road to recovery is slow and steady. I'm taking it one day at a time but wish it was faster."

Editor's Note: A long-time WPR member and WPR Car Show Registrar, Carol sufferd a fall a few months ago which resulted in a broken femur.

2018 CALENDAR

February 26, Grand National Planning Meeting 7:00 p.m., Greensburg Ramada

March 20, Western PA Region Monthly Meeting 7:30 p.m. American Legion Post 982, Pipetown, Latrobe

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April 8, (Sunday) Western PA Region Rev-Up Party Starting at 1:00 p.m. Location - Westmoreland Conservation District (red barn building) 218 Donohoe Road, Greensburg. See registration flyer in this issue of the *Western Round-Up*.

April 17, Western PA Region Monthly Meeting 7:00 p.m. American Legion Post 982, Pipetown, Latrobe

April 18 - 22, Spring Carlisle Collector and classic car swap meet and car corral. Carlisle Fairgrounds, Carlisle, PA

April 23, Grand National Planning Meeting 7:00 p.m. Greensburg Ramada

May 15, Western PA Region Monthly Meeting 7:00 p.m. American Legion Post 982, Pipetown, Latrobe

May 31-June 2, AACA Annual Grand National Meet Hosted by the Western PA Region AACA at the University of Pittsburgh at Greensburg, Show Day - June 2.

June 19, Western PA Region Monthly Meeting 7:00 p.m. American Legion Post 982, Pipetown, Latrobe

July 1st (Sunday), Visitation Church Car Show 10:00 a.m. - 4:00 p.m., Visitation Church - judged show 740 E. Walnut Street, Mount Pleasant, PA

July 5 (Thursday) - July 8 (Sunday), Westmoreland Arts & Heritage Festival

Western PA Region car display and Chance Car Twin Lakes Park, Greensburg, PA, 11:00 a.m. - 8:00 p.m., Sunday 11:00 a.m. - 6:00 p.m.

July 11-14 AACA Eastern Spring Meet Gettysburg, PA sponsored by the Chesapeake Region

2018 Progressive Dinner Tour - Please let a region director know if you would like to plan the tour or host a dining stop this year.

Western PA Region Promoted, Trained & Celebrated Achievement at the AACA Annual Meeting in Philadelphia



WPR Grand National Promo Booth



1927 Willys Knight on display at the Trade Show



Trade Show Battery Saver promo booth



John Kuhns, Sr. presents a second Grand National promo raffle basket to a winner.



2018 AACA President Chuck Crane introduces the 2018 AACA Board of Directors at the Membership Meeting.



Musical entertainment during the AACA Awards Banquet social hour



I-r, Trudy Simpson, Jill, Mark and Regis Jackson at the Awards Banquet. Mark was honored as a Master Editor.



Awards Banquet Motorcycle Award presentation for a 1947 Indian Chief

The 82nd AACA Annual Meeting in Philadelphia helped get 2018 off to a grand start February 8 - 10. As Western PA Region members are aware, final preparations for hosting the AACA Annual Grand National Meet are upon us. This year our region had a booth at the Annual Meeting Trade Show to promote the 2018 Grand National. It was manned by Region President and Grand National Chairman John Ross Kuhns and Region Director and Grand National Assistant Chairman John Kuhns, Sr. The booth featured colorful banners, informational brochures, flyers and booklets, and two baskets of Western PA goodies put together by Molly Detwiler. One basket was raffled off each day during the Trade Show. Many thanks to all Western PA Region members who donated items for these baskets. John Ross and John talked with AACA members from regions across the USA who are looking forward to attending the Grand National either as participants, judges or spectators. They made many friends and were able to answer questions first hand.

