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PRESIDENT'S MESSAGE—PHILADELPHIA 2013

Here we are in February, and I still haven't got the car out. Between the weather and always having something to do, oh well maybe next week.



My wife and I would like to thank the region for sending us to Philly. We had a good trip up and back, thanks to Map Quest.

We checked in Thursday 4 PM. After asking for a room with a view, we settled for the 18th floor, with a beautiful view of the Cathedral of St. Peter and Paul, and all the way down the Ben Franklin

Parkway to the Philadelphia Museum of Fine Art.

Friday morning we went to the Ladies Breakfast in the penthouse. Then lucky Rena won the centerpiece at the table. They talked about knitting (YAWN).



Then we got down to business. We went to the early Ford V-8 engine class, Then onto the appraisal of your antique car, narrated by Robert Aftel and Jeff Locke. We met many wonderful members from different regions. We gave a help-

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CLUB INFORMATION

2013 OFFICERS & COMMITTEE CHAIRS

EXECUTIVE BOARD		COMMITTEES	
Ron Rees	President	Meet Chairman	J Gordon Brown
Ken Loucks	Vice President	Chief Judge	Ben Schooler
Wayne DuBois	Treasurer	Magneto Editor	Andy Gotchel
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Doug Makin	At-Large Member (through 2013)	Legislative Chairman	Don Mohr
Hank Mausolf	At-Large Member (through 2014)	Sunshine Chairman	Rena Rees
		Club Chaplain	Ben Schooler

MONTHLY MEETINGS

Monthly meetings of the Historic Fredericksburg Region AACA are held at 7:30 PM on the third Tuesday of each month except December at the Dorothy Hart Community Center, 408 Canal Street in Fredericksburg. All members will be notified of any changes.

February Meeting—Tuesday, February 19th
 March Meeting—Tuesday, March 19th

MEMBERSHIP

We are always looking for new members. So if you, or someone else you know is interested in joining our club, please come to one of our membership meetings. For more information on membership, please contact our Membership Chairman, Lauman Schooler (540) 373-1955.

REFRESHMENTS SIGN-UP

If you would like to contribute drinks or desert for an upcoming club general membership meeting, please sign up for one of the open spots at the meeting. We thank Suzanne Schooler for providing snacks and Ruth DuBois for drinks at the February meeting.

	SNACKS	BEVERAGES
March	Rena Rees	Rena Rees
April	Dan Fergusson	Dan Fergusson
May	Fred Becker	Connie Brown
June	Laura Lowe	Jason Javaras
July	Linda Gotchel	Powell Sale
August	Frances Schooler	Jane Shelton
September	Wally Hunt	Connie Brown
October	Mausolfs	Don Mohr
November	Suzanne Schooler	Linnie Coppage

BIRTHDAYS

The following members will be celebrating their special day in February:

Clarissa Dudley	22 nd
Suzanne Schooler	22 nd
Connie Brown	23 rd
Marjorie Mausolf	28 th



More Pictures from Ron Rees covering his visit to the 2013 AACA Philadelphia Annual Meeting

CLUB NEWS

2013 ODMA MEET

Our club will be hosting the 2013 ODMA meet in Central Park Fredericksburg, May 3-4th. This presents a big challenge to our club, since we have to plan and put on two major shows back-to-back; ODMA in May followed by our annual car show the first Saturday in June. We need a significant commitment from the members of the club for these shows to be a success. Also, J Brown is now accepting items to be donated for the silent auction to be held during the show.

FREDERICKSBURG & ODMA 2013: PERFECT TOGETHER



CHANCELLOR MS USO DANCE

The Chancellor Middle School USO Dance will be held this year on Friday, April 26th. The students dress up in World War II vintage clothing, and our club supports the event by providing cars for display at the beginning of the event for about 1 hour. We are looking for World War II era cars (1932-1949). If you are interested contact Andy Gotchel. We will have the exact time for you to arrive, by next month.

SUNSHINE REPORT

Our thoughts and prayers go out to Lauman and Frances Schooler and their family on the loss of their daughter, Lynne Delano.

If any club member would like a card sent to anyone, please contact the Sunshine Chairman, Rena Rees at. If not in, please leave a message.

