



A Publication of Central Oklahoma Classic Chevy Club November 2017

UPCOMING CLUB EVENTS:

- *November meeting, November 12 at 3pm Earl's in Moore*
- *Christmas Party, December 16 at Tracey Bugg's — BRING DESSERTS especially strawberry cakes. Details later*

OTHER CAR SHOWS/EVENTS:

- Coffee and Cars North Park Mall 1st Saturday
- Coffee and Cars Norman, 2nd Saturday
- Coffee and Cars Midwest City, 7305 SE 29th Street, 3rd Saturday
- Coffee and Cars Oklahoma City, Western Will Rogers Theater 10 am - 1 pm
4322 N Western Ave, 4th Saturday of the month.
- Chickasha, OK Coffee and Cars Every 3rd Saturday 9-11am at Rock Island Depot 100 East Chickasha Ave
- Stillwater Antique and Classic Car Club Cruise In, 3rd Friday 7pm, 4700 West 6th Street,
- Midwest City, OK Hot Rods and Hamburgers Every Wednesday night S Boom-a-rang Diner
7525 SE 15th
- Moore, OK Hot Rods and Hamburgers Every Tuesday Night From 6 pm to 9 pm
Boom-a-rang Diner 1305 North Broadway
- Newcastle, OK Tri-City Cruisers Cruise 1st Saturday of Each Month 6pm-9pm Sonic/Arby's
in Tri-City
- Nov 10th -11th Stillwater, OK Friday beginning at 5:00 pm offers you a chance to preview
the auction entries as they arrive. Over 100 classic and collector vehicles are expected to
cross the auction block featuring Classics, Collector, Muscle, Exotics & Rods. Saturday
November 11th kicks off the classic car auction beginning at 11:00 am (CST). See website
www.Highway51Auction.com
- You can also visit - carshow.htm for more information



November/December Birthdays:

November: Jerry Emerson, Iris Emerson, Mahala Jones, Doris Martin, Joe McIninch, Ruth Watts, Loreta West

December: Mary Overall, Jimmy Johnson

Calendar Car—November: Mike Rhoades 1957 Belair



Calendar Car—December: Terry Simpson 1955 2 Door Sedan



Your 2017-18 Club Officers

Mike Yerkes, President

Rustyne Harris and Annette Myers, Vice-Presidents

Martha Duerksen, Secretary

Adeline Yerkes, Treasurer



CENTRAL OKLAHOMA CLASSIC CHEVY CLUB MEETING MINUTES OCT 8, 2017

Meeting called to order by Pres Mike Yerkes at 3:00pm at Earl's. Pledge of allegiance given.

Birthday in Oct included: Billy Overall, Dale & Lisa Kosa, Hugh Martin, VW Roberts.

Minutes: Minutes of September meeting were published in the DASHBOARD. MOTION made to accept by Billy Overall, Seconded by Terry Simpson.

Treasurer Report: Treasurer read the Treasurer's report.

OLD BUSINESS:

- Club to participate in UCO Homecoming parade and Car Show Sat. Oct 14. Meet at 9:30am. Location will be sent out by Adeline. Club members are invited to lunch at Mike and Adeline's home following the car show at about 1:30pm.
- FALL FOLIAGE several groups going on various days and times Thursday—group going to H & H, will meet at 122 & I-35 at 8 AM Larry Myers is leading.-Johnson's, Simpson's, Burke's, and Overall's.
 - Thursday group not going to H&H but going to Poteau will meet at I-40 & Choctaw Rd., Loves Fuel Station— Ken Monroe leading and leaving at 10am — Kosa's, Harris's, Duerksen's, Ruby Watts
 - Friday group will meet 8am at Walmart parking lot, I-35 and 15th St, Edmond, Joe McIninch leading - Groves, Eddie Watts, Rhoads, West's .
- Nov. 4 Minco, Car Show for Candy Cane Villiage. Doug Bradsher needs some members to represent our club there. 8-4pm.
- CHRISTMAS DINNER party is Saturday, Dec. 16 at Tracy Bugg's house. Bring deserts. It will be our December club meeting.
- CLUB 2018 CALENDERS - members not in last year's calendar need to contact Bob Donaldson to make appointment to get picture taken. Club has ordered 100 copies. Each family gets one free calendar.
- There were lists distributed for members to sign up for car articles, recipes, and dinner cruise list. Please take your turn, contribute to our club.

NEW BUSINESS:

- Brad Stevens has car for sale. \$40,000, 57 Belair, 2 dr. hard top; 19,000 miles(see pictures following the minutes of the car.
- OHRA annual meeting is Saturday Nov 4,2017, 3924 SE 29th,10-12am.
- FALL FOLIAGE FOLIAGE 2018 is COCCC's turn. Committee leads are Tom Linn, Rodney Duerksen, Larry Myers, and Ken Monroe. Discussion of possible places. Sequoyah State Lodge (previous inf. \$650@night for meeting room, dining room, remodeled.) Date of cruise discussed. MOTION by Ruby to have cruise after Halloween, last weekend in Oct or first weekend Nov. discussion held. Motion was tabled to let committee work on it.

CAR SHOWS ATTENDED: Myers and Roberts went to Perkins car show - VW won Best Chevy.

* Doug Bradsher went to Goodguys in Loveland Colo.

