

July 1, 2020

The WACO meeting was held on July 1, 2020 in Mike's garage man cave with 16 members present. President David Hime started the meeting by expressing our thanks' to Mike for providing the garage space for us to have our meeting.

The June DQ outing had 29 people show up and was a very reasonable outing for the club to fund. Little Richard's DQ always takes good care of the Chevelle club and June was no exception. We were able to provide ice cream treats for 29 people and it only cost the club \$60. Pretty great treat night!

Last Saturday was the Cars in the Park in Newton. David Hime and Gary went to this show. David had pictures showing on the screen while we had our meeting.

This Saturday, July 4, is the annual 4th of July car show in Park City. David H. plans on being at this car show. He said they usually have a parade that starts around 9 AM and once the parade starts it is impossible to get to the park for the car show. The parade is a very good, but long parade. Once the parade is over the cars can get to the park again. The show gives out awards by 1 PM so that the rest of the day is yours to enjoy.

Saturday July 25, the car club will be helping to host a cruise in type event at the Wichita Union Stockyards located at 6251 W. MacArthur (MacArthur and Harry). This event will be similar to the Cars and Coffee event. There will be no entry fee and no awards. There will be some doughnuts and coffee for the people who show up. This event is from 7- 11 AM. WACO will be helping to park cars but really there isn't too much other work that we will have to do other than try to promote this event. The members gave David G. ideas on what needs to be on the flyer that he will be getting ready for this event.

The steak feed that was held at Mick and Margaret's house in June was a big success. Mick was extremely pleased with the amount of cars that were able to come. Mick mentioned that if we could pick better weather he would like to make this an annual event for the club.

David G. told about Dan & Lee Ann and their absence. Their daughter, Latisha, is in the Army and she was promoted to Lt. Colonel. Dan & Lee Ann were able to fly to her ceremony and they felt like they should self-quarantine after doing all that traveling. The club sends their congratulations to the Dreiling family on this great honor.

David H. read the note that he included with the Thank-you that was sent to Richard who donated the '67 Chevelle that Gary has bought from the club. Then David shared the note that he received back from Richard. Gary told the club how much he appreciated all of the help they have given him on this Chevelle that he is working on. David H. even sent pictures from the latest work-day to Dale to be added to the web-site.

David G. asked if there were any more members that wanted to order the WACO banner. He said he should be finalizing the order in the next week or so and getting the banners ordered. So if you want a WACO banner you need to contact David G. as soon as possible.

David H. told about some car shows that maybe coming in the future. However, because of the Covid-19, David said it is always best to call the person in charge of the car show to be sure they are going to actually have the show.

July 11, 2020 is supposed to be the Automobilia car show in downtown Wichita. This show is supposed to be held on Douglas from the railroad tracks all the way to Hydraulic. The plan was to have the cars along the edges of Douglas and all the vendors through the middle of the street.

July 18, 2020 is supposed to be the Evolution Car Show in Hutchinson.

Sept. 12, 2020 is the Norwich Car Show and Street Drags that were postponed from April.

That same day, Sept. 12, 2020 is the Showdown in the Valley Car Show at the Kansas Star Casino Arena that was also postponed from April.

The Regionals that were supposed to be held in Kansas City this September have been cancelled. They will try to do this event in 2021 instead. Kansas City has said they will refund any registration money that was sent to them. They are also going to refund the money that O'Reilly's gave them. At this point they had only spent about \$400 so they feel like this is the right time to cancel. We can all hope that next year will be a better year to have car shows!

David H. asked Doug if he knew any updates on The Chill. Doug reported that the last time he had talked to Richard, and Richard indicated he was waiting and watching to see what the State Fair would do. Now that the State Fair has made a decision to have the fair, Richard will have to weigh the risks and benefits and decide what he want to do. He will probably have a decision by August. David H. reported that he told Richard that he would support Richard no matter what decision he made for the show.

David H. reminded us that the weekend of the Chill is supposed to be the fall swap meet in Hutchinson also. We have already paid for our booth spaces. We will have to wait and see if the Swap Meet will actually happen or if it will be cancelled.

Doug shared a picture of a car that a friend is trying to sell. It is a 1965 GTO that they are asking \$35,000. Doug looked it over and said it was an extremely nice car. It appears to be a very solid car as he did not find any patches. It was as rust free as he has ever seen. It has been kept inside and appears to have been restored about 20 years or so. It is a tri-powered 3 speed. If you know of anyone who might be interested in this car please contact Doug and he will get you more information.

Becky then passed out some face masks that were donated from Asbury Church to those club members who need one before Friday.

Gary showed a T-shirt that he was wearing. He has a friend starting a business. If you provide her with a picture of your car she can put it on the T-shirt for you. The cost is \$16. If you are interested contact Gary Osman.

Bob Cox shared a business called Philips Muscle Car Parts in Tulsa Oklahoma. He was mentioning how this guy has all kinds of parts if you are having trouble finding a part for your car. That prompted David H. to say that he would like for the club members to pass on information like this to him. David wants to create an info page for our web-site that would include places of business that we like to use. He knows that each club member has a certain place that they like to use. David wants to put all of this information together so club members have recommended places to support when working on their cars!

David H. then showed the pictures that he had taken on Tuesday when they had worked on Gary's Chevelle.

Meeting Adjourned.