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1931 model A speedster and 1929 Tudor



Fast Fords took many shapes

December 2019

Coming Events:

December 12	Christmas Party/Golden Corral/Howard Gilkes, Chair	7:00 PM
December 12	Short General Meeting elections of club officers and board members after Christmas dinner	



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President's Letter

Greetings All,

Continuing on with the season of Thanksgiving - is Christmas - the greatest gift humanity received and the most thanks that we should acknowledge and celebrate, the only reason why we have this Holiday, so Merry Christmas and may y'all have a Blessed New Year.

Hope to see you all at our Christmas Dinner at the Golden Corral in Altamonte springs on Dec. 12th at 6:30 and bring an unwrapped toy or two (one boy and one girl gift), oh and the patience for a short meeting.

Thanks for the extra magazines donated for distribution which is available if anyone needs some more to distribute. We still can use more.

Best Regards,

Mickey Bryant

Letter from the Editor

This is what I have been working on since June while in Huntsville, the SLS (Space Launch System) core stage. The engineering analysis which I do in Huntsville supports the build of SLS core stage at New Orleans Michoud Assembly Facility. The completed core stage with all four RS-25 engines attached is the largest rocket stage NASA has built since the Saturn V stages for the



Apollo program that first sent Americans to the moon.



The core stage in the photo will be shipped to the Stennis Test center in Mississippi to be tested on a test stand sometime in 2020.

Minutes of the Florida Region AACA Board & General Meeting – November 11. 2019

The Florida Region AACA met at the Kress Memorial Church in Winter Park on November 11, 2019. President Mickey Bryant called the Board Meeting to order at 6:07 pm; General Meeting at 7:05 pm. Officers and Board Members present were Jack Scott, Larry Cole, Darrel Cole, Bill Morris, Bob Coolidge, Don Allen, Larry Mills, and Howard Gilkes. General Meeting had twenty-five (25) members in attendance.

Mickey led the Pledge of Allegiance to the flag of the United States of America. The Minutes of the October Meetings were approved as printed in "The Running Board".

Don Allen presented the Treasurer's Report for October, 2019. Mickey acknowledged Club Veterans and thanked them for their service to our Country.

President Mickey presented the program. It was a report on Durant's production of the Durant Roadster in 1910, the Little Car Company ("The Car That Could") in 1911, the Chevrolet in 1912 and became "The Man That Started General Motors".

At the Board Meeting Howard Gilkes made a motion for the Club to reimburse \$15 to each Florida Region Club Member and their spouse for their meal at the Christmas Party at the Golden Corral. No gratuity is required from Club Members. The Club will cover that separately. The motion passed unanimously.

Don Allen made a motion that Florida Region AACA donate \$1,000 to National AACA toward their Building Fund. The motion passed.

Wayne Bostak and Jack Scott reported on the visit to Allegro Assisted Living Center. All attendees enjoyed the event. Eleven (11) cars (and their drivers) participated.

Mickey gave a report on the Warren Wubker's Garage Tour. Those attending were impressed with the magnitude of the display. Maybe another future tour can be arranged.

Upcoming Events:

December 12 Christmas Party/Golden Corral 6:30 pm/Howard Gilkes, Chair

December 12 Officers and Board election for any office open for election,

(December Club Meeting follows Christmas Party)

January 13 Awards and Installation of 2020 Executive Board

March 9 Pot Luck Supper / Kendra Gilkes, Chairman

Orlando and Winter Park are seeking a nice convertible antique car for Miss Florida to ride in their Christmas Parades. Mickey Bryant is the contact. The Board Meeting was adjourned at 7:00 pm; General Meeting at 7:50 pm.

Howard Gilkes, Florida Region AACA Secretary Florida Region Christmas Party Location: Golden Corral, 897 West Town Parkway, Altamonte Springs, 32714 Date: Thursday, December 12, 2019, 6:30 pm Payment Method: Individual Payments Florida Region will reimburse \$15 to each member and their spouse for their meal. The club will pay Gratuity for all member meals Member friends are welcome at their own expense.

Please bring unwrapped toy for Children's Hospital unit. Short Monthly Meeting follows Christmas Party Group Leader: Howard Gilkes, 407.920.3136

Slate of Nominees for 2020 Executive Board

PresidentMickey BryantVice PresidentHoward GilkesTreasurerDon AllenSecretaryHoward Gilkes

All Board Members will be serving their second-year of their two-year term

Dues for 2020

The deadline for paying your 2020 dues is December 31, 2019. We are accepting

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them now, so why not mail it and have it done. The region dues are \$25 per year plus an extra \$21 if you want your newsletter mailed. Make your check out to Florida Region, AACA and mail it to Don Allen, 153 Poe Dr., Winter Haven, FL 33884

Also, your national dues are due at the same time and they are \$40 per year. Please make those checks to Antique Automobile Club of America and mail to 501 West Governor Rd., Hershey, PA 17033.

Welcome New Members

James Pfeiffer 715 N. Lake Pleasant Road Apopka, FL 32712 407-886-4615 prohobby@juno.com James has 3 1963 Chevys and all have 4-speed transmissions.

December Birthdays

Larry Cole	December 21
Lysa Dodds	December 25
Barbara Golub	December 23
Charles Jones	December 12
Arlene Mills	December 26
Jack Swain	December 16

Classic Trailers

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1935 Pontiac with Turquoise Canned Ham





1936 Pierce Arrow with Travelodge



1947 Custom Buick Sedanet with Matching Trailer



1951 Hudson Commodore with matching Trailer

1949 Studebaker Pickup with Purple Trailer to Match



1959 Chevrolet Impala Hardtop 2 door with Shasta Travel Trailer



1950 Buick Super with Matching Trailer

