



Mossy Creek Cruzers Car Club



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**\$100
Blue
Springs
Baptist
Church**



Saturday, June 7, 2014 was again the Blue Springs Baptist Church Car Show. Thirteen of the Cruzers met at Lisa's Restaurant in Jefferson City for breakfast. Then we drove together over to the car show. The day was beautiful with the sun shining brightly but it did tend to get very hot!!

After we parked several other Cruzers showed up so we had a total of 22 or 23 vehicles. Quite a good showing, Cruzers!! We absolutely displayed our club spirit!!

Three of the Cruzers were in the top 10 vehicles, see photos below. Way to go Guys!

And the best of all, the Cruzers won club participation by having the most cars there so for the third straight year, the Mossy Creek Cruzers won the \$100.

June 7th,
2014

TOP 10



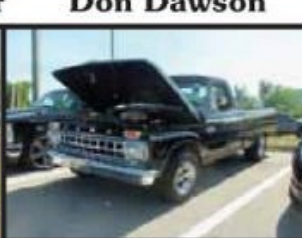
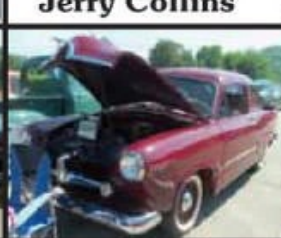
Jerry Collins



Johnny Rainwater



Don Dawson



JUNE 2014 MEETING MINUTES

The meeting was held at Shoney's in Dandridge on June 3rd. 26 Members were present. It was started with a prayer and then we said the Pledge of Allegiance to the flag. Reid Beeler is our flag keeper.

The Minutes from May were read by Secretary Pat Dukes. A first by Bob Cross with a 2nd from Tom Hultz & accepted as read by all.

The Treasury report was given by Treasurer Bill O'Connell. A first to accept by Bob Beeler with a 2nd from Bob Cross. Accepted by all.

Bud Morello, who is over the car show this year, gave his report about the progress of the plans. He discussed a silent auction, a cake walk, raffles, 50-50 tickets, and baskets with products to sell chances on. We have the port a potties rented and any water we need will be supplied by the school. Registration will be set up under the canopy at the front of the school with Pat Dukes in charge of it. The school will not be participating with anything. The club must clean everything up and place all trash in the dumpsters.

Bud asked for volunteers that will help us the day of and the day before the show. Everyone at the meeting signed up (Way to go, guys!!).

Pat brought the four 72" X 28" banners that were made and Scott Day took them so he could build frames for them.

Tom Koziol is head of judging the vehicles this year and he has a list of all of the categories that will be judged. Motorcycles will also be included and there will be a class for them too. Tom needs several people to help him and a couple of people volunteered. The Jefferson City Mayor and the Jefferson City Fire Chief will also be at the show and will pick their favorite and those people will win a trophy. All the class winners will have their pictures made and they will be framed and mailed to the top 20 winners.

We discussed the club and how it got started. Glenn Allred, Larry Boggess, Jim & Sue Burch and Pat Dukes started the club in 2012 and our first meeting was in March 2012. We had quite a few people at our first meeting and all of them signed up to be members. That first year we did several events together plus we put our second annual car show on at Bush's Visitor Center. (The first car show there, was not a Mossy Creek Cruzers show but rather a few friends putting a show on). The second year, every time we planned something it rained!! So several road trips were cancelled. We did, however, have a great picnic at Douglas Dam park. It was a good day. Our membership is down a little but is better for it.

The biggest problem with clubs is that everyone wants to go to events but not very many are willing to help out.

Robert Ferguson suggested we should pick one weekend each month for the club to do something together. That is a great idea. We need to plan ahead so that people that works on weekends can request a different schedule. Scott Day suggested that we do more at our cruise-ins, something like darts or corn pone.

Pat again asked for volunteers to submit articles to the newsletter each month. It takes a lot of hours (About 10-12) to write it and would make it a lot easier if others would contribute.

At our next meeting, we need to settle on a children's charity that we will contributing to. Pat will call Safe Harbor Advocacy Group and see if they can come to the meeting in July.

Glenn Allred and Pat Dukes have started gathering door prizes. Leslie Brock has our car show listed everywhere she can think of; TV, radio, magazines, car and motorcycle clubs sites. Please help us to get these door prizes so it isn't so hard on just two or three. If you are going to a car gathering, give out flyers. Just see Pat if you need flyers.

Motion to adjourn by Bud Morello with a 2nd by Scott Day. Adjourned.

**The Mossy Creek Cruzers Car Club meeting is held the first Tuesday of each month
at Shoney's in Dandridge at 7 pm. Come at 6 pm to eat!**

The Applications for the car show on July 12th and the Vendor Application are now available on the Mossy Creek Cruzers web site, www.mossycreekcruzers.org. Please share this with anyone that you know that might be interested in having a vendor booth that day or showing a car. Email info to all of your friends!!

Lots of activities will be going on at the show including 50-50 tickets, games, door prizes and the judging of the cars and motorcycles for the top vehicles to be picked and photographed. Behind the show location, at the Jefferson County Fair Grounds, there will be a huge yard sale going on during the same time as our show. This should generate a lot of interest in the show.

