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The Studebaker Drivers Club, Inc.



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INDEPENDENCE DAY 2014!!

The 4th of July can mean many things to each of us. To some, it is just the start of summertime, while to most folks it is a holiday where we get together with family and friends, have a barbecue, a burger, play some games, and reflect on how fortunate we are.

240 years ago, things were going on in this country that led to the freedoms, the ability to be whatever and whoever we want to be, and the values that we enjoy today. However, there are forces worldwide that would take that from us. Today, we are fighting a different kind of battle than the one we fought back then. In a way it is the same, in that we are fighting to preserve our way of life, our freedom to practice the religion of our choice, the freedom to own a gun, and so many other little rights that we have taken for granted. One thing that makes it different today, back then we knew who the enemy was, today we can look around us, and we don't know who the enemy is.

Let us not forget that part of it, distasteful as it may be, as we celebrate the independence we gained so long ago. Let us pray for our country, and our leaders as we enjoy the day that we recognize as significant of so much we cherish.

Life is good, and Studebaker Drivers Club makes it better. Our next meeting, July 12 will be at Eve's Restaurant in Oldsmar. Remember, we met there twice last year and had a good turnout at one of them, and only 9 folks showed up at the other one. Let's shoot for 20 or more this time. Details appear later in this newsletter. See you then

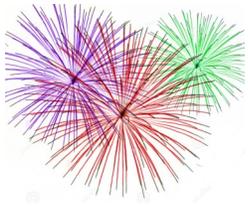
Sincerely,

Wilber Van Scoik

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Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
		1	2	3	4  INDEPENDENCE <i>Day</i>	5
6	7	8	9	10	11	12 SDC CFC Meeting 
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27	28	29	30	31		

UPCOMING EVENTS

- October 24-26, 2014 37th Florida State Meet at the Holiday Inn Express on Ulmerton Road, Clearwater, Florida

MINUTES OF SDC CENTRAL FLORIDA CHAPTER MEETING ON SATURDAY, MAY 10, 2014

The Central Florida Chapter of the Studebaker Drivers Club met at Park Blvd. Antiques in St. Petersburg, May 10, 2014. 12 members were present. In lieu of Larry not being able to reserve a pavilion in a park, the meeting was held at Larry's business. Larry called the meeting to order, while snacks and cold drinks were served. After the meeting, a variety of pizza was served and a tour of the property, Larry's cars and those that are a work in progress was enjoyed by all.

We need cooperation from all club members to help secure door prizes for the upcoming State Meet. Larry ask that members volunteer and respond as to what area they would like to serve. Judy Studebaker and Sue Meachum will manage the hospitality room with assistance from Sheila Brown. Car set-ups will be handled by Shannon, Keith and Jim Freed. Judging people's choice, Dave Burton. Photograph's for trophy plaques will be done by Phillip Brown. Phillip will need help getting the cars lined up. We need members to sell bottled water and sodas. 50/50 raffle tickets also will be sold. Ticket prices are \$1.00 for 1 ticket, \$5.00 for an arms length and \$20.00 for a car length. Wilbur and Ed Fisher have Studebaker car parts they will be selling. Larry contacted George Retner regarding watches and Ed Reynolds from Studebaker International also regarding car parts. So far we have had one person pledge \$500.00 and one person \$200.00 for sponsorship of the Meet. Rick will make a board for display of sponsors.

Larry sent letters to all Chapter's in FL, NC, SC, GA, TN and AL. One club has responded with their \$100.00 donation to assist with costs. The Packard Club was also sent a letter. Larry also suggested all members should vote for a Zone Coordinator (see your Turning Wheels magazine).

John Colman had a sample of a golf shirt and a vest for the working members to wear, so they are easily identified as Central Florida Chapter members. Wayne Studebaker had a sample program/book and dash plaque. The next meeting will be held July 12, Eve's Restaurant, 3150 Tampa Rd. #12 in Oldsmar. Please, everyone plan to attend the next meeting so we can finalize and organize all phases of the Meet.

Doc Simonson is in rehab and would welcome calls from club members. His cell# 973-670-1020, which is the best way to reach him. He wanted me to convey to you his "thanks" for prayers and calls.

