

MMOCC Newsletter – DECEMBER 2020



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SUBMITTED BY MMOCC MEMBER LAURA EVEN:

T'was a month before
Christmas,
And all through the town,
People wore masks,
That covered their frown.

The frown had begun
Way back in the Spring,
When a global pandemic
Changed everything.

They called it Corona,
But unlike the beer,
It didn't bring good times,
It didn't bring cheer.

Contagious and deadly,
This virus spread fast,
Like a wildfire that starts,
When fueled by gas.

Airplanes were grounded,
Travel was banned.
Borders were closed
Across air, sea, and land.

As the world entered
lockdown,
To flatten the curve,
The economy halted,
And folks lost their verve.

From March to July
We rode the first wave,
People stayed home,
They tried to behave.

When summer emerged
The lockdown was lifted.
But away from caution,
Many folks drifted.

Now it's November
And cases are spiking,
Wave two has arrived,
Much to our disliking.

Frontline workers,
Doctors and nurses,
Try to save people,
From riding in hearses.

This virus is awful,
This COVID-19.
There isn't a cure.
But there is a new vaccine.

It's true that this year
Has had sadness a plenty,
We'll never forget,
The year 2020.

And just 'round the corner -
The holiday season,
But why be merry?
Is there even one reason?

To decorate the house
And put up the tree,
When no one will see it,
No-one... but me.

But outside my window
The snow gently falls,
And I think to myself,
Let's deck the halls!

So, I gather the ribbon,
The garland and bows,
As I play those old carols,
My happiness grows.

Christmas ain't cancelled
And neither is hope.
If we lean on each other,
I know we can cope.

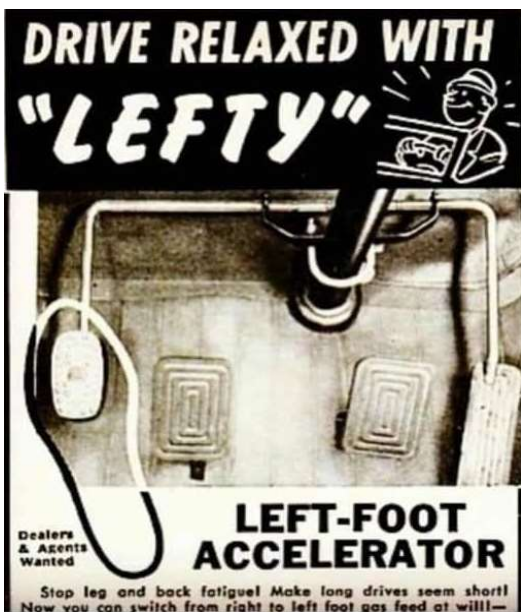


SHIRTS:

We have increased our MMOCC Shirt Inventory. We have T-shirts in gray and white, collared polo-type shirts, and a humorous T-shirt addition. If your shirt looks dingy, time to upgrade! Shirts available at future meetings and events. \$20 for collared shirts. \$15 for t-shirts. \$10 for hats.

Leonard Rutledge Reports...

The vintage advertisement for a left pedal accelerator in the November MMOCC newsletter hit home, as I have one on my 70 VW Bus. I bought it in the 70s to use on a new 73 bus from JC Whitney. I used it on 3 buses until VW added cruise control. It can be unhooked by sliding it to the left where it just lays on the floor.



Firestone CHRISTMAS RECORD

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for this outstanding
COUPON SPECIAL \$100

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Outstanding music in the Firestone tradition. Featuring Gordon MacRae, Martha Wright, Roberta Peters, Franco Corelli, and the Columbus Boychoir.

Daily Capital News 11/04/1949

1970 Country Squire with leisure pit interior.



NAME THE BRANDS AND WIN BIG PRIZES IN KROGER'S..

\$65,000⁰⁰

BRAND NAME TREASURE HUNT **1¢ Prize EACH WEEK**

5 WEEKLY CONTESTS, 5555 PRIZES... PLUS A GRAND PRIZE OF **\$5,000⁰⁰ IN CASH**

ONE OF 5 **BUICK SUPER** SEDANS with *Dynaflow*

Each of the 5555 winners, 1111 each week, will be eligible to compete for the \$5,000 Cash Grand Prize in a separate contest at the close of the Treasure Hunt.

