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IN MEMORY OF CARL BOYD

By: Keith Hall

For health reasons I have not gotten to know most of the club members who have joined these last several years. I was club president in 1988 and have served the club in several offices. Perhaps the most important and memorable was the 20+ years I served as Carl's co-chair for the KYANA Swap Meet.

Much of KYANA's success can be attributed to Carl Boyd. He introduced technology to the meet by computerizing operations. I believe that Carl was instrumental in bringing the 1st National AACA Car Show to Louisville. He was the first KYANA member elected to the National AACA board. KYANA now has two more members Chester Robertson and Fred Trusty that were elected. Carl was the driving force among those of us who located, purchased and converted a church building into our current KYANA Club House. I personally know several instances of Carl helping individuals and am sure there were many more. Carl was secretly generous.

Recently Carl and I were reminiscing about our years working together, accepting responsibility of the swap meet from the able hands of Dwight Hardesty and its progression down to the current chairmanship Chester Robertson and Maureen Vannatta. KYANA also owes much appreciation to past chairman Perry Probst and Steve Koonter. The job takes a lot of dedication and hard work from the chairmans and all the KYANA membership. Carl and I recognize how fortunate we were for all the members who worked and 6'6" height, but for his leadership, dedication and the special friendship we shared.



From the President Fred Trusty

Most of you probably heard the news but just in case you haven't, KYANA recently lost two of our long term members; Carl Boyd and Paul Clark. Carl was a member since 1971 and Paul joined KYANA in 1989. KYANA has also lost 4 other members this year; Billy Bates, Donna Hartman, Sherry Myers, and Imogene Wesner. Please keep their families in your prayers and thoughts.

I just returned from The KYANA Region Awards and Elections dinner and I would like to report that all four officers were re-elected along with Brian Hill for another term as director. I would like to welcome Brian Koressel as a new board member for 2020 who replaces Neil White. Neil has done a fantastic job as director but has his hands full taking care of family matters for the time being.

I spent the first week of November in sunny southern California attending the AACA National show in Fallbrook, CA. I was invited to attend the San Diego Region monthly meeting since I'm the AACA Western Division VP. The San Diego region has about 60 members and wants to grow. They have a few members under the age of 50 but most are in their 70's and 80's with several in their 90's. Sound familiar? There were some long discussions both during and after the meeting on how to attract more (younger) members. I don't think anyone has the magic answer but the one idea that I hear from regions is that we need to drive our cars and be seen. Even if it's just a short trip to the grocery store, the hardware store, or lunch, people will come up and start asking about your car. Anyway, the point I'm trying to make is that we all need to promote the old car hobby.

As I mentioned, I spent a week in Fallbrook, CA and learned a lot about southern California. It only rains a couple of months a year and since it's basically a desert area, there are a lot of rust free older cars. The twisty curving roads in the hills of the wine country area make for great touring in an old car. I had the pleasure of riding with the show chairman, Ron Mintle, in his '68 Chevelle SS 396 convertible on the winery tour Wednesday. The three wineries were completely different in how they operate but all three produced a great product. Unfortunately, their wines cannot be shipped to Kentucky because of our import laws. On Thursday we toured March Air Force Base Museum. As you know, I enjoy antique aviation so this was a thrill to see 80 vintage aircraft spanning 100 years of aviation. The SR71 Blackbird was of particular interest to me. It is the fastest manned aircraft in history that can fly at over 2200 MPH at 85,000 feet is a technological marvel. We also visited the Motte Historical Museum which showcases the history of pioneer families that first settled in California. The Motte brothers immigrated from France in the 1880's and established a farming business that grew to several thousand acres. In addition to historical items they have a very nice car and truck collection. Friday was a trip to the Deer Park Winery and Vintage Car Museum. The three large buildings housed all kinds of American made convertible cars along with bicycles, signs, appliances, and other memorabilia. It was just incredible.

Attending an AACA National Show is so much more than just the show on Saturday morning. Seeing the local landscape, architecture, and meeting the people is both educational and an adventure. If you're contemplating attending your first AACA show or tour but aren't sure how to sign up, contact me and I'll guide you through the process.

