

SEPTEMBER 2007

# The Hillholder

North Georgia Chapter of The Studebaker Drivers Club

Editor's Notes: Most monthly magazines arrive in the mail or appear on newsstands well before the calendar month actually begins. *The Hillholder* has adopted this practice, thus the September date above. We continue producing 12 newsletters per year.

We are also sending a new club roster to each member. It will arrive shortly after the newsletter as a separate mailing.

## ALL REPORT A GREAT TIME IN HIAWASSEE



Beautiful setting and cars



Final detailing



Open for inspection



Judges at work



Concessions area



Phyllis & Lenny Major won the Studebaker afghan, crocheted by Maureen Elliott



Auctioneer Hobo Bodkin, assisted by Maureen



Hospitality room at the hotel



Special recognition to Don Smith, our past President, Secretary and Hillholder editor



50-25-25 Drawing won by Teresa Elliott, Tom's sister



Saturday Night entertainment, with Sam Ensley, meet chairman



At the Banquet



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**W**hat a wonderful and enjoyable time we all had at the 4<sup>th</sup> Annual Georgia State Meet in Hiawassee. What a beautiful place for a Car Show. I know that at times the heat got to us in the Hospitality Room and at the Banquet, but we still had a good time and good food. The auction went better than we expected and we owe our thanks to Maureen Elliott for the Afghan, Jim Fisher for the Birdhouse and Gordon Sheldon for the Toy Wooden Cars.

I also would like to take this opportunity to thank all the Club Members who donated drinks and food to the Hospitality Room. We could not have had such a successful meet without you. To all the great help that I received in the Hospitality room and out at the Pavilion MY DEEPEST THANKS for your hard work. For the Meet and Show, let me especially thank the following: Charleen and Billy Carey, Phyllis and Lenny Major, Jim Fisher, Marsha and Mike Byrd, Dan Miller, Barbara and Bob Hughes, Maureen and Tom Elliott, Sam and Kathy Ensley, Chuck Lampman, Dot and Buddy Hunt, Brenda and Hobo Bodkin, Doris and Bill Cope, Linda and Ray Downing, Rick Kamen, Bob Lytle, Marguerite Smith, Don Smith and Dianne and Crazy Ray Smith. If I have forgotten anyone please accept my apologies.

Check out our club website for some great pictures.

Remember our next chapter meeting (September) is being held at the Tri-State Meet in Ashville the weekend after Labor Day.... see you then.

Barbara A. Miller

### Georgia State Meet 2007 Concours Results

*Congratulations to the following, and thanks to ALL who contributed to the meet by driving a Studebaker!*

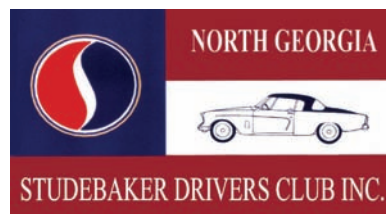
Division	Ranking	Name	Entry #	Vehicle	Point Score
I: 1902-1946	1st & Best of Show	Buddy & Judy Groves	117	1941 Champion coupe	400
II: 1947-1958	1st	Ryan Howell	186	1952 Land Cruiser	381
	1st	Ed Fisher	167	1949 Champion 4-dr	381
	1st	Billy & Charleen Carey	106	1957 Commander 4-dr	383
	1st	Susan Schlittler	156	1952 Land Cruiser	384
	1st	Bob & Barbara Hughes	142	1949 Starlight coupe	386
	1st	Bill & Lenora Allen	175	1951 Champion 4-dr	386
	1st & Best of Division	Allan & Beatrice Dias	147	1951 Commander convertible	389
III: Lark Types	1st	Earl Goodbread	150	1960 Lark convertible	384
	1st	Shane Copeland	159	1961 Hawk	386
	1st	Joyce Goodbread	150	1960 Lark 4-dr	386
	1st	David Beachly	121	1960 Lark hardtop	392
	1st & Best of Division	Bill & Doris Cope	109	1963 Cruiser	396
IV: 1953-1961 C/K	2nd	J. Loring White	118	1958 Golden Hawk	373
	1st	Wes Lerdon	154	1954 Champion Starliner	390
	1st	Art Copeland	159	1961 Hawk	390
	1st & Best of Division	Chuck Lampman	103	1956 Golden Hawk	397

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### Georgia State Meet 2007 Concours Results