There is a lot of space at the Jefferson Middle School and it will allow for our annual car show to continue to grow! If you will volunteer to help on Friday, July 11th, at the show site & during the show on the 12th, please let Glenn or Bud know. We also need help gathering door prizes to give out. We need to cover Morristown, White Pine, Newport, Dandridge, Sevierville, and any other area around here. We need volunteers so please help out.

LETTER FROM THE PRESIDENT

Hello all you Cruzers,

We had a great June club meeting with plenty of input from the members. Participation is what we need in our club and members are getting better at voicing their opinion. Some times we get too concerned with membership numbers. It isn't so much how many members we have, it is the quality of our members. I think we have the best group we have ever had since the club began and the best participation in the club. I think nearly everyone at the meeting this month has volunteered to work the July Car Show in one way or another.... That is great! This is what we need in our club. We formed the club to have fun with our old cars and help others. I can see our members coming closer together and I can see we are going to have a great Car Show this year. If you missed the June club meeting and want to volunteer to help at the Car Show call Bud, Pat or me. We can use your help.

At the July meeting we will finalize the plans for the car show. Discussion will be held about the charities the club will donate money to, Cruises for the club, where and when. We have been so involved in getting ready for the car show with all the changes, new location and etc., we need to lighten up and have some fun now!

I haven't been as involved in club functions as I should be but I am in the middle of building a house. Over the winter the engine in my 1937 Dodge froze and busted, long story. I am trying to get the time to get my car running again. I have been at most of the Friday cruise-ins but not all of them. I sometimes take that time and work on my car. Not long now until I will be on the road again!!

Thanks to each and every Mossy Creek Cruiser for your participation!

Larry Boggess

President Mossy Creek Cruzers

IDEAS TO BUILD MEMBERSHIP

In order to keep our club growing, we need to promote it in every way we can think of. Just converse with people about the meetings, the cruise-ins at Big Lots and at BoJangles and our car show on July 12th at Jefferson Middle School.

Word of mouth is a powerful instrument and can gain a lot of interest. Just network with co-workers, friends and family and tell them about the club and all of the good work that we do in promoting local charities in Jefferson and surrounding counties.

We can place flyers everywhere, not only about the annual car show, but about our club and our goals to help children with the Cops with Kids, Christmas in Jefferson County for underprivileged children, and with sick children whenever it is needed.

Attend other organizational meetings and discuss the Cruzers whenever you can. This promotes membership with people who may not have known about Jefferson County having a classic and antique car club.

We should always publicize club successes, elections, events, in local and surrounding counties' newspapers.

Members need to talk about the club whenever possible. We need to contact previous car club members, not only ours but others as well. If you are on Facebook - share our Facebook page with all of your friends ... www.facebook.com/mossycreekcruzers.

Lets continue to keep our club expanding so each of you do what you can to help your club with this!!

MOSSY CREEK CRUZERS 4TH ANNUAL CAR & MOTORCYCLE SHOW SATURDAY, JULY 12TH, FROM 9PM - 3PM

Final plans are underway for the car show in July. If you would like to be part of the show committee just let Bud 423-258-6867 or Glenn 423-231-9942 know.

We need volunteers to help with gathering door prizes and also the day of the show and possibly the day before the show. We need help in the parking lot and directing people from one point to the next point.

If you need documentation about our club to help gather door prizes, we have an "About Us" form and a "Donation Request" that you can give to the places you go to so they will know you are legitimate. If they ask what our charities are, we can say "Help Us Help Kids" which helps children in Jefferson & surrounding counties and we also help the 2nd Harvest Food Bank.

So help us out when you can, we need you!! Thanks to all the members that signed up to help at the June meeting!!