Howard and Bettyann Finney, and Ron and Alice Shaulis also attended the AACA Annual Meeting. Howard is our Grand National Chief Judge and Alice is our Grand National Registrar. Both attended mandatory training sessions. Region members Mark, Jill and Regis Jackson, and Trudy Simpson were there too. Mark is the WPR Treasurer and Western Round-Up newsletter



Minutes of the November 21, 2017 Monthly Meeting

meeting of the Western PA Region of the Antique Automobile Club of America was held on November 21, 2017 at the American Legion Post 982, Latrobe, PA (Pipetown). President John Ross Kuhns called the meeting to order at approximately 7:35 p.m. followed by the Pledge of Allegiance.

There were 32 members in attendance at tonight's meeting. The region welcomed Nick Swenson who attended the meeting as a guest of Austin Kyslinger.

Minutes from October, 2017

The Minutes of the October 17, 2017 monthly meeting were printed in the November 2017 issue of the Western Round-Up that was available for pick-up at tonight's meeting, and if not picked-up; are mailed to each member.

President John Ross Kuhns asked if there were any additions or corrections to the minutes. Howard Finney made a motion to approve the minutes as printed, seconded by Tom King and unanimously approved.

Treasurer's Report

The November 2017 Treasurer's Report was read by Treasurer Mark Jackson. President John Ross Kuhns asked if there were any additions or corrections. Ron Underwood made a motion to approve the report as presented, seconded by Jerry Kyslinger and unanimously approved.

OLD BUISINESS

Membership – *Howard Finney* No report, no new members tonight.

2018 Membership Dues – Mark DeFloria

Mark DeFloria reported that membership dues are coming in. 2018 Dues are now due. Dues are considered late after the February 20, 2018 membership meeting. All members are asked to get their dues in as soon as possible.

NEW BUSINESS

2018 AACA Grand National Meet – John Ross Kuhns

President John Ross Kuhns reminded members that the meet is getting closer. President John Ross reported that there are already 65 rooms sold at the Ramada for the

event. Pitt has decided not to do the construction project in 2018. The Falling Water's tour is coming together with the Laurel Highlands Visiting Counsel. The next meeting for the 2018 AACA Grand National Meet will be on Monday, November 27, at the Greensburg Ramada at 7:00 PM. All members are encouraged to attend. The January Meeting is canceled. There will be a meeting at the Greensburg Ramada at 7:00 PM on February 26, 2018.

2017 Chance Car – Mark Jackson, Alice Shaulis

Alice Shaulis reported that 2,461 tickets were sold on the 2017 Chance Car. Alice and President John Ross Kuhns thanked the members that sold tickets. The ticket was on the Saturday October 28th evening number: 0275. The Winning Ticket was not sold. Per the ticket rules, the ticket would play each night until there is a winner. The Sunday October 29th evening number: 5257. The winner of the 2017 Chance car is Rich Schober of Latrobe! The winning ticket was sold by Howard Finney. Rich Schober elected to receive the \$8,000 cash instead of the 1965 Mustang. The 2018 chance car a 1965 mustang convertible will be auctioned at the December 3, 2017 Western PA Region, AACA Christmas Party. A discussion regarding the deadline for selling tickets followed from the floor.

Tour to Mike Millers – Ron Shaulis

Ron Shaulis reported that 30 people were on the tour to Mike Millers to view his extensive antique collection on November 4th. Mike invited the Region back!

Christmas Party – Kuhns Family

President John Ross Kuhns reported that the Christmas Party will be at Disalvo's Station on December 3rd (SUNDAY) this year. John asked that members turn in their reservation forms. Photos will be taken again this year at the Christmas party. Toys for Tots toys will also be collected.

Western PA Region, AACA Annual Meeting – John Kuhns

John Kuhns announced that the Annual Meeting will be Sunday, January 28, 2018 at Dino's in Latrobe. Members are asked to return the reservation form if they are planning on attending the dinner portion of the meeting.

Western Round-Up Newsletter – Mark Jackson

Mark Jackson has the November issue of the Round-Up at tonight's meeting. Mark Jackson thanked Guy Davis for his article that is included in the November Issue. Newsletters not picked up tonight will be mailed to the members that were not present.

