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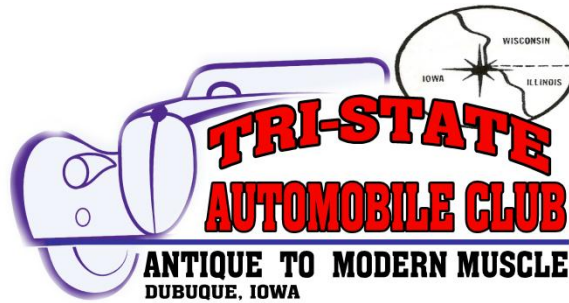
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Editor's Note: What a great showing for our club at the fair. Thanks to all the members who made this a success. Well done to our event staff who set up the display, managed the work schedule, co-ordinated the cars each day and took down the display. This committee is always looking for ideas to have fun. If you have an idea for the club to do an event contact Dale Davis, Lee Baumholder, Erv Auderer, or Jerry Wiederholt.

Editor Al Stuart

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Club Meeting

SEPTEMBER 14TH – Club Meeting – 7:00pm – Carte Graph

OCTOBER 12TH – Club Meeting – 7:00pm – Carte Graph

NOVEMBER 9TH – Club Meeting – 7:00pm – Pizza Ranch supper 6 pm.

DECEMBER 14TH – Annual Club Meeting – 7:00pm – Carte Graph

For Sale

Club polo shirts and hats, new magnetic signs, license plate. If interested, call Erv Auderer at 582-2594.

Donations Committee

Club members should submit names to the committee (or any officer) of possible organizations that the club would make a monetary donation to. The committee would then select three for the membership to vote on at the annual meeting. Committee members are: Sue Wiederholt, Denise Kennedy, and Pat Zoll.

Volunteers Hot Summer Nites Car Show

Lee & Sandy Baumhover

Erv & Linda Auderer

Roger & Mary Konrardy

Sheila Stuart

Tim Wood

Jerry Wiederholt

Bob Birch

Brad Niebert & Daughter

If you would like to volunteer call or e-mail Dale Davis, Al Stuart, Alvy Kennedy

A car speeding down the highway loses control, goes through a guard rail, rolls down a cliff, bounces off a tree, lands upside down and finally stops, wheels spinning in the air, smoke and steam pouring out from under the hood. A passing motorist, who witnessed the entire accident, helps the miraculously unharmed driver out of the wreck. "Good Lord Mister, he gasps, are you drunk?" "Of course!," says the man, brushing the dirt from his suit. "What the hell do you think I am? A stunt driver or something?"

RECIPE OF THE MONTH
Betty Crocker
Boil Water

Ingredients:

Pot
Water
Measuring Cup

Directions

Choose a pot that's large enough to hold the amount of water you want to boil, and has a lid that fits.

Remember that the pot might have to be bigger than you'd think if you're going to add food to the water. Without enough room in the pot, for example, rice or pasta will boil over.

Place the pot on a stove burner and pour cold water from a measuring cup into the pot. Or, if you're doing something such as cooking pasta and don't need to measure, just run cold water from the tap into the pot, then place the pot on the burner.

Turn the burner to high.

Look at the water. If large bubbles are rising from the bottom of the pot to the surface, the water is boiling.

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If you are not having fun then your expectations are too high!!!

**Club Get-Togethers / Events, September, October, November 2012**

Days other than Tuesdays are in **bold**

August 28- Tuesday -Eagle Point Park Picnic @ 6:00 p.m.(**Bring your own food and drink**)

September 4-Tuesday . Hwy 20 Truck Stop . Breakfast @ 8:30 a.m.

**September 9 – Sunday 1:00 p.m. Poker Run (Details in calendar notes)**

September 11 . Tuesday - Point Restaurant . Breakfast @ 8:30 a.m.

September 18 . Tuesday - Sunshine Restaurant 4<sup>th</sup> & Central . Breakfast @ 8:30 a.m.

**September 16<sup>th</sup>- Sunday 9:00 am Breakfast @ Hortsmans(Details in the calendar notes)**

September 25 . Tuesday . Village Inn . Breakfast @ 8:30 a.m.

October 2 . Tuesday . Point Café-Breakfast @8:30 am

October 9- Tuesday- Sunshine Restaurant (West)- Breakfast @8:30 am

**October 13- Saturday- Leaf Tour (details in October newsletter)**

October 16- Tuesday- Happy☿- Lunch @ 11:30 am

**October 20- Saturday- Highway Cleanup- Meet Mcdonalds Key West 8:00 am**

**October 21- Sunday- Cruise then finish in Centralia for dinner(details in October Newsletter)**

October 23- Tuesday- Hwy 20 Truck Stop-Breakfast @ 8:30 am

October 30- Tuesday- Junction 21-on old hwy 20-Lunch @11:30 AM

November 6- Tuesday- Village Inn- Breakfast @ 8:30 am

**November 9- Friday- Monthly Meeting & supper at Pizza Ranch- 6:00 pm**

November 13- Tuesday- Daniel☿ (Kieler, Wi)- Lunch @ 11:30 am

November 20- Tuesday- Sunshine Restaurant (Central Ave)- Breakfast @8:30 am

November 27- Tuesday- Point Café-Supper @ 6:00 pm

## August 10th, 2012 Minutes

The meeting was called to order by the president at 6:00 pm at Flora Park. Everyone was asked if they signed in and to please shut off their cell phones.

**New Members:** There are five new members, Brad Niedert. 1931 Ford Coop, Shawna Cowen, 1923 T Bucket. Kevin Peterson, Bridgette Miller, 1978 Trans Amst Joe Tubbs and his wife , Ford, Tim, Mary Beth Wood, 1987 Corvette.. We are Happy to have you join us! I'm sure you will find that Our Club is the best around!

