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1956 Chrysler New Yorker 4 Door Sedan

Coming Events:

Sept. 6	Florida Region Sunday Breakfast, Bahia Shrine, 2300 Pembrook Drive, Orlando, FL	9:00 AM
Sept. 14	Florida Region Board Meeting, Kress Memorial Church, 746 Formosa Ave., Winter Park, FL	5:30 PM
Sept. 14	Florida Region Pot Luck Dinner and General Meeting, Kress Memorial Church, 746 Formosa Ave., Winter Park, FL	6:30 PM





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President's Letter

At our August 10, 2015 AACA Florida Region club meeting, we showed a video of the club's 1993 sponsored National Meet. We only had time to watch half of the video, being well received by those that were there a unanimous vote was taken to watch the other half at the October club meeting. Thanks to Gene Roy for bringing this video for us to watch.

Our last club function on August 5, 2015 was to bring our cars to Lake Mary Rehabilitation Center. They were having a "Sock Hop" theme for their residents. Wayne Bostak and myself took our cars. Wayne took his **1971 Oldsmobile Cutlass Convertible** and I took my **1948 Chevrolet Fleetmaster**. We were the only club members to go but had a great time watching the residents come out to see our cars, some in wheelchairs and some walking. Also the barbecue lunch was great.

On August 21 2015, all club members were invited to the Red Fez Room at the Shriners Temple at 2300 Pembrook Drive, Orlando. The occasion was the 65th wedding anniversary celebration for Marianne and David Main (see my photo below). Thanks to the eight club members that came and also to their other friends. The food was good and the special cake was very well decorated.

Come to our September 14, 2015 club meeting for our Pot Luck and bring your favorite dish. The club will provide the usual ham, chicken and drinks. Try to bring a prospective member as this is a good time to introduce them to our club.

Let's be active with our cars as a club. I am ready at all times for a cruise. Any suggestion on were to cruise locally and have lunch please let me know. Look forward to your suggestions.

Nelson Lawhorn



Minutes of the Florida Region AACA Board Meeting – August 10, 2015

The Board of the Florida Region AACA met at the Kress Memorial Church in Winter Park on August 10, 2015. The meeting was called to order by President Nelson Lawhorn at 6:15 pm. Other Officers and Board Members present were Wayne Bostak, KC Camp, Howard Gilkes and Darrel Cole.

Nelson presented Jerry Eakins' Treasurer's Report and it was filed.

The Minutes of the July Board Meeting were approved as published in 'The Running Board'.

Nelson reported he received four (4) complimentary National Membership Forms for first-time members.

There was a general discussion of future events, shows and dates:

Pot Luck Supper	September 14
Hershey	October 7–10
Lake Mirror	October 17
KC Camp Picnic	October 25
Winter Park	
Concours d'Elegance	November 13–15
New Car Show	November 26–29
Christmas Party	December 7
Voting Night	December 14

The Board Meeting was adjourned at 6:45 pm.

Howard Gilkes, Florida Region AACA Secretary

Minutes of the Florida Region AACA General Meeting – August 10, 2015

The General Meeting of the Florida Region AACA met at the Kress Memorial Church in Winter Park on August 10, 2015. The meeting was called to order by President Nelson Lawhorn at 7:00 pm. Thirty-one (31) members and guests were in attendance.

Lee Dunkin led the Pledge of Allegiance to the flag of the United States of America.

The program was a video of our 1993 South East National Meet. Gene and Marilyn Roy were Chairmen of the Show. Three-Hundred-Forty-One (341) cars were on show.

Howard Gilkes presented Jerry Eakins' Treasurer's Report and it was filed.

The Minutes of the July General Meeting were approved as published in 'The Running Board'.

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Gene Roy reported that Tom and Dena Holt were attending the annual Rocket-Fest in Ohio.

Darrel Cole reminded the membership of the upcoming Winter Park Concours d'Elegance on November 13,14,15.

Howard made a motion for the Club treasury to contribute \$10 toward each member's Christmas Party meal cost. Non-member's (guest's) cost to be the total meal cost. Darrel Cole seconded the motion. The motion passed.

The General Meeting was adjourned at 7:50 pm.

Howard Gilkes Florida Region AACA Secretary



August 5, 2015 Lake Mary Rehab "Sock Hop"

Photos by **Nelson Lawhorn**, President, Florida Region



Pot Luck Dinner at Next General Meeting!

