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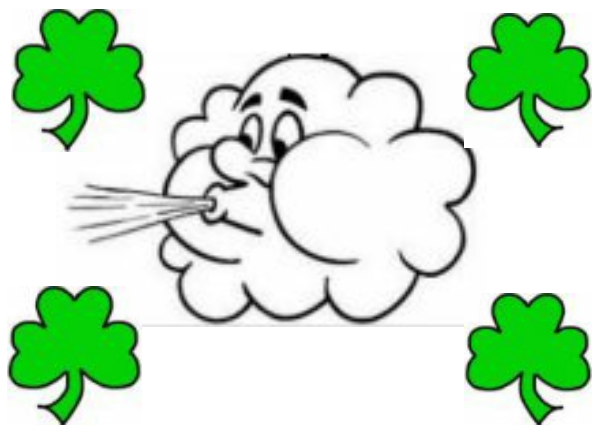
The official newsletter of the North Georgia Chapter SDC

North Georgia SDC February Meeting Pictures

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*March Meeting will be on
Sunday, March 5.*

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President's Message

Those of you that were at the Feb. meeting will know that Wayne Lee reported he had been contacted by the Zone Coordinator, who asked us to consider hosting a Southeast Zone Meet in the fall of this year. He had also asked Alabama and Tenn. and had not had a response from them. I have not been involved with hosting a Zone Meet, but it seems like a lot of details will need to be worked out if we accept the challenge. Wayne Ziemer said that several of our members were involved with hosting a Zone Meet some years ago. If we choose to host the meet, we will need to get started ASAP. Those who have experience with hosting, please be prepared at our March Meeting to educate the rest of us on what will be required. The rest of us please come up with some suggestions for hotels and activities to entertain our guests.

Another thing up for our consideration is a car show at Riverside Military Academy in Gainesville. Wayne Ziemer was contacted about showing our cars at the event. It is a three day show and their web site is [www.http://rmachampionsandheroes.com](http://rmachampionsandheroes.com). They are having a timed style racing competition that some of you Hawk and Avanti owners may be interested in. Wayne's impression is that they want us, and possibly some national members, to show cars in a Studebaker Corral. They want this to be an annual and high end event. Wayne may have more information at the upcoming meeting.

We are looking forward to seeing everyone, looking at some Studebakers, and eating some good barbeque on March 5th in Canton.

-Loren Nelson-

Recipe Corner - Santa Fe Soup

- 1 pound of ground beef
- 1 can each of Great Northern, Kidney and Black beans
- 1 can whole kernel corn
- 2 cans of stewed tomatoes, chopped

- 1 onion (optional)
- 1 5-oz package of taco seasoning
- 1 1-oz package of dry ranch dressing
- 1 can of water

Directions:

Brown and drain ground beef. Add taco and ranch dressing seasonings, stir to coat meat. Empty all cans and juices into pot. Add water. Let simmer for 35-45 minutes

Generally the stewed tomatoes I use are the Italian or Mexican seasoned tomatoes. You can make this soup as spicy or as mild as you desire by your selection of the tomatoes and the taco seasoning.

Enjoy!

-Hellen Attaway-

**ATTENDEES
NORTH GEORGIA CHAPTER SDC
FEBRUARY MEETING**

Frank Petru	'78 Avanti
Richard Hickok	
Bob Haslett	
Loren & Helen Nelson	
Bruce Rawley	
Lenny & Phyllis Major	
Edward Burris	
Wayne & Ann Lee	
Rich Knoblock	
Jim Carto	
Richard Forgay	
Bill & Charlotte Delli	
Hobo & Brenda Bodkin	
Terry Smith	
Janet & Ben Alspach	
Connie Bergeron	
John Hollier	
Dan & Barbara Miller	
Johnnie Clark	
John G. Greene	'48 Champion
Guadalupe & Tim Taylor	



**MARCH
CELEBRATIONS**

MARCH BIRTHDAYS

William Delli	3/13
Brenda Bodkin	3/17
Michael Ziglin	3/21
Mike Byrd	3/22
Robert Langford	3/24
Ray Smith	3/27
Maury Morgan	3/29

MARCH ANNIVERSARIES

John & Arlene Hollier	3/03
Ben & Janet Alspach	3/20
Sam and Kathy Ensley	3/31



TREASURER'S REPORT
Submitted by Barbara Miller, Treasurer

Beginning Balance	\$4700.81
Jan 1, 2016	

Deposits
No deposits were made in January.
Deposit for January was made on 2/1/2017.