Division	Ranking	Name	Entry #	Vehicle	Point Score
V: GT Hawks	2nd	George Young	157	1962 GT Hawk	369
	2nd	Gene Cuthbert	149	1963 GT Hawk	369
	2nd	Mike Fitzgerald	165	1962 GT Hawk	372
	1st	Henry Malin	193	1963 GT Hawk	387
	1st	Loren Hendley	123	1963 GT Hawk	388
	1st	George Bugg	189	1963 GT Hawk	391
	1st & Best of Division	Billy & Ina Greene	135	1964 GT Hawk	398
VI b: Avantis	3rd	Pete McCaffrey	169	1989 Avanti	329
	2nd	Randy Cunningham	146	1983 Avanti	374
	1st	Jack Ammons	139	1983 Avanti	378
	1st	John Hollier	115	1970 Avanti	386
	1st	Ron & Connie Bergeron	141	1990 Avanti	390
	1st	Keith & Joan Gay Phildius	168	1989 Avanti	392
	1st	John Andras	173	1982 Avanti	394
	1st & Best of Division	Steve James	166	2006 Avanti	396
VII: Trucks	1st	Ray Downing	151	1963 Champ	384
	1st	Larry Butler	120	1954 C-cab	387
	1st & Best of Division	Art Copeland	159	1957 Transtar	392
VIII: Altered Stude-powered	3rd	Richard Knoblock	148	1956 Sky Hawk	302
	3rd	James Nichols	113	1960 Hawk	320
IX: Altered non-Stude-powered	2nd	Mike Byrd	112	1962 GT Hawk	343
	2nd	Harold McCarter	153	1954 Commander	351
	2nd	Fred Martin	160	1947 M-5 pickup	370
	1st & Best of Division	Harold McCarter	153	1949 C-cab pickup	393

\*\*\*AN APOLOGY TO PARTICIPANTS ENTERED IN THE MODIFIED CLASSES\*\*\* We usually use experienced judges who are friends from other marque car clubs to judge the modified classes, since authenticity is not an issue. This time we were fooled- while the local-area judges we were provided were both represented to us as experienced in the body shop and mechanic businesses, they were not known to us, and we did not know their judging skills. They ignored some instructions of the Chief Judge, and their scoring was unnecessarily harsh, but by the time this was realized, it was too late to rejudge these classes. We apologize sincerely; be assured that we will see that this does not happen again.





## Georgia State Meet Division Winners



Division I & Best of Show, Buddy & Judy Groves



Division II, Allan & Beatrice Dias



Division III, Bill & Doris Cope



Division IV, Chuck Lampman



Division V Billy & Ina Greene



Division VI b, Steve James



Division VIII, Art Copeland



Division IX, Harold McCarter

**Treasurer's Report****From Chuck Lampman****Income Statement—month ending 7/31/07**

<b>Income:</b>	50/50 Proceeds	\$52.00	
	Dues Rec'd	15.00	
<b>GA State Meet 2007 Income / Expense:</b>	Banquet	1,355.00	
	Gen. Registration	395.00	
	Judging	330.00	
	T-shirt sales	258.00	
	Trophy donations	30.00	
	<b>Total Meet receipts</b>	<b>2,368.00</b>	
	Trophy Exp.	-617.39	
	Office Supplies	-55.29	
	Equipment	-169.60	
	Door Prizes	-147.17	
	Dash Plaques	-140.00	
	<b>Total Meet Exp.</b>	<b>-1,129.45</b>	
	<b>Meet Net Income</b>	<b>1,238.55</b>	
<b>Club Net Income</b>			<b>1,305.55</b>

**Balance Sheet as of 7/31/07**

<b>Total Assets</b>	Checking Account	6,797.63
<b>Liabilities:</b>	GA State Meet reserves	2,039.31
<b>Equity:</b>	North GA Chapter Balance	4,758.32
<b>Total Liabs. and Equity</b>		<b>6,797.63</b>

