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NEXT MEETING : JULY 11

Presidents Corner: Hi Cruisers, Well it's been a pretty good month. Hope all of you are doing OK. We had a good meeting in June and a lot of cars at our June K-mart cruise-in. While at the cruise-in one of our members asked me when we were going to cruise to someplace for lunch/dinner or another clubs cruise-in or show. Well truthfully, I didn't know right off the top of my head when we could do any of those things. But, the next week, I put out the word that we could go as a club and cruise to the Hartsville show. Well seven of us made the show. We had a good time, we all won trophies (plaques) and E.Y. won the big sponsors trophy (congrats E.Y.) I Guess what I'm trying to say is, we don't or won't always know when we can all do something together, but anyone can have an idea to do something as a club, and if you'll let me or E.Y. know, we'll put out an email and whoever can go will be welcomed. So if you have an idea, let us know and we'll see if it can happen.

See you at the July meeting,

David



UPCOMING EVENTS:

- July 13 - Wounded Warriors Car Show, Logan's Road-House Restaurant, Broad St, Sumter, SC. \$20 Fee, Reg. 9—12, Awards at 2 PM, Top ten, Kids Choice & Best of Show.
- Sept 21- Tobacco Festival Car Show, Lake City, \$ 20 Fee, Reg. 9—12, Awards at 4 PM.
- Sept 28- Golden Leaf Festival Car Show, Mullins, \$20 Fee, 10 AM - 4 PM
- Sept 28- Cypress Festival Car Show, Pamplico, \$20 Fee, 10 AM - 4 PM
- Sept 28 - Edgefield Jubilee Car Show, Edgefield, SC \$20 Fee, 9 AM - 4 PM, Top 35. Live music, Vendors, Tractor Show

WELCOME NEW MEMBERS

Richard & Shirley Pinckney
86 Monte Carlo
James (Gene) Disher
11 Ford F150



Last Meeting: The June meeting was held with 24 members in attendance. Two new members were welcomed into the club, Dean and Mildred Peet. After the opening prayer everyone enjoyed a luscious meal and great conversation before getting down to the nitty gritty of the meeting, for there were a lot of happenings up for discussion.

Bobby told us that the judges of the Iris Festival Parade awarded the Sumter Cruisers the first place trophy for our class. Good job Cruisers'. Also, on Sunday at the festival we had our club picnic. It was a huge success and whoever wasn't able to make it missed out on a great time.

Up for discussion was the fact we were invited by the Striped Bass Festival to put on a car show in Manning.

This leaves us with several choices:

1. Leave our one car show here?
2. Have two car shows, one in Manning and the other here?
3. Skip ours and just have the one in Manning?
4. If the Head Turners Club decides not to have their car show at the Iris Festival, should we take that spot as an open car show time?



There is lot to think about. We need to vote at our next meeting so there will be plenty of time to make up and pass out show flyers.

Also up for discussion was the new picnic spot at the Iris Festival. Do we like it better than the old one? Do we want to stay there?

Keep all this in mind. We will have a vote at our July meeting. If you want a say in the decisions, please be there.

All information of upcoming events and activities are on the web site and we encourage everyone to visit it.

Andrea went over the clubs finances and all is looking great. If any member wants to see the actual figures please contact Andrea or Dave, this information is available upon request (or you can just come to the meetings where they are all shared).

EY asked if everyone was getting the newsletter via e-mail or snail mail.

Tony was away, however, he left his input. T-shirts are in, in all sizes.

He also encourages all of us to get more sponsors.

Tony brought up an idea at the May meeting to consider having children back at the meetings. The age restriction is now 10 and above at meetings, and all ages are welcomed at all other club events.

David, (for Tony) reopened the discussion at the June meeting and a lot of the members spoke their mind on the effects of having younger children at the meetings. This will be brought up again at the July meeting for yes or no votes. Please be there if you want to vote on this subject.

The 50/50 was won by Tommy Smith.

Hope to see you at the meeting on July 11th.

Annie



Life from the seat of a tractor

You cannot unsay a cruel word.

Timin' has a lot to do with the outcome of a rain dance.

(Have we been dancing too much lately?)