Western PA Region Web Site – Mark DeFloria

Mark said the November Round-Up is available on the Regions web site. Car show photos are available on the web site. Mark asked that members email him of any changes in their email address.

Snacks – Debbie Sheetz

Debbie Sheetz brought an arrangement of pies and coffee for after meeting desert. President John Ross Kuhns thanked Debbie for bringing the deserts at tonight's meeting.

From the Floor

Bob Sugars talked about the problems caused by water in gas.

Adjournment

President John Ross Kuhns asked for a motion to adjourn the meeting at approximately 8:27 PM. Jack Wolfe made a motion for adjournment, seconded by Joe Vrable and unanimously approved.

Respectfully submitted by Mark DeFloria, Secretary



It's an open and shut case, other station wagons are "obsolete."

Here's a completely new idea in automobiles called the Lark Wagonaire, with a roof that sildes forward from the rear. It's like having three cars in one. First, it's a fun-filled family convertible. Second, a family nedan. Third, an unusual utility wagon suitable even for commercial use.

Think of what you can carry in the Lark Wagonaire with no roof to limit your load. A tree. Vertical crates. A wardrobe. You name it. Wonderful, too, for spectating at sporting events. ipod photography on the move. mping under the stars. Picnickg without ants. Sunning your pasngers on the open road. Kids will we its rear-facing hideaway seat. dults too! (You can't see it in the n nieture. I've folded flet).

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From the Editor

In December 2017, I received a letter from AACA congratulating me on winning the AACA Master Editor Award for 2017 for the Region's *Western Round-Up* newsletter. Although I was honored and excited when I read the letter, this was the second time I had received this award, and initially was not planning to go to the AACA Annual Meeting in Philadelphia to accept it in person. However, the more I thought about it, the more it sank in as to how special this award is.

Jill and I are at the age when we really try to watch the "stuff" we accumulate. In fact, for the last few years we have been participating in flea markets and having garage sales to help whittle down the "stuff" that has magically appeared over time. As life progresses for us, experiences are becoming more and more treasured, especially when shared with family and friends.

Mark DeFloria won the Web Master Award last year and showed it at a WPR meeting. It was a handsome art deco designed trophy consisting of etched and colored glass, and just the right size. I began to think that it would be cool to accept such a nice award in person.

Our daughter Trudy was visiting over the holidays and I mentioned the award to her. She said, "That's great dad. I would be glad to go to Philadelphia with you to see you get it." Then Jill and Regis also agreed that a trip to Philadelphia would be a good and memorable experience to share. Our daughter Mary was not able to go, but it still would be a nice family adventure. We registered at the Downtown Philadelphia Sheraton hotel for the 82nd AACA Annual Meeting and for the Awards Banquet on Saturday, February 10th.

Trudy offered to use her car for the trip. It is a nice, comfortable 2014 Hyundai Sonata with plenty of room. She had everything checked over and even got new tires for the trip. The winter weather cooperated for a good drive out.

When we arrived at the Sheraton the AACA registration volunteers gave me a name tag with a special ribbon on it designating me as an award winner. Due to the crowd surge for the Philadelphia Eagles Superbowl victory parade, which was two days before we arrived, there was a delay in getting our rooms ready. So we visited the Trade Show. We all loved the black 1936 Cord convertible which was on display. Saturday afternoon I attended the big AACA Membership Meeting where 2018 President Chuck Crane and the new AACA Board of Directors were introduced.

After getting situated with our rooms, we got dressed up and headed down to the Awards Banquet. As *Antique Automobile Magazine* Editor West Peterson introduced each of the Master Editor Awards and other award winners I was humbled to be chosen to be a part of this evening. Their stories were unique and inspiring.

AACA sets high standards for us to reach for. A trip to the Annual Meeting in Philadelphia, or to any AACA National event really is a "peak experience" to bring home. We are a part of a truly special organization. You just have to make the decision to let go and enjoy it.

