

# The Hillholder

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## ARTS & CRAFTS AND A MEETING AT LAKE ARROWHEAD

It was a light turnout for the November meeting at The Lake Arrowhead Country Club hosted by Bob & Barbara Hughes. At the



meeting, however, we had Sam Ensley volunteer to be the

chairman of the Georgia State Meet in 2007. The date has not been set, but the place most likely will be the beautiful mountains of Blairsville, Georgia. Sam is an old hand at this. Volunteers, wait for his call to arms.



Where is everybody?



I've seen better . . .



Members always enjoy taking a look at other members' cars, under the hood.



Nice to sit on the porch on a beautiful fall day and enjoy the friendship of other members and good food too.



Chuck Lampman stands in and emceeds the meeting at Lake Arrowhead.

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## Christmas Meeting set for Bethlehem, GA

Hosted by Billy & Charlene Carey, Ray & Brenda Phillips. **RSVP by Nov 30**

Tel. Days (770) 867-7186, Evenings (770) 867-2060

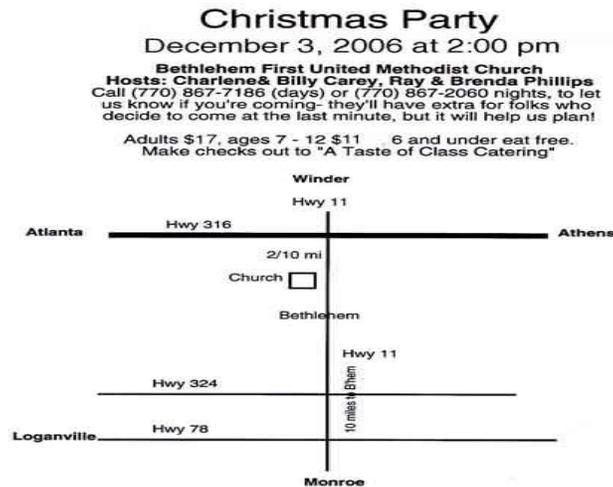
### DIRECTIONS TO Bethlehem

Take I-85 to the Lawrenceville-Athens exit to the far right. Go approximately 23 miles until you see Highway 11. There will be a Kangaroo Gas Station on the far right corner. Take that right turn and just on your right you will see the church. Take the second driveway up to the church on the hill. You will see Studebakers parked there.

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## BMW & Champion Designer Albrecht Graf Goertz Dies



In 1940, Goertz was called up into the US Army and did five years of service on the Pacific front. Following his return to civilian life in 1945, he met Raymond Loewy, then the preeminent figure in industrial design. He helped Goertz to gain a place of study at the Pratt Institute in Brooklyn

*Worked with Raymond Loewy to design the Studebaker Champion—the so-called “bullet nose”*

and subsequently took him on as a junior designer in his Studebaker

development department. Here Goertz and a colleague designed the successful facelift of the Studebaker Champion - the so-called "bullet nose".

# Meeting Schedule

December 3, Bethlehem, GA

January 7: Provino's Italian Restaurant, Kennesaw

## Nominees for office:

President: Hobo Bodkin

Vice President: Chuck Lampman

Secretary: Don Smith

Treasurer: Chuck Lampman



Registration at the Hilton Head Concours 2006



My other car is a Studebaker.



Congratulations to John & Arlene Hollier for their Best in Class award at the Hilton Head Concours



Nice bullet nose made the trek to Hilton Head.

Our website has the location of all the upcoming meeting schedule:  
[www.studebakerclubs.com/northgeorgia](http://www.studebakerclubs.com/northgeorgia).



Carolyn Sikes' Speedster makes it debut at the Concours.



This Studebaker always seems to shine as it did at the Concours. (Marvin & Carolyn Sikes, of course)

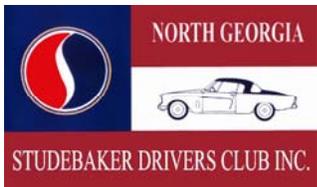
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# Different by Design

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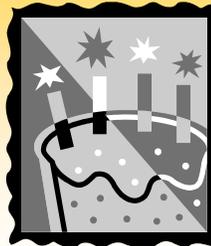
President's Message:

It seems like a hundred years since I took the President's gavel. I know now why the bylaws limit the term to two years. You just are out of gas by the end of the 2nd year. We need and look forward to new leadership and a different person standing up in front of the group. I learned a long time ago, however painfully, that being a good team player is not very glorious, but it has its responsibilities. I hope to be a good player and support our incoming president (most like Hobo Bodkin since his is the only one nominated). Hobo will do a fine job and look forward to supporting him in every way I can. I hope all of you will do the same. Good luck, Hobo. (And Brenda too!)

Birthdays & Celebrations

Birthdays:

- Vance Blew 11/1
- Cindy Lampman 11/3
- Marilyn Sullivan 11/3
- Dorothy Brown 11/8
- Jim Masone 11/9
- Dot Hunt 11/18
- Dan Miller 11/23



Anniversary:

- Marvin & Carolyn Sikes 11/22

A cool, crisp fall day was a great occasion for everyone to drive their Studebaker to Lake Arrowhead for our November meeting. We seem to either have an abundance of Avantis or maybe there are the cars that are in the best driving shape.

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The lineup at Lake Arrowhead



More cars and good food marked the November meeting



## JUDGE NOT LEST YE SHALL BE JUDGED

I got my judging sheet Saturday. I missed a 2nd place by 1 point. Let me start out by saying if Pete Wendt was judging, I would still get a third by legitimate deductions. I lost 3 points for radials and

### JUDGING AT STUDEBAKER INTERNATIONAL IN OMAHA

non-matching spare. It clearly says at the top, 2 point deduction. So it would be either 2 points or 4 points for that item. 2 points for having the wrong carpet. It's a Phantom carpet. Would someone tell me how to get a correct carpet? 3 points for missing battery bracket (that's legitimate, it's in the trunk) and battery cutoff switch??? They don't usually deduct for that. 3 points for having a black power steering pump (1962 IS black). And wrong air cleaner. It has the factory oil bath that it came with. 2 points for the missing "45" tag on my TT rear axle and the extra leaf in the rear springs. 15 points for worn upholstery (out of 35) my upholstery looks darn good for its age. I think 5 would have been reasonable. *Claude Chmielewski claudeski@netzero.com*

Chuck Lampman

Peter McCaffrey

Ed Burris

Bob & Barb Hughes

Todd Hughes

John & Dorothy

Brown

Henry & Loretta Malin

Henry & Norma Hernandez

Mike & Terry Hopper

Sam Ensley

Billy & Charleen Carey

Solon Couch, Jr.

Susan Schittler

### ATTENDEES



Sam's 1986 Studemino

### Sam Ensley's Studemino

Another way to make the bullet nose the signature look for many Studebaker fans.

## Sam Ensley to chair the Georgia State Meet 2007



Sam Ensley will chair the Georgia State Meet 2007.

Pictured far right, Sam will host the meet in his home town of Blairsville, GA.

**Dues time again!**  
**North Georgia chapter dues (\$15/year) are payable on a calendar year basis. 2007 dues will be due January 1, 2007, and may be paid to the Treasurer at the November or later meetings. Checks should be made to "North Georgia SDC"**

**MEMBERSHIP FORM -  
NORTH GEORGIA CHAPTER**

To join our chapter, please, complete this form and send with

your \$15.00 check or money order in US funds to:

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4141 Lynette Ct NE  
KENNESAW, GA 30144

Note: you must be a member of the National SDC to join us.

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