Pot Luck Dinner Meeting Night

September 14, 2015 – 6:30 p.m.

at the Kress Memorial Church, 746 Formosa Ave., Winter Park, FL

The Club furnishes the Meat & Drinks



Bring a Dish to Share Bring a Healthy Appetite

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Gooding and Company Auto Auction

August 15, 2015 Pebble Beach, California

1939 Lagonda V–12 Rapide Sold for **\$1,650,000** (Lot 047)

W.O. Bentley's Prewar Engineering Masterpiece Exceptionally Elegant Styling by Frank Feeley One of Only 17 V–12 Rapides Built

4,480 CC SOHC per Cylinder Bank V–12 Engine Four SU Downdraft Carburetors 200 BHP at 5,500 RPM

- 4-Speed Manual Gearbox
- 4-Wheel Hydraulic Drum Brakes

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http://www.goodingco.com/vehicle/1939-lagonda-v-12-rapide/





COVER VEHICLE FEATURE ARTICLE

1956 Chrysler New Yorker Sedan

- 1) Chrysler's "New Yorker" nameplate first appeared in 1939 and was used up to 1996. The 1955 –1956 models are similarly styled New Yorkers. The 1957 New Yorker models featured 4 headlights.
- 2) The 354 cubic inch (5.8 liter) "Chrysler FirePower" V–8 engine with single 4 barrel Carter carburetor and hydraulic lifters is rated at 280 horsepower at 4,600 rpms with 380 ft./lbs. torque at 2,800 rpms. Chrysler's first Hemi was a 331 cubic inch version (1951–1955). In 1956 a larger "354 Hemi" version was introduced. In 1957 the "392 Hemi" was released. This engine starts right up and easily settles into a comfortable idle.
- 3) The spacious front bench seat is covered in fabric and is very comfortable. The dash has an aircraft feel to it with large round gauges and chrome levers/knobs. This car features an automatic transmission, power steering and power brakes.
- 4) Both front and rear bumpers are made up of 3 pieces. A reported total of 24,749 sedans were made in 1956. Original base price was \$3,402. The tires on this car are modern 235/75–15 radial tires. Wheelbase is 126 inches. The car weighs around 4,110 pounds.
- 5) A close-up of the "Push-button PowerFlite" automatic transmission selector on the left side of the dash. You can select 2 forward speeds, neutral and reverse. "Park" is achieved with the neutral button depressed with the parking brake engaged.











Sold on eBay

This **1962 Triumph Herald 1200 Convertible** with a 1.2 liter 4 cylinder engine and 4 speed standard transmission, located in Salem, Oregon sold for \$6,100 on August 2, 2015 (24 bids). Seller's description says...

"...this is a neat little car, just a hoot to drive, very nimble, great handling thanks to its peppy 1200, 4spd and IRS rear suspension. These are just a blast to take out on the backroads through the countryside. They built these cars from 1959-1971 ... Triumph built 3 different models, the Saloon, which is a 2dr sedan, the convertible, and fastback coupe w/ removable hardtop, the best of both worlds... it is very original, down to the valve cover and factory aircleaner."







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Antique Inventory Sheet for October 2014

 1927 Studebaker Victoria Coupe 1940 Mercury CUSTOM Hotrod 1951 MGTD 1952 Chevy 2-Door Sedan Business DLX coupe 	18,500 69,995 16,900 27,000
1963 Ford Thunderbird	Call for pricing!
1964 ½ Ford Mustang	Make an Offer!
1969 Lincoln Mark III	4,250
1970 Javelin	6,200
1978 Volkswagon Beetle	10,995
1982 Chevy Corvette Collector's Edition	13,500
1984 Buick Grand National	16,900
1984 Chevy Corvette Coupe	12,900
1987 Ford Mustang GT	4,200
1988 Jaguar XJS Convertible	16,500
1993 Chevy Corvette Coupe	7,900
1994 Lincoln Town Car	3,500
1999 Dodge 3500 Dually	6,000
2004 Suzuki Burgman	3,300
2006 S&S Custom MC	6,000
2008 Saturn Sky 2-Seat Roadster	19,900
2008 Roketa 250 MC	1,149

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1988	Dodge Daytona	595
1967	Chevy Bel Air	3,500

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1946 Willys CJ-2A "Farm Jeep"



This 1946 Willys CJ–2A farm Jeep has a front PTO winch and engine driven air compressor. It has a welding unit in the passenger seat area, and a side arm mower bar on the driver's side. It also has a rear towing boom and a Newgren buzz saw with table. The dual tires front and rear provide stability and traction when in the dirt.

Features

134 cubic inch Go Devil engine

4 Wheel Drive

T-90 transmission

Dana Spicer 18 transfer case

Dana 41 rear axle

Dana 25 front axle

Dual wheel adapters, front and rear

Front Canfield overload helper springs

Novi governor to control engine/PTO speed

K&K mower bar

Westinghouse PT1 air compressor

GE Welder

Canfield wrecker boom

Ramsey PTO winch

Newgren buzz saw

MANUFACTURER Willys

PRODUCTION 214,760 built

ENGINE OPTIONS Go Devil engine, 60 hp &

105 ft./lbs. torque

TRANSMISSION OPTIONS T90, 3 speed manual

TRANSFER CASE Dana 18

REAR AXLE Dana/Spicer Model 41

FRONT AXLE Dana 25
WHEELBASE 80.0 in.
LENGTH 122.75 in.
WIDTH 59.0 in.

HEIGHT 69.37 in., with top up

CURB WEIGHT 2,137 lbs.

Photos and Text from:

http://www.jeepcollection.com/portfolio/1946-willys-cj-2a/

