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2024 Nationals & Tours

### July

10-13, 2024 - Big Horn Mountain, Wyoming - Western Divisional Tour

#### **August**

22-24 - Hampton, Virginia - Special Eastern Fall Nationals

### September

12-14 - Loveland, Colorado - Western Fall Nationals

#### October

8-11 - Hershey, Pennsylvania - Eastern Fall Nationals



## Other Events of Interest

**July 7 - VCCA** tour of the Rich Harvest Farm's car collection. Rich Harvest Farm. See page 16 for more information.



#### 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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Chapter meetings are held the second Friday of the month September through May (excepting December ) at State Bank of the Lakes, 50 Commerce Dr., Grayslake, IL 60030

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# THE PRESIDENT'S MESSAGE



Dear Members,

The old car season is in full bloom. There are multiple car shows and cruise nights to fill every day of the week, you need to pick and choose from the selection of events.

One of the events that is coming up is the AACA REGION CAR SHOW. I hope you have the event marked on your calendar.

Jim Sikora and Bob Markert have been hard at work setting up this show. This is our show, it has our name on it. We need to support Jim and Bob and show them we appreciate the time and effort they put behind the show.

The venue is great. A beautiful grassy field with plenty of room to park the cars. They have set up food vendors for your enjoyment.

The show will not run on its own. Volunteers are needed for setup, judging and cleanup. Let us show Jim and Bob we are behind them by volunteering to pitch in and help. Even a couple of hours of your time would be appreciated. You can call or text Jim at 708-691-9854 and let him know you would be willing to help.

The club has a number of beautiful cars owned by our members. Don't let that great ride sit in the garage and gather dust. You have the option of bringing your car for display only or to be judged. Let others enjoy your ride.

Again, this show has our name on it. Let's make the show a success. The future of this show depends upon your participation.

Hope to see you at the show.

Dan

BOARD MEETING Date: 6/8/24

Hosts: Silver Springs Location: Somonauk Library

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Time called to order: 10:55

1. **Welcome**—Dan Sobczyk called the meeting to order at 10:55 am. He thanked everyone for coming and asked the Secretary to call the roll.

Roll Call—Pat Markert took the roll. Present: Dan Sobczyk, Chris Schurrer, Pat Markert, Bob Wenderski, Rose O'Halloran, Nancy Nelson, Jerry Bodden, Rick Shaw, Lee Nelson, Al Matison, Dan Helgren, Andy Voss, Jim Sikora, Bob Markert. Absent: Ed Flynn/ proxy Chris Schurrer, Bibiana Garcia proxy Pat Markert, Dale Woosley proxy Bob Markert, Bill Vroman proxy Pat Markert. Visitor: Joan Bodden

• Secretary report— I sent minutes of the meeting to the board. There were no additions, corrections or deletions. Rose O'Halloran made a motion to accept the minutes of the March meeting; second Jim Sikora. Passed.

Pat reported that she and Bob went to the wake for Frank Reiss. She related that they met the daughter-in-law of Frank who thanked them for coming and told funny stories about her father-in-law. She said she was happy they to represent the Region.

Treasurer report- Bob Wenderski reported: The beginning balance as of March
9th was given. We had an income from membership payments and Swap Meet receipts. We had expense primarily from Sidelights and Swap Meet costs. Leaving a
positive balance.. On the Swap Meet, he reported we made a a profit.
 A motion was made by Rick Shaw to accept the report as written; second, Bob
Markert. Passed.

#### 2. Standing Committee

- Membership— Andy Voss said he really had nothing new to report. Dan Helgren
  asked Andy if, when he sends the first year free slips to National, if National inform him. Andy said no. Discussion ensued. Chris Schurrer suggested that all
  chapter Presidents send these forms to Andy and let Andy send them to National.
  That would eliminate the problem.
- Publication- Bob Markert reported that things are going well with Sidelights.
   Laura did remind us to send in stories for publication. She also asked, if possible to get stories in by the 20th of the month.
- Legislative Lee Nelson said there was nothing new on the legislative front. Dan Sobczyk wanted to know if Lee knew anything about an age discrimination suit that AARP has brought against the DMV for making seniors take road tests more frequently than younger drivers. Lee said the DMV has not been enforcing the more frequent road tests because they don't have enough testers. Jerry Bodden mentioned that Haggerty has increased the tax on insurance premiums. Others said they have seen the same thing on their bills.