NEW CLUB SHIRTS ARE HERE

The new club polo/golf style shirts have arrived, for those who have placed an order. They will be available for pick-up at the February club meeting. Please have your payment ready, when you come to pick them up. Contact J Brown, if you have any questions.

NEW NEWSLETTER EDITOR

This January, I take over as the HFR AACA's newsletter editor. I previously served in this role for the club from 2003-2006. I take over from Doug Makin, who did an outstanding job as editor. The articles, stories, and original content he generated for the publication were excellent. You can continue the success of our newsletter by taking the time to send in content such as pictures and stories from car shows, projects, trips, or other items of interest to the automobile hobby. You can contact me by email at: adwayne1@aol.com or by phone: 540-775-4177.

2013 HFR AACA ANNUAL SHOW

It's not too early to start thinking about our annual show in downtown Fredericksburg, which will be held this year on Saturday, June 1st. It is becoming one of the region's must-go-to car events. We need your help to continue to make this a success. As we begin our planning this year. Please step up and volunteer.



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2012 AACA NATIONAL AWARD WINNERS FROM THE FREDERICKSBURG REGION

Winter Meet, Melbourne, Florida, February 11

R. Wayne Burgess, Class HPOF, Historic Preservation, 1984 Oldsmobile

Southeastern Spring Meet, Charlotte, North Carolina, April 21

R. Wayne Burgess, Class DPC, Repeat Driver Participation, 1981 Oldsmobile

Eastern Spring Meet, Reading, Pennsylvania, May 19

R. Wayne Burgess, Class HPOF, Repeat Historic Preservation, 1984 Oldsmobile

John M. Garnett III, Class 09A, First Junior, 1903 Oldsmobile

Annual Grand National, Shelbyville, Tennessee, June 15

All Grand National Winners also receive a preservation award.

Wally Hunt, Class 11, First Grand National, 1924 Ford

John M. Garnett III, Class 36C, First Grand National, 1969 Dodge Super Bee

Roger D. Berry, Class 36G, Senior Grand National, 1970 Chevrolet

Southeastern Fall Meet, Shelbyville, Tennessee, June 16

Wally Hunt, Class 11, Repeat Preservation, 1924 Ford

John M. Garnett III, Class 36C, Repeat Preservation, 1969 Dodge Super Bee

Eastern Fall Meet, Hershey, Pennsylvania, October 13

Wally Hunt, Class HPOF, Repeat Historic Preservation, 1947 Willys Overland

John M. Garnett III, Class 09A, Senior, 1903 Oldsmobile

Thanks to Doug Makin for furnishing this information.



PRESIDENT'S MESSAGE—PHILADELPHIA 2013 (continued)

ing hand to Sam Kerns from the Tidewater Region who was nice enough to let us display our flyers and literature for the ODMA show.

On Saturday, we took the two hour tour of the city. We never got off the bus. What a beautiful city, packed with history of our founding forefathers, and the AACA was founded in Philly, 77 years ago.

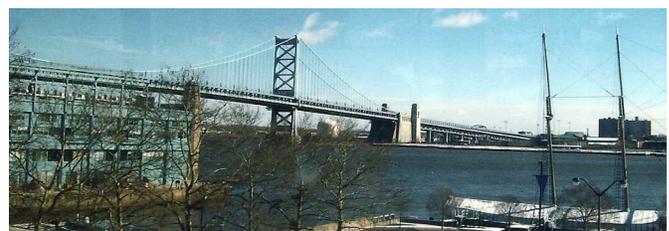
I presented the check to the museum at the Regions and Chapters dinner, and Rena won the centerpiece again, an antique Route 66 gas pump.

At the National Awards banquet on Saturday, Rena won the centerpiece once again. She needs to start playing the lottery.

It doesn't get any better than Philly, and yes we did see Rocky

at the Philadelphia Museum of Art.

- Thank you again, Ron Rees, HFR AACA Club president



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PARIS LAW TO BAN ANTIQUE CARS

Parisians are bracing for a new law that would require them to retire their classic cars, beaters and all vehicles made before 1997. Mayor Bertrand Delanoë has proposed the legislation in an effort to comply with European emissions regulations by 2014.

