

Aug. 5, 2020

The WACO monthly meeting was held at AJ's Bar and Grill on Aug. 5, 2020 with 22 members present. WACO purchased pizza for everyone. After some good pizza the meeting began with David Hime telling what a great turnout we had at the Wichita Stockyards Cars and Coffee event. He thanked Mick and Margaret for all their help with this event. The owner of the Wichita Stockyards told Mick that he would be interested in doing this event again sometime.

David also mentioned how we had a great turnout for our last Dairy Queen night. We will be having another one on Aug. 15. WACO will buy ice cream for any members that show up!

David H. asked for suggestions for our next luncheon to be sent to David G. The only issue is whether the restaurant can accommodate the social distancing required for our group.

Look for an email about some upcoming work days. There is an engine test stand that needs some work done on it to make it work better. Currently it is located in Gary's barn. The plan is to have a work day in the next week or so to fix this engine test stand. Then they will use this stand to do some work for other club members and their cars.

John Sutter reported that he has found 2 engines that are possibilities. David H. suggested that we have a work day to help John with the engine that he ultimately gets.

David H. asked if there was any new information about The Chill. No one knew anything at this time. We believe that Richard is scheduled to make a decision by the end of the month.

David H. reported that the Automobilia Moonlight Car show was successful with estimated 400-500 cars that showed up. Someone said that a lot of the Charity Car shows are moving outside the city limits to keep their shows going.

The postponed Chili Cook-Off Event that we didn't get to have in March doesn't really look like it can happen. The House of Schwann is still closed. There was some discussion about ignoring the Chili Cook-off and just concentrating on having our Christmas Party in December. Mick did offer his garage and patio if we still wanted to have the Chili Cook-off. Nothing was decided on or voted on at this time.

David H. told us that he had received information that the Norwich Street Drags have been cancelled. He also told us that the car show in Alva, OK has also been cancelled. He said that some of the car shows in smaller communities away from Wichita are still having their events but if you plan to go you should make a phone call first to be sure they will still have the show.

Kevin Brand shared that he has built a display for his vehicle. This display was built with the Cars for Charities event in mind. The display can be a 20x20 or a 20x40. He said that he would be willing to share the display with someone if he got a 20 x40 spot. Or if he can't attend then he would be willing to loan the display that he has made to a couple of car club people that might want to go to Cars for Charities. Kevin also volunteered to talk to Mike

Rickards (spelling?) about trying to get the club to be close to his display. That would prevent anyone from being under the ledge as we were last year. We will have to wait and see if the Cars for Charities event will still go on for 2021.

Kevin also suggested a good luncheon spot might be Carriage Crossing in Yoder. Kevin lives on the west side and suggested meeting at his house and then going on to Yoder.

The meeting ended with everyone visiting with each other!

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