Withdrawals
No withdrawals were made in January.

Ending Balance	\$4700.81
Jan 31, 2016	



North Georgia Chapter SDC Minutes
Sunday, February 5, 2017
Roy's Galaxy Diner, Chamblee, GA

Standard Items:

- ☒ President Loren Nelson called the meeting to order at 2:35 p.m. He thanked Richard Hickok for hosting the meeting at this location. The sign-in sheet was passed around to all attendees.
- ☒ John Hollier moved, Janet Alspach seconded, to approve the January minutes as published in the Hillholder. Motion carried.
- ☒ Loren Nelson congratulated club members having birthdays or anniversaries in the month of February.



Announcements:

- Guests at today's meeting included John Greene and Bob Haslett. We hope that they all felt welcome and that we will see them again at future meetings.
- Ben Alspach shared an interesting Studebaker book from 1956.
- Barbara Miller shared a thank-you note from the Canine Adoption Network for the club's donation in Memory of Marvin Sikes.



Reports:

Barbara Miller, Treasurer, reported an initial balance on January 1 of \$4700.81 and an ending balance of \$4700.81 as well. The complete report appears on page 3 of this Hillholder.

Jim Carto, Membership Secretary, provided a brief membership report.

Hillholder Editor Tim Taylor reported that the club's assistant editor and secretary, Tim's spouse, Guadalupe Taylor, became "Dr. Guadalupe Taylor" at the end of December. She completed her Ph.D. in Hispanic Studies at UGA.

New Business:

Wayne Lee reported that the Southeast Zone Coordinator is looking for a chapter willing to host the 2017 Southeast Zone meet. These meets have a 48-year history, but time is running short to plan and conduct such a meet this year. Nevertheless, there is still time to pull off the meet around the October or November timeframe.

Adjournment: Motion to adjourn was made by Ed Burris at 2:50 PM. Motion seconded and carried.

Monetary door prizes were given out. The 50-50 was won by Lenny and Phyllis Major, and the club banked \$40.00.

Next Meeting: The March meeting will be held at Williamson Brothers BBQ restaurant in Canton. Details are provided on page 7 of this Hillholder.

Photos from the February Meeting



Forthcoming Event of Interest

**2nd Annual
Packards in Palmetto
Car Show**

Saturday, March 25, 2017
9:00 am - 2:00 pm

Palmetto, GA Wayside Park Pavilion
595 Main Street (GA HWY 29; Exit 56
I-85)
NO ENTRY FEE!

All Packard and
Studebaker-Packard products
welcome! Bring your own picnic
lunch. Display parking for
"Brand X" classic cars too.

For further information contact
John McCall, 229-560-7540
aouthern Gentleman@gmail.com



STUDEBAKER CALENDAR

NORTH GEORGIA CHAPTER MEETINGS

March 5, 2017: Williamson Brothers BBQ, Canton, GA. Hosts: Frank & Beverly Petru, 317-500-5667. See details on page 7 of this Hillholder.

April 2, 2017: Memphis Barbecue Co., 4764 Ashford-Dunwoody Rd., Dunwoody (Atlanta), GA. Hosts: Lenny & Phyllis Major, 770-207-6129.

May: No meeting. International Meet, 3-6 May 2017, South Bend, IN.

June 4, 2017: Marietta, GA. Hosts: Ron & Arlinda Martinez, 770-429-9903.

July 8, 2017 (Saturday): NEW LOCATION Athens, GA. Hosts: Tim & Guadalupe Taylor, 404-512-7431.