> Mark Jackson Editor, The Western Round-Up



Western PA Region AACA Annual Meeting at Dino's Fun, Fellowship, Recognitions & Thanks

Western PA Region AACA members gathered at Dino's Sportslounge in Latrobe to start off the new year with their Annual Meeting on Sunday, January 28, 2018. It was a nice, relaxing afternoon, which started off with time for friends to socialize and enjoy some of Dino's legendary wings and hors d' oeuvres. The Annual Meeting, presided over by President John Ross Kuhns, started around 2:00 p.m. and featured committee reports, recognitions, awards and election of the 2018 region directors. A delicious dinner then followed.

Alice Shaulis gave a report on 2017 chance car ticket sales and presented the following awards for:

Ticket Sales

First Place - Tom Ulishney Second Place - Denny and Becky Blank Third Place - Mark and Jill Jackson Fourth Place - Howard Finney Winning Ticket Seller Award - Howard Finney

John Kuhns, Sr. then presented the following Western PA Region Awards for 2017:

The Jack E. Clark, Sr. Service Award

Bob and Karla Doppelheuer

The Doppelheuers hosted the 2017 Rev-Up Party, the Progressive Dinner Tour dinner stop and co-chaired the 2017 Car Show.

The Foster Fike Restoration Award

Bob Shugars for restoration of his 1941 Buick This Award requires the newly restored vehicle to be shown at a WPR event during the award year. Bob brought his Buick to the May 2017 monthly meeting when the WPR scholarship awards were presented.

The Paul P. Bell Award for the Most Unique Car Shown at a WPR Event

Chuck Speicher for showing his 1937 Packard convertible coupe at the 2017 WPR Car Show.

The John Ross Kuhns III Participation Award

Dave and Debbie Sheetz for driving an antique car to the most WPR events in 2017.

John, Sr. then presented service award mugs to outgoing region directors, Mark Jackson, Mark DeFloria, and to himself.

Western Round-Up Editor Mark Jackson made a special **Chrome Quill Award** presentation to *Cris and Molly Detwiler* for their wonderful story and photo contributions to *The Western Round-Up* newsletter over the years. It is always a pleasure to read the adventures of Cris and Molly as they show their award-winning Nash automobiles all over the USA.

Following the Awards, an election of the Region's Board of Directors was held. In January 2018, director Ron Shaulis resigned from the board. President John Ross Kuhns thanked Ron for his service, and all members present at the Annual Meeting gave Ron a round of applause.

According to the WPR bylaws, the board may appoint a WPR member to the complete the two-year term of a



39 WPR members gathered at Dino's in Latrobe for the Annual Meeting. Of course we had to enjoy some of those legendary Dino's wings.



Bob Shugars won the Foster Fike Restoration Award for his 1941 Buick. Bob's Buick is in the background of this 2017 WPR Scholarship presentation.



Alice Shaulis presents the First Place Chance Car Ticket Sales Award to Tom Ulishney.



Alice Shaulis presents the Third Place Chance Car Ticket Sales Award to Mark and Jill Jackson.



Howard Finney received the Winning Ticket Seller Award and Fourth Place Ticket Sales Award.



Karla and Bob Doppelheuer receive the WPR Jack E Clark, Sr. Service Award from John Kuhns, Sr.



Chuck Speicher receives the Paul P. Bell Award from John Kuhns, Sr. for showing his 1937 Packard Convertible Coupe at the 2017 Car Show.



Dave Sheetz receives the John Ross Kuhns III Participation Award from John Kuhns, Sr. for driving an antique car to the most WPR events.

resigning board member. Bob Doppelheuer agreed, and then was appointed to complete the second year of Ron's term.

