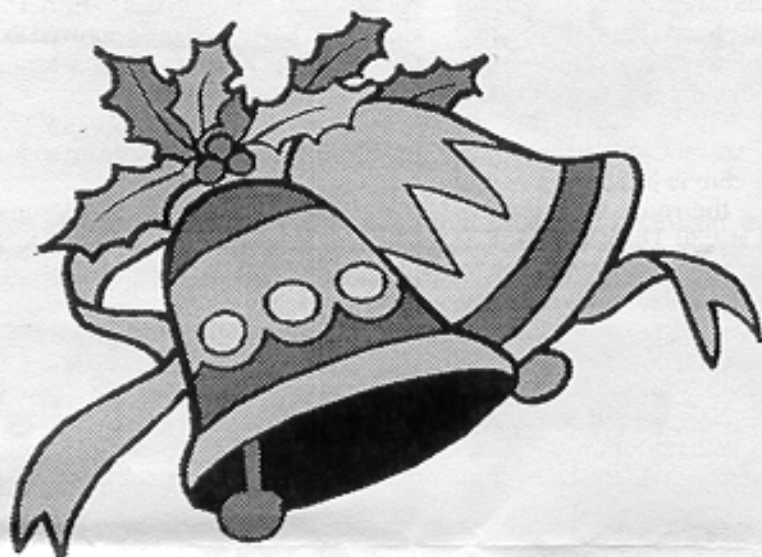


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## Christmas Party

This year's Christmas Party will be Saturday, Dec. 8, at Cattlemens in Stockyards City. The cost is \$10 per person. The club is picking up rest of the tab. We have the room from 12:30 p.m. to 3:30 p.m. Plan to eat at 1:30 p.m. As is our custom we will be playing Dirty Santa so be sure to bring **at least one gift per person in your party**. Please be reasonable when selecting your gift. In the past there has been a \$10 limitation but do not feel obligated to this exact amount. The fun is in the giving and in the ensuing stealing so keep this thievery in mind when selecting your gift. In the past a great time was had by all.

Previous to the party will be the annual Stockyards City Christmas Parade. Those wishing to take part with their classic should meet at Pennsylvania and Exchange in the church parking lot at about 8:45 a.m. Bring your own coffee. If you have questions please call 235-7267 and ask for Kimberly.

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Photo provided by the Dragoos

The Dragoos and the Buntins share a table while on the cruise.

## Cruisin' The Coast

Kay Lynn Dragoo  
COCOC

The 2001 Cruisin' the Coast version registered 3,900 cars and motorcycles. This was their sixth annual and the numbers continue to be on the rise. Why not? The Mississippi Gulf Coast has much to offer tourists. To those of us living in land-locked regions, it is a thrill to cruise across lower Mississippi on Highway 90 (Gulf Coast Highway), a 26-mile drive from Bay St. Louis east through Biloxi, that offers sandy beaches followed by water as far as the eye can see. Shrimp boats, and heavily treed barrier islands break the monotony of so much water. Accent this scene with hundreds of cruising vintage automobiles, and the view is oh so picturesque. The casino hotels are a scaled down version of Las Vegas but are colorfully gaudy and add to the area's ability to draw a crowd.

No one had forgotten our troubled times. The ever-present memory of the terrorism attack of September 11th united everyone in spirit. Registrants displayed Old Glory on their cars with few exceptions. Tee-shirt vendors were prepared. No doubt they sold thousands of shirts with flag transfers.

Eight Central Oklahoma Classic Chevy couples made the trip: Ron & Debbie Berger, Ken & Peggy Buchanan, Roy & Sandy Buntin, Rodney & Martha Duerksen, Larry & Annette Myers, David & Linda Reeds, Curtis & Kay Welch, and John & Kay Lynn Dragoo. Most have already registered for next year. The Buchanan's registration number will be 55 and the Duerksens lucked out with number 57.

More photos throughout this issue.

## Meeting minutes November 11, 2001

Meeting started 2:05 pm. Motion made to accept minutes made by Ken Buchanan. 2nd by Bill Washam. Vote carried.

► No treasures report today  
► Thanks to Kay & Curtis Welch for all their hard work on planning a fantastic Fall Foliage Cruise. Thanks to everyone, even those who do not want credit, on all the hard work that went into this event. Ken Monroe has a gift certificate for the Welchs when he sees them. Thanks to David Reeds for planning the route down to Lawton. Took 5 hours to make a 1 hour drive. 2 museums. Good time down.