* David Reeds, David Jones, Kay Welch went to Cruisin the Coast. Jones car broke down and had to be brought back on trailer. Show was closed down early on Friday due to forecasted hurricane.

Motion to adjourn David Reed, seconded Terry Simpson 4:10pm

Submitted by Secretary, Martha Duerksen



Family of Bradley Stevens, recently deceased and a previous member of the club, have his car for sale. The family is asking \$40,000.

57 Belair, 2 dr. hard top; 19,000 miles

Please share with others. You can contact his son, Jeffrey Cardwell at 1-580-302-4701.



Rodney's Installation Dilemma



Back in May, I decided to change out my power steering unit on our 57 Chevy.

- Had to get old unit out of car.
 - Due to the vacuum buster for the power brakes had to take off the master cylinder, pushed it to the side and than remove alternator and bracket
 - Unhooked hoses from steering box
- Installed new unit — the unit weighed a mere 251bs.
 - Bolts would not go into 2 of the 3 of the holes
 - Ragged joint
 - No room to work
 - Install new hose to power steering unit
 - Put oil in power steering pump
- Started up car, oil goes everywhere....Fan slung oil all over the engine compartment
 - Checked to make sure all fittings were tight
 - Tried again.....Oil everywhere; wiped everything
- Thought maybe pump was no good.
 - Removed pump
 - Took to Larry's to checkout
 - Lost cell phone.
 - Larry thought the pump was ok.
 - Reinstalled pump.
 - Made sure all hoses were all tight.
 - Added oil and started car.
 - Oil everywhere. Again, wiped down every thing and wrapped white rags around steering unit, no leak.
 - But red oil everywhere, appears leak around transmission cooler.
 - Took out radiator and went to Osborn Radiator
 - No leaks but fixed the one fitting.
 - Installed radiator.
 - Started car. No leaks. Drove car home.
 - No overdrive or cruise control. Kept my cool all this time. ***It was getting harder.***

FACT of the story: *Fat people can not get under dash to check fuses.*

- Another trip to Larry's. Jason found 2 blown fuses.
- **Hope car is ok now. So far so good.**



UCO Homecoming Parade and Car Show—COCCC featured



**Best of Show Car
Award went to
Tom and Teresa
Linn
9 cars in Parade**



The Promised Story of Someone's little car



The desire for a 1999 Jaguar began in 1999! In the middle of midlife crisis I was working for a company that required me to travel. I had just received an assignment to go to Los Angeles, California. Upon arrival at the site, the first person I was introduced to was a young, beautiful, and vibrant - African American woman, in her mid-20s, who owned a flourishing construction business. I vowed someday I am going to be like her and own my business and drive a new "JAG"!

As the day passed, I'm wondering how quickly I was going to get to my hotel to unwind, and what transportation source would be the quickest and most efficient - (we were working late and I came directly from the airport to the work site). I asked my new found friend - (who was young enough to be my granddaughter) - what would be the best mode of transportation from the area to my hotel - public or private. She replied, "I will drop you off because I go passed the area on my way home."

The day ends, we proceed to the parking lot and there is only one car left in the lot. So I asked where are you parked - she replied as she pointed to her car - "over there"! Well, over there to my surprise - was parked a shiny new 1999 Dark Blue convertible Jaguar! I thought Oh My! I am going to ride in that. I climb in and the wood grain dash with all the amenities was breath taking and the smell of a new "Jag" was overwhelming. After I get over the shock and it begin to sink-in what was happening - I heard the sweet sound of the motor. The ride was so gentle and great - I can't find words to explain the feeling. I vowed at that moment, when I grow up I am going to buy me a car just like this - maybe not the same color.



Well as fate would have it, I have my own consulting business - but most important, this summer we were visiting the home of Joe and Donna McInnich - and Joe drives the latest acquisition from the back of his garage, and guess what - it is a 1999 white convertible "Jag" with a wood grain dash and other amenities. I jokingly remarked to **Him and my soulmate Billy - I want that car!**

Well thanks to Joe it has become a reality! Months later, Billy gets a call from Joe, I am going to sell the Jag. You are the first one I am offering it too. Well the rest is history. Joe and Donna made it possible for me to realize the last part of my vow - to own a 1999 "Jag" convertible just as I envisioned!



Don't ever say that dreams you claim won't come true - even if it is 20 plus years later! So, my advice is to dream big - it just might come true - even in old age! LOL

Fall Foliage 2017—headquarters in Poteau, OK

Hosts—Randy and Dollie, AR,



Friday Night Dinner



Saturday morning at breakfast and
driver's meeting



Some of the Cars and Getting Ready for the Saturday Fall Foliage Cruise





The foliage tour had lots of fog—some called it the fog tour.
Our first stop was Hot Wire in Mena



Cars leaving lunch buffet, than a visit to the Studebaker Museum, and the final stop at Brodix in Mena

Just visiting after the cruise.



Editorial Note: *I am interested in adding several other sections or articles to the newsletter. I have interviewed and reviewed other car club newsletters. Plan to do a feature article on officers and car club members several times a year, would like to have a "tips on mechanics" and a recipe section.... So please contribute. If you want to send pictures and I interview you, this can also be done.*

There will be no DASHBOARD for December 2017, editor taking a holiday break. Send your news for the January edition. Happy Holidays!



I pledge allegiance to the flag of the United States of America, and to the republic for which it stands, one nation, under God, indivisible with liberty and justice for all.

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