There are only a few KYANA events left in 2019. The Light Up Louisville Parade is a great way to promote KYANA and the old car hobby plus, it's a lot of fun. The Christmas dinner this year will be just a little different format. It will be a time for food, fun, and socializing, only. Remember, this is a fund raising event for Dare to Care Food Bank. Three years ago KYANA donated 550 lbs., two years ago it was over 800 lbs., and last year we donated over 1100 pounds of nonperishable items. Unless you're driving a vintage aircraft, keep the shiny side up and the wheels on the road. **Fred**

From The Secretary Mark Kubancik

KYANA REGION BOARD MEETING

November 12, 2019

Location: KYANA Clubhouse

KYANA Region Board members present: Mark Kubancik, Pat Palmer-Ball, Chester Robertson, Roger Stephan, Fred Trusty, and Alex Wilkins. Brian Hill and Neil White were not in attendance.

KYANA members present: George Fackler and Steve Hoehler

Meeting called to order @ 6:34 p.m.

Guest business: George and Steve reviewed their tour plans for the 2020 AACA meet hosted by the KYANA Region. After discussion with the board, George and Steve have some additional fact-finding to perform and will report back to the board.

Secretary's Report: Chester moved to accept the October report. Pat seconded the motion and the report was accepted with all in favor.

Treasurer's Report: Chester made a motion to accept the October report. Mark seconded the motion and the motion carried with all in favor.

Activities: The agenda for the Awards & Elections meeting was discussed. Roger agreed to introduce the 2019 pre-members who met their attendance requirements. George Fackler will conduct the election.

Mark will ensure the article for the Children's Christmas Party will run again in the December Sidelight. The board agreed on dates for the January business meeting – January 12 – and the Swap Meet Planning meeting – February 2.

Membership: Roger confirmed the 2019 pre-members who met their attendance requirements. Mark provided Roger with updated copies of the new member forms. The board discussed new member prospects for 2020 with Roger. Mark will send the Sidelight editor all new member email addresses for delivery of the Sidelight.

Mark reminded the board that we had agreed one year ago to provide complimentary KYANA membership to members with 50 years or more of continuous membership beginning with the 2020 renewal year. Mark failed to include this news in the 2020 dues renewal articles so anyone with 50 years of membership that has paid their 2020 KYANA dues will receive a \$10 refund.

Clubhouse: Several member rentals in December. The list of items to address during the fall clean-up was prepared.

Sidelight: With Sandy Joseph's assistance with editing and with various board members handling mailing, The Sidelight continues to arrive on schedule and on budget.

Web Page: The webmaster is keeping the web page current and fresh with recent event photos.

Old Business: Nothing to report.

New Business: Nothing to report.

There being no further business to discuss, Mark moved to adjourn. Alex seconded the motion and the meeting adjourned at 8:47 p.m. with all in favor. The next KYANA Region meeting will take place at 6:30 p.m. on Tuesday, December 10 at the KYANA Clubhouse.

KYANA EVENTS:

As the year comes to a quick close I am saddened by the loss of several very good KYANA friends. We need to go into 2020 with good memories of these members and make the new year great. I need your help to find new adventures for KYANA, new chairpersons, and new places to go. Please call me with your suggestions especially if you are new to our club. I also need your help to find new members to make KYANA stronger. Seems like our meetings are becoming smaller and smaller each year. Stop and think of a person who would have fun in our organization and don't take no for an answer. I even resisted becoming a member for about three years before I gave in. About twenty years later I asked your president, Fred, to join KYANA and he said he didn't have time. Four years later he joined KYANA. Because a person says no don't give up, they really need to know KYANA is the best organization anywhere and they will finally say YES.

We still have three activities in December for your enjoyment. Next month we have the Business Meeting to meet your new members and find out what KYANA is doing in 2020!

Chester

PRAYERS, THANKS AND CONGRATULATIONS

This month Kyana wishes to express our sympathy and get well to:

- Jim Godbey is progressing.
- Kyana sends its sympathy to Sue Boyd and their family in the death of Carl. He will be missed.
- Kyana sends its sympathy to Glenda Clark and their family in the death of Paul. He will be missed.
- Chris Ostby is recovering from surgery.
- Betty Haley is feeling better after weeks of illness. She will be having surgery on Wednesday the 20th.

We want to lift up these folks up in prayer. If you are going to have surgery and spend the night or just need prayers, call me. Stay well and stay warm.