The three directors whose terms ended agreed to run for office again. President Kuhns called for nominations from the floor. Hearing none, he then asked for the Secretary to cast the ballot for Mark Jackson, Mark DeFloria and John Kuhns, Sr. to be re-elected to the Western PA Region Board. After a short recess and re-organizational meeting, the 2018 officers were presented:

> President - John Ross Kuhns Vice President - Craig DeFloria Treasurer - Mark Jackson Secretary - Mark DeFloria Publicity - John Kuhns, Sr. Safety - Bob Doppelheuer

President Kuhns then called for adjournment and all were ready to head into the new year with the excitement of hosting the 2018 AACA Grand National and a new cruising season on the horizon.

Sincere thanks to John Kuhns, Sr. for once again hosting and coordinating the WPR Annual Meeting, which was enjoyed immensely by all who attended.



John Kuhns, Sr. shows members a sample of a WPR Award Legacy Plaque with the cumulative names of past winners.



I-r, WPR Western Round-Up Editor Mark Jackson presents a Chrome Quill Award to Cris and Molly Detwiler for their wonderful story and photo contributions through the years.

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2018 Chance Car and Tickets Ready to Go!



Win Your Choice: this beautiful 1966 Mustang Coupe or \$8,000

t's pretty. It's red, and it's ready to go. The Western PA Region's 2018 Chance Car is a 1966 Mustang Coupe with a black interior, six-cylinder engine and automatic transmission. The \$8,000 cash option is also available again. Chance Car tickets will be available to sign out at the February 20th monthly meeting. This will be the region's 53rd Chance Car.

Sheila and Joe Kurtz will be handling the signing out and returning of the tickets this year. Mark Jackson will handle the scheduling, and the car will be stored in Latrobe once again by John Ross and John Kuhns, Sr.

The winner will be taken from the first four digit PA Lottery number drawn at 7:00 p.m. on Saturday, October 27, 2018. If the winning number is not drawn on that day the ticket will continue to play each following day at 7:00 p.m. until a winner is determined.

Sheila and Joe will have tickets to sign out at the monthly meetings. Arrangements can be made to get more tickets between meetings by contacting Sheila. Mark Jackson will also have a limited supply of tickets available in Greensburg.

Please turn in all ticket stubs in numerical order. Please turn in ticket money using a personal check made payable to Western PA Region AACA. The Western PA Region directors ask that all Chance Car tickets, sold and unsold, be returned to Sheila and Joe Kurtz by the October monthly meeting on October 16, 2018.

Please give John Ross Kuhns 24 hours notice to arrange to take out the Chance Car to sell tickets. Please also be sure to fill the gas tank after taking the car out and keep the car as clean as possible. Expenses for Chance Car gas and event entry fees will be reimbursed. Save your receipts and turn them in to WPR Treasurer Mark Jackson.

As in previous years, sell 40 tickets and earn a free 2019 Western PA Region membership. For every 40 tickets sold beyond the first 40, earn a voucher good towards any Western PA Region event or apparel.

For apparel purchases, turn in your receipt and you will be reimbursed for the value of the vouchers you wish to apply towards the purchase. For apparel visit the Big Frog store, Route 30 West, Greensburg by Five Guys Burgers and Chipolte across from the Wal-Mart Plaza. They have our logo on file. Ask for the Western PA Region logo on file under Mark Jackson.

With all the excitement building this year - AACA Grand National, etc., and some new sales venues, it would be great to have a ticket "sell out" by October 16th.

Chance Car ticket sales help keep our activity and event costs reasonable, and help assure their quality and variety in promoting the enjoyment and restoration of antique automobiles. Sales also support the region's Scan Tool Scholarships for local high school seniors, The AACA Library, AACA Building Fund and Westmoreland Cleanways Clean Up and Recycling Programs.

Sincere thanks to Alice and Ron Shaulis for managing the Chance Car tickets for the last two years, and to Sheila and Joe Kurtz for managing them this year. Great teamwork benefits everyone.