THE ONLY WAY THIS MEET WILL BE A SUCCESS IS
IF YOU COME AND HELP!

Dave Meachum, Acting Secretary

STUDEBAKER NATIONAL FOUNDATION SCHOLARSHIPS

Scholarships from the Studebaker National Foundation are available for students pursuing a career in the automotive industry. The scholarships are offered to members or the children/grandchildren of members of the Studebaker Drivers Club, the Antique Studebaker Club and the Avanti Owners Association International.

Amounts of the scholarships vary from \$250.00 up to \$1000.00 and previous applicants and recipients may reapply.

Criteria for applicants and applications are at the foundation website www.studebakernationalfoundation.com or contact Brian Millette at abmillette@cox.net @cox.net or 602-300-5313

STUDEBAKER 50TH ANNIVERSARY LOGO



PSALM 1

Blessed is the man
Who walks not in the counsel of the ungodly,
Nor stands in the path of sinners,
Nor sits in the seat of the scornful;
But his delight is in the law of the LORD,
And in His law he meditates day and night.
He shall be like a tree
Planted by the rivers of water,
That brings forth its fruit in its season,
Whose leaf also shall not wither;
And whatever he does shall prosper.

The ungodly are not so,
but are like the chaff which the wind drives away.
Therefore the ungodly shall not stand in the judgment,
Nor sinners in the congregation of the righteous.

For the LORD knows the way of the righteous,
But the way of the ungodly shall perish.

RECIPE FOR THE MONTH

Spinach & Strawberry Salad



Allrecipes.com

Ingredients

- 2 tablespoons sesame seeds
- 1 tablespoon of poppy seeds
- 1/2 cup white sugar
- 1/2 cup olive oil
- 1/4 cup distilled white vinegar
- 1/2 teaspoon paprika
- 1/4 teaspoon Worcestershire sauce
- 1 tablespoon minced onion
- 10 ounces fresh spinach - rinsed, dried and torn into bite-size pieces
- 1 quart strawberries - cleaned, hulled and sliced
- 1/4 cup almonds, blanched and slivered

Directions

1. In a medium bowl, whisk together the sesame seeds, poppy seeds, sugar, olive oil, vinegar, paprika, Worcestershire sauce and onion. Cover, and chill for one hour.
2. In a large bowl, combine the spinach, strawberries and almonds. Pour dressing over salad, and toss. Refrigerate 10 to 15 minutes before serving. Makes 4 servings.

FAMOUS QUOTES



“By failing to prepare, you are preparing to fail.”
— Benjamin Franklin

“The most effective way to do it, is to do it.” — Amelia Earhart

FUNNY

From jokes.ochristian.com



A man stood by the side of the road hitch hiking on a very dark night in the middle of a storm. The thunder was rolling and no cars passed. The rain was so torrential that he could barely see a few feet ahead. Then suddenly he saw a car come towards him and stop.

FUNNY (continued)

From jokes.ochristian.com



Instinctively, the man climbed into the car and shut the door, only to realize that there was nobody behind the wheel!

The car started slowly. He peered through the windshield at the road ahead and, to his horror, saw a tight corner. Scared to death, he said a silent prayer. He was still in shock when a few yards before the corner, a hand appeared through the window and turned the wheel.

The man, paralyzed with terror, watched how the hand appeared every time he approached a corner. Finally he summoned the strength to escape from the moving car and run to the nearest town.

Wet and shaking, he found a bar where he started telling everyone about the terrible experience he had been through.

About half an hour later, two men walked into the bar, and one said to the other: “Look, Denzil, that’s the guy who climbed into the car while we were pushing it.”

WHAT IF....