- Website: Pat Markert read the following report from Bill Vroman. "I don't have
  any updates to give other than the website is up to date with the proper flyer for
  the region show and I have had no response from the national website contact regarding use of outside advertising on our site to defray the costs associated with
  credit card processing."
- Archivist-Chris Schurrer reported that there was no recent activity in the archives. He did say that from these archives and other sources, he was able to reconstruct a tour from 1975 which they repeated on this year's Spring Tour. It was great fun.
- Car Show Manager—Jim Sikora reported that they are proceeding with plans for this year's show in Carpentersville. However, Jim expressed some confusion about why more of our members are not registering for the show. Car shows seem to be a main focus of most car clubs, but our members seem not to be interested. We average 4.7 cars per member if you add up all the cars listed in the roster and divide by the number of members in the roster. He felt we should have more members registered by this time. Discussion ensured. No answer was reached.

#### 3. Activities

A.) Fall Tour—Al Matison reported that they are working on the tour. Chris Schurrer gave more details. We are staying near Detroit at the Best Western in Allen Park, MI. We suggest checking in on Wednesday, September 4. The show is from September 5:to September 8. Almost all of our trip will be at the Greenfield Village. We can come and go by shuttle each day, though it is not handicapped accessible.

An email will be going out shortly with hotel information. Depending on how many days you stay and how many places you go, it may be cheaper to buy a membership. This information will be sent to members with the save the date.

### 4. Chapter Reports:

• Des Plaines Valley: Members worked the Swap Meet and attended the Spring Tour. The chapter also plans on helping at the Region Car Show.

Rose O'Halloran reported that his car broke down on the Spring tour. He had driven Lee and Nancy Nelson, but left them on tour and headed home to fix his car. On the way he started having trouble with his vision. He thought he was having a stroke. He headed to the hospital and found his retina had burst. He is doing well and wanted to thank Chris Schurrer for taking the stranded Nelsons home.

#### Fox Valley

The chapter is having a tour and model show on June 22. We are doing a short circle tour beginning and ending in Lisle. We will be stopping at Fermilab and visiting the bison, stopping at a Russian Curio Shoppe and on to Paisano's pizza for the model show and lunch.

In addition, we have a tour on August 24 in conjunction with the Geneva Concourse.

#### Silver Springs

Al Matison reported that their car show was rained out and that the fairgrounds doubled their rent for the show. He also reported they are working on the fall tour.

#### WA-NS

Dan Helgren said that the chapter was having a special meeting to discuss the by laws. Because of monetary concerns, there is conversation about changing the freebies given to officers and the chapter's subsidizing activities.

August is a busy month for them. They have the tour to Union, a tour to Sycamore and the show at Grand Dominion which many of their members attend. The chapter picnic is August 18.

### 5. Old Business:

Jackets: Rick Shaw reported that he received some costs from the jacket supplier. The base price of the jacket would be \$72. To that price there would be add-ons for larger sizes, for taller sizes, for embroidery or screen printing. Discussion ensued. It was decided that the secretary would send out a survey to the membership asking about interest in a jacket.

Magnet. It was decided that Rick Shaw would get a sample.

**Photo contest**. Pat Markert admitted she had forgotten to send out the notices on June 1, but had done so on June 8. We are waiting for entries.

Pat reported that she and Ed Flynn had been having a conversation about problems with the board meetings. They both felt the board needed to be more efficient in it's deliberations and more complete in its follow through. One suggestion was that the meetings start on time. To-day's meeting started almost 30 minutes late. There was no discussion.

#### 6. New Business:

#### Change in agenda.

Pat Markert said she felt the meetings dragged and that by the time the board gets to the old/new business portion of the meetings, board members are bored and antsy and that these items get short shrift. To that end, she proposed we get rid of chapter reports and move old/new business immediately after the treasurer's report.

Chris Schurrer felt this was not a good option. He said we are supposed to use Roberts's Rules and that the agenda is set by that. Pat pointed out that even with Robert's Rules, organizations are allowed to alter the agenda to fit their needs. Chris felt that by moving the Old/ New Business so early in the meeting, it would limit discussion if something came up during the committee reports and chapter reports. He also felt it was important for the board members to be up to date on chapter goings on.