We ask every region member to make an effort to sell 2018 Chance Car tickets, or at least purchase tickets for yourselves, family or friends. They make great gifts. Who knows? You could be a winner.



by Mark Jackson

December's Car



Al Terek was the first to correctly identify December 2017's car as a 1969 Dodge Charger. Gary Weigand also checked in with the correct answer. Al liked the photo of the '69 Charger, but said that he would prefer to have a 1968 Charger like the one that was featured in the famous car chase from the movie "Bullet."

January/February's Car



Here is an easy one. So many of these beautiful cars were turned into classic hot rods. This is a great "stock" example, which was photographed at the Rollin' Oldies Car Show at AAMCO Transmissions in Greensburg during the summer of 2017. Can you identify the year and marque of this car?

Take a closer look and notice the arrangement of S&H Green Stamps in the lower right corner of the windshield. As a bonus, can you tell me why anyone would put these stamps in this position? Be the first to contact me with the correct answers and win a big bag of Snyders of Berlin Barbecue Potato Chips. You must show up at the March monthly meeting to claim your prize. Contact me at the February meeting, by phone 724-832-9074, or email jacksonmark469@gmail.com.



This year will be a great year for national shows for our area. The Western PA Corvair Club will be hosting their International Convention in Pittsburgh July 23 -28, 2018. Members from their club have agreed to help us with the AACA Grand National Meet we are hosting May 31- June 2. They will need some help from us too with their show. **Please contact Western PA Region AACA and Western PA Corvair Club member AI Friend** to see how you can be a good neighbor and help our friends with their big show in July. It will be fun and unique to see all those beautiful Corvairs.

THE WESTERN ROUND-UP

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Mark DeFloria, Bob Doppelheuer and John Ross Kuhns

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editor. He was honored to receive a 2017 AACA Master Editor Award. Mark attended the AACA Membership Meeting. Afterwards, he, Jill, Regis and Trudy enjoyed the Awards Banquet. They were fortunate to share a table with newly elected AACA Director Megan Boyd and her husband. Megan will be serving as the new AACA Youth Development Director. The table conversations were fun and interesting. Although they are not entering a car, the Boyds are planning to attend the Grand National.

Western Round-Up Classifieds



For Sale - 1967 Lincoln 4-door convertible Chesapeake blue with white top. Just 50K miles time to reduce the collection. Could my age be a factor? Excellent condition. Second owner for 32 years \$26,900. 724-929-2444, Bill

For Sale - 1995 Buick Park Avenue

41,000 Miles, Excellent Condition, \$5,000 Paul 724-689-6445

Wanted - Garage Decorations Gas pumps, oil cans, oil bottles, air pumps, pinball machines, tin/porcelain signs, old toys - Marx, Buddy L, Anything neat! What do you have? 724-771-5170

Wanted - Antique Cars, Any make, any model. No projects, Original condition preferred. 724-771-5170

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Classified ads for antique or classic cars or parts are available free for Western PA Region members. After four issues the ad will be pulled unless it is renewed by phone or written request (email or letter) Please notify the editor if the item has been sold.

Photos are acceptable and will be used if there is room. The Round-Up editor and WPR are not responsible for typographical errors or misinformation.

> Please submit all classified ad requests to: Mark Jackson, Editor, 133 Alexander Avenue Greensburg, PA 15601 724-832-9074 email: jacksonmark469@gmail.com



Congratulations Philadelphia Eagles on Your Super Bowl Win

The Philadelphia Super Bowl celebration parade was held Thursday, February 8th, which was the first day of the AACA Annual Meeting at the Downtown Philadelphia Sheraton. The crowd was estimated at over three million people. The Sheraton was in the heart of the action. No matter what room you were in at the Sheraton that day you could hear the roar of the crowd outside. That was a lot of positive energy.

