



Give Thanks



Mossy Creek Cruzers
Car Club 

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NEWSLETTER

Ramblin' On

Our Thanksgiving/Christmas Dinner is scheduled for December 8th. It is to be held at the Jefferson City Senior Citizens Center at 807 West Jefferson Street in Jefferson City. The dinner starts at 6:00 pm but we need to be there earlier to help get everything set up, the doors will be opened at 4:00 pm. Several of the members volunteered to cook turkeys, dressing and ham so that we do not need a caterer. WOW! That is great!! Thank you so much!! We have a list that we are passing around so you can choose what dish to bring to pass.

We are also playing the left/right game again this year! A man brings a \$10 wrapped gift for a man and a woman brings a \$10 wrapped gift for a woman. All of the women get in a circle and a story is read. Each time the word "left" is said, you pass the gift to the left in the circle. Each time the word "right" is said, you pass the gift to the person to the right of you in the circle. The left/right words are said about 35 times! When the last left/right word is said, the gift you have is the gift you keep!! Then it is time for the men to form a circle and the same scenario goes for them. *It is always a lot of fun!!*

We need to have a count of all members that are coming to ensure that we have enough food. Please let Pat know by **November 19th** if you are going to attend. Email her at mossycreekcruzers@aol.com to let her know and if you will be one or two attending. Or call her at 865-363-5891.

The fun run to the Green Tomato Cafe in Mooresburg on November 14th was a lot of fun. There were about a dozen members went and enjoyed the food. **Another fun run will be set up soon.** I will email you (and call the ones that don't have email, about it and where we can meet to go to this show together). See the page about the Toys for Tots car show in Sevierville on December 1st from 10 am until 2 pm. A new, unwrapped toy, no stuffed animals please, for children aged 1-10 is the registration fee. Bob Millard, the contact for this show, is the judge for our July 6th show. Let's support him with his show!!

The Hamblen County Car club invited the Cruzers to a fun day at the Pink Pig in Morristown on Tuesday, November 13rd. Gene and Deb Reynolds, Deedra Zieba and Pat Dukes attended. It was a fun couple of hours and I (Pat) felt that it was nice to get to know some of the HCCC members. Plus whatever you paint, you get to bring home although a few of the items had to be fired (ceramics). Thank you HCCC for inviting us!

As this holiday season is getting started, it is time to winterize our cars and let some of them "hibernate" for the cold season! It is hard to park them but we need to take extra care of these classic cars to ensure their futures.

We deliver the Toys from our "Fill the Truck with Toys" show to the Armory in Jefferson City on Monday, November 26th at 10:00 am. We will have our trailer there and the Standard Banner will be there to take pictures for

MCC Public Relations for our club! All members that are available are needed to help with the toys.

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!

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The Cruzers are very proud to announce our Judge for our July 6th Car Show at Jefferson Middle School. Bob Millard is a well known judge in a wide circle of events. We were lucky enough to meet Bob and have him judge our show this year! Bob Millard has worked tirelessly over the last 50 years, judging vehicles entered at ISCA-sanctioned events, including the Detroit Autorama. In 1979, he was named competition director and wrote and enforced the rules to ensure that judging was performed correctly.

2014 Circle of Champions Inductees

Bob Millard International Show Car Association (ISCA) General Manager



This year marks Bob Millard's Golden Anniversary in the custom car show industry. To say that cars are his life might sound like an exaggeration, but in this case, it is absolute fact. Fifty years of hot cars, great times and wonderful friendships keep him coming back for more. He's tried to retire, but it's just not in his blood.

It all started in Austin, Minnesota, when Bob judged his first car show. He found that he had the interest, experience and keen eye to judge a show car properly and fairly. It's proven true over many years and just as many heated debates. Bob can deliver great news or news regarding "room for improvement" on a show car with the perfect blend of kindness, humor and authority.

As General Manager of the ISCA, Bob has the experience to back up his decisions. He started judging ISCA shows in the early 70's quickly becoming an ISCA supervisor in 1973.

In 1979, Bob became ISCA, Competitive Director and also met Sandy, the woman who would become his wife. Of course Sandy was heavily involved in the ISCA as the Southeastern Division Director. Leave it to Bob to find the prettiest and sweetest woman in the ISCA. Bob and Sandy married in 1983.

Over the years, Bob has judged hundreds of car shows. Along the way, he has become the goodwill ambassador for our sport. His gregarious nature naturally bonds with competitors, sponsors and his peers.

Bob has received countless honors, attesting to his stronghold in this business. SEMA named him "individual of the Year," in 2010. In 2013: The National Street Rod Association (NSRA) honored Bob with an Achievement Award for his contributions to the industry.

His involvement with the Ridler Award has been a key factor in the evolution of the competition. Bob first worked with Al Maynard in the early years and then Butch Patrico for the last 15 years to help raise the Ridler Award to "brass ring" status.

Bob's Love of this sport is ever-present, therefore he was the perfect candidate to develop our youth initiative, which has become a thriving program.

As much as Bob loves cars, there is no greater love than the love of a child. One of Bob's proudest accomplishments is imparting his love of car shows onto his son, Brian, who is one of the top ISCA officials today.