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TEN 2nd Prize EACH WEEK
A LUXURY WEEKEND IN NEW YORK FOR TWO!

Each second prize winner will receive a glamorous 5-DAY HOLIDAY, COMPLETE SETS, AND CONTAINING TWO ROUND-TRIP AIRLINE TICKETS TO NEW YORK... PLUS TWO SENSATIONALLY NEW SUITCASES

Next 500 Prizes
WESTINGHOUSE TOASTERS

Next 5000 Prizes
3-PAIRS HOLLYWOOD MONOTOP NYLON HOSE

IT'S EASY TO ENTER!

- GO TO YOUR KROGER STORE AND GET AN OFFICIAL CONTEST ENTRY BLANK.
- SELECT ONE OF THE ADVERTISING SLOGANS PRINTED ON THE ENTRY BLANK AND WRITE THE NAME OF THE BRAND IT REPRESENTS.
- WRITE A LAST LINE TO THIS KROGER SLOGAN JINGLE.

Send in as many entries as you want. If you can identify all of the 24 slogans shown on the entry blank, send in an entry. Attach to each entry the personal portion of the label that you detach and from a Kroger's Non-Drip Coffee bag, or a 3-Strip Coffee can.

Look for Clues! IN NEWSPAPER SHOWS ON KMOX ACT NOW! At Central Bank Bldg., Nov. 9

In Magazine Ads, Radio AT YOUR KROGER STORE.

SEEK FOR CLUES IN: KROGER'S STORES, NEWSPAPERS, MAGAZINES, RADIO, AND TELEVISION.

2021 New Year's Day GARAGE TOUR

- Friday, January 1, 2021.
- Masks required.
- NO RESTROOMS AVAILABLE AT THE STOPS.
- Meal on your own (before and/or after).
- **Depart Gerbes on Eastland at 1pm:**
 1. First Stop is Dennis and Laura Even at 173 Hwy EE in Folk, MO (Osage County). 573-291-6209.
 2. *For those that do not want to travel to Folk*, proceed directly to our Second Destination at Jim Logan's Garage at 121 West Tanner Way in JC. 573-690-4622.
 3. Third Location is Steve Meyer at 1105 Missouri Blvd in JC. 573-680-1198.
 4. Final Venue is Donnie Weber at 1953 State Road D in Lohman. 573-782-3305.
- *By having some of the group go to Folk and others go direct to Jim Logan's, we will keep the group to a manageable level, with less risk of Covid transmission.*
- Questions: Contact Dennis Smith at 573-680-2505



2020 Officers:

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Events Chair Ron Clark
Car Show Chairs Tom and Karen Winters
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Jeremy Paul Amick

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The was the bustling Stringtown Service Station near Lohman is pictured in the mid-1970s. During the mid-1980s, I can remember staying overnight at a friend's home and we would ride our bikes along the old Route C (now Stringtown Station Road) go to the station to order hamburgers and root beer in addition to playing pool while we waited for our order. It is a location long since closed but many good memories remain.



JC Host Lions offered Gas For Gas Raffle Tickets for sale to MMOCC members. Lions Lyle Rosburg, Billy Bonnot, and Larry Rhea made the \$10 sale to various MMOCC Members and Larry donated one ticket as part of the Poker Chip Run prize. WE HAD A WINNER AMONG MMOCC, as Dennis Smith won \$100.

Thanks to all!



Upcoming Events that MMOCC Plans to Attend

A. 2021 New Year's Day Garage Tour.

- Friday, January 1, 2021.
- Masks required. Meals on your own (before and/or after).
- Depart Gerbes on Eastland at 1pm, with your choice of East or West for the first destination. Evens in Folk, Jim Logan, Steve Meyer, Don Weber.
- Questions: Contact Dennis Smith at 573-680-2505

B. Bicknell Engines – Winter Trip – Rolla.

- Date to be determined during the Winter of 2021.
- MMOCC Member Bill Bicknell (970-218-1352) invites us back to Rolla.
- Caravan leaves Gerbes on Eastland at 9am.
- Arrive about 10am at 410 North Elm Street / Rolla.