**Sources and Uses of Funds—Georgia State Meet 2007**

<b>Sources of Funds</b>				<b>Uses of Funds</b>	
<b>Item</b>	<b>Price</b>	<b>Number</b>	<b>Total</b>	<b>Item</b>	<b>Total</b>
General Registrations	\$10.00	92	\$920.00	Fairground	\$ 300.00
Late Registrations	5.00	38	190.00	Trophies	562.82
Cars Shown (1)	15.00	46	690.00	Dash Plaques	140.00
Cars Shown (2)	10.00	3	30.00	Name Badges	55.29
Cars Shown (3)	5.00	1	5.00	Postage, mailing	703.70
Car Corral	15.00	2	30.00	Banquet Expense	3,032.38
Banquet, adult	25.00	124	3,100.00	Hospitality Expense	315.39
Banquet, children	12.50	2	25.00	Security	125.00
Trophy & other donations	15.00	43	645.00	Signage	180.85
T-shirt sponsors	200.00	6	1,200.00	Door Prizes	147.17
T-shirt sales			1,228.85	Radios	169.60
Hospitality sales			569.75	Entertainment	150.00
Auction			403.00	T-shirt expense	1,304.30
50-25-25 Drawing			122.00		
<b>Total Income</b>			<b>\$9,158.60</b>	<b>Total Expense</b>	<b>\$7,186.50</b>
				<b>Net Profit</b>	<b>\$1,972.10</b>

## Celebrations

### Birthdays

Dora Smith	8/2	Jim Estes	9/9
Billy Carey	8/3	Dianne Smith	9/12
Margaret Smith	8/8	Rochelle Ziglin	9/13
Bobbie Estes	8/9	Cindy Lampman	9/14
Brenda Phillips	8/9	Bill Cope	9/15
Allison Hasley	8/10	Beverly Petru	9/24
Myrtle Burris	8/22	Charlotte Delli	9/25
Daniel Malzhan	8/23		
Tom Elliott	8/26		
Deborah McCaffrey	8/29		

### Anniversaries

Bill and Doris Cope	8/16
Fred and Paula Martin	8/20
Mike and Marsha Byrd	8/23
Lenny and Phyllis Major	8/31
Bill & Charlotte Delli	9/3
Edward & Del Lane	9/3
Crazy Ray & Dianne Smith	9/17
Joshua McCord & Susan Duncan-McCord	9/22
Ron & Connie Bergeron	9/25
Ray & Brenda Phillips	9/29



## Upcoming Events

Studebaker sponsored events are in *Italics*. Chapter Meetings are in **Bold**.

DATE	PLACE	EVENT	DETAILS
September 7-8, 2007	Annual Tri-State Meet, Asheville, NC	<b><i>Chapter Meeting</i></b>	September's meeting will be at the 39th annual Tri-State Meet, held in Asheville, NC, Sept 7th and 8th, 2007. The North Georgia chapter meeting will be held at 2 pm on Saturday, Sept 8 - look for the club banner or tent. Flyer on next page; also on our website.
October 7, 2007	TBA	<b><i>Chapter Meeting</i></b>	Hosted by Mike Hopper and Terrie Fox.
October 26-27, 2007	Holiday Inn Palm Beach Airport, West Palm Beach, FL	<b><i>30th Florida State Meet, hosted by Sunshine State Chapter</i></b>	Contact Gary Johnson @ 305.871.8408 or Butch Figurella @ 561.793.4957. See August <i>Turning Wheels</i> pg. 33 for registration form, or contact your editor for a copy.
November 4, 2007	Clubhouse, Lake Arrowhead	<b><i>Chapter Meeting</i></b>	Hosted by Bob & Barbara Hughes; Tel. 770.479.1723
December 2, 2007	Bethlehem, GA, Bethlehem United Methodist Church.	<b><i>Chapter Meeting and Christmas party</i></b>	Hosted by Billy & Charlene Carey, Bethlehem, GA. <b>Please RSVP by Nov 30 so we can plan</b> - Tel. Days 770.867.7186, Evenings 770.867.2060



# North Carolina Chapter

## Studebaker Drivers Club

### 39th Annual Tri-State Meet

#### September 7th and 8th, 2007

Featuring This Year Banquet

Speaker

George Reitenour



**Vendors Welcome**

Call for indoor/outdoor space availability

e-mail: [Bamajak@carolina.rr.com](mailto:Bamajak@carolina.rr.com)

Questions about the Meet

Tri-State Meet Coordinator:

Jack White

704-549-9433

**Meet Headquarters:**  
**Holiday Inn Airport**  
**I-26 south of Asheville**  
**Exit 9**  
**Asheville, NC**  
**For Room Reservations**  
**Call (828) 684-1213**

**Events:**

**Friday, September 7, 2007**

\* Registration 6 pm-9pm

\* Evening Cookout (Palmetto Chapter)

**Saturday, September 8, 2007**

\* Registration 9 am-12 noon

\* Swap meet 9 am-4 pm

\* Studebaker Car Show 9 am-2 pm

\* People's Choice Judging 9 am-2 pm

\* People's Choice Model Car Show 9 am-2 pm

\* Fund-Raising Cookout 11:30 am-1:30 pm

\* South Bend Watch Show 10 am-12 am

\* Valve Cover Racing 1 pm-2pm

\* Awards Banquet 6:30-Til..



