

Dixie Vintage Antique Automobile Club Newsletter

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October 2014 Hoover, Alabama



Hoover Krispy Kreme hosts Dixie Vintage Auto Club events each month. Join us for a free coffee and doughnut.

Dixie Vintage Events

Saturday, October 4th, 8am-noon, Dixie Vintage Antique Auto Club, Krispy Kreme Cruise-in. Hwy 31 Hoover, Steve Katchur 733-0691.

There will be no Helena First Friday Festival in October due to Homecoming at the new Helena High School. Stay Tuned!

Monday, October 13, 6:30pm Dixie Vintage Business Meeting. Nino's Italian Restaurant, 2698 Pelham Pkwy, back meeting room, Steve Katchur.

Thursday, December 11, 6:30 pm, Annual Dixie Vintage Christmas Party. Bluff Park United Methodist Church fellowship hall. Cost is \$16.00 per person. RSVP to Carlene Adams. 205-444-0876

Other Activities & Events of Interest

Every Third Saturday, HWY 280, KRISPY KREME CRUISE IN. All old cars welcome, 9:00 am—Noon. You will get to be with all your old car friends and do some catching up. See you Saturday—Jim Ketchersid 205-979-5387.

Saturday, October 18, 8 am until 2 pm. McAdory Middle School Benefit Car Show. Open car and truck show. \$25 registration fee. Will be held at the Middle School, I 459, Tannehill exit, turn toward Tannehill. Contact: Monica Harbarger 429-5513.

Saturday, October 11, 9am-2pm. Wounded Warrior Project. Open car and truck show. 101 Resource Center Parkway, Birmingham (off Hwy 280). \$20 Registration fee. Contact: Scott Harris 205-535-0162/ snakepitt1@aol.com or Eric Perrine 205-542-1240.

Saturday, October 11, 2014, Day at the Depot Open Car Show, 9:00AM – 2:00PM, Bessemer Hall of History Museum, \$20.00 entry fee, popular vote for trophies (top three), door prizes, 50/50 pot, goody bags for first fifty entries, questions 205-426-1633

Saturday, November 8, 8am-3pm. 28th Annual Ho! Ho! Ho! Christmas Show. Car, Truck and Motorcycle show. City Park by Cullman Train Depot, Cullman. \$20 registration fee or toy with a \$20 value. Vender Space \$20. Contact: Edith Smith 256-734-8726, William Criscoe 256-385-5596 or Randy Nelson 256-385-5596.

Area Saturday afternoon Cruise-In Schedule 2014

1st Saturday
4pm Until...
Colonial Promenade
Alabaster

2nd Saturday 4pm Until... Colonial Promenade Tannehill (exit 1 on I-459/McCalla)

3rd Saturday 4pm Until... Jack's Hamburgers Hwy 411 Moody

4th Saturday
4pm Until...
Ashley Furniture
Fultondale

(April-October)

BOB GRIFFITTS HAS YOUR NAMETAG

We encourage each of our members to own and wear a name tag. This is extremely helpful for those of us who have a hard time remembering names. The cost of the name tag is \$8.00. Payment in <u>cash</u> at the time of placing the order is required. Orders for name tags are taken at the first Saturday cruise in at Krispy Kreme. Orders placed this month will be available for pickup the next month at Krispy Kreme.



Please note that we have a new person to see to get your name tag. Bob Griffitts is a new member who has jumped right in and accepted the job of ordering the nametags. Chuck

Nevins has done it forever and I'm sure was ready for a break. Thanks Chuck! You can look for Bob's black 1968 Ford F250 at the Cruise In or contact him by phone at 205-504-3440. If you have already ordered your name tag he should have it.

Welcome! New Members

For August: Paul & Cindy Craft, Joe & Martha Eastis, Bert & Gail Gavin, Kristie & Joel Kalvin, Jerry & Barbara Little, Ted Owne, Stan & Lyn Stepleton, Jim & Becky Whitson and Jim Woodward.

For September: Eric & Kim Benner, Randall & Janet Burnett, Adam & Sarah Demy, Rob & Debra Litton, Doug McCovmick, Stephen & Pam Parker, and Jeff & Stephanie Prior.

We are so glad to have you as a part of our club. Please don't be shy. We look forward to getting to know you better.

First Saturday Drawings, Be sure to sign up!

Make sure you stop at the tent and register each first Saturday so your name is in the pot at drawing time. Free coffee, free doughnuts, free cash...What more could you want on a Saturday morning filled with old cars, old tales, and good friends.



The Dixie Vintage Antique Automobile Club Newsletter is pub-

lished monthly by Dixie Vintage Antique Automobile Club, Inc., a non-profit antique car club. The purpose of this Club is to promote interest in restoring and preserving antique, classic, and special interest old cars; and to provide a social club for members and their families of mutual interest to all. Monthly meetings and activities are conducted in a variety of locations. We encourage membership from other automobile clubs and orphan marquees.

The only requirement to become a member of Dixie Vintage Antique Automobile Club, Inc. is an interest in the history and preservation of automobiles.