► High Pointe: 64 boys & 31 girls. 2 Century 21 offices getting gifts for the kids. No idea yet on date of Christmas party. Discussion on club getting computers for both the boys & girls. Still checking on. High Pointe wants to know if we can have a car show before Christmas. Car show probably won't be able to be by then.

► Crusin' OKC: Bill Washam says no new news yet. Meeting not until Tue. Will have more at later date. Anyone can go to the

meetings. Call Ken Monroe or Bill Washam if you would like to go.

► Dinner Cruise: Ken Buchanan knows nothing, but it was fun. Ate at Okla Station Food was good. 24 Adults and 2 kids attended. Cathy Chaffin in charge of next dinner cruise.

► Christmas Parade: John Dragoo gave update. Christmas parade at the Stockyards on Dec 8. Meet at church parking lot about 8:45 am (Penn & Exchange). Kimberly can answer any questions if you have any. Call her at 235-7267.

► Christmas Party at Cattlemens. \$10.00 per person. The club is picking up rest of the bill. We have the room from 12:30 to 3:30. We will eat at 1:30. Dirty Santa will be there. If you bring a guest or a child, be sure to bring a gift for them also. We want everyone to have a gift.

► 3 Life time members here today. Freida Green, Wayne Watson, and Harry Poudner. The Greens going back to Phoenix?? Probably won't see them for awhile.

► Guest : Sandra & Jerry Little from

Moore just bought a 57 coupe weeks ago. Welcome.

► OHRA (Okla Hot Rod Assoc.) Rodney believes kick off meeting is in April. Asking our club to sponsor 55,56,57. Need to get all events to them for the calendar.

► FBI Tour: Marilyn asked that if you are interested in touring the FBI facility to get your name to her. She has to turn it in next week. You have to be pre-approved to go on this tour. Any outstanding warrants or felonies can't go. Sorry.

► Public auction in Moore nov 17. They have a black 57 Chevy w/red interior at this auction.

► Bill Washam has hangup rugs with Chevy on them. His cost is \$36.00 to \$39.00 plus frt. See him if you are interested. Very nice.

► Three door prizes. Winners: Ken Buchanan, Harry Poudner, Jason Preston. Motion made to adjourn by Ken Buchanan 2nd by John Dragoo. attendance: 30

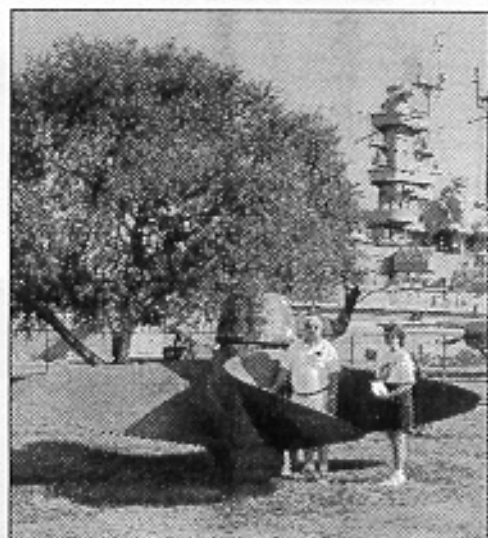
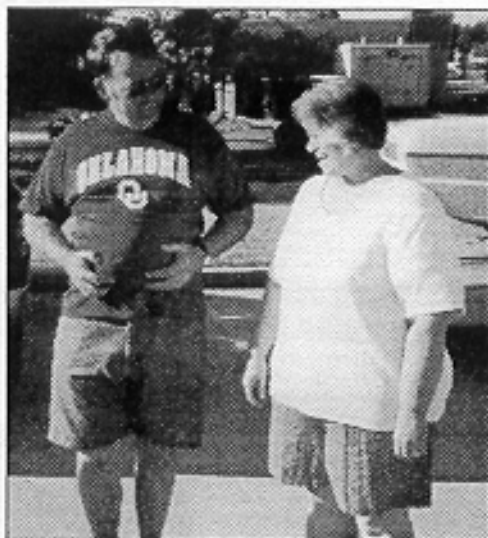
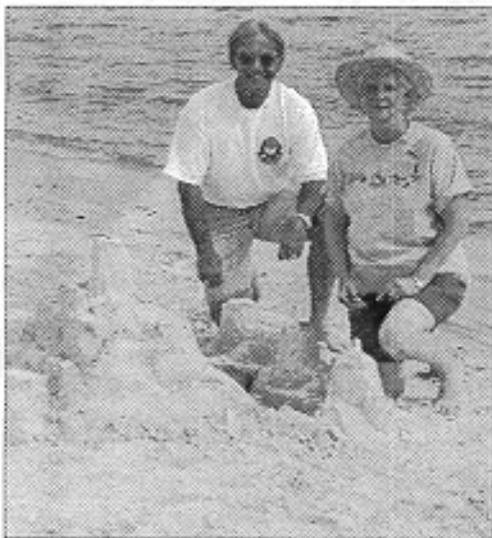
Linda Bahr  
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Photo provided by the Dragooos