#### 2007 Tri-State Meet General Registration:

Please Pre-Register before August 9th, 2007

Registration:....\$15.00(includes meet packet and dash plaque)

People's Choice Judging.\$10.00 Total.....

Valve Cover Racing.\$3.00 Total.....

Model Car Display...\$3.00 Total.....

Watch Display/Judging...\$3.00 Total.....

Awards Banquet \$20.00 Person Total.....

Late Registration (8/31/07) Fee: add \$5.00.....

**Grand Total.....**

#### Mail registration to

Carolyn Tucker

1710 Bradshaw Road

Mt. Ulla, NC 28125

[haileynana@aol.com](mailto:haileynana@aol.com)

**Make checks payable to NCSDC**

Name:.....

Address:.....

City:.....

## THE MARKETPLACE

Editors Note: Ads will run in three issues of *The Hillholder*, with the final date shown at the end of each listing. To renew your ad beyond the initial run, please contact me and I will be pleased to extend it for another three months. To submit or change your ad, please see the contact information on the last page. Ad submissions are shared between *The Hillholder* and the SDC North Georgia website classifieds.

### SERVICES OFFERED:

**Mechanical work on Studebakers:** call Dan Miller at 770.932.1615, or email at alexmil@comcast.net. (10/2007)

### FOR SALE:

#### CARS AND TRUCKS

**1922 Studebaker Special Six.** Frame up restoration on a 1,796 mile car, driveable. Includes original title and operation manual, trunk including original crank and tire wrench, ash trays and vase flower holders. All glass and window cranks are original and in working condition. Original window shades included, but are in poor condition. Original clock still works, original PA plate included. Colors are maroon, black and gray, light gray interior. New tires and spare; wood wheels are in excellent condition. \$16,500. Email susangschlittler@bellsouth.net (11/2007)

**1949 Land Cruiser.** Mostly original, recent re-paint with some flaws. Beautiful original interior. Runs like a charm. Over-drive, hill holder, directionals, fog lights, Climatizer, all work. Radio and clock do not. Is driven on a regular basis. Jim Kadra, Hilton Head Island, SC. 843.689.6667 or jkadra@aol.com (10/2007)

**1951 Studebaker Champion four door.** 6,700 original miles. Needs new radiator hoses and battery. Located in Young Harris, GA. Lewis Schoettle, 706.896.3333, email: schoettlepublishing@yahoo.com (11/2007)

**1952 Studebaker.** four door, light blue and white, V-8 automatic. Asking \$500. Located in Hull, GA. Call Doug Allen, 706.621.9075 (cell) or 706.543.1350 (work). (11/2007)

**1957 Silver Hawk.** Mostly original, repainted about 5 years ago with some flaws. Runs well. Significant work completed over the last two years: Rebuilt brakes including booster, rebuilt front-end, new exhaust system. Body 57H-C3-317, Serial 719028, Engine P41078 (V8 289). This car would be a gem for someone wanting to fully restore it. Contact Joe Champion, Tucker, GA 770.939.0760 (home), 404.547.0345 (cell), or joechamp@hotmail.com. \$11,700 negotiable. (10/2007)

**1964 Avanti.** R-2, R4532. Bought from the Mike Kelly collection in 2002. Built for the drag strip from the factory with super-charger, Twin Traction, 4 spd and 4.55 rear axle. Call 404.213.2460. (11/2007)

**1984 Avanti.** New GM Silver Beige (original color) paint, new race-built TH700R4 transmission, new timing chain and gears, fuel and water pumps, A/C overhauled, new radio, new authentic bumper strip on sides and bumpers, new Dayton wire wheels and Pirelli tires. Has significant wear on bolster of driver's seat, leaks some oil, which could be rear main or valve cover gaskets, cruise control inoperative, scratch in paint on trunk. \$10,000. Call Chuck Lampman, 770.926.7142. (10/2007)

#### STUDEBAKER FLOCKS AND PARTS

**Engines** - two 259 Studebaker engines, turn but probably need rebuilding.

First is serial number VN313, a 1964 engine with the full flow block. Includes heads, manifolds (2 bbl). These engines are desirable because 100% of the oil is circulated through an oil filter before it goes to the rest of the engine. This block can easily be made into a 289 with a 289 crankshaft and pistons. \$300.

Second is serial nr. V555133, which the book says came from an early 62 car. It also comes complete with heads, manifolds, etc. \$150.