August 6, 2017: Annual club picnic at Fort Yargo State Park, Winder, GA. Hosts: Billy & Charleen Carey, 770-867-2060.

September 9, 2016 (Saturday), International Drive Your Studebaker Day: Lawrenceville, GA. Host: Richard Knoblock, 678-376-0547.

October 1, 2017: Acworth, GA. Hosts: Ben & Janet Alspach, 770-693-7269.

November 5, 2017: Loganville, GA. Hosts: Wayne & Terry Ziemer, 706-255-5492.

December 3, 2017: Winder, GA. Annual Christmas party & officer elections. Hosts: Wayne & Ann Lee, 404-805-9404; Dan & Barbara Miller, 770-932-1615; Billy & Charleen Carey, 770-867-2060.

OTHER STUDEBAKER EVENTS

March 25, 2017: Second Annual Packards in Palmetto Car Show, Wayside Park, 595 S. Main Street, Palmetto, GA, 30268, 9:00 AM to 2:00 PM. Studebakers and Packards featured, but other classic cars also welcome. Free event, no registration fee. See ad on page 5 of this Hillholder. John McCall, 229-560-7540.

May 3-6, 2017: South Bend, IN, International SDC Meet



Mail from our members

From Loren Nelson:

A Studebaker owner named Hal Mather called me about his car for sale. He had it in Turning Wheels and got no response. I told him I'd ask you to put it in the Hillholder. It looks very nice in the pictures. I checked Hagerty and they list an average value of \$19,900, so it seems to be priced right. Hal is from Bremen, GA. His phone # is 770-824-0010. If someone is interested I can send them 17 pictures that Hal sent to me.

Editor's Note:

See the new ad on page 10 of this Hillholder, including two of the 17 pictures mentioned by Loren.

Editor's Note #2: Wayne Ziemer is also selling his '53 Studebaker. An ad has been in the past 2 issues of the Hillholder and is repeated in this issue as well.

Thanks to Ann Lee for organizing the slate of meetings for 2017. And for everyone who volunteered to host a meeting, we sincerely THANK YOU as well.

North Georgia Chapter SDC March Meeting

The March, 2017 meeting of the North Georgia SDC will take place at Williamson Brothers Bar-B-Q in Canton, GA. Web site: www.williamsonbros.com