It's a poorly kept secret in this club that Kay Lynn Dragoo has love of this particular Ford product.





Shown above are three of the couples that took part in Cruisin' the Coast. At left, John and Kay Lynn Dragoo frolicked on the beach with this sand castle. In the center David Reeds is discussing his latest meal with his wife Linda. At right Rodney and Martha Duerksen pose with one of the screws from the battleship in the background.

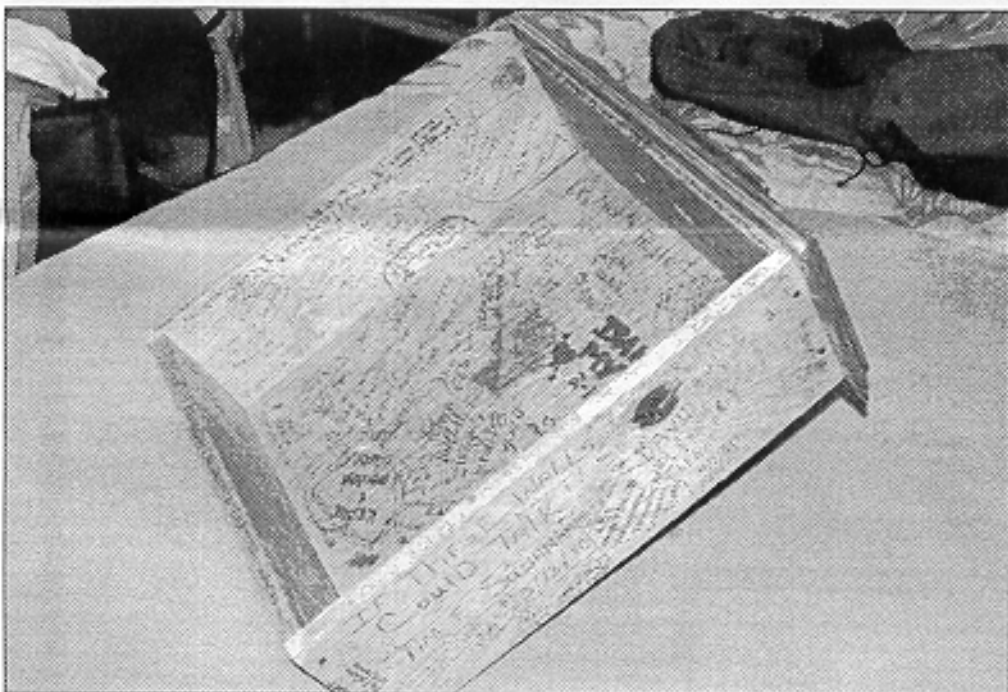


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One of the stops on the cruise yielded this unique nightstand drawer. On it was chronicled the nightly exploits of various renters of the room. It made for good reading.



Photo provided by The Dragooos

The two pictures above portrayed the sentiment of the times.



Photo provided by the Duerksens

This throwback to the '60s was fun to see.



Photo provided by the Dragooos

The lineup of cars at the various location was a real crowdpleaser.



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This was just one of the really nice looking Classics on the cruise.



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**SATURDAY**  
**Dec. 8**

# Important things to know

We would like to take this opportunity to wish all a Merry Christmas and a Happy New Year.

The events of 911 have had an effect on all of us. Some members have loved ones in the military serving our nation. Our thanks go out to them and theirs. We also thank those who served in the past whether at home or abroad.

Let us always keep those that are in harm's way, whether in the military or other public service, in our thoughts and wish them safety and a quick return to the arms of their loved ones from wherever and whenever duty calls.

We are all in this together. In this time of uncertainty it is good to take part in the camaraderie the club provides and this year's Christmas Party will be no exception. Please give each other a hug and be happy.

*Marilyn and Charles Stookey*