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President's Message

For many of us the months from April through September are the months we more actively get to appreciate our antique car hobby, with a schedule that involves shows and other events almost every weekend. The first weekend in June is of particular interest to our club as we enjoy hosting our annual show. July is also an important month for the old car hobby because July is National Collector Car Appreciation Month. In fact, July 13 has been declared as National Collector Car Appreciation Day. This special day in July has been set aside to raise awareness of the vital role automotive restoration and collection plays in American society. If your schedule is not already full, you might want to check the internet to see what special activities have been organized in our state in recognition of this event.

Whatever plans you may have, I sincerely wish you safe travel as you enjoy spending time out and about in your antique car.
– J. Gordon Brown

Historic Fredericksburg Region, AACA, June Monthly Meeting Minutes, June 19, 2012

The president called the meeting to order at approximately 7:30 p.m. There were 33 members, 1 prospective member (Daniel Ferguson) and 1 visitor (Tom Johnson) present. Mr. Johnson's father, who passed away last December, was a founding member of our club and its first treasurer. Mr. Johnson is responsible for the estate. As he is going through his father's belongings, he is finding many club history-related items, some of which he has already turned over to the club. There will be more items to come. Thank you, Mr. Johnson, for helping to make our club history as complete as possible.

Wayne DuBois presented the treasurer's report. A motion was made, seconded and passed to pay the bill presented: Copy Center Plus (printing of newsletter). Wayne also announced that all sponsorship money for the 2012 car show has now been paid.

Committee Reports:

Membership: Lauman Schooler introduced Daniel Ferguson and presented his application for membership. His application was accepted. **Welcome Daniel and Coraline!**

Cards & Flowers: Report in newsletter. **Legislative:** No report. **ODMA – May 3, 2013:** No report.

Magneto: Doug Makin announced that because of a donation from Mr. Johnson he now has a complete history of the **Magneto** from the beginning of the club until now. Anyone interested in seeing copies of these newsletters should contact Doug.

Website: Andy Gotchel has posted the show entrance pictures on the website.

Social: Remember Taste of the Mountains, Saturday, September 1, 2012, and our annual Christmas banquet, Sunday, December 2, 2012, at the Fredericksburg Country Club.

2012 Car Meet: Don Mohr led the club in congratulations and a round of applause for J. Gordon Brown and another successful car show this year. J. Gordon Brown expressed his thanks to everyone for their help and teamwork to make the show a success. He reported that 165 cars were registered; there were 9 no-shows, for a total of 156. He also reported that he has received many compliments to the club for their professionalism in planning and executing such an event. Many sister clubs have expressed that our show is a model to be used in planning their events.

Old Business: Ms. Emily Taggart-Schricker of the Historic Fredericksburg Foundation, Inc. presented an explanation of an upcoming event. On Saturday, September 8, 2012, the HFFI will host the Historic Route 1 Tour and Community Day. The event focuses on the history of Route 1 during the 1920's to the 1960's and its impact on life in Fredericksburg. There are many activities planned including a streetcar (trolley) tour, a self-guided tour, vintage fashion show, indoor and outdoor children's / family activities, and an antique car display. Ms. Taggart-Schricker explained that the HFFI is hoping that our club will be willing to display cars from that era during the day between 10 a.m. and 5 p.m. After some questions and answers, a motion was made that our club plan to display cars during this event. The motion was seconded and passed. This event will go on our calendar. More details will follow as the time draws nearer. The subject of ordering new club shirts was again brought up. Since there are many club members interested, Ron Rees will gather price information and samples to present at the July meeting. **New Business:** Mr. Tom Johnson announced that there are several cars from his father's estate that will be offered for sale.

50-50 Raffle: Pat Paquette won the 50-50 raffle and graciously donated her winnings back to the club..

The meeting was adjourned at approximately 8:45 p.m. Ben Schooler closed in prayer. Refreshments were served.

Respectfully submitted, Connie L. Brown, Secretary

Happy Birthday!!!



The following members are celebrating their special day in July:

John Garnett	2nd
Peggy Sale	7th
Patsy Rowley	9th
William Jamerson	11th
Florence Jamerson	15th
Lin Bourne	18th
Ron Rees	20th
Nora Aftel	23rd
Frances Taylor	25th
Jerry Taylor	30th

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

Tommy Hunt	2nd
Nancy Windingland	8th
Coralaine Ferguson	19th
James Lowe	20th
William Sale	26th

Membership

We are always looking for new members, so if you know anyone who may want to join please invite them to a meeting.

Welcome new members Daniel and Coralaine Ferguson. Daniel is a retired Systems Analyst. They have a 1949 Willys Overland Jeepster. Their special interests include website development, acoustic music and bluegrass.

*Lauman Schooler,
Membership Chairman*

Sign-up for Refreshments

	Beverages	Snacks
July	Mr. Enfield	Ruth Dubois
August	Jane Shelton	Frances Schooler
September	Wally Hunt	Donna And Bill H.
October	Don Mohr	Connie Brown
November	Hank and Marjorie Mausolf	Suzanne Schooler

Calendar of Events, 2012

August 13-17, Founders Tour(32 and later), Alleghany Mt Region, Altoona, PA, 814-251-2299
 September 1, HFR AACA Taste of the Mountains Festival, Madison, VA, Frances Schooler, 540-373-1955
 September 8, HFFI hosts and HFR AACA participates in Historic Route 1 Street Car Tour and Downtown Community Day,
 September 15, 37th Edgar Rohr Memorial Meet, Bull Run Region, Manassas, VA, Joann Richardson, 703-768-1569
 Oct 24-27, Ghosts and Legends Tour, North Carolina Region, Old Salem Chapter, Ruth Ronchetti, 336-996-5125
 December 2, HFR AACA Annual Christmas Banquet, Fredericksburg Country Club, Frances Schooler, 373-1955
 (May 4, **2013**, ODMA meet in Fredericksburg, VA.)

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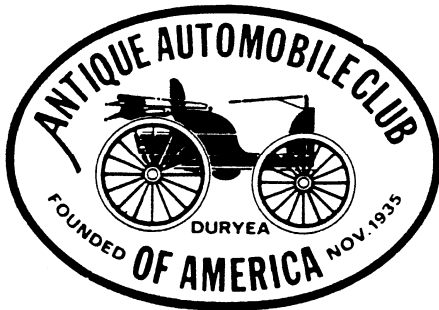
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