40 Million Fire Extinguishers Recalled

Just recently a recall was announced involving 40 million fire extinguishers manufactured by Kidde. The recall involves 134 models of Kidde fire extinguishers manufactured between January 1, 1973 and August 15, 2017, including models that were previously recalled in March 2009 and February 2015. Be advised that some of the recalled extinguishers were sold under names other than Kidde (i.e. Fuller Brush, Honeywell, Montgomery Ward, Sears and other names). https://inmarmarketaction.com/kidde/ Be advised that this link has the list of recalled extinguishers. It also lets you submit your request for a replacement extinguisher after you provide your name, address, the model extinguisher and serial number. It verifies that your extinguisher is being recalled and submits your request for a replacement.

If you do not want to submit your request online, you can contact Kidde via telephone to find out if a fire extinguisher is included in the recall or to get a replacement. Contact Kidde at 855-271-0773 between 8:30 a.m. and 5 p.m. EST Monday - Friday (excluding holidays), or between 9 a.m. and 3 p.m. during the weekend to determine whether your extinguishers are affected. Given how many AACA members have fire extinguishers for their vehicles, we have no doubt that some AACA members have extinguishers that are being recalled. Please take action on this situation immediately and be sure to share this information with all of your region and chapter members as soon as possible.

-- The Rummage Box

2018 Grand National Meet Planning Meetings

These are exciting and important meetings as all the planning comes together. Please try to attend and help us to be a great host Region of this unique national event.

Starting at 7:00 p.m. at the Greensburg Ramada

February 26 March 26 April 23 May meetings as needed to be announced

Updates

John Ross and John Kuhns, Sr. hosted a 2018 Grand National Promo Booth at the AACA Annual Meeting in Philadelphia February 8-10. They distributed Grand National brochures and event/tour flyers along with booklets and brochures about our area from Laurel Highlands Tourism. They also gave away a raffle basket each day. The baskets featured locally produced items and foods along with University of Pittsburgh souvenirs. John Ross and John also answered any questions visitors to the booth had.

You can visit the AACA Forums under Meets and Tours to follow a thread on the Grand National.

At this point the Greensburg Ramada Host Hotel is fully booked and sold out. Other hotels on the list are filling up.

As of February 14, 2018, Grand National Registrar Alice Shaulis reported that she has received 318 registrations. The registration deadline is April 1, 2018.

Grand National Security Help Needed

Security Chairman Bill Holtzer still needs help covering Grand National security shifts. We are providing 24 hour security along with vehicle and trailer parking both at the Greensburg Ramada and Westmoreland County Fairgrounds.

Bill would like to have 2 people for each 8 hour shift at each of the locations, Thursday, May 31, Friday, June 1 and Saturday, June 2. Shifts would be from: 8:00 a.m. to 4:00 p.m., 4:00 p.m. to 12:00 a.m., and 12:00 a.m. to 8:00 a.m. The volunteers can be either men or women.

The best way to contact Bill is by calling his cell phone: 724-771-4183. If there is no answer please leave a message and Bill will get back to you. Please help us build our security team!



Our region will be hosting the AACA Grand National Meet May 31 - June 2, 2018. Join the fun! Contact a chair and help on a committe.

Grand National Committe Chairs

Meet Chairman	John Ross Kuhns III
Asst. Meet Chair	John Kuhns Sr.
Treasurer	Craig Defloria
Registrar	Alice Shaulis
Chief Judge	Howard Finney
Field Marshall	Dave Sheetz
Trailer Parking	Bob Inhoff
Security	Bill Holtzer
Ads	Cris/Molly Detwiler
Booklet	Doreen King
Publicity	Regis Jackson
Flea Market	Jill Jackson
Meet Brochure	Mark Jackson
Merchandise	Debbie Sheetz
Banquet	Betty Ann Finney
Trophies	Tom Ulishney
Photography	Cris Detwiler
Dash Plaque	Clay Stoner
Hospitality Room.	Becky Blank / Connie Schifano
Chinese Auction	Vickie / Blair Kuhns
Judges Chip	Howard Finney
Hotel Committee	Howard/JRK3/Mark J
Meet Activities	OPEN
Kids Area	OPEN
Traffic Control	OPEN



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