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1940 Packard Darrin Victoria 180 -Amelia Island Winner

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Coming Events:

June	Florida Region board Meeting	To be scheduled
June 14	Florida Region General Meeting, 207 East 25th St., Sanford, FL 32771.	3:00PM
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President's Message

Greetings All,

We are still pushing forward for our Annual Car Show with the time frame sometime late October or early November. We will be sending you a request for your intent of participation in said event - be thinking about this, we would like to see as many of our club members to attend and need to get a count.

Just a reminder that the Annual Convention is scheduled for June 3-5, 2021 in Williamsburg, Virginia also National has sent me tickets for a raffle on a 1973 Jeep Commando or 5,000 in cash - Drawing to be held on Oct. 9, 2021 at Hershey Fall National's - Winner does not need to be Present. If you are interested in this raffle I have tickets at \$10 each which you can obtain at the regular meeting or contact me to make arrangements thru email: (ocnbryant@yahoo.com) or call 407-721-3259.

Our next activity will be our meeting at Magnolia Park by Lake Apopka at the #2 pavillon at 3 in the afternoon on the 14th of June. You will be contacted if this should change for any reason - we have been looking for another location because of summer or back to the church if we are able to get a positive response but have nothing confirmed as of now.

Keep up with the Running Board and the Florida Region Website.

Stay tuned-up and healthy in your travels or idling at home!

Happy Motoring!!!

Mickey Bryant

Letter from the Editor



Congratulations Larry and Darrel

**Amelia Award - American Classic
1933-1948: 1940 Packard Darrin Victoria
180, Darrel and Larry Cole - Orlando, FL**

Car of 2021 Amelia Island Concours



1953 Maverick Speedster courtesy of Geoff Hacker

1938 HISPANO-SUIZA XENIA

Did you know "souped up" isn't originally an automotive term, but rather an equestrian one. The origin of the term as shown in the 1911 dictionary is in reference to a "narcotic injected into horses to make them run faster." In that sense, "soup" was slang for the narcotic involved — you gave the horse "soup," and thus it was said to be "souped up." The automotive related definition could be found in the dictionary by 1921, just before the supercharger gained popularity in auto racing during the pre-war era.

Special Attention Notice!!!!

For the month of June we will be meeting at 207 East 25th St., Sanford, FL 32771.

This building is on the side of the Ace Hardware Store. To get there use either 17/92 or route 427, they run parallel and are only a few blocks apart. If using 17/92 going north, turn right on 25th St. and this address is less than a quarter mile. If going north on 427, turn left onto 25th St. and it will be in the first block. This building is air conditioned, well lighted and has restrooms. We are moving there for at least this month because it is getting too hot at the park we have been meeting at. We will still be meeting at 3PM. We hope you will enjoy meeting at this place until we can get back in the church, hopefully in July.

Don Allen

General Meeting –



1941 Lincoln Zephyr of Don Reinhart; 1950 Olds 88 of Tom Holt, Studebaker Avanti of Lawrence Golub

The May10, 2021 meeting of the Central Florida Region AACA was called to order by president Mickey Bryant with 13 members present. We were very happy to welcome the return of Millie and Dick Gauchat after their long absence from our club meetings. Don Allen gave the treasurer's report, which was approved as read.

President Bryant discussed several upcoming car shows in the area, and also the national AACA convention, which will be held in Williamsburg, Virginia in June. He also talked about a 1973 Jeep Commander that is being raffled off by the AACA. Tickets are \$10 each, with the option of winning \$5000 if you don't want the Jeep. Contact Mickey if you are interested in purchasing a ticket. He also provided information about the Dower Auto Museum that is opening in Sunrise, Florida with over 70 vintage cars displayed in period settings. Don Reinhart and Tom Holt were familiar with Dr. Dower and his cars and added even more interesting information about him and his collection.

Then President Bryant conducted a lengthy discussion about a possible car show that our club may sponsor in the fall. He

mentioned a venue, awards, a show package, sponsors, and vendors that would have to be organized before the event.

The 50/50 was won by Betsy Campbell; Gene Crawford and Don Allen won the Kennedy half dollars.



Following a trivia game about American cars, the group enjoyed cookies and special cupcakes decorated to honor Don Allen's birthday.

Mary Rose

Secretary Pro Tem

June Birthdays

Barbara Cole	June 22
Millie Gauchat	June 30
Margaret Hess	June 25
Janet MacMillan	June 6
Jan Smeenk	June 17
Steve Tunney	June 3

Auction Results



1934 Mercedes-Benz Spezial Roadster
Sold for \$4,900,000 Amelia Island
Bonhams Auction May 2021



1911 WINTON MODEL 17B FIVE-PASSENGER TOURING
\$318,500 USD
Sold

1911 Winton 17B Sold for \$318,500
Amelia Island RM Sotheby Auction May 2021



1958 Cadillac Eldorado Biarritz Sold
\$156,800 RM Sotheby Auction Amelia
Island May 2021



1929 Duesenberg Model J Torpedo
Convertible Coupe by Murphy Sold for
\$5,725,000 RM Sotheby Auction Amelia
Island May 2021



1960 Oldsmobile 98 Sold for \$56,000
RM Sotheby Auction Amelia Island May
2021