Discussion ensued.

Dan Sobczyk made a motion to table the discussion; second, Lee Nelson. Passed with one dissent.

- 7. Visitor input: Dan asked if there was any visitor input. There was not.
- 8. Next Board Meeting-9/14/24 Hosted by Waukegan-North Shore
- 9. Adjourn- Al Matison made a motion to adjourn the meeting: second, Bob Markert. Passed. Meeting adjourned at 12:35 pm.



# SIDELIGHTS Suggestion Box









## Hi Members.

It is July and summer is really getting going. Pool parties, holiday parties, picnics, BBQs. And what goes best with all those events? Why, SALADS!

Potato salad, macaroni salad, pea salad, broccoli salad, tomato and onion salad, fruit salad.......... Yum. I am really craving a big helping of ...?

## That's it!

Send in a recipe for your favorite summer salad. They will appear in the August issue of Sidelights, just in time for the end of summer festivities.

Remember to send them to Laura at aaca.sidelights@gmail.com.

#### **Bob Markert**



## PHOTO CONTEST!

Hi All,

Quick get out that camera!!!

You guessed it! It is time for the 2024 Annual Photo Contest!



We are looking for photos of lovely scenery, for photos of quirky attractions, for photos of the silliest people doing the silliest things you have ever seen. BUT each photo **must have a vehicle somewhere in the picture.** 

"Do you see that truck hidden behind the hayrack?" "Do you see that boat on the horizon?" Get the picture? Pardon the pun. We are **not** looking for pictures of vehicles. We are looking for pictures of summertime fun that just happen to have a vehicle in them.

You can enter as many pictures as you please. All entries must be submitted by August 31. Prizes? Yes we will award PRIZES

1st place winner gets both National and Region dues paid for 2025

2nd place winner gets their National dues paid for 2025.

3rd place winner gets their Region dues paid for 2025.

Winners will be featured in Sidelights, of course, and will get bragging rights for a whole year. Now that's priceless.

Entries should be emailed to <u>aacasecretary@gmail.com</u> or mailed to Pat Markert, 4600 Stonewall Ave., Downers Grove, IL 60515.

Judging will be done by the Executive Board of the Region. All decisions are final.

Looking forward to a mailbox filled with pictures of good time.

Have fun!

Pat



## Monthly Recipe



## Lemon Cake Submitted by Laura Cielenski

## **Ingredients**

- 1 box Lemon Cake Mix
- 1 box lemon pudding
- 1 additional egg

## **Directions**

- Follow cake box instructions except add additional egg and use melted butter instead of oil.
- Mix cake mix and pudding together, then add moist ingredients. Bake per cake box directions.

### NOTES:

- You can also use yellow cake mix instead of lemon.
- Cake can be made in a 9x13 pan or a bundt pan.
- You can also make a glaze for the top with powdered sugar, lemon juice and water.

For a Chocolate Pudding Cake - Use chocolate cake mix and chocolate pudding.



## **WELCOME NEW MEMBERS!**



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## **WELCOME NEW MEMBER!**



Carol Passalaqua
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## FROM SCIENNCE TO HISTORY TO FUN

By Pat Markert

On June 22, the Fox Valley Chapter set off on a circle tour of the western suburbs starting and ending in Lisle. The chapter gathered at jour favorite watering hole chain, McDonalds. Leaving that location they headed north weaving into and out of the most varied collection of subdivisions, parks, highways and byways.



Our first stop was Fermilab in Batavia.

## Fermilab Science Center:

After a lovely road trip, we arrived at the Fermilab Science Center. This is set up for

visits from school groups so each exhibit is a learning experience. Learn how to bend light, how to make a particle family and what is symmetry.

After parking, the group kind of

scattered. Some went to the outdoor attraction where you can take a quiz or turn yourself in the hand on a sundial. Others headed right for the air conditioned Science Center where we got to play with all kinds of games teaching us about what they do at Fermilab.

This machine showed how you could bend light using a magnet.

Be sure to ask Fernanda and Bibianna Garcia about what they learned about scatter patterns while playing with marbles.



I think this machine is used to build a cloud chamber.