What if God forgot the U.S. like the U.S. has forgotten Him? Anonymous

SDC CFC ANNUAL MEMBERSHIP RENEWAL



The membership year for the Central Florida Chapter of SDC is from January 1 to December 31. The annual dues are \$10.00. For renewal please send a check, payable to SDC CFC, to:

Central Florida Chapter, SDC
c/o Shannon D. Bruffett
905 West Adalee Street
Tampa, FL 33603

SDC MEMBERSHIP APPLICATION



If someone you know is thinking of buying a Studebaker or interested in joining the Studebaker Drivers Club, please go to www.studebakerdriversclub.com and click on “About/Join SDC”. Download membership application, print, fill out, and mail to:

The Studebaker Drivers Club, Inc., P.O. Box 1715, Maple Grove, MN 55311-7615. You don't have to own a Studebaker in order to join the Studebaker Drivers Club, you just have to have an interest in them. For our local Chapter membership, see next page. →



STUDEBAKER DRIVERS CLUB CENTRAL FLORIDA CHAPTER

THE CENTRAL FLORIDA CHAPTER WAS FOUNDED IN 1972. THE PURPOSE OF THE CHAPTER IS TO PROMOTE OUR INTEREST IN STUDEBAKERS AND AVANTI AUTOMOBILES, TO HELP MEMBERS PRESERVE AND PROMOTE INTEREST IN THE STUDEBAKER LEGACY, AND MOST IMPORTANTLY, TO BOND FRIENDSHIPS AND HAVE FUN IN THE PROCESS.

If you have any questions, e-mail r3pwr@msn.com
or call Shannon Bruffett at 813-546-2900

MEMBERSHIP APPLICATION

NAME _____ SPOUSE _____

ADDRESS _____

CITY _____ STATE _____ ZIP _____

HOME PHONE _____ - _____ - _____ CELL PHONE _____ - _____ - _____

E-MAIL ADDRESS _____

LIST ALL STUDEBAKERS AND RELATED MAKES

Ownership of a Studebaker is not required.

NEW _____ RENEWAL _____

Annual Membership Fee.....\$10.00

Please enter your National SDC Membership Number _____

Send completed application and check payable to SDC CFC to:

Central Florida Chapter
Membership Director
Shannon Bruffett
905 West Adalee Street
Tampa, FL 33603



**37th FLORIDA STATE MEET
STUDEBAKER DRIVERS CLUB
October 24 – 26, 2014
Clearwater, Florida
Hosted by Central Florida Chapter**



Holiday Inn Express, 13625 Icot Boulevard, Clearwater, FL 33760
On north side of Ulmerton Road (SR 688), 0.9 miles west of 49th St. N or 0.5 miles east of US Hwy 19

General Registration (you must register to participate in any event)

Name _____ Spouse/Guest _____
Address _____ City _____ State _____ Zip _____
Phone: Home _____ Work _____ Cell _____
Chapter _____ E-mail _____

General Registration: Individual or family	Preregistration	\$10.00	\$ _____
	After October 1, 2014	\$15.00	\$ _____
1st Veh. Reg. Year _____ Make _____	Model _____ Div. _____	\$15.00	\$ _____
2nd Veh. Reg. Year _____ Make _____	Model _____ Div. _____	\$10.00	\$ _____
Display Veh. Year _____ Make _____	Model _____ Div. _____	\$5.00	\$ _____
Judged Watch	# of entries _____	X \$3.00	\$ _____
Judged Studebaker Toy	# of entries _____	X \$3.00	\$ _____

Judging of vehicles, and toys will be People's Choice with vehicle awards for Best of Show and First and Second Place in each of the 9 Divisions defined in the SDC Judging Policy Manual. Watches will be judged by George Reitenour (if he is available).

Swap meet space is free with general registration. Check if space is requested. _____

AWARDS DINNER

Adults (Menu choice - # Beef _____ # Chicken _____ \$25.00 X No. of adults) \$ _____
Children under 12 (Menu choice - # Beef _____ # Chicken _____ \$12.50 X No. of children) \$ _____

TOTAL – Make checks payable to Central Florida Chapter, SDC \$ _____

Please mail your registration with a check (no cash) to: Wayne E. Studebaker, 2701 Regency Oaks Blvd., Apt. N-101, Clearwater, FL 33759-1529

Please make your hotel reservation as early as possible. Rooms at the Holiday Inn Express are limited. To get the meet discount rate of \$75.00 + tax per night for a standard room, you must make your reservation before October 1st by calling the hotel directly, 727-536-7275, NOT the Holiday Inn 800 number. Ask for the Studebaker Drivers Club State Meet rate.