C. St. Patrick's Parade.

- Saturday, March 13 lining up around 1:30 with parade starting at 2pm.
- Meeting, starting, and returning at Patty Malones at 700 West Main Street / JCMO.
- Downtown Jefferson City route (the parade, itself, is small, with about 500 feet of participants), but it brings a lot of smiles!

D. Kelsey Tire – Vintage Tire/Cars.

- Date to be determined.
- Caravan leaving Schultes at 8:30am arriving about 9:30am
- 1190 East Highway 54 / Camdenton.
- Tour until about noon.
- Lunch after at a location TBD.
- Coordinated by MMOCC Member Richard Heidbreder (573-690-1826).

E. Sheriff's Barbeque Car Display.

- Old Car display at the annual Cole County Sheriff's Barbeque.
- Tuesday, June 1 serving from 4-7:00 pm.
- Arrive when you can. Leave when you want. Bring a chair.
- BBQ pork steak or chicken.
- Old Car parking inside the Cole County Fairgrounds.

F. THE GREAT RACE visits Rolla (COVID postponed from 2020).

- June 22, 2021 at noonish.
- The Great Race has a lunch stop in Rolla.
- Caravan from Gerbes near Eastland leaving at 10am.
- Check out the cars and talk to the drivers.
- In 2018, the Epples from Jefferson City hosted MMOCC at their hanger and taught us about The Great Race. They will participate again in 2021.
- Coordinated by MMOCC Member Larry Rhea.

G. Argyle Knights of Columbus Car Show.

- Argyle, Missouri.
- Saturday, August 7 at 11am.

H. Ozark Ham and Turkey Festival.

- Downtown California, Missouri.
- Saturday, September 18. 9-4.
- MMOCC caravan from the Farmers Bank of Lohman in St. Martins departing at 8:30am.
- “Cars and More” Show (Cars, Tractors, etc.) and small-town Parade (optional).

I. MMOCC Old Car Round Up and Show.

- 52nd annual.
- Saturday, September 25.
- In conjunction with JC Oktoberfest.

J. Eugene PTO Car, Truck, and Bike Show.

- Cole R-V High School in Eugene.
- Saturday, November ?? from 9am to 2pm. Registration ends 11am.
- \$15 pre-registration. \$20 day of.

K. ETET (Eddie Tremain Ethanol Tour).

- Date to be determined, but has to be a weekday. Sorry, they do not do weekend tours.
- Tour of POET Biorefining (Ethanol Plant) at 809 North Pine in Laddonia, Missouri.
<https://poet.com/>
- Depart North Jefferson City Commuter Lot at 8:15am, arriving in Ladonna at 10ish for a 90 minute tour.
- Lunch at Hobo Bar and Grill at 106 Chestnut in Laddonia.

L. Tim Petty’s Drive In Theater.

- Date to be determined.
- Drive in Theater at the Petty Estate.
- Coordinated by MMOCC Member Tim Petty (573-694-2977).

M. State Technical College of Missouri (Linn) Tour.

- Auto Section was included with the Poker Chip Run East on 10/10/2020, but much more to see at State Tech! More tours to be scheduled. Dates to be determined.
- Coordinated by MMOCC Member Rick Mihalevich (573-690-3545).

N. JC Schools Nichols Career Center Tour.

- Date to be determined.
- Nichols CC contact name received.

O. Old School Drive In Theater.

- Spring/Summer 2021. Date to be determined.
- Newly opened Drive in Theater in Moniteau County.
- 34263 State Highway T near Hwy 87 south of Burghers.
- <https://www.facebook.com/Oldschooldrivein>

P. NO November or December Meetings.

- Attend the Holiday Party and New Year’s Day Garage Tour, instead.

Q. 2022 New Year’s Day Garage Tour.

- Saturday, January 1, 2022.
- Lunch and Garage Tours.
- Need YOUR GARAGE as a destination.
- Contact Dennis Smith at 573-680-2505.



Merry Christmas from Lyle, his 1951 Chevrolet, and Bandit (in the back seat).

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