Classic-car enthusiasts are distressed at the thought of their Peugeots, Citroëns and Renaults being garaged. "For me, the [Citroën] 2CV is part of French heritage, of Parisian heritage," Xavier Audran, owner of multiple Citroëns, told *The New York Times*. "I wouldn't be able to leave my home with my vehicles."

Others are concerned about the cost of upgrading, and they say less affluent suburbanites would be hit hardest by the ban, which would affect 367,000 vehicles.

The mayor's proposal, which would require approval by the French government and the Parisian police department next year, does address the cost factor. Subsidies to help car owners get rid of old cars would come in the form of free subscriptions to the city's electric-car rental system or rebates for those trading in old vehicles for newer, more fuel-efficient ones.

Paris wouldn't be the first to enact such a ban. Calcutta, India, outlawed older vehicles in 2008, and since 1990, drivers in Singapore have been required by law to scrap or export their cars after 10 years of ownership. Two years ago, Berlin began prohibiting diesel vehicles that don't meet the standards passed in 2005.

But other cities have taken different approaches to the problem of emissions-related pollution. In 2003, London began charging drivers who failed to comply with emissions standards a daily fee, and it upped the ante in 2008 by instituting a so-called low-emission zone for heavy diesel vehicles. A 2012 study by researchers at the University of Sydney showed the system to be effective in curtailing car emissions, but still not necessarily a success with commercial vehicles.

Several Latin American cities, including Mexico City; Bogota, Colombia; and São Paulo, Brazil, have attempted to cut emissions by restricting drivers from using their cars one workday each week. But Parisians won't want to emulate that tactic, according to researchers who conducted a study at the University of Michigan. "There is no evidence of an absolute improvement in air quality during any period of the week for any pollutant," they concluded.

- Article from MSN Auto Blog, November 26, 2012



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CALENDAR OF EVENTS

April 4-7, Southeastern Spring Meet, Hornets Nest Region, Charlotte, NC, 704-841-1396

April 20, Classic Car Center Swap Meet and Show, Fredericksburg, VA

May 3-4, ODMA meet in Fredericksburg, VA.

May 30-June 1, Eastern Spring Meet, Gettysburg Region, Carlisle, PA, 717-582-3209

June 1, HFR AACA Annual Show, Downtown Fredericksburg, VA

October 9-12, Eastern Fall Meet, Hershey Region, Hershey, PA, 717-586-7720

Historic Fredericksburg Region, AACA Monthly Meeting Minutes – January 15, 2013

The President called the meeting to order at approximately 7:30pm. There were 35 members present. A motion was made, seconded, and passed to approve the November 2012 Meeting Minutes.

Wayne DuBois presented the Treasurer's Report. A motion was made, seconded, and passed to pay the bills presented.

Committee Reports:

Membership – Lauman Schooler introduced a prospective member Steve Blancard, who submitted his new member application in October 2012. Steve was welcomed as the members accepted his application request. Lauman shared that he is looking for a committee successor. For those members who are interested in stepping into this committee role, please speak with Lauman. Members were also reminded that it is time to pay their national and local dues.

Sunshine (Cards & Letters) – No report. It was announced that Jane Shelton is stepping down from this committee after many years of devoted service and her successor will be Rena Rees.

Legislative – No report.

Magneto – Andy Gotchel shared that he will send out an electronic version of the Magneto to members before each meeting and requested that members who are interested in receiving the electronic version should ensure their email addresses are up to date in the Member Roster. Andy also made a request for members to email him content and pictures for submission to the Magneto.

Website – Andy Gotchel shared with the members that Nora Aftel will head the website committee and he has already transitioned the responsibility over to her. Nora is currently working on updating the look and the content of the website.

Social – Francis Schooler shared with members that the Christmas Banquet was a success and all agreed. Members were very generous with their food donations so much so that the donations exceeded past amounts. Francis told the members that 534 pounds of food was taken to the food bank.