The Awards Dinner will be at the Twisted Martini, 13563 Icot Boulevard, directly in front of the Holiday Inn Express

For general information contact Larry Good at 727-392-2198 or 727-235-2428 or Dave Meachum at 727-868-7474 or 727-808-1986 or go to our web site at www.cfcscd.com

I do hereby release and hold harmless the Central Florida Chapter of The Studebaker Drivers Club, Inc. and its members from any suits, actions, damages or claims which may arise from any loss or damage to me, my family, or my personal property during participation in this event.

SIGNED _____ **DATE** _____

Central Florida Chapter
The Studebaker Drivers Club, Inc.
People's Choice Judging Ballot

Division 1	Prewar 1902-1942 (all models including EMF, Erskine, Packard, & Pierce Arrow)	Vehicle # _____
Division 2	Postwar 1946-1952	Vehicle # _____
Division 3	Convertibles 1947-1964	Vehicle # _____
Division 4	Coupes & Hardtops (C&K body 1953-1955)	Vehicle # _____
Division 5	Sedans & Wagons 1953-1958 (includes Packard)	Vehicle # _____
Division 6	Hawks (C&K body includes Packard Hawk)	Vehicle # _____
Division 7	Larks 1959-1964 (Challengers, Commanders, Daytonas & Cruisers)	Vehicle # _____
Division 8	Studebaker GT Hawks 1962-1964	Vehicle # _____
Division 9	Studebaker Avanti 1963-1964	Vehicle # _____
Division 10	Avanti (non-Studebaker)	Vehicle # _____
Division 11	All Trucks	Vehicle # _____
Division 12	Non-Stock, Studebaker Powered (all cars & trucks, Custom/modified, all years)	Vehicle # _____
Division 13	Non-Stock, Non-Studebaker Powered (all cars & Trucks, custom/modified, all years)	Vehicle # _____
Division S1	Special Interest	Vehicle # _____
	Class A Wagons, Buggies, Carts, Wheelbarrows	Vehicle # _____
	Class B Weasels, Racers, Excaliburs	# _____
	Class C Toys	# _____
	Class D Watches	# _____

Please complete and return your ballots by 2:00 PM.

**Note: Please select one vehicle in each division or class per ballot. All decisions are final
 And the Central Florida Chapter will present all awards.**

CLASSIFIED

Engine: Good running flathead six out of 47 MS pickup. Had ring job and new freeze plugs in 2013. Very little mileage. \$600 obo; **Trans:** original 3spd trans from MS pickup. Ran perfect when removed. No shifter. \$250. **Trans:** '64 3spd BW overdrive trans from Champ truck. Complete \$300. Contact Sam Kroll at slkdiver@tampabay.rr.com or 813-754-8187 or 813-541-0810.

Parts Needed: Hoping to find someone who can connect me to any 1958 or 1957 Packard parts cars. I am in need of the metal piece that the bottom of the grill bolts to. Please contact Skip Bonnell at skipbonnell@yahoo.com or call 813-493-1380.

For Sale: 3 speed manual trans. With overdrive from a 1958 Packard Hawk with cables \$300. N.O.S. oval Lark tail light 1961 Lark \$20. Please contact Skip Bonnell at skipbonnell@yahoo.com or call 813-493-1380.

Parts Needed: Wants to find a 1963 G.T. (Grand Turismo) needs the 289 motor and rear end (transmission) call Ron Carter at 813-671-2810

For Sale: Transmission, 3-spd standard with overdrive from 64 Champ, \$300. Email slkdiver@tampabay.rr.com or call Sam Kroll, 813-541-0810.

Parts Needed: Since our last meeting I've purchased (2) 57 Silver Hawks that I am trying to combine into one usable vehicle. I'm hoping some of you will have parts available. The only things I have to have are both door window glass and front fenders (fiberglass would be very acceptable). Please let me know if you have extra things that would fit—yours may be in better condition than what I have. Phillip Brown pbrown110@verizon.net

Contact Wilber at wvanscoik@tampabay.rr.com or call 727.580.1481 to submit your ad.