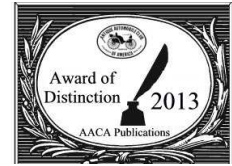
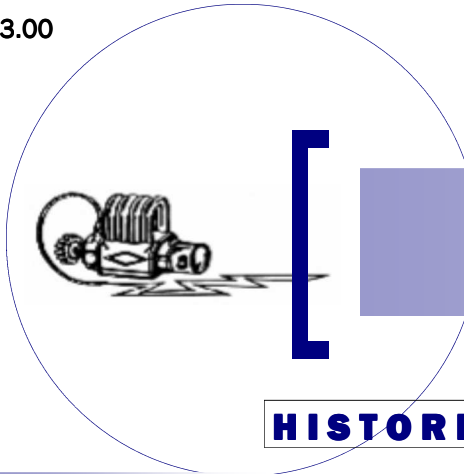


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AUGUST PRESIDENT'S MESSAGE

It's August again and that means it's time for the "Taste of the Mountains" in Madison. Let's try to get a big turnout this year, the more the better. A large turnout would be great advertising for our club, AACA, and car collecting in general! Last year was my first visit as I have not had a running old car, and I will be there again with or without an old car. More details will be discussed at the meeting.

A couple of days ago, I received two letters from Mark Lizowskie Executive Director to the HFR on behalf of the AACA Museum. These letters were to acknowledge our requests for commemorative bricks for two of our members Tommy Gatewood and Sheila Derryberry. Let's keep Tommy and Sheila and their respective families in our thoughts and prayers.

The museum also wanted to remind us of two current displays. First is the Indian Nation: Indian Motorcycles in America until October 24, 2014 and second, Motoring Mysteries of the Far East: A Curious Collection of Asian and Pacific Vehicles until September 14, 2014. Also there is the grand opening of the Cammack Tucker Gallery during the "Night at the Museum" event on October 8, 2014. I have information from the AACA on this event and will bring it to the meeting. I visited the original

Cammack Museum a number of years ago and found it quite interesting. There is a massive amount of items from Tucker including documents, drawings, parts, prototypes of engines, and a couple of Tucker automobiles. Additionally, while a docent at the Towe Ford Museum in Old Town Sacramento, we had a Tucker on loan for display several times. I have since wondered what might have been had the Tucker actually made it into full production!

On to the subject of new members, AACA National has provided our Region with four Blue colored membership applications for the year 2015 to be used by September 30, 2015. These provide for free one year national membership for those new members that are NOT NOW and HAVE NOT previously been members of AACA National. If I remember right, we have one 2014 National application left. Remember this program when discussing membership with prospective new members, and we need to try to use all four of the applications as this benefits not only new members but also the Region.

- Ken Loucks, HFR AACA President

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CLUB INFORMATION

2014 OFFICERS & COMMITTEE CHAIRS

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Hank Mausolf	At-Large Member (through 2014)	Rena Rees	Sunshine Chairman
		Ben Schooler	Club Chaplain
		Doug Makin	Club Historian

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.

August meeting—Tuesday, August 19th
 September meeting— Tuesday, September 16th

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

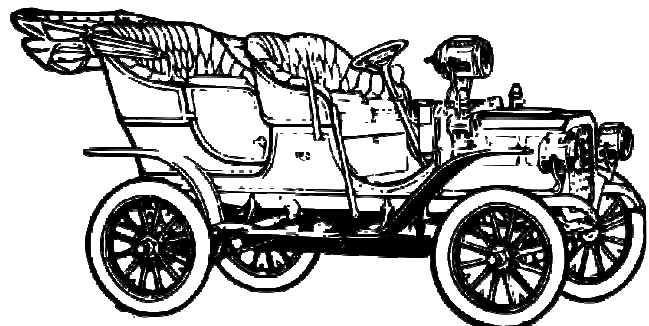
If you would like to contribute drinks or dessert for an upcoming club general membership meeting, please sign up for one of the open spots at the meeting. We thank Frances Schooler for providing snacks and Jane Shelton for drinks at this month's meeting.

	Snacks	Drinks
September	Hunts	Ron & Rena Rees
October	Mausolfs	J & Connie Brown
November	Suzanne Schooler	
January 2015		
February		
March		
April		
May		

BIRTHDAYS

The following members will be celebrating their special day in August.

Tommy Hunt	2
Nancy Windingland	8
Coralaine Ferguson	19
James Lowe	20
Bill Errera	21
William Sale	26



CLUB NEWS

TASTE OF THE MOUNTAINS TOUR

Our club will be organizing a tour to the Taste of the Mountains Festival in Madison, Virginia on Saturday, August 30th. We plan to drive down as a group from Fredericksburg and display our antique cars at the festival. It is an enjoyable drive down to the event. The festival in the charming town of Madison, with its selection of food, crafts, and entertainment should make for a great day. Also, our club is being financially compensated to participate. We will be leaving from the parking lot in front of Tractor Supply off of Rt. 3 west of Fredericksburg at 7am. Contact Frances Schooler with any questions.