Patsy

KYANA REGION NEWS

October was a busy month for the KYANA Region with four events scheduled around the annual pilgrimage to Hershey. Included were back-to-back local shows on October 19 & 20. October 19 saw a large group of KYANA members caravan some 40 miles south to New Haven, Kentucky and the 8th Annual Car & Truck Show at the Kentucky Railway Museum. This show grows every year and this year the show field was expanded to include streets of downtown New Haven. Some say they even saw Batman in attendance, at least they saw his vehicle!

The next day another KYANA group attended the annual old car show in downtown Corydon, Indiana. The show takes place around the historic square in downtown Corydon, the state of Indiana's first capital. The weather for both shows was beautiful and drew large crowds admiring our classic cars.

Mark Kubancik

ON THE COVER

At the Veterans Parade I was honored to have one of the contestants for Miss Kentucky, Hannah Willis, ride in my 67 convertible. She even knows one of our members, Jim Wimsatt, down in Springfield. She received lots of comments of how beautiful and pretty she was. She is a well rounded young lady with lots of talents. I believe she will be the top finalist in the competition next year.

The old mustang Hannah rode in has been in the Robertson family for 32 years and will be handed down to our kids as all the cars will be. Jason and Jenni drove this car to Doss High School before it was restored and always jumped over the door to get in. They must have believed it was a Dukes of Hazard car. I restored the car in the early nineties and they had to use the doors after that. Sandy saw it for sale on 3rd Street coming home from work and every day for about two weeks she asked me each day to buy that car. I told her it was a used car, not an antique. You know she got that old convertible. Now all nine of our family members loves that old ride. **Chester**

Awards & Elections Meeting Summary

A total of 110 voting members attended the Awards & Elections meeting on November 17, 2019, at the KYANA Clubhouse. The meeting was hosted by Jesse and Beverly Foster.

Roger Stephan introduced the 2019 pre-members who met their event attendance requirements and are now recognized as full KYANA members. Fred and Chester recognized members receiving awards for their service to the club or for sponsorship of events.

George Fackler presided over the election process. The board officers were presented to the members, and with no nominations from the floor, the current slate of officers was elected by acclamation. The board officers for 2020 remain unchanged: President – Fred Trusty, Vice-President – Chester Robertson, Treasurer – Pat Palmer-Ball, and Secretary – Mark Kubancik.

Two board positions were up for election and Brian Hill and Brian Koressel were running for these positions. There not being any nominations from the floor, both Brians were elected by nomination. The board members at large for 2020 are Brian Hill, Brian Koressel, Roger Stephan, and Alex Wilkins.

On behalf of the board, George Fackler recognized Neil White for his service to the Region board. Neil decided not to run again for his position on the board due to family obligations.

Mark Kubancik

MARK YOUR CALENDAR

WHAT: January Business Meeting

WHEN: January 12, 2020 2:pm

WHERE: Ole KYANA Home

Please send \$6.00 per member to:

Donna Burchett	502 851 0715
4907 Seville Drive	Check paid to Kyana
Louisville Ky. 40272	Deadline Jan. 6 2020

WHAT: KYSWAP Business Meeting

WHEN: February 2, 2020 2:pm

WHERE: Ole KYANA Home

Please send \$6.00 per member to:

Morgan Howard	502 553 4413
5408 St. Gabriel Lane	Check paid to Kyana
Louisville, Ky. 40291	Deadline Jan. 27, 2020

COUNTRY MUSIC SHOW

December 21, 2019

Show starts at 7:00PM

Dinner: \$10/person, children 7 to 10 years old \$5.00

Children 6 years and under free

Any questions call David Hill 502-767-0333

Send your check made out to KYANA to:

David Hill

4006 Kurtz Ave

Louisville, KY 40229

PLEASE ENJOY SOME OF THESE PICTURES THAT WERE TAKEN FROM A COUPLE OF DIFFERENT EVENTS



TOYS FOR TOTS

What a great event. Good job KYANA, because of your donations there will be many smiles this holiday season.



Veteran's Day Parade

KYANA was again well represented at this year's parade. Thanks to all of you who drove their cars and were a part of this. We continue to be well recognized in the community.



Welcome to Our New Members!

The following 2019 pre-members met their first year attendance requirements and were introduced as full-fledged KYANA members by Membership Chairman Roger Stephan at the Awards & Elections meeting on November 17:

Scott & Christina Davis
Bruce & Lisa Domeck
Larry & Jenni Gaus
David Gravatte
Joe & Debbie Jenkins
Vience Johnson
David Jones
Shane Kelty
Paul Newton
Dale & Frances Price

We welcome these new members to the KYANA family and look forward to enjoying their fellowship.

