



SIDE LIGHTS



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COMING SOON..



September Board Meeting at the Carpentersville Public Works

The September Annual Board Meeting will be Saturday, September 10th @ 10:30am. The location will be at the Carpentersville Public Works - 1075 Tamarac Drive, Carpentersville, IL 60110.



Members are encouraged to attend. Coffee and Donuts will be served.

Please email dansobczyk@yahoo.com if you plan on attending.

An event of interest is the - All American Car Show and Picnic at Carpentersville Park in Carpentersville, IL. on September 25th from 12-4pm. See Pages 12 & 13 for more information.

Upcoming EVENTS

NATIONAL NEWS

For more information on National and other events
see aaca.org

September 10 - ANNUAL REGION BOARD MEETING - Carpentersville Public Works.
See Front Page for more information.

October TBD - Waukegan-North Shore PRE-WAR TOUR. More information to follow.

October 20-23 - Illinois Region Fall Tour - Magnificent Morris. See page 14.

November 6 - Waukegan-North Shore RUN TO Brighton. More information to follow.

December 4 - Waukegan-North Shore CHRISTMAS PARTY at Parkway on the Lake, Ingleside.

2022 Nationals & Tours



Other Events of Interest

September 25 - All American Car Show and Picnic.
Carpentersville Park, Carpentersville, IL. 12-4pm. See
Pages 12 & 13 for more information.

Region Member Question:

Does anyone in the club know a good transmission repair shop for older classic cars? I HAVE A 53 Mercury convert with an 83 Ford or Mercury transmission, which slips in and out of gears when driving. Need a good trans shop for repair. Thanks, Carl Nemec.
Email: nem05516@aol.com



ILLINOIS REGION

The Illinois Region serves northeastern Illinois. Meetings are held on the second Saturday of odd numbered months at various locations.

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THE PRESIDENT'S MESSAGE



Dear Members,

So far it has been a great season for the old car hobby with plenty of things happening.

The latest was the AACA National meet that took place in Moline. A great show it was and we had great attendance from our Illinois Region along with a number of prize winners at the show.

Judging was Ed & Bev Armatys (Administration), Bob Markert, Bob Wenderski and yours truly.

Prize winners included Jerry & Joan Bodden, Repeat HPOF 1956 Buick, Dave Jackomowski, First Senior 1934 Plymouth, Humberto & Bibi Garcia, First Junior 1979 Continental, Ed & Deb Leed, 1969 911 Porsche, Preservation Award. Overall, it was a great meet for our region, and we all had a wonderful time. If I overlooked anyone, I apologize.

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Monthly Recipe



Pumpkin Ice Cream

Creamy and delicious, pumpkin ice cream tastes like a frozen pumpkin pie



Ingredients:

8 ounces heavy whipping cream
14 ounces sweetened condensed milk
 $\frac{3}{4}$ cup real pumpkin puree (not pie filling)
1 teaspoon pumpkin pie spice
 $\frac{1}{2}$ teaspoon vanilla extract

Directions:

Whip the cream until stiff peaks form. If using an electric mixer, use the paddle attachment.

Gradually add condensed milk while continuing to beat.

Stir in the pumpkin puree, vanilla extract, and pumpkin pie spice.

Pour mixture into a 9 x 5-inch loaf pan or freezer container then freeze overnight.

THE PRESIDENT'S MESSAGE (cont...)

In other business, I would like to give thanks to Pat Markert for stepping up to be the Region Secretary (temporarily until a full-time replacement can be found).

We also have a new website administrator. Bill Vroman, who is highly qualified and experienced, he volunteered to take over the website. I am sure you will be seeing some great things happening.

Thank you to Pat & Bill for stepping up and assuming the responsibility that comes with those extremely important positions.

Also, if you are interested in being more active with the club, we are looking for members interested in running for the Board of Directors. The only requirement is desire to help make it a better club.

Contact your chapter President if you care to be in the running. The benefits are great. You have the satisfaction of making our Region the best.