VINTAGE ROUTE 1 EVENT

We plan to display our antique cars at the Vintage Route 1 Tour and Community Day in Downtown Fredericksburg on Saturday, September 6th. This event celebrates the heritage of the original US Route 1 that came down Lafayette Boulevard and how this new "highway" transformed Fredericksburg. It will take place in the Riverfront Park off of Sophia Street in downtown. Please Contact J Brown for more information.

MERRYMAN'S GARAGE TOUR

The club is currently planning a tour and lunch at the Merryman's Shop and Garage in White Oak, South Stafford. It is tentatively planned for early fall, possibly September. More to come. Contact Frances Schooler for details.

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2014 NIGHT AT THE MUSEUM—OCTOBER 8TH IN HERSHEY, PA

Join the AACA family and RM Auctions for Night at the Museum to celebrate another great Meet Week in Hershey and the **Grand Opening of the Cammack Tucker Gallery!** Enjoy a casual evening with fellow enthusiasts while being among the first to view the first phase of the Cammack Tucker Gallery, showcasing the World's largest collection of Tucker automobiles, engines and other memorabilia in one location. The evening will also feature food, cocktails, live entertainment, a silent auction, and an automotive artist gallery! The cost to attend is \$125/person and benefits the entire AACA "Family" - Club,

Library, and Museum. RSVP by calling (717) 566-7100 ext. 100 (Ticket Counter) or visit www.NightAtTheMuseum.org (reprinted from the July 2014 AACA Speedster)



CALENDAR OF EVENTS

Aug 30, Taste of the Mountains Vehicle Display, Madison, VA

Sep 6, Vintage Route 1 Car Display, Riverfront Park, Sophia St., Fredericksburg, VA

Sep 20, Bull Run Region AACA 39th Edgar Rohr Memorial Car Meet, Manassas, VA

Dec 7, HFR AACA Annual Christmas Banquet, Fredericksburg Country Club

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The meeting was called to order by President Ken Loucks at 7:30pm with 21 members present. Ron and Rena Rees brought their grandson Joshua. The meeting minutes from June were approved.

Treasurer's report – Linda Gotchel presented report; bills/check requests were presented and approved.

Committee Reports:

Membership – Lauman Schooler encouraged all to hand out membership applications as we're looking for new members. He thanked those that brought their cars for Tommy Gatewood's funeral.

Sunshine - Rena Rees reported we received thank you card from Billy Gatewood and Derryberry family.

Legislative - no report.

Magneto – no report.

Website – Nora Aftel reported the website has been updated since the show. She reminded all there is a section to advertise cars for sale. She plans to post some of the recent ODMA pictures in the future.

Social – Frances Schooler reported on upcoming activities: 1) Taste of Madison to be held on 30 August, 2) Merrimans Garage Tour – (Sept ? date TBD as he is recuperating from surgery, and 3) Christmas Party in early December. J. Brown added that Emily who announced fashion show is organizing the Vintage Rt. 1 Tour and Downtown Community Day. She is looking for cars and he suggested it would be good to support her as she did us. This event will be held on 9/6/14. Club voted to make this event a sanction for this year. Wally Hunt noted several other events scheduled by nearby clubs who would love to have us attend. He said he would email these and post them on face book to all members. These include the Distillery Tour in Fredericksburg with the Richmond Club on July 26th, Tour and picnic to Flying Circus Aerodrome in Bealeton, VA with National Capital Model T club on Aug 3rd, the Manassas Museum Trip w/ Bull Run Region on Sept 20th, the Wheels and Wings at the Military Museum in VA Beach with the Tidewater Region on Sept 27th and The Eastern Division National Fall Meet in Hershey, PA on Oct 8-11. Ken Loucks also reported that Vakos is planning 3 more Bandstand Events at the Spotsylvania Courthouse: Sept 14, Sept 27th and Aug 9th from 5-8pm with food and vendors. Many different events available this Fall to get out and enjoy your car before the winter.

Committee - J. Brown presented the final bill from the radio station for our car show. Linda Gotchel reported our club finished with a positive balance in revenue this year. There has been over 30 thank you cards mailed to sponsors. He also reported that at the last Thunderbird meeting it was announced that the Fredericksburg show was a "must go to" show for next year! J. is planning a "recap meeting" and will be contacting committee members of a date and time.

Old Business:

Wayne Burgess, a national director, visited club last month asking club to consider sponsoring a national tour in September. Wally moved that we decline this proposition and other club members agreed as our town is not large enough for a national event. Ken Loucks will inform Wayne Burgess.

Lauman Schooler reported that his brother, Ben Schooler is recovering nicely from his surgery.

New Business –

Ken Loucks proposed club purchasing museum bricks for Tommy Gatewood and Sheila Derryberry all voted in favor. Ken will process paperwork and report back.

The 50/50 was conducted by Doug Makin and won by Lauman Schooler who won \$16 and donated his portion back to the club.

Lauman Schooler said the closing prayer with our group of friends.

Thank you to the Gotchels and the Venables for refreshments. We are still looking for a volunteer to bring the beverages for November. The meeting was adjourned at 8:15pm

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