

Oct. 2, 2024

The October meeting of WACO was held at Jack's place with approximately 31 members present.

Kevin asked if the club members knew of any upcoming car shows. It was mentioned that the Argonia street drags would be on Saturday. The Robert Johnson car show would be on Saturday from 9-3 at 153rd & Kellogg. Hobo Happenings is coming up on Nov. 23 and some flyers were passed around about that show.

David G. gave the treasurer's report. We have money in the savings account, checking account, and some cash on hand. We are doing quite well right now but if you want to know how much we have you need to come to our meetings and hear it for yourself or else call David and ask him! (LOL)

The last meeting was held at the Sedgwick County Park and Kevin asked for feedback on the last meeting. The responses were all positive.

Kevin gave a report on the progress of the 1931 Fire Truck that we have been helping Don Hatten with. It is finished now. It is running. Thanks to several of our car club members who helped get it running. We had people work on the carb, the fuel lines, the spark plugs, and the steering wheel. The fire truck will be donated to the Fire Fighter's Museum located at Broadway and Bailey.

It was reported that last weekend was the Peabody show and that there were 35 Chevelle's there. This was a big show with over 161 cars present. Jack & Teresa reported on the truck show the previous weekend. Pete & Kevin reported on the Kansas City Chevelle show. It was held in Olathe and Kevin reported that next year when they host the Chevelle Regionals at the hotel it should be a good location.

Kevin told about the trunk or treat event at Don Hatten that we have been asked to participate in. Kevin asked how many volunteers would do this event. Doug, Bob and Kevin will all have cars there. Kevin is hoping to get at least one more car there. The candy that was brought tonight will go to this event. Don Hatten also provides candy for us to pass out.

Kevin reminded the club that our Christmas party is coming up on Dec. 14 at the WSU Metro Plex at 29th & Oliver. Kevin said we have a huge room that will easily hold 75 people. WSU will set up the chairs and tables for us. WACO will provide the meat, and members will bring potluck items to go with the meat. We can get in the room at 4 to set up. The party can start at 5 with visiting and then food could start around 6. We need to be finished and cleaned up by 9. Kevin asked for some volunteers to be on a Christmas party committee to plan the decorations and games and such. Becky, Lori, Connie, Teresa, Gretchen, Kevin and David will be on the Christmas committee.

Kevin had some WACO business cards that can be passed out at car shows to get some more members.

Show and Tell:

Reuben passed around the trophy that he won at Automobilia.

Kelly showed a picture of a 4 door Chevelle Police Car pulling a plane out of the mud.

Steve gave a talk about checking your parts closely before installing them. He had a brand-new cam shaft for his 283 that had a bad lobe on it. Luckily, he was able to get Summit to make it right and send him a new one.

Bob mentioned that the lunch that day at Inland Truck was fun. There were 12-15 cars there.

The Hutchinson swap meet is coming up on Oct. 26-27. Set up will be on Oct. 25. Be watching for details in David's emails.!!!

David H. mentioned that the Falcon club will no longer be putting on the Andover Car Show. They are looking for another car club to take over the event.

Bill mentioned that he had several old car, diesel, and motorcycle magazines to give away to anyone that is interested.

Meeting adjourned for visiting!