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WACO family and Friends

We had a great time at the DQ once again. We had at least 24 people show up and an impressive display of cars. Richard said that he really enjoys it when we stop by for some refreshments. To me it seemed like there were a lot of people stopping by just to look at our cars.

We have decided on a date and time for our next WACO Luncheon. Thursday August 20th 1:00 pm at Spears Restaurant and Pie shop. Margaret suggested that we meet on Thursday because that is **FREE PIE** day. I thought that was a great suggestion. Doug made the reservations for us so we should be good to go.

I heard that a whole lot of cars showed at the Hurts Friday night cruise in spot.

We had a good time getting together again to work on the engine starting cart. I am not sure who did the most work on it but I think that it was Jay. Thanks Jay.

Mark Elsworth called David Hime and said that he has some good stuff to donate for the cart. We will have to set up a cruise time to go by Mark's and pick up some stuff.

Ron Fleming sent us some tech information on rear ends. Here it is and you should also be able to see it on our web site after you read it and then delete this e-mail.

How to check rear end ratio without removing cover. For a single tack rear end jack up one tire put transmission in neutral and mark the driveshaft and wheel/tire. Turn the wheel 2 complete turns counting the driveshaft rotations.

2 3/4 rounds= 2.73 3 rounds= 3.08 3 1/2 rounds= 3.50 3 3/4 rounds= 3.70 4 rounds= 4.11 For a posi-track, use the same procedure except, jack both tires up and turn each one complete turn.

A gentleman named Mark Lane 316-350-4058 called to let us know that he has a bunch of 1966 Chevelle parts that he wants to sell. He would like to sell everything at one time and not piece meal it out. It sounds like he has a bunch of parts he wants to move out. Here are some of the things that he mentioned but it is not everything that he has. All of the parts are used and are descent parts according to him. All kinds of body parts, lots of trim parts, some console stuff. Windows, Doors, bumpers, big block starters, steering column stuff for a floor shift car, floor shifters and much more. He would like to get \$2,500.00 for everything but will take offers.

The **Hutchinson swap meet** is going to be held as scheduled. Troy baton sent me an e-mail to let us know. He would also like our help in spreading the news. Please read his note below and help spread the word if you can.

With all that **HASN'T** been going I haven't been able to get out to hand out flyers. I will need all the people that use Facebook and all the other social media outlets to help telling the world of car people that the swap meet is going to happen. The fair board has accepted my signed contract and my check for the rent. Troy Batson

For more information see below or contact Troy @ Troy Batson tbatson@cox.net

WACO Cruises – Once the weather cools off a bit we do plan on doing some cruises. We are going to cruise to locations that are an hour or less drive from Wichita. Help us plan by sending us some more spots that you would like to cruise to as a club. They could be eating places, historical sites or just neat places to cruise to. We will try to do the cruises on the weekends so that everyone can participate that wants to. Please let me know.

Does anyone have more information on Rocky Mountain Race Week 2.0?

Does anyone know about how to vote on “The Best Burger in Wichita”?

David H. sent me some information on this which I will share with you next time.

I understand that the contest starts sometime in September and ends sometime in October. What little I know about it is that you buy a ticket for \$30.00 some dollars and then you will have 4-6 weeks to hit each of the designated burger spots, eat a burger and then put in your vote.

This might be a fun thing to do if some of our members would like to cruise around together and try them out.

If you have any more information on this, please let me know so I can check it out.

Covid-19

For the latest information on the reopening of Kansas from the Covid-19 crap go to: www.covid.ks.gov.

WACO Monthly Meeting –

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Friday Night Cruise In Spot

There is a cruise in at 7010 W 21st Street North, Hurts Donuts, from 6:00 until 10:00 pm.

Cars N Coffee - at “The Alley” It will be on the 3rd Saturday of each month from 8:00 am until 11:00 am March through October. It is a fun Saturday morning show.

DQ Cruise In –

Draggin Douglas – Saturday Evening, September 19th, and October 17th.

Hot Rod Power Tour – August 23rd – 29th 2020, A 1,300 mile cruise with 5,000 other hot rods, June 7 - Norwalk, OH, June 8 - Dayton, OH, June 9 - Indianapolis, IN, June 10 - Madison, IL, June 11 - Champaign, IL, June 12 - Davenport, IA, June 13 - Madison, WI, for more information go to www.hotrod.com/events/power-tour/ Save money by preregistering.