Andy Ibata won the hard luck award on the tour when his 1986 LTD not only overheated and broke down, but then sprung a flat tire in the parking lot. Here, Andy and Humberto make arrangements for a tow truck to pick up the car and take it to a garage, while Bibi and Dan look on. Andy finished the tour riding with Chris.



Of course, when parking we all headed for the trees. It was a bit warm.



Humberto Garcia drove this beauty of a Lincoln on the tour.



Sculptures on the grounds.



We left the science center and headed down the road to visit the bison.



L to R: Dan Sobczyk, Mary Ellen Thielman, Russ Rodriguez, Ferdnanda and Bibiana Garcia. This picture was taken by my fearless camera guy, who managed to stay across the street and behind the line of cars just in case one of the bison decided to charge the fence. Good job, Chris.



While there are about 500,00 bison on private ranches and public herds like this one, there are only about 15,000 to 25,000 pure bison. Most others have a low level cattle gene.



Dan is inspecting the scorch mark on a nesting doll while one of the owners of the shop explains that the dolls are not interchangeable. Only the original pieces will fit together, so these marks are used to help distinguish which pieces go together.

## Model Show



Humberto shows off his prize collection of models.



Mary Ellen and Russ Rodriguez showing off this gem.





Reuben Taylor, his models and his Lockwasher, award presented to him by Jim Sikora.. What is a Lockwasher Award? Ask Jim next time you see him.



Dan Sobczyk shows off one of his favorites.



Jim Sikora and his collections





Despite his car troubles, Andy Ibata made it all the way to the end of the tour and showed off his models at the restaurant.



Bob Markert, with tongue firmly in his cheek, brought this model planter of a Chevy Truck and carved wooden model of a VW.



Russ Rodriguez and Chris Schurrer

Reuben Taylor tries to talk the Garcia girls into voting for his models. Chicago politics as usual.





L to R: Andy Ibata, Fernanda Garcia, Chris Schurrer, Bob Markert, Jim Sikora, Reuben Taylor, Bibiana Garcia and Humberto Garcia enjoy food and fun. The star of the show was, of course, the pizza. Thanks to Paisano's in Lisle for having us.

#### RICH HARVEST FARM TOUR

Circle the date of July 7 on your calendar. That is the date of the Great Lakes Region of the Vintage Chevrolet Club of America (VCCA) will tour to the Rich Harvest Farm's car collection. You will see about two hundred cars or more and I am sure you will be pleased.

Rich Harvest Farms is in Sugar Grove, Illinois. It is a private golf course and contains a private automobile collection/museum. The auto museum has over two hundred exceedingly rare vehicles in their collection and is not open to the public.

VCCA has reserved a large block of spaces and paid the major portion of the entrance fee since you can only enter as a large group. We are extending an invitation to friends of members, which includes the Illinois Region of the AACA. It will cost each participant \$10 to enjoy this opportunity.

We will need to have the names of all participants in your car by June 29<sup>th</sup>. You can pay Jim Sikora by cash or check made out to VCCA-GLR on arrival at the property.

We will meet before 9:00 am at Rich Harvest Farms. You will check in at the gate. Your names will be on the guest list. We will have a snack at about 9 o'clock or thereafter and then you can tour on your own at your leisure.

I will need the names of each participant **by June 29, 2024,** because the gate attendant will ask your name prior to entering the grounds. If your name is not on the list they WILL NOT allow entry.

There are a number of restaurants nearby in the Sugar Grove or Hinckley area that you can go to following the tour for lunch. We will try to have a list available for you.

If you have any questions, please direct them to me at 708-691-9854 or email me a note and I will try to find an answer.

Thanks,

Jim Sikora jamessikora@att.net.

## The Illinois Region of the Antique Automobile Club of America



## 73rd Annual Car Show

July 21. 2024 \* Carpenters Park 300 Carpenter Blvd. Carpentersville

JUDGED CARS: Must be 25 years or older (1999) DISPLAY ONLY: cars through 2021 and slightly modified are welcome

FEATURING: FULL SIZE 2 DOOR AND 4 DOOR



Hours 8 am to 3 pm

## SEDANS 1950—1970



## Come explore our new venue at Carpenters Park in Carpen-

tersville. From the south: Take Route 25 north to L.W. Besinger Dr. (which is .7 miles north of Route 68) Turn left on L.W. Besinger Dr. Go .4 mile to Maple turn west and follow Maple to the park.