2013 Car Meet – J. Brown shared that the dash plaques were ordered and received for both meets. The downtown major application has been filed and the Mayor is lined up. Some downtown merchants have asked us to extend the car meet into the 1000th block, which means the meet will have to cross William Street. The merchants will be surveyed and if they want the meet to extend into the 1000th block, the merchants will pay for the cops to monitor the traffic.

ODMA: May 3, 2013 – J. Brown informed the members of the cost of the judging school trainer. At the next ODMA meeting, the cost will be posed to the ODMA and a request will be made for them to cover the cost. In addition, the meet flyer has been revised into 2 versions: 1) with the addition of the judging school, and 2) the removal of the judging school. Ron Rees will take ODMA Meet and Fredericksburg tourism information packets up to the National Conference for distribution.

Unfinished (Old) Business :

Magnetic car signs are still available at \$30 a pair. Those who are interested, please see Wayne DuBois. For those members who ordered club shirts, they are in and cost \$25 a piece. Please contact J. or Connie Brown.

New Business:

Membership Information Review - Linda Gotchel asked the members to review their member information and update where needed. New member rosters will be available at the March meeting.

By-Law – Wayne DuBois stated that as part of the by-laws, the books of the Treasurer needed to be audited and the bank statements checked. Bill Derryberry and Powell Sale were identified to perform the audit.

Membership – Lauman Schooler reminded members that local and national dues are owed. The club needs to know who has and has not paid their local and national dues in order to submit our membership information to National.

ODMA – J. Brown let members know that the ODMA Meet will be a lot of work and we are depending upon members to participate in the running of the meet. Volunteers are needed and the club will look to assign meet roles. J. suggested that the club hosts a meeting at the Hospitality House so all members can see the meet site and understand how the meet will run.

National Conference – Ron and Rena Rees will attend the National Conference on behalf of the club. A motion was made for the club to cover their cost and travel; the motion was seconded and passed.

Contribution to Hershey Museum – Andy Gotchel raised the topic of the Hershey Museum donation and the importance of the club president presenting this donation during the Regions and Chapters Presidents Dinner at the National Conference. Ron Rees mentioned a contribution letter from the museum and its program for recognizing its contributors by honoring them with banners that will be hung at the museum. A dialog was had to discuss the contribution amount. A motion was made for a contribution amount; it was seconded, and passed. A check was cut for the Hershey Museum.

50/50 Raffle – Andy Gotchel won the 50-50 raffle and donated the winnings back to the club.

The meeting was adjourned at approximately 8:30pm and Ben Schooler closed in prayer. Refreshments were served.

Respectfully submitted, Linda Gotchel, Secretary

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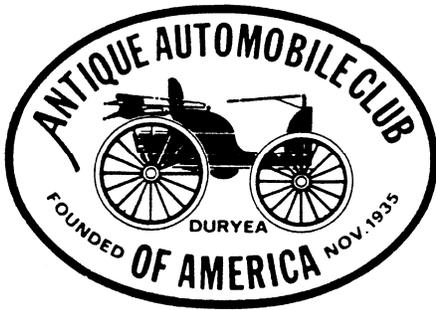
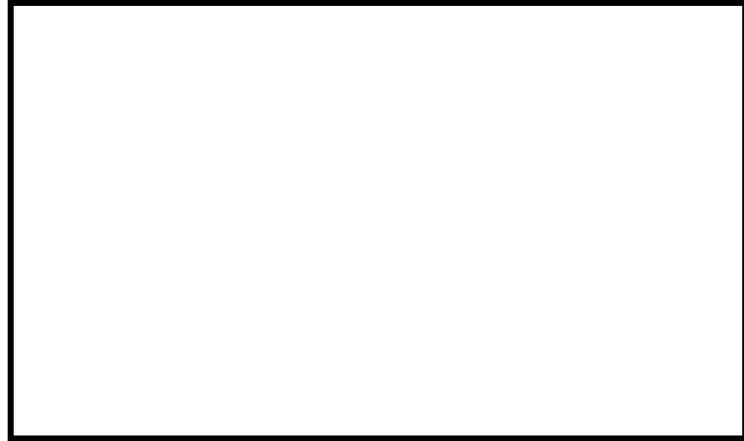
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