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## WACO Family and Friends

There is a lot of new stuff here.

The car show that some of us attended on Sunday at Heartsprings was called "Rats for Autism". It was a fun free show that was for the kids. It was a fun show and the autistic kids seemed to have a really good time looking at the cars, trucks and motorcycles. You will find a few photos on our web site that David Hime took.

We had a good time at the meeting on Tuesday at Mimi's (old La Chinita's Downtown). If you missed it then you missed a good time with a lot of chit chat going on and very little business. The food was good, the margaritas were good and the beer was cold.

One of the things that we did talk about at the meeting is the WACO Christmas Party. We are going to see if we can have it at the House of Schwan again. Richard volunteered to smoke a turkey and Doug volunteered to cook a ham. If anyone else wants to volunteer to cook a main meet dish, please let me know. We will have it pot luck on the rest of the dishes like we usually do. I will contact the HOS and set it up if we can do it there again.

Another thing that we talked about is our next WACO luncheon. It looks like we are going to try and have it on Thursday October 18<sup>th</sup>. Please send me your suggestions on where to have it. One suggestion that was give is "The Artichoke". Do they have enough seating for us? Please send me your suggestions.

There seems to be a lot going on in the next week or so. Saturday races at KID, Nostalgia Drags at KID, cruise to Winfield and tour a private car museum. Saturday Pub Crawl, Woofstock 2018 and delivering charity funds to our local vets. I will try to cover some of these items below.

We need to take the check for the money that we raised for Battle Buddies to them. Jay has suggested that we take it to the during Woofstock this Saturday at Sedgwick county park. Jay would like to get a group of us together to present the check to them. Many of you attend this event

already and if you would like to join us then please let me know. We haven't set up an exact time yet but with Jays help we will get that done. Please let me know if you would like to go with us and I will let you know the time and place. This should be fun.

We also need to take the check to the American Legion / Honor Flight on Tuesday Oct 9<sup>th</sup>. I believe that their meeting is at 7:00 so we will show up a half an hour or so early to have a beer with the guys and then present them the check. I think they are at Waterman and Murdock, I will verify that with Jay. We do not have to stay for the whole meeting. We would like to have a group of people there so please let me know if you can attend. All of this should make an enjoyable evening.

**This Saturday** you might want to Join Jay and others in the **PUB Crawl**. From what I understand the Pub Crawl starts at the VFW in Haysville. They have two party busses that hit all of the VFW's in town and then return they return everyone to the Haysville VFW or to the Casino that is down there. It sounds like a good time cruising to all of the places and then ending up where the party is. There will be food and live music for everyone to enjoy. Give Jay a call for more information.

This weekend KID has a lot going on for race fans. Saturday is test and tune I understand and then Sunday is the Nostalgia Drags. This should make it a good weekend out at KID unless it rains. (See more information below).

If you want to go on a nice **cruise** Saturday Oct 13<sup>th</sup> I understand that the **private Automobile Museum** down in **Winfield** will be open. The place isn't open very often so you should take the opportunity to have a pleasant cruise to Winfield and see some great cars.

**It is time to get ready for the Fall swap meet in Hutchinson.** October 26<sup>th</sup> & 27<sup>th</sup>, 2018. Vendor set up Thursday October 25<sup>th</sup> from noon until 9:00 pm

Speaking of the swap meet, we have a bunch of Chevelle parts that were donated to WACO by John Bedenbender from Texas that we are going to sell to raise money for our club. Come to the swap meet and check out all of the parts that will be for sale. Bring

some of your own parts to sell. It is a good time and a chance to see your friends if nothing else.

I think that is all for now. Please check out the items below.

David Gohring

## **UPCOMING EVENTS & MORE**

Always check your **Cruzin 18 Calendar of Events** for all of the things to do in the Wichita and surrounding area.

Do not forget about the Friday evening cruise in at Central and West Street.

### **WACO monthly meeting –**

**WACO Luncheon –** Thursday October 18<sup>th</sup>, location pending. Give me suggestions.

**Cars and Coffee –** The third Saturday of each month from 8:00 am until 11:00 am in the parking lot of THE ALLEY. Is this over for the year?

### **Draggin Douglas –**

#### **Bartel Racing – Saturday October 6th**

Looking at my work schedule and type of events going on at KID, here is my plans with the Chevelle before Winter.

Saturday October 6<sup>th</sup> is a test-n-tune at KID. I plan on making motor only passes this day to see how fast I can go on motor only. Goal is 9.99 or better. Hoping the track conditions along with good rear shock settings will net me some good ET's.

Then I will take the Chevelle home and change out the plugs for colder Nitrous use and adjust the timing. Plan is to race during the Bracket Races on Saturday October 20<sup>th</sup>. I plan to just enter Pro as this is ¼ mile. If the weather is no good? Then I may have to schedule to haul down to OKC and make some hits there.

Unless it rains

***Richard O. Bartel***

**Argonia Street Races -** The Argonia Show/Race date is Oct 6th rain date Oct 13. Ron plans on attending this show so he can kick butt in the street races. We all need to attend this to show our support.

**Kansas International Dragway – Sunday Oct 7<sup>th</sup> Nostalgia Drags**  
unless it rains KID Nostalgia Drag Races--Oct 7th-- Gates open 8am--Eliminations 1  
ish

**Winfield Private Old Car Museum – Saturday October 13<sup>th</sup>** Heard the  
private car collection in Winfield Ks is having a open house Oct13th. It has several 60-  
70s muscle cars, hemi's ---COPOs---LS6s---Real Shelby Cobra and others. This is  
something not to miss, not open very often.

**HUTCHINSON FALL SWAP MEET – October 26<sup>th</sup> & 27<sup>th</sup>, 2018**  
Vendor set up Thursday October 25<sup>th</sup> from noon until 9:00 pm

***Kruz'n for Kids - A Holiday Tradition.*** - Westway Shopping Center on  
Sunday, October 28, 2018 from 1:30-3:30PM. **14th Annual Kruz'n for Kids**  
**Charity Car Cruise** to benefit ***Toys for Tots.***  
***Meet at WSU and line up at 12:30 the Kruz to the Westway Shopping***  
***Center with your new unwrapped gifts for the Kids***

**Hobo Happenings – November 17<sup>th</sup>** Downtown beautiful Douglas  
Kansas, this is a fun downtown show \$20.00 entry fee, Free ham  
and bean feed, coffee, hot chocolate & cornbread. For more  
information call Ed Jennings 316-644-5596

### **Things To Do In The Wichita Area**

In case you cannot find information about anything going on except car  
shows. I will list some of the fun things going on in the Wichita area that are  
not car related. I hope that everyone has a great summer.

**Field Stations Dinosaurs – 10:00 am until 6:00 pm, Derby**  
**Tuesdays on the Terrace at Botanica – 6-8 pm Tuesdays**  
**Rent a Kansas Cabin – Various Parks around the state**  
**Drive – In Movies - 3900 S Hydraulic**  
**Work on your Chevelle – You know that you want to, then have a**  
cold beer

**OLD NEWS**

## **FOR SALE**

Please check out our web site and give me suggestions as to what changes you would like to see made. [www.wichitachevelle.com](http://www.wichitachevelle.com)

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