From the north: Take Route 25 south to L.W. Besinger Dr. (which is about .7 miles south of Lake Marian Rd.) Turn Right on L.W. Besinger Dr. Go .4 mile to Maple turn west and follow Maple to the park.

There is no entrance fee for visitors.

Questions? Contact Jim Sikora (Show Manager) 708-691-9854 jamessikora@att.net or Bob Wenderski (Registrar) 847-226-7591 bsw60045@comcast.net

## 73rd ANNUAL ILLINOIS REGION AUTO SHOW MEMBERS

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Class # Description 1 Production Vehicles 2 Production Vehicles 3 Production Vehicles 4 Production Vehicles 5 Production Vehicles	1890's thru 1939 1940-1949 1950-1959 1960-1964 1965-1969	7 Production Vehicles 8 Sports Cars including Corv Thi 9 Imports 10 Trucks/ Military Vehicles	underbirds thru 1999 thru 1999	
Slightly modified, customized, concept and newer cars, are FOR DISPLAY ONLY. Judging starts at 10:30 am. Cars must be registered and parked prior to that time.				
Advance Registration Form  Please Fill Out Completely. Please print.  Registration Deadline: July 16, 2024				
Name				
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Auto Make	Year	Model	Class#	
Body Style	Co	lors		
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Registration Fees: All judged vehicles must be 25 years old (1999) and older.				
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Judged MEMBERS \$15.00	Display Only \$10.00	Judged \$30.00	Display Only \$20.00	
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Make check payable to: Please sign and mail to:	Illinois Region Bob Wendersk	i, 265 N. Waukegan Rd., Lak	e Forest, IL 60045	
NOTE: A current auto insurance card and a working fire extinguisher are MANDATORY in				
all vehicles.  I, the undersigned, release the Illinois Region AACA, the National AACA and their officers and members from liability, damage and injury, personal or otherwise that might be incurred in connection with this show. I have purchased liability and property damage insurance for all vehicles I bring to this show. This is a commitment on my part to participate in the Annual Auto Show of the Illinois Region AACA. The Judges' decisions are final and not subject to review. I have read and agree to this disclaimer. This form MUST be signed and dated. No alcoholic beverages allowed * All fees are nonrefundable. * No FOR SALE signs				
Signature:		Da	te:	

## It Is Almost Show Time!

Fellow antique car enthusiasts of the Illinois Region, it is almost SHOW TIME! By the time you read this it will be less than two weeks until our 73rd. annual region car show. It is amazing how fast a year goes by. Just a year ago we had no home for our show. Now, with a little luck we will be calling Carpenter's Park home. It is a good feeling to be welcomed to a place where we have never been before, but that is what happened.

One year age we had no home! The word went out to the membership asking for their help to find a new location. For the next 'few' months Bob Markert and myself, driving in my trusty Dodge Caravan checked every venue suggested by our members and friends. Carpenter's Park was chosen. The food and beverage vendors are in place, we have a DJ for music. The judge's seminar has been scheduled. Trophies and dash plaques will be ordered this week, and 'loose ends' will be tied up. Flyers have been printed, and I mean lots of them! Members are at car shows, cruise nights, businesses and anyplace where we might get noticed. We have spots in Hemmings, Old Cars Weekly and Illinois Auto & RV advertising our show and new location. Even car clubs and past car show entrants have been sent e-mails regarding the date and new location.

We have done the best we can do. It is now up to you, the members of the Illinois Region, to support all these efforts, because WITHOUT YOU the show will not continue to go on successfully!

Thanks,

Jim Sikora

# JOIN US FOR THE TOUR TO THE ILLINOIS RAILWAY MUSEUM VINTAGE TRANSPORTATION EXTRAVAGANZA



When?: Sunday, August 4, 2024.
Where?: IHOP. 6606 W. Northwest Hwy., Crystal Lake, ILL
Rte. 14 – Commons Shopping Center (Just West of Teckler Blvd.)
What Time?: Meet at 8:00 A.M. Depart at 9:15 A.M. SHARP

## Cost: Tour is FREE!

(\$15 / car show charge if pre-registered by July 27, 2024 [see other flyer]) (\$20 / car show charge if not already pre-registered)

## ALL OF THE ILLINOIS REGION A.A.C.A. IS INVITED JOIN US IN OUR CLUB'S WOODED PARKING SECTION

For more information or for any questions, contact:

PLEASE RSVP BY JULY 27, 2024!