Spring Fling Car Show Norwich & Main Street Drags – CANCELLED Gene Rich 316-210-1731, gjrich72@gmail.com

Showdown In The Valley – Saturday, September 12th with move in on Friday, September 11th. More info to come. Saturday April 25th, Kansas Star Arena, Mulvane Marauders,

Midwest Chevelle Regional 2020 – Cancelled for 2020

Rocky Mountain Race Week 2.0 - Sept 13-17. Tulsa Raceway Park 9/13. Tech from 7am to 3 pm track will be hot from 4 to 10pm. rockymountainraceweek.com

ROUTE 66 MOTHER ROAD FESTIVAL – 19TH Annual International – September 25 – 27 2020, Celebrate the golden age of Route 66, Cruises, Burn Out Competition, live entertainment, vendor marketplace, Pin Up contest, 40 car classes, Downtown Springfield Ill., For more information <https://www.route66fest.com/>

Calling All Cars / Pressley Zeplin Show – This Benefit show is still on. Saturday September 26th, 4:00 – 8:00 pm, 11910 W Pawnee, (119th Street & Pawnee).

Pate Texas Swap Meet – October 1st thru October 3rd, Texas Motor Speedway, Fort Worth Texas, Interstate 35 West and Hwy 114, general admission free, parking \$5.00, for more information call 713-649-0922. Plus they have a car show on Saturday May 2nd from 8:00 am until 2:00 pm. And you can enjoy a **FREE** Prostrate Cancer PSA blood test. They will be offered to Pate Swap Meet attendees.

Gun Show Hartman Arena – October 10th & 11th 2020.

The Chill - SAVE THE DATE! “The 2020 Chill” has been moved to Oct 23rd – 25th of this year! We have been working with Ray Tent Rentals as well as the Textron Aviation Employees Club to get these dates confirmed.

With this message please help us spread the word that “The Chill” is only postpone and not cancelled. For all Vendors & Exhibitors we will try to reach everyone so that travel / hotel plans can be completed. Please give us a few days to get the posters / fliers redone with the new dates on the website as well as Facebook.

HUTCHINSON FALL SWAP MEET – October 23rd & 24th 2020, Kansas State Fairgrounds Hutchinson KS, Friday 7:00 am until 6:00 pm, Saturday 7:00 am until 5:00 pm, Vendor set up October 22nd 12:00 until 9:00 pm, Vendor gates open 6:00 am Friday & Saturday, FREE admission, For more information call 316-832-0569 5-10 pm only.

Alva Oklahoma Show – You have all probably heard that the 20th annual show has been **postponed**. Below is the information that I have.

ATTENTION BIG CRUISE AND CAR SHOW FANS!

The R.A.C.E. Club had a meeting on Monday, July 27 to discuss the impact of having the show and the risks of the corona virus to you, the club members, and the Alva community. After much discussion that included modifying versus postponing. The majority vote was to postpone the 20th Annual Big Cruise and Car Show to **September 17, 18 & 19, 2021** so that we may continue with the plans to put on a large show including giving away a 1980 Corvette.

We are working on planning a cruise night for Saturday, August 22, 2020 and another SUPER cruise night on Saturday, September 19, 2020. Keep an eye on this page and our website www.bigcruiseandcarshow.com for future updates.

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If anyone is looking for a real nice chopper then you need to contact Richard Bartel 316-631-5462. Wanted to let you all know today that I am going to sale my 04 Big Dog Chopper. Full retail is \$8,995. I am wanting \$7,500 Cash. New this bike was \$28,000. If you have seen this Chopper, you know it is like brand new. I had Matt Moore Owner of Big Dog Motorcycles replace all of the wiring. It has new tires and brake pads. I did replace the front forks when I bought it due to the insides of the forks had rusted and would not allow the seals to seal. If you know anyone interested, please share with them, thanks.

Does anyone want to buy a wood chipper? 5-1/2 hp, chews up branches up to 3", almost like new, 😊, make a reasonable offer. David G. 316-706-0973