I travel for a living, so I am only home noon till 6 pm on Saturdays, Thursdays and Mondays, and all day Tuesday; please call only during these hours. Jim Fisher, 770.928.7841. (11/2007)



**1958 2 door Studebaker.** Straight shift, 6 cyl, nice clean car. \$7000

**1964 Daytona 2 door hardtop.** V-8 automatic, nice interior, nice paint. \$12,000. Both cars are drivable and ready to go, both are located at the Car Museum in Helen, GA. Call Doug Michael, 404.403.2809. (11/2007)

**1962 Lark 2 door hardtop.** V-8, auto, nice driver, new interior. \$7,500

**1964 Avanti R2.** Supercharger locked up, needs carb. work. Nice interior, nice paint. \$10,500  
Call 321.624.2007 Jeremy or Jerry Shelton. (11/2007)

**1963 GT Hawk** body shell and frame. Clear title. Excellent floors, some rust in trunk. \$400.

Good GT Hawk hood - \$200.

Dash & wiring, including gauges - \$175.

Many other miscellaneous parts.

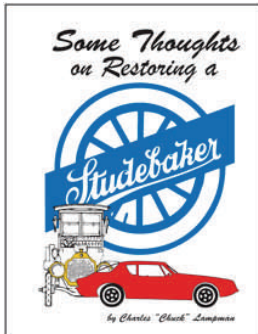
Wanted: LF fender for 57 Transtar truck.

Call Richard Burks, Murfreesboro, TN 615.848.8132. (11/2007)

### STUDEBAKER MEDIA



GA State Meet Photos on CD. Includes pictures of all cars at the event. \$6.50 (including postage) payable to North Georgia SDC c/o Chuck Lampman, or \$7.00 via PayPal to [chuck@lampman.com](mailto:chuck@lampman.com).  
(11/2007)



I finally finished it! This is a 99 page book I've put together based on the articles of the same name that appeared in *Turning Wheels* in the early 1990s and which won the SDC's Churchill Award for Best Article, Non-Paid. The book contains all the material from the original series, which ran for a year and a half in *The Hillholder*, and not only replaces some material edited out for the *TW* series, but has updates and several new items that were written after the *TW* series was published.

"Some Thoughts" is aimed at the first-time restorer, but will be of value to the more experienced; it doesn't try to be a "how to restore a car book", but gives you a look at the decision-making processes, tools, spaces and basic skills you'll need to do a restoration, and will provide a framework to help you structure your project.

There are several chapters of Studebaker-specific advice. In the chapter devoted to engine rebuilding, I've tried to describe a step-by-step process that anybody can follow, and included tips I've picked up in building 60+ engines. I've received many compliments on the engine chapter, and I'm glad to finally be able to get it in print.

The book is priced at \$22.50, plus \$4.00 for packaging and postage. It is also available at [chuck@lampman.com](mailto:chuck@lampman.com), but without the PayPal option for now. (10/2007)

Chuck Lampman



## MEMBERSHIP FORM -

**NORTH GEORGIA CHAPTER**

To join our chapter, complete this form and send with your \$15.00 check or money order in US funds to:

North Georgia Chapter SDC  
c/o Chuck Lampman  
4141 Lynette Ct NE  
Kennesaw, GA 30144

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

National Membership Number: \_\_\_\_\_  
(from cover of *Turning Wheels*)

Date: \_\_\_\_\_

Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Your Birthday (Month, Day): \_\_\_\_\_

Spouse or Companion: \_\_\_\_\_

Their Birthday (Month, Day): \_\_\_\_\_

Wedding Anniversary (Month, Day): \_\_\_\_\_

Street Address: \_\_\_\_\_

City: \_\_\_\_\_ State: \_\_\_\_\_ Zip: \_\_\_\_\_

Phone: \_\_\_\_\_

Email: \_\_\_\_\_

Studebakers you own (Year, Make & Model):

## MEMBERSHIP FORM

**NATIONAL SDC**

New Members First Year Only \$19.95

Dues: US & CANADA Periodicals class mail - \$27.50

US & CANADA-1st class mail - \$60.50

Young Adult (to 22) - \$19.95

To join SDC, complete this application and send with check or money order in US funds to the following:

The Studebaker Drivers Club, Inc

PO Box 1715, Maple Grove MN 55311

Or use VISA or MasterCard and call toll free  
763.420.7829 or fax 763.420.7849

Call or write with change of address. **DO NOT SEND ADS** with your membership. Ads must be sent to *Turning Wheels* editor.

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