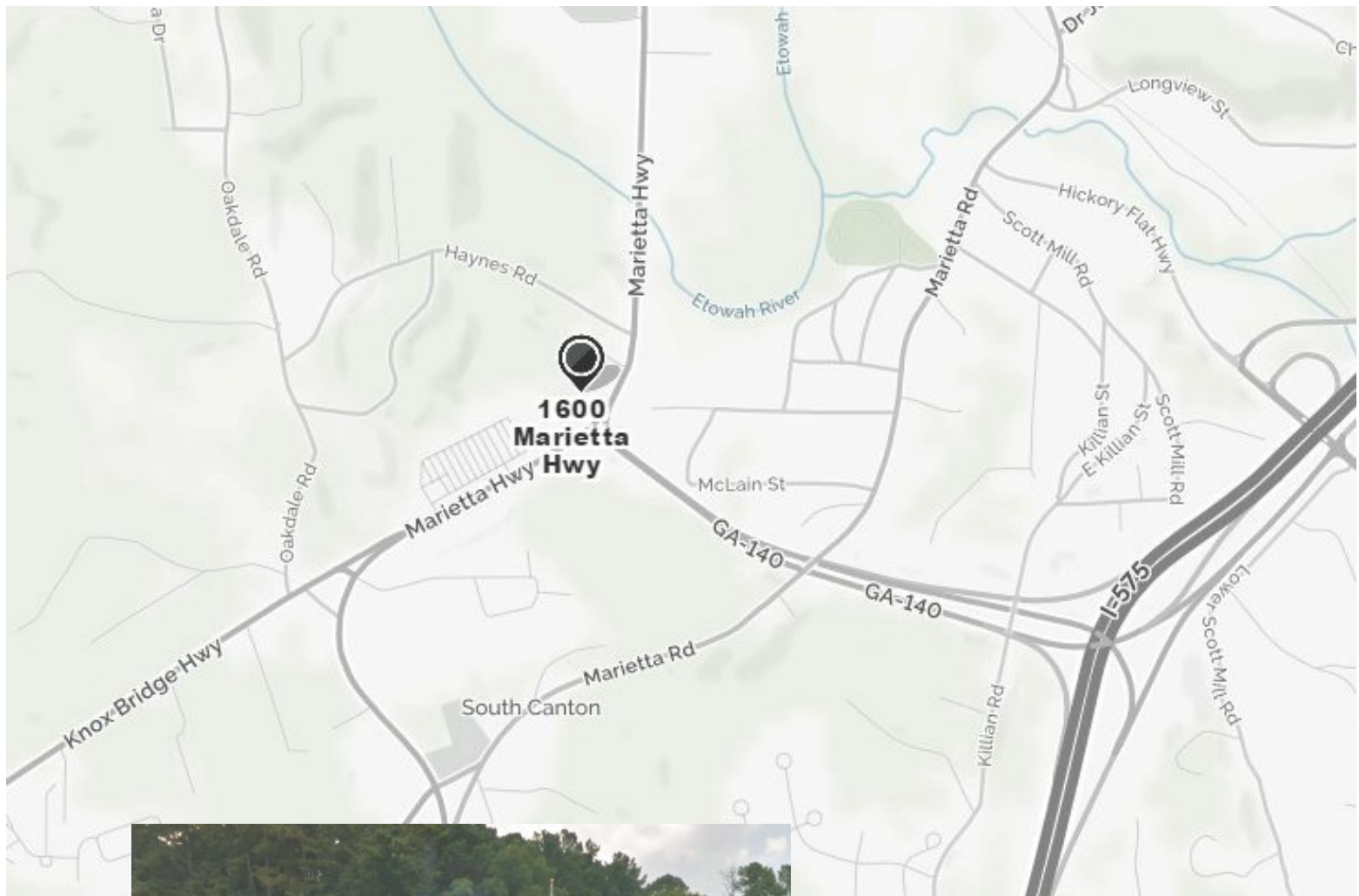
Date: Sunday, March 5, 2017

Time: 2:00 PM

Address: 1600 Marietta Hwy., Canton, GA 30114. Phone: 770-345-9067

Host: Frank Petru, 317-500-5667

Directions: The restaurant is easy to find; it's not too far off I-575. Look for the State Route 20/140 exit #16 or #16A (depending upon which direction you are coming off I-575) and follow to the stop light (Marietta Highway). The restaurant is located straight across that intersection. If their parking lot happens to be full (probably won't as our gathering time will be after their Sunday lunch rush) there is some additional parking across the driveway, closer to the adjacent shopping center.



2017 PARTICIPANT ENTRY FORM



50TH

ANNIVERSARY OF THE
Chevrolet Camaro

60TH

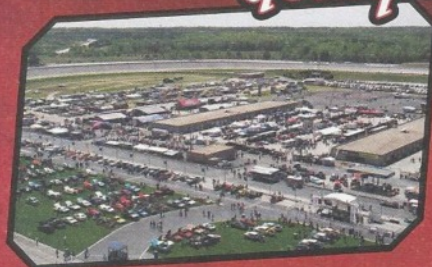
ANNIVERSARY OF THE
Chevy Tri-Five's
presented by the American Tri-Five Association

85TH

ANNIVERSARY OF THE
1932 Ford

**Enter your vehicle NOW for
these 3 special areas!**

Georgia's Motoring Festival



- \$20,000 Super Prize Package
- Car Show
- Bikefest
- Big Rig Show
- Collector Car Auction
- Autocross
- Pull-A-Part Swap Meet
- Huge Vendor Midway
- Speedway Cruise
- Live Entertainment
- Kids Zone



APRIL 22-23, 2017

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Old Car Trivia Quiz

Answers to last month's trivia questions:



1. The AMC Pacer was available