The Antique Automobile season is moving into the later innings but there are plenty of exciting events scheduled for the remainder of the season so let's get out there and enjoy the cars and the camaraderie.

Until next month,

Dan



Region Events:

Vintage Transportation Event 2022 at the Illinois Railway Museum

by Jo Ann Flynn, Waukegan/North Shore News Correspondent

Rain, rain go away! It didn't, but rain didn't keep 9 members of the W/NS chapter away from this long time event on Sunday, August 7th. Let's hope for sunny skies next year!



Andy Ibata, Cheryl and William Woosley, Don Schreiber, Harold and Carroll Flood staying dry. Chris Schurrer, Dan Sobczyk and Jim Sikora must have been braving the weather to check out the vehicles.



Region Events: (Vintage Transportation Event cont...)



Region Events:

2022 Sycamore Steam Show

by Jo Ann Flynn, Waukegan/North Shore News Correspondent

The Northern Illinois Steam Power Club hosted a great show on August 13th. The event was attended by many of our members. It wasn't all about Steam! Lots of great gas powered vehicles too!



Region Events: (Sycamore Steam Show cont...)



Region Events:

Grand Dominion Show - August 14th, 2022

by Jo Ann Flynn, Waukegan/North Shore News Correspondent

One of the best shows around, the Grand Dominion event brought in so many beautiful and interesting vehicles, including quite a few of AACA's finest. Our own Don Schreiber won the Class 1 1900-1949 award with his 1931 Ford Model A! Congratulations to Don!



Region Events: (Grand Dominion cont...)



Photos Courtesy of Christopher Schurrer

Save the Date:

Fall Tour

Where are we going?

Magnificent Morris

Where are we staying?

Quality Inn

200 Gore Rd.

Morris, IL.

(815) 942-6600

*Mention that you are with the
AACA Region group. The rate is
\$105 per night.*



When are we going?

October 20-23 Thursday thru Sunday

What are we doing?

*We aren't telling
at least for now, BUT we will be
having*

Legions of Laughs

Good Times Galore

And



*At this years Fall Tour. Save the Date and
make your reservation NOW!*

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FOR SALE!



1940 Ford Cnvt. DeLuxe Street Rod
Dark Green, fuel injection Chevy engine,
original steel body, auto trans, interior
has been redone and new seat frame
and springs. 1940 original engine. Paul
had this car done.

\$40,000 obo

Call Jean Marcotte

815-472-3403



1950 Ford Custom Convertible Flathead V-8 overdrive fully restored.
National 1st place winner; AACA 1st and senior awards. \$51,000; call
Carl Nemec @ 1 (630) 323-9487



1954 Chevrolet 210 Del Rey 2 - Door Rolling Chassis.

Has 1978 Z28 Front Subframe Grafted on and 1978 Z28 Power Brake
Booster and 10 Bolt Rear End w/ 3.55 Gears.

Includes 1974 Laguna Type S-3 Swivel Seats, Center Console, Steering
Column & Turbo Finned Wheel, and Wiring Harness, All New Glass
(except Rear Window), and stainless-steel trim.

Could also include drivetrain. If interested contact Chris Schurrer
(815) 382 - 0238

FOR SALE! (cont....)

1989 Cookbook

Vintage Cookbook compiled with 400 hearty recipes inside for every part of the meal from start to finish. Recipes from members of, compiled by, and sales support the Kolping Society of Chicago, which owns a community center, supports soup kitchens, and food pantries in the Jefferson Park neighborhood, as well as through the States and Internationally. The book is being re-released in celebration of the organization's 150th Anniversary.

\$10 per book. 3 books for \$25.

Can deliver to club meetings or events. Contact Chris Schurrer (815) 382 - 0238.

FREE, FREE, FREE to a good home.

Matchbook Collection. Hundreds of Matchbooks spanning several decades. Packed and ready to go. Contact Dan Sobczyk at dansobczyk@yahoo.com.

Two (2) 1928-1929 Fenders. Asking \$150 for the pair. Pickup in Yorkville, IL. Please contact: Tom Baumgartner 630-209-0287/twjbrunner@aol.com