New KYANA members present at the Awards & Elections meeting were (L to R) David Jones, David Gravatte, Bruce & Lisa Domeck, Shane Kelty, and Larry & Jenni Gaus.



LIGHT UP LOUISVILLE PARADE

November 29th 2019

Contact: **Alan Vannatta at 502-447-8228 or 502-445-3810**

CHILDREN'S CHRISTMAS PARTY

The Children's Christmas Party will be held on Saturday, December 14 at 12:00. We will have lunch at noon followed by a magic show with Uncle Red, and of course a visit from Santa.



PLEASE NOTE THE FOLLOWING:

Deadline for gift ideas is December 1

Need three \$25 gift ideas for member's children

Grandparents need to bring the gift

For more info please contact

Mark & Pat Kubancik (502 797 8555) or

Jenni Mulrooney (502 935 0249)

KYANA 2019 Adult Christmas Party

Hosted by **Hunt and Pat Palmer-Ball**

December 1, 2019

Location: Audubon Country Club, 3265 Robin Road, Louisville KY

Time: 1:00 PM – 4:00 PM

The Adult Christmas Party is heading our way. This is a special time of year that our club members love to come together and visit with each other and reflect on all the good times we have had during the year. We will gather for Social Hour to visit, swap stories and just enjoy the Holiday starting at 1:00 p.m. Dinner will begin approximately at 2:00 p.m. going until 4:00 p.m.

It is also a good time to share our bounty with those people less fortunate than we are. KYANA is so blessed for what we have and what we are able to do. Again this year we are asking all of our members to be generous in bringing can goods for Dare to Care. This is the 4th year for our Charity to help those in need. In 2017 we donated 828 pounds of food and 2018 we exceeded that number with 1100 pounds of food. We hope that everyone feels good about our success and hope everyone will be generous like last year and maybe we can even exceed what we have done. Examples of the 10 most needed items: peanut butter, soup, canned fruit, beans, rice, tuna, fruit juice, pasta and canned vegetables.

This year's cost will be \$33.00 per person. When you check in you will get your check back (whether or not you donate food). Just to let you know why the increase in the cost per person is to make sure the cost of the meal is covered if for any reason you cannot attend once your reservation is made.

Suggested DRESS CODE! Ladies should dress appropriate for what you would wear to church or a special event (no jeans please). Men should wear dress pants (Please no jeans), A dress shirt with collar and sport coat (ties would be optional). This is our once a year dress up event.

So please come and play Santa to the needy, visit with your friends and have a wonderful meal. See you in December.

Deadline for reservations is November 25, 2019.

Send reservation deposit of \$33.00 per person (Make check payable to KYANA) to:

Pat Palmer-Ball

5504 Felker Way

Louisville, KY 40291-1812

Any questions please call 502-693-3106 or 502-491-1563

KYANA Activities for 2019/2020

Date	Event	Contact
November 29.....	Light Up Louisville.....	Alan & Maureen Vannatta
December 1.....	Adult Christmas Party.....	Pat & Hunt Palmer-Ball
December 14.....	Christmas Children's Party.....	Robertson and Kubancik families
December 21.....	Christmas Country Music Show.....	David Hill
January 12.....	January Business Meeting.....	Donna Burchett
February 2.....	Kyswap Business Meeting.....	Morgan Howard
February 15.....	Derby Dinner Playhouse.....	Alethea Hayes
Feb. 29-March 1.....	KYSWAP INC.....	Robertson- Vannatta
May 7-9.....	Central Spring Nationals.....	Jim & Sandy Joseph

This year let's not drop the events off each month. Members have ask to keep all of them like the old days.

KYSWAP INC. KYANA GIANT INDOOR SWAP MEET

Kentucky Exposition Center Louisville KY
6:00 PM
Pavilion, West Wing, West Hall, & Broadbent Arena

- 7 Acres & Still the Largest Indoor Swap Meet
- 54th YEAR
- 100 Space CAR CORRAL
- FREE to KYANA members
- Cash and Prizes to be given away daily in Broadbent Arena

Saturday February 29, 2020 8:00 AM to

Sunday March 1, 2020 8:00 AM to 4:00 PM

Admission: \$10 per day
Children under 12 Free With a Parent
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