Christopher Schurrer Cell: (815) 382-0238



## 33rd ANNUAL VINTAGE TRANSPORT EXTRAVAGANZA

Located at 7000 Olson Road, Union, Illinois, 5 miles off I-90 via Route 20, Marengo exit, follow the Railway Museum signs.

SUNDAY, AUGUST 4. 2024 8:00 AM UNTIL 5:00 PM

**\$15.00** OPEN TO VEHICLES 2004 AND OLDER **\$15.00** 

Send \$15.00 per vehicle, check or money order, payable to "ILLINOIS RAILWAY MUSEUM."
Vehicle driver and all passengers in vehicle at the time of entry only will get free
admission, including train rides (an \$18.00 value) valid only for the day of the show.
Vehicle registration the day of the show will be \$20.00. Pre-register and save \$5.00 and
time at the gate. Pre-registrations MUST be received by July 27 to be valid.

THE VINTAGE VEHICLE GATE CLOSES AT NOON, NO FREE TICKETS AFTER GATE CLOSES.



\*\*\*DISPLAY ONLY\*\*\* Dash Plaques Awarded to first 500 arrivals.

For more information contact Larry Claypool, (815) 603-8556 or vairshop@gmail.com or Dawn Castro, (630) 991-8601 or DawnCastro@comcast.net

ATTENTION: We request vehicles arrive before noon and remain until 4:00 PM. By submitting this application, applicant agrees to release Illinois Railway Museum and protect, indemnify and defend it from any and all claims for any losses, damages, or injuries whatsoever arising in whole or in part from operation, transportation, or display of applicant's vehicle. Said applicant and guest(s) also agree not to consume alcoholic beverages at the show.

For complete driving directions to the museum or additional information, go to www.irm.org

## >>> EACH VEHICLE REQUIRES A SEPARATE REGISTRATION FORM!!! <<<

Oversize Vehicles: An oversize vehicle is any vehicle that would not fit in a nominally sized parking space. This includes large trucks, busses, tractors, some military vehicles and "other". If applicable, please indicate vehicle size below.

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IRM operates the Vintage Transport Extravaganza, rain or shine. Please note when pre-registering, neither refunds nor exchange for other tickets will be issued due to inclement weather the day of the event. THANK YOU for supporting us!

## WAUKEGAN – NORTH SHORE CHAPTER A. A. C. A. 'S AUGUST 10 TH **FREE** TOUR TO THE

## SYCAMORE STEAM SHOW



Steam Tractors, Gas Tractors, Garden Tractors, Hit & Miss Engines, Steam Powered Sawmill, Power Shovel, Corn Sheller, Thresher, Bailer, Flour Mill, Silo Filling exhibits active all day! Tractor Parade, Flea Market, White Elephant Sale, & MORE!

Especially, a **CAR SHOW!** Although it is small, if one brings an antique vehicle to the show, the driver gets in for FREE!

(Admission is \$10 / person otherwise to the show)

Meeting at the Parking Lot to the East of The Freeze.
131 Hawley St. Grayslake, ILL. Meet at 8:00 A. M.
Pickup Point can be arranged in Hampshire, ILL.
Please contact for details. Please RSVP by Aug. 4
RSVP to Christopher Schurrer (815) 382 - 0238



## Grand Dominion Car Show 3555 Grand Dominion Circle Mundelein, I L

## It's Showtime soon! Sunday August 11th.

Car / No Car - all are welcome. Enjoy the day with us.

Thank you to the 100+ who have pre-registered your cars.

## It's not too late to pre-register

At the registration table we will be taking the suggested donation to "Fremont Township Food Pantry". \$10.00 (Cash or check).

"Cruisin' with the Classics" T shirts will be available for a \$15.00 donation.