UPCOMING EVENTS

June 20,27	MCC Cruise In - Big Lots in Jefferson City 5:30 - 9 pm
June 15, 22, 29	MCC SUNDAY Cruise In at Bojangles in Dandridge 2 pm - 5 pm
June 14,21,28	Hamblen County Car Club Cruise In - Morristown
June 6-8	Pontiacs in Pigeon Forge
June 7	Blue Springs Baptist Church - Rutledge - 9am - 4 pm - Fish Fry!
June 7	Camaro/Firebird Summer Shine - Chilhowee Park, Knoxville 9 am - 3 pm
June 14	Hamblen Co Car Club Cruisin with the Classics - \$20 - 8am - 3pm - Fountain Plaza - Next to Golden Corra in Morristown - Car Show and Swap Meet
June 14	Greenville Ridgerunners - Big Lots Greenville 11-E Bypass 10 am - 3 pm
June 20-21	Moonshine Rod Run - Newport City Park
June 20-21	Vintage Street Rodders of America 4th Annual Ohio Nationals, Medina OH
June 21	1st Annual Miracle makers Auto Show - Walmart Jefferson City 8am - 5pm
June 21	10th Annual Summerfest at New Market Park call 865-475-1417 10 am - 3 pm
June 27-29	Maggie Valley Swap Meet & Car Show - www.maggievalleyswapmeet.com
June 28	White Lightning Trail Festival Cumberland Gap - Arts, Crafts, Antiques, Car Show
June 28	June Jam Cruise In at The Diner in Sevierville more info 2-9 pm
June 28	White Lightning Trail Festival, Cumberland Gap, TN, 865-585-7386
July 1	MCC Club Meeting at Shoney's in Dandridge 7:00 pm
July 4, 11,18, 25	MCC Cruise In - Big Lots in Jefferson City 6 - 9 pm
July 6, 13, 20, 27	MCC SUNDAY Cruise In at Bojangles in Dandridge 2 pm - 5 pm
July 5, 12, 19, 26	Hamblen County Car Club Cruise In - Morristown
July 12	Mossy Creek Cruzers Annual Car Show to be held at Jefferson Middle School on Hwy 11-E in Jefferson City, 9am - 3pm
July 26	Hot Nights, Cool Cars Cruise In at The Diner in Sevierville 2 - 9 pm
July 26	Cruise-In for Christ - Talbott Baptist Church 10 am -3 pm. \$10 fee
August 1, 8, 15, 22, 29	MCC Cruise In - Big Lots in Jefferson City 6 - 9 pm
August 3, 10, 17, 24, 31	MCC SUNDAY Cruise In at Bojangles in Dandridge 2 pm - 5 pm
August 2, 9, 16, 23, 30	Hamblen County Car Club Cruise In - Morristown
August 16	Springdale Volunteer Fire Dept. 9am - 3pm Call Billy Smith 423-626-9816
August 5	MCC Club Meeting at Shoney's in Dandridge 7:00 pm
August 9	Hot Springs Resort & Spa Fire Dept 8th Annual Car Show \$10 828-206-7419
August 30	Back to School Cruise In at The Diner in Sevierville more info 3 - 10 pm
September 2	MCC Club Meeting at Shoney's in Dandridge 7:00 pm
Sept 5, 12, 19, 26	MCC Cruise In - Big Lots in Jefferson City 6 - 9 pm
Sept 7, 14, 21, 28	MCC SUNDAY Cruise In at Bojangles in Dandridge 2 pm - 5 pm
Sept 6, 13, 20, 27	Hamblen County Car Club Cruise In - Morristown
September 5 - 6	Shades of the Past Rod Run - Pigeon Forge
September 12 - 14	Pigeon Forge Fall Rod Run
September 20	Hardin Park cruise in - Greenville Ridgerunners 602 Crescent Dr. 10 am - 3 pm \$10 fee Cash prizes, Music, Food & Games
September 26 - 27	Vintage Street Rodders of America 5th Annual Thunder Road Rod Run - Piney Flats, TN
September 26 - 28	Super Chevy Show - Bristol, TN
September 27	Kick Back Kruse In at The Diner in Sevierville 3 - 10 pm

Mossy Creek Cruzers Car Club Officers

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Trophies • Entertainment • Door Prizes

All varieties of cars and trucks are invited.

\$100 to Car Club with the most vehicles attending.

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Hard Times
 Street Rod Club
Moonshine Rod Run

June 20th & 21, 2014

\$30

Newport City Park in Newport, TN
 Trophies • Entertainment • Door Prizes
 1958 Vehicles and Older

**1st Annual Miracle Makers
 AUTO SHOW**

Saturday, June 21, 2014 • 8 am - 5 pm

Jefferson City Walmart

Donations will qualify as your entry fee for the event

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WELCOME NEW MEMBERS

Nathan Peak (Mandy)
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 David McGhee (Debbie)
 Charles "Chuck" Johnson (Casey)
 Tony Cate (Toni)
 Ray Randolph (Ann)
 Everett Fielden
 Bobby Collins
 Billy John Cureton (Kim)

Welcome to all our new
 members!! If you know others
 that would like to join, bring
 them to a meeting or cruise-in
 and see if they would be
 interested in joining!!

We enjoy meeting new
 people all the time!!

FOR SALE

1931 Ford Roadster Pick Up \$50K

& 1954 Mercury \$20K

Call Tom Koziol 423-237-3740

If you have items for sale or if you are looking for
 something,

let me know & I'll post in the newsletter.

Thanks, Pat

PRAYERS FOR THE SICK

Please keep David King in your thoughts and prayers. David had
 heart surgery and is now home recuperating.

Also keep Paul Richardson in your thoughts and prayers.

If you know of someone who is sick, please let Pat know.

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**JUNE
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 MEMBERS**

Business Suggestions

A while back, our President, Larry Boggess, suggested that we make up a list of businesses that
 you would recommend to other people and some businesses of our own. Let us know what YOU
 do. For instance; Phil Hackman owns Aamco Transmission in Talbott, Pat Dukes has a small sign
 & craft shop, David King has a glass company and has done most of the windows in our vehicles,
 Scott Day does carpentry work and the list surely goes on and on. Lets get an official list made up
 so that we can support other Cruzers businesses. Just let Larry know by either having it written
 down and give to him at a meeting or email him. We need to all help each other!

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