

Sept. 1, 2021

The Sept. WACO meeting was held in Mike's garage with 28 members present. After a terrific pizza dinner provided by WACO, David Hime started the meeting.

David announced that his wife Connie had a knee replacement and was home recuperating. For those that wanted to send cards the address is 3705 E. Murdock 67208.

David thanked Kevin and David G. for setting up the tour of the Tank museum. The members that attended really enjoyed the museum. David suggested that members think about other museums or places of interest that the car club could tour and please email those suggestions to either David G. and David H.

Upcoming Car Shows:

Sept. 25 is the Annual Fish Fry that Gerald Allen and family host. It is also the Sunflower Lodge Car Show at Davis Moore.

Rally at the Region is next weekend, I think, but I am not sure of the date. Didn't get it written down and not sure where this show is! (Sorry about that) ☹

There is a Labor Day Car Show at Severy.

Sept. 17 is the Valley Center Downtown Car Show

Sept. 18 is the Draggin' Douglas night. We usually visit the DQ on that night. Not sure how we will handle it since Richard might not have enough help. Watch for more information as we figure out how to handle this dilemma.

There are also some major shows for Alva, OK on Sept. 17-19 and the Last Run in Ark. City on Sept. 24-26.

October has a few car shows. But the big events in October will be The Chill and the 2 swap meets. One Swap meet is Oct. 8-9 at MADD. Then the Hutchinson Swap Meet is Oct. 22.

Right now we have the WACO Chili Cook-off scheduled for Nov. 6 at The House of Schwann. See the rest of the minutes for more information on this!

David G. then shared that Richard from Little Richard's DQ is saying this may be his last year. He wants to sell the business. We believe he has been running this DQ for over 45 years. He is 87 years old. His birthday is in October. David Hime suggested that we do something for his birthday as he has been very good to our car club over the years! Any suggestions please contact one of the David's!!!

David Hime then shared a page of his car's diary on all the work that has been done on his car. As of tonight his car is running again! David had BIG THANKS for the guys that helped with his car. Namely, thanks to Mick for all his help. Also thank you to Gary and John who helped as well.

David G. shared that Richard wouldn't be able to give any details about The Chill as his grandson Liam had tested positive for COVID and he would need to stay home.

David G. then asked the club for their input on the Chili Cook-off at the House of Schwann. David said he had not received a contract yet from the House of Schwann for our Nov. 6 party. He was wondering if the club would rather do something else for the Chili Cook-off and whether to schedule the Christmas Party at the House of Schwann instead. His

concern is that since no contract has come yet, he is wondering if there is a problem. If we schedule a time it will cost us another \$200 dollars or so on top of what we have already paid them. If we decide not to use them we can get our original \$220 back to use another way. Mike had volunteered his garage for the Chili Cook-off if we want to. He said he has plenty of plug-ins and counter space for the Chili's. David Hime then mentioned that motorcycle museum in Augusta has a place that can be rented for only \$75. It would have a limit of 80 people and the food would have to be brought in or catered in but that is another option for us. David G. asked the club members to ponder what they would like to do and send suggestions to him by email. Mick shared that he personally thought the House of Schwann was a better fit for our Christmas Party than a restaurant is. His suggestion was to change the Nov. 6 date to a Dec. date for the Christmas Party. Again club members are strongly encouraged to reach out to David Gohring by email or phone and let him know what you would prefer for our Chili Cook-off and Christmas Parties.

David Hime introduced a new member: David Udden is working on putting together a '64 Chevelle.

David H. also mentioned that Gary Osman had a birthday the day before our meeting and that Steve Castaneda has a birthday the day after our club meeting. Everyone said Happy Birthday to them.

David Gohring said that he had forgotten to bring the Treasurer's report that he had printed out. He said that he had paid for DQ, Go Daddy, and the pizza. So he said subtract those payments from last month's balance and you will know what our club balance is!

David Hime announced that for the month of Oct. Mike's garage will be unavailable. He was asking for alternate locations. Greg volunteered his garage if we wanted to use it! Thank you Greg!

Mike H. said he has no update on club t-shirts. He has hit a roadblock because all the vendors want the artwork on a vector file and that isn't what he has. He also said he doesn't know how to change it to a vector file. If anyone knows anything about this please contact Mike Howell.

Then David H. said a big Thank You to Mike & Cindy for the use of their garage for the club meetings. Everyone said Thank you and the meeting was adjourned to allow for visiting.