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## **WACO family and Friends**

Below is some of the stuff that we have discussed about the Christmas party.

WACO Christmas / New Year's Eve Party – Saturday December 28<sup>th</sup>, 2019 from 5:30 until 9:00 pm. At the House of Schwan, 3636 N Comotara. It should be a great time so reserve the date on your calendar.

We discussed what we would like to do for the gift exchange this year. It was decided to just have the regular gift exchange and not do the white elephant exchange this year. The club voted to keep the gift around \$20. You do not have to participate but if you want to, bring a gift already wrapped. If the gift is male or female oriented please mark it so that we can tell. If it doesn't matter which gender receives it then do not mark it.

We will also have a pot luck supper so bring a dish to share if you would like to.. The drinks will be provided from the House of Schwan. They have beer on tap, water and soft drinks. You can bring your own bottle of wine if you want but no hard liquor.

We will need some volunteers to cook the main meat dishes, such as a turkey, pulled pork or a ham.

Please plan on attending our party even if you can't show up on time or stay the whole evening. It is always great to see and get to visit with everyone.

### **WACO Updates:**

David Hime had someone contact him about some 71 Chevelle parts that he wanted to donate to WACO. David made arrangements with the guy and he dropped all of the parts off at David's house. This will give us more parts to sell at the Wichita swap meet in March and earn a few dollars for WACO.

I am hoping that after the first of the year we will be able to tour the Tank Museum that is in Wichita at 33<sup>rd</sup> and Emporia. I spoke with them and

they think that they should have everything approved by the city by then and they will give me a call.

At our last meeting at Spears we had two new members show up. Both of them own El Caminos and both of them are named Kevin. Kevin Brand 1965 El Camino and Kevin Clark with a 1972 El Camino. Make sure that you welcome them into the club the next time that you see them.

Also the free pie at Spears was excellent.

Please send me your suggestions on meeting locations, cruise destinations and luncheon locations. We will try to work them all in next year.

Be sure to read the minutes of our last meeting. Please let me know if you have a problem opening them to read them. I won't know how to fix it but you can still let me know. 😊

I think that is all for now. I look forward to seeing all of you at our annual Christmas Party.

### **UPCOMING EVENTS & MORE**

**WACO Monthly Meeting** – We will not have a monthly meeting in January since it is so close to the holidays and our Christmas / New Year's Eve party. We will probably still have a WACO luncheon later in the month.

**WACO Luncheon** – The location has not been determined at this time.

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**Wichita Swap Meet** – March 13<sup>th</sup> & 14<sup>th</sup>, Set up is on March 12<sup>th</sup>. As usual we have 4 booth spaces so that members can bring their items to sell. Please plan on helping with set up and attending this year. If nothing else it is a lot of fun and a good time to BS with everyone.

**The Chill** – March 20<sup>th</sup>, 21<sup>st</sup>, 22<sup>nd</sup> 2020, WACO has volunteered to help at this event. In return for helping money is donated to WACO. Please volunteer to help. This event is our annual fundraiser for WACO.

Please check out our website for more automobile related things to do.

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