**Cars Bought or Sold:** Mary Konrardy bought a 1964 Ford pick- up (so Roger says!) and Lee Baumholder bought a 2013 Jeep Wrangler we hope you both enjoy your new vehicules!

**Treasurer's report:** Ken Luchtenburg went over the finances. There wasn't a lot of difference since last report except a couple of deposits made to it. Linda Auderer made a motion to approve, the report and Al Stuart seconded it. Motion was approved.

**Activities Committee:** Lee Baumholder addressed the fair and again was very pleased with all who showed up to work. Thank you everyone for working in the hot sun!

Sept 16 is a brunch cruise and pot luck starting at Doug Horstmann's house. It is the first right after Meadows golf course, the second house on the right .

**New Business:** Hot Summer Nites are asking for volunteers to assist with car show for the Veterans Freedom Center on September 23. Contact Al stuart, Dale Davis, Alvy Kennedy to volunteer.

Linda Auderer made a motion to adjourn the meeting Jerry Wiederholt seconded it. Meeting was adjourned at 7:00. All approve!

These minutes were respectfully submitted by Denise Kennedy

## Special Notes

September 2. Delmar Car Show Lions Club

September 22 Hot Summer Nite cruise in for Veterans Freedom Center

September 23 Hot Summer Nites Car Show for Veterans Freedom Center

A & W Cruise Night Lancaster WI. Starts at 5:00 PM Sept 25<sup>th</sup>. Meet at the east lot of the Mystique Casino. (Lot where Hot Summer Nites is held) Leave at 5:30 and cruise to Lancaster

From Ron & Rose Brass, at the Main Street Cruisers (Arboretum) car show on 15 July ó received 1st place trophy for our 67 Mustang fastback.

We also went to the "Cruisin for Kids" show in Iowa City this past Saturday (28 July) ó our 67 Mustang also won 1<sup>st</sup> place trophy in 64 ½ through 74 Mustang class there.

Graffetti Nites Hot Pipes Contest

Joe Tubbs 1<sup>st</sup> place

Lee Baumhover 1<sup>st</sup> place

The National Transportation Safety Board recently divulged they had covertly funded a project with the US auto makers for the past five years, whereby the auto makers were installing black boxes in four-wheel drive pickup trucks in an effort to determine, in fatal accidents, the circumstances in the last 15 seconds before the crash. They were surprised to find in 47 of the 50 states the last words of drivers in 61.2 percent of fatal crashes were, "Oh, S\_\_\_" Only the states of South Carolina, West Virginia and Arkansas were different, where over 89.3 percent of the final words were: "Hold my beer and watch this!"



# September 2012

| SUNDAY                          | MONDAY | TUESDAY                                          | WEDNESDAY | THURSDAY | FRIDAY                    | SATURDAY |
|---------------------------------|--------|--------------------------------------------------|-----------|----------|---------------------------|----------|
|                                 |        |                                                  |           |          |                           | 1        |
| 2                               | 3      | 4<br>Hywy 20 Truck<br>Breakfast 8:30am           | 5         | 6        | 7                         | 8        |
| 9<br>*Poker run 1 pm            | 10     | 11<br>Point Restaurant<br>Breakfast 8:30am       | 12        | 13       | 14<br>Club meeting<br>7pm | 15       |
| 16<br>*Breakfast@<br>Horstman's | 17     | 18<br>Sunshine<br>Restaurant<br>Breakfast 8:30am | 19        | 20       | 21                        | 22       |
| 23                              | 24     | 25<br>Village Inn<br>Breakfast 8:30am            | 26        | 27       | 28                        | 29       |

\*NOTE SEE CALENDAR NOTES NEXT PAGE

## Calendar Notes

### Poker Run Sunday, September 9th . 1:00 p.m.

Our Club & Main Street Cruisers are planning a Poker Run. Stops for cards are as follows:

- 1<sup>st</sup> - Inside Murphy Park
- 2<sup>nd</sup> - Front of Grand River Center
- 3<sup>rd</sup> - Washington Park
- 4<sup>th</sup> - Lock & Dam
- 5<sup>th</sup> - Eagle Point Park (just before Park entrance)

Then, proceed into Eagle Point Park for a get-together and food as a group. Bring a dish to pass. We will provide the meat.

### Breakfast-Brunch @ Horstmans Sunday, September 16<sup>th</sup> . 9:00 a.m.

Breakfast/Brunch at Doug & Jeanine Horstmans' home. Bring a Dish to Pass. Afterwards, there will be a short cruise . Directions, take Asbury Road to Lores Oaks, turn right second house on right.

## THANK YOU

For all the help to make our ticket booth and display the best at the Dubuque Fair 2012.

Erv & Linda Auderer

Jerry & Sue Wiederholt

Roger & Mary Konrady

Ray Tiggs

Ken & Donna Kutsch

Doug & Jeanine Horstman

Al Stuart

Lee Baumhover

Earl & Judy VanBlaecom

Dick Duddeck

Ken Luchtenburg

Nancy Meissner

Alvy & Denise Kennedy

Dale Davis

Bruce & Mary Heitz

Bob Birch

Bruce Waters

Doug & Laurie Blosch

Dick & Eunice Kokemiller

Dave Meyer

Mike Smyth

Jim & Pat Locher



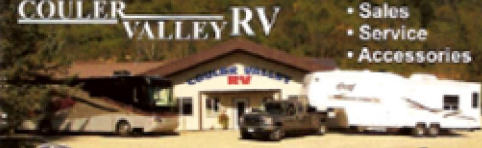
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