Questions? granddominioncarshowquestions@gmail.com

## Approximate Timetable of Events

Cars begin arriving – registration opens	8:30
Hospitality Room Opens and D.J. Gets us Rockin	9:00
50/50 Raffel & and Basket Raffle (24 baskets total \$5,500)	9:00
Food Trucks open	10:00
Golf Cart Shuttle Service Begins - Show opens to the public	10:00
Mundelein Fire Truck Rides for the kids	11:00-1:00
Raffle and 50-50 ticket sales end	1:30
Closing Vote Announcement for Trophies	1:45
Raffel winners announced	2:00
Presentation of Trophies "Best of Show" & 7 Class Winners	2:30
Show ends	3:00

## Thank you for supporting our show for the benefit of Fremont Township Food Pantry

To Pre-Register go to: <a href="https://lp.constantcontactpages.com/ev/reg/3hp476a">https://lp.constantcontactpages.com/ev/reg/3hp476a</a>

## 2024 Waukegan/North Shore AACA Summer Picnic and Tour Sunday August 18<sup>th</sup>



You are cordially invited to participate in the 2024 AACA Waukegan / North Shore Summer Picnic and Tour.

Our tour will start at the McDonalds, 1804 E. Belvidere Rd, Grayslake, IL(IL 120/US 45)
It will cover 52 leisurely miles of back roads in Northern Illinois and Southern
Wisconsin ending at the Lake County Hastings Lake Forest Preserve Shelter A.
Drivers Meeting at 10:30 AM.

The Picnic includes Burgers, Brats, Dogs, Cole Slaw, Potato Salad, Chips and Beverages. You are welcome to bring a dish to pass. Last names beginning in A-M bring side dishes.

Last names beginning in N-Z deserts.

The Forest Preserve allows alcohol in the pavilion so BYO if you're interested.

The 2024 Picnic / Tour cost is \$10 per car.

Make your check out to Waukegan/North Shore AACA.

Please post your check along with the number of people attending by August 3<sup>rd</sup> so we have time to shop.

Number of Cars	x \$10 =
Total Number of people	attending:
Send your payment to:	Bill & Joanna Vroman 27753 W. Bayview Dr.
	Ingleside, IL 60041

## SAVE THE DATE FOR THE FALL TOUR TO THE

## OLD CAR FESTIVAL AT GREENFIELD VILLAGE



Join us on September 4 – 8, 2024 as we travel to see the country's oldest continually operated car show, since 1951. More than 600 vehicles and 250 bicycles, nothing newer than 1932, will be in attendance. In addition, we will be touring Henry Ford's Greenfield Village, the Henry Ford Museum, and more on our trip. This is a journey and a show that a car person should experience at least once in their lives and this is the year of opportunity for The Region.

Please note this year's tour is in September, and it will start on the morning of Thursday, September 5<sup>th</sup> in Michigan. One will likely want to travel up on the 4<sup>th</sup>.

The hotel is set and rooms are available for booking, Please Book By August 10<sup>th</sup> to lock in these rates. The hotel will have a shuttle to Greenfield Village.

Ask for the Illinois Region AACA Group Rate

Best Western Greenfield Inn. 3000 Enterprise Dr., Allen Park, MICH 48101

313-271-1600 1 King: \$117 / Night + Tax; 2 Queens \$127 / Night + Tax

Questions? Call Christopher Schurrer (815) 382 – 0238

Watch for more information on the tour shortly!



## 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 sand springs. 1940 original engine. Paul had this car done. \$45,000 obo.

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Call Jean Marcotte 815-472-3403

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

Wanted brass sidelights, stationary farm engines, gambling machines, Dave Kolzow 815 246 4545.

1966 Chrysler 300 Convertible. Silver/Black top and interior. Low miles. Newer Top and tires. Auto, A/C, Buckets. Nice Driver quality. \$18,500 OBO. Contact: Dan Sobczyk 847-977-0595 or <a href="mailto:dansobczyk@yahoo.com">dansobczyk@yahoo.com</a> Pictures on request.

Hot Rod magazines 1969-2014 some years complete. Rod & Custom 1970-2005 some issues missing & Old Cars 2019-2021. Please contact Linda Dolezal 630-986-1526 or 630-885-1805

1976 Avanti II, White with Green interior. Indoor garage/winter storage since 1996. Odometer 99XXX original miles, 400 Chevy engine. Recent Undercoating and maintenance, \$15,000. Chicago Area. Call Linda Dolezal 630-986-1526