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A great invitation from the Alabama Packard Club

Alabama Packard's is inviting all members of the Dixie Vintage Club and the AACA to join us for a cruise upstate to see the Barnett collection in Morgan City, Alabama. Their collection contains many items you will not see anywhere else. In addition to several Marmon's dating from brass era through their demise, as well as a 1/4 scale Marmon model from a New York Auto Show, you will also be able to see the Huntsville made Keller automobile. This Keller has recently been restored and has received it's JR and Sr AACA awards. There is also an extensive collection of motorized cycles and some motorcycle. November 15th at 9am the caravan will depart from the Jefferson County Courthouse annex in Centerpoint for the cruise north. We will stop in Arab for a "dutch treat" brunch before completing the journey. Specific directions will be handed out that morning for those who wish to skip the meal. So that we can be kind to our hosts, we will need some type of head count. RSVP to Tim Stout stouttj3544@gmail.com before November 1st.

Metro Church Friends Day Sunday, September 14, 2014



Beautiful setting, Beautiful cars, and lots of new friends. Several of our club members were able to support this event at the Metro Church. Looks like everyone really enjoyed the show and there was a good turn out from the local community. One of those great ways we get to use our cars to support a variety of activities.





The turn out for the Helena First Friday wasn't quite as good as it has been but we still had some beautiful cars and a good time just visiting. The community is responding well to this effort of Helena to have a special day for "Old Town" to show off. Our cars are always a highlight for everyone!

Don't forget that there will not be a First Friday for October due to conflicts with the new Helena High School having homecoming. I look forward to seeing you all (Y'all) at the Krispy Kreme Cruise-in on Saturday, 4 September. - Wayne



One of my great pleasures at the Helena First Friday was to get to know "Coach" Mark Sanders and his 8 year old daughter Sarah Grace. You could tell by the time and care Mark took in setting up his car that he really loves to show it and Sarah Grace was right there helping. Mark told me that he had a 1963 Impala with a 327 while he was in high school. While he really loved that car the demands and financial requirements of college forced him to let it go. Now, 20 years later, he had a chance to reclaim that memory. In June he purchased this beautiful 1962 Impala with a 409 engine and had it shipped here from Ohio. Since June is also Sarah Grace's birthday month she often refers to it as her car. Mark says the car has become the center of a great many family activities with his son Andruw (11) and his wife

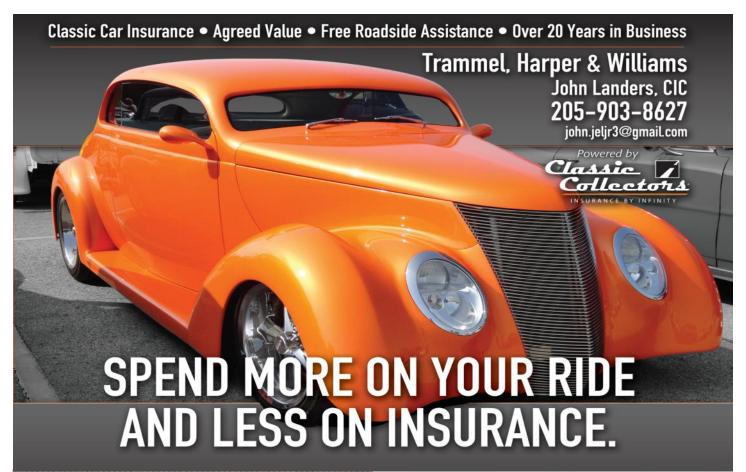


Dawn also being very enthusiastic about the car. Mark goes on to say he has really enjoyed being a member of Dixie Vintage. He always looks forward to the Krispy Kreme Cruise-in and any other opportunity to get out with his car and family.

I want to add that a love for cars and the people who restore and keep them is all that is really required to be a member of our club. You don't have to wait until you have a car to show to take part in enjoying the cars. After all sharing them with others who really appreciate them is a lot of the fun. It also makes a great family activity and who knows where it may lead. When I joined the club I didn't have more than my "daily drivers" but now I have a "Project Car" I'm working on. It will be a while before I share it with you though. My son bought it for me and said it should be a "bonding experience". I think it will be.—Wayne

When I'm "cruising" around the club activities with my camera one of the things I like to do is take some pictures of emblems and other unique parts of the cars. Thought I'd share some of them with you.—Wayne





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Drive your antique car, truck or hot rod and enjoy a doughnut and cup of coffee "on the house". 8:00 am until Noon first Saturday each month Highway 31 at Patton Chapel, Hoover

- 1990 Patton Chapel Rd
- Hoover, AL 35226
- Phone: 205-822-8272



- 5357 Highway 280
- Hoover, AL 35242
- Phone: 205-776-8821

I received the notice below just before sending out the newsletter this month. For those of you who have children or grandchildren there were also a lot of activities for kids in the full announcement. Check out their web site for more information. - Wayne

Fall Festival October 18th in downtown Rogersville

Fall festival in Heritage Park and downtown Rogersville.

Antique Car & Truck show with registration starting at 9 am at Cafe Savanna. Cash Prizes and door prizes. Cost is \$25

Chili cook-off in Heritage Park. \$3 per cup to sample all chili and judge the best! Craft vendors will be set up in Heritage park from 9 am to 2 pm.

Swap meet at Regions Bank from 9 am to 1 pm. Live music from 10 am to 1 pm.

Family friendly and free!

For details contact Chamber office at 256-247-9449

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