Happy Birthday

NOVEMBER

MCC MEMBERS

Prayers for the Sick

David King - Cruiser

Elmer Blanken, Betty Leovich - Hamblen Co. Car Club
(if you know of anyone else that is sick, please
let Chaplain Joan Spoon know)

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TRUNK or TREAT

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What a great evening we had at our Trunk or Treat on Halloween night. We were at our usual cruise-in place in College Square in front of Auto Zone with Cruzers and friends giving out candy. There must have been about 150 children that came through collecting candy from each of us! We took a lot of pictures but not all are shown here. This is our second year of hosting this Trunk or Treat and we look forward to it. The children are so humorous and some just learning to say Trick or Treat, cute as they can be. This is a fun way to end our cruise-ins of the year and now we can start planning the cruise-in for next year.



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Upcoming Area Events

Dec 4 MCC Club Meeting at Shoney's in Dandridge 7:00 pm
 Dec 8 MCC Holiday Dinner, Jefferson City Senior Center,
 807 East Jefferson Street, Jefferson City 6 pm
 Members only

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Jan 2 MCC Club Meeting at Shoney's in Dandridge 7:00 pm
 Feb 5 MCC Club Meeting at Shoney's in Dandridge 7:00 pm
 March 5 MCC Club Meeting at Shoney's in Dandridge 7:00 pm
 Mar 15 - 16 Spring Corvette Expo, LeConte Center
 Mar 20-23 Ponies in the Smokies, Sevierville Convention Center
 Apr 2 MCC Club Meeting at Shoney's in Dandridge 7:00 pm
 Apr 10 - 13 Bronco Super Celebration, Talley Ho Inn, Pigeon Forge
 Apr 11 - 13 Spring Rod Run, Pigeon Forge
 May 7 MCC Club Meeting at Shoney's in Dandridge 7:00 pm
 May 16 - 18 Grand National F100 Ford Reunion, Pigeon Forge
 June 4 MCC Club Meeting at Shoney's in Dandridge 7:00 pm
 July 2 MCC Club Meeting at Shoney's in Dandridge 7:00 pm
 July 6 9th Annual Mossy Creek Cruzers Car Show 9 am - 3 pm
 Aug 6 MCC Club Meeting at Shoney's in Dandridge 7:00 pm
 Aug 23 - 24 Great Smoky Mountain Jeep Invasion, LeConte Event
 Center
 Aug 24 8th Annual Mossy Creek Cruzers Fill the Truck with
 Toys 10 - 3 pm at Bush's Visitor Center
 Sep 3 MCC Club Meeting at Shoney's in Dandridge 7:00 pm
 Sep 6 - 7 Shades of the Past, Pigeon Forge
 Oct 1 MCC Club Meeting at Shoney's in Dandridge 7:00 pm
 Nov 5 MCC Club Meeting at Shoney's in Dandridge 7:00 pm
 Dec 3 MCC Club Meeting at Shoney's in Dandridge 7:00 pm

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CHRISTMAS PARADE



SCHEDULE

December 1 - White Pine

Line up at 3:00 pm at the Ruritan Building

Parade starts at 4:00 pm

Contact City Hall 865-674-2556 for info

December 8 - Jefferson City

Line up on West Main Street at 4:30

Parade starts at 5:30

Christmas Festivities to follow

December 15 - New Market

Line up at 10:00 am at Lost Creek Golf Club

Parade starts at 11:00 am

It will end at New Market City Hall

Christmas Festivities to follow

call 865-397-9642 for info

December 22 - Dandridge Parade

Sponsored by the

Dandridge Volunteer Fire Department

Line up at Maury School at 12 noon

Parade starts at 1:00 pm

Andy Riley 865-397-3192

for info

Letter from the President

Hello Cruzers,

Thanks to each of the Mossy Creek Cruzers that has worked so hard throughout the year. I would like to see all of our members that can, get involved in the club including attending our monthly meetings. Only members at our meetings get to vote on how the club operates. So attend the meetings and voice your opinions.

I'm looking forward to seeing all that we can accomplish together in the year ahead.

Larry Boggess

President, Mossy Creek Cruzers

This is the show that our next fun-run will be going to on December 1. More info about where we will meet to go together and what time will be sent email and those without email called.

TOYS FOR TOTS 2018

*Presented by
the East TN Breakfast Club,
Precision Rod & Custom*

And the Great Smoky Mountain Auto Fest

SATURDAY, DECEMBER 1, 2018

**Quaker Steak & Lube from 10:00 am to 2:00 pm
Sevierville**

Located at the corners of the Parkway & Collier Drive

**ALL MAKES & MODELS OF HOT RODS, MUSCLE CARS,
PICKUPS, RAT RODS are welcome!!**

ALL GIFTS MUST BE UNWRAPPED FOR AGES 1-10

SORRY, NO STUFFED ANIMALS!

DOOR PRIZES WILL BE AWARDED DURING THE EVENT!

**Contact Bob Millard at 586-703-2381 or bobm1933@yahoo.com.
for more information**

**For those of you that cannot attend, you can drop off
your toys at "Big Boy's Toys"
Next to Smoky Mountain Knife Store
or "Precision Rod & Custom".**