



Mossy Creek Cruzers

Car Club



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Jefferson & Surrounding Counties

Cruzers Holiday Dinner 2017



Chestnut Hill VFD



Dandridge VFD



New Market VFD



Lakeway VFD

Some of our 2017 Charities

Scholarship for
Jefferson County HS Student



Special Olympics



White Pine VFD



Jeff Co Rescue Squad



Kansas Talbott VFD

Jim Katzbeck's Story



Quite a few years ago, Cruiser Jim Katzbeck had a friend that had passed away. The friend's wife called Jim and asked him if he wanted to buy a Toyota that her husband had. Jim went to her house and looked at it and decided to buy it. As he was in the garage, he noticed a 1955 white, F100 Ford truck sitting over to the side of the garage. He didn't pay very much attention to it since he was there to buy another vehicle. He went home with the Toyota that he bought but then in a few days he started thinking about the 1955 F100. He had a friend that lived away from him but he knew the friend would be interested in the truck. He called him and asked him if he wanted him to go back and look at it and report back to him about it. Well, Jim went back and asked the lady if he could look at the truck. The rest is history! Jim looked at the truck and fell in love with it himself and he decided to buy it on the spot. Thus today that white 1955 F100 lives with Jim and Lil Katzbeck and is the beauty that they drive to the car shows! Not sure what he told his friend that wanted him to look at it for him!



The Cruzers would like to thank Ann & Ray Randolph for storing the Fill the Truck with Toys donations and for taking them to the Armory for distribution and helping with that also. Joan Spoon, Bob Cross and other Cruzers also helped with the distribution of them. We had 184 toys donated to us to give to Christmas in Jefferson County. This was the most we have ever had. Thanks to Bush's Visitor Center for suppling us a place to have the car show. Keep up the good work Cruzers!

Letter from the President

Hello Everyone,

Another year is coming to an end. I want to take this time to thank everyone for all your hard work and support of the Mossy Creek Cruzers Car Club. Because of your hard work our community is a better place to live and work.

Let's keep the volunteer spirit going in 2018 and we can make our club even better. We need to work together to get the word out about the club and how to become a member to enjoy all of the classic cars and the shows. Lots of new friends to make.

Larry Boggess, President

**\$20 Membership Fees
are due in
January, 2018**



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The origin of the Mossy Creek Cruzers Car Club

Hello Cruzers,

The general purpose and goal of The Mossy Creek Cruzers Car Club is to promote a way for antique and/or classic vehicle enthusiasts to spend time together, to have quality time and fun with our families, other individuals and club members as well as to raise money to donate to various charities and to people in need. We operate as a non-profit organization. Our main charities are for local organizations and individuals.

The Mossy Creek Cruzers Car Club was created to promote good fellowship and sportsmanship, to conduct club functions and activities in a manner befitting members of this sort. We planned to encourage better understanding of the restoration of vehicles as a constructive family sport among members of the public, press, and law enforcement agencies; to provide and regulate events and exhibitions for classic and/or antique car owners; to promote enthusiasm for classic and/or antique cars through cruise-ins and car shows.

We encourage planned trips, events and social activities for members as well as sharing information about local car shows and cruise-ins of other clubs and charities as well as our own. We conduct club functions and activities in a manner befitting members and families of The Mossy Creek Cruzers Car Club.

The purpose of this group is to attend car shows together, share information about upcoming car show events, sponsor our annual car show and cruise-ins and share in our community.

It is our intent to share in the fellowship of Jefferson and surrounding counties by donating to various charities and children in need. We raise funds through the events that we plan. Our events are family oriented.

A meeting is held on the first Tuesday of each month at Shoney's in Dandridge at 7:00 pm to set forth plans on upcoming events. The club members have the final say in anything that we do. If coming to the meeting, and you plan on eating, please come at 6 pm so dinner will be finished by the time the meeting starts.

MCC holds a cruise-in from April through October each year on Friday evenings at College Square Shopping Center (Big Lots) in Jefferson City, Tennessee.

Everyone is invited to join our club so if this sounds like something that you would enjoy being a part of, just come to a meeting or see one of the officers and we'll sign you up! Hope to see you join us!!

For those of you that we don't see very often, we miss you and would love to see you participate in your car club!

Another year will be starting very soon, new plans will be set up, events will be scheduled. Try to attend more meetings on the first Tuesday of each month at Shoney's in Dandridge at 7:00 pm.

Be thinking of things you would like the club to do and places for us to go. John Zieba has volunteered to set up a few fun runs for us to take during the year.

Heart Transplant Patient, Eric Harding

Mike and Kathy Reading's son-in-law, Eric Harding's heart transplant has been a huge success. He was placed on the waiting list and all of a sudden he got the call! He was rushed to Nashville and the surgery was performed at a great success! Eric and his wife Kelli stayed in Nashville for several weeks while Eric was monitored closely. Now the great news...Eric has been released to come home! He is doing well and this just goes to prove that prayers are answered when we put a group together all saying prayers! Eric, Welcome home from the Mossy Creek Cruzers and Merry Christmas to you and your family!