

10/25/23

WACO Family and Friends;

Don't forget, we have a **swap meet in Hutchinson** coming up on October 27th and 28th 2023. We will **set up on Thursday the 26th** and we have booth spaces MB 82 83 84 & 85 almost the same as usual but better.

LOOK AT THE NEW BOOTH SPACES.

This year we plan on meeting at the Hutchinson fair grounds on Thursday the 26th at 12:00 pm, noon for set up. You have from noon until 7:00 pm on Thursday and then again Friday morning at 6:00 am to 8:00 am to get set up.

If you can share a ride with someone that would be great.

The swap meet is open to all on Friday and Saturday.

It will be here before you know it. Get your stuff gathered up, marked with pricing and ready to go now.

WACO booth spaces are available free to all WACO members. You do not have to be at the swap meet all day both days if you bring stuff to sell. We usually have plenty of volunteer help to take care of our things.

We have only one WACO work shirt left. It is red, XX Large and it is looking for a new owner. If you are wanting one you better get it soon.

Our next WACO meeting will be on Wednesday November 1st, 6:30 pm at Mike Howell's shop 11400 E Douglas.

During the swap meet we will be selling BBQ Grill raffle tickets, Chevelle raffle tickets and taking up a collection for the Morrison Volunteer Fire Department, so please come and help if you have the time.

We are going to take up a collection for the Morrison Volunteer Fire Department to thank them for saving the lives of two of our WACO members Richard & Robin Bartel. If you would like to send them something on your own then here is the address.

Morrison Vol. Fire Dept.

PO Box 96

Morrison OK, 73061

We will have a collection jar set up at the swap meet for donations.

We would like to get the money sent off to them after our next meeting on the 1st.

Both Richard & Robin are home now. They both have a long way to go to be healed up but at least they are home now. We all need to keep them in our thoughts and prayers.

If you would like to send a get well soon card to Richard & Robin.

Richard & Robin Bartel

6940 S Huckelberry

Derby KS 67037

meal train for Bartel's

Robin gave me the link for the meal train for when Richard gets home from the hospital.

Here is the link that she gave me:

<https://mealtrain.com/31z60w>

Lori sent the link to Amanda to put it on the WACO Facebook page. I didn't know if you wanted to send it in your email updates that you send out.

Becky Stucky

The Military Guns and Collectibles Show will be held on November 4th & 5th at the Cessna Activity Center. There are always a lot of interesting items there for sale so do not forget to attend.

If you are wanting to buy a WACO license tag for the front of your Chevelle, please get hold of Matt Endsley 316-207-9538 and let him know the year of your Chevelle so that he can customize the tag for your car. He is selling these tags to members for only \$10.00 each. He will be selling other customized tags at the Regionals next year for \$20.00, so get yours now. See attached example below, they will be like the color ones.



I received my post card for the Hobo Happening car show for November 18th in the big city of Douglass KS. It is a good show to attend in November.

DO NOT FORGET YOUR SHOW N TELL ITEM AT THE NEXT MEETING!!.

V-8 BBQ Grill Raffle. We are now selling raffle tickets for someone to win a beautiful V-8 looking gas grill. We have the grill and will be selling tickets at the next meeting and WACO Luncheon.

If members will help sell the tickets or at least buy some then we be successful. We raffled one off in the past and did real good raising money for the club. The tickets will only be \$1.00 each or 6 tickets for \$5.00.

The grill costs around \$500.00 so it is a sizeable investment by WACO. Plus we have to buy the raffle tickets to sell, they may cost around another \$100.



I have attached the flier that we will be using to sell the BBQ grill tickets.

If you have sold tickets for the Chevelle give away please come to the next meeting and turn in the money so we can get paid. Turn in the money to David Hime ASAP for the tickets that you have sold. You can continue to sell tickets almost until the time of the drawing. Do not forget that we are also currently trying to sell tickets to the **Chevelle raffle**. We make \$7.50 per ticket that we sell. David Hime is doing a great job on this so far.

As you all know David Hime has signed us up with an opportunity to make some **money for WACO**. We are selling Raffle Tickets for the Kansas Masonic Statewide Lodges and that gives everyone the chance to WIN a 1966 Chevelle Convertible. Several of our members took a packet of tickets to sell. Please help support WACO and the Kansas Masonic Statewide Lodges by either selling a packet of the tickets or by buying one of the tickets.

David Hime will have books of tickets and I will have individual tickets at the next meeting or event so if you are looking to buy one please ask me about them. If you can't make it to the WACO Luncheon or one of our meetings / get together's but you still want to purchase

a ticket then please mail a check to me / WACO, made out to "Kansas Masonic Foundation" for \$20.00 and I will mail you a ticket. See WACO address below.

Also, please send me information to put in the "WACO Update". As you can tell most of this stuff I make up myself except for the minutes which are always good for more information. Even jokes from Doug are acceptable. J

We have a fine group of gentlemen working on putting together the **Midwest Chevelle Regionals 2024** here in Wichita. If you have any suggestions please let Kevin Clark, Bob Cox or David Hime know about them. They are making good progress in most areas but can use all of the help and suggestions that they can get.

We had a great turnout at our luncheon on Tuesday at Wichita Burner. The free burgers, brats, hot dogs, cookies, chips and soft drinks were great also. We had a good turnout on cars ranging from Hondas, Buicks, Trans Ams to good ole Chevelle's. Everything went well, we all had a good time and we even sold around \$120.00 worth of BBQ Grill raffle tickets. It was a good day. I think that we will be invited again.

It is now 2023 and time to renew your WACO dues at only \$30.00 per year.

WACO Events-

WACO Monthly Meeting –

Do not forget to bring your show and tell item for the meeting.

WACO Luncheon –

CAR SHOWS: follow one of the following links.

<https://www.audacy.com/keyn/events>

<http://www.mulvanemarauders.com/index2.cfm>

Here is a link to a good show in Potwin on Saturday August 26th:

https://m.facebook.com/story.php?story_fbid=pfbid0etrWWCusef4kCzEEcuDfQ16oPJRHJsBQqoXnr1ZAXUvnqgRaasemKfCMx7Eo4GbZl&id=100063471313959&mibextid=tejx2t

Another good show is: The Peabody Cruise is an event for Bikes and Hot Rods. It takes place every fourth Sunday April-October, 100-127 N Walnut St, Peabody, KS, United States, Kansas (785) 488-6856 PeabodySundayCruise@gmail.com
<https://www.facebook.com/PeabodyCruise/>

Here is some current information From Greg on the **Cars and Coffee** show that is going on Saturday mornings. It looks like Cars and Coffee will start on Saturday March 18th and be held the third Saturday of each month after that at WSU 21st and Oliver.

SWAP MEETS: Please let me know if you hear of more swap meets that I need to list.

Hutchinson October 27 – 28 2023,
Set up Thursday noon-7pm, Swap Meet Friday 7-6 pm & Saturday 7-5 pm. We have booth spaces MB-80, 81, 82 & 83.

CRUISES:

Needed or For Sale items:

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I am – You are, “We the People”

Today is the most important day of your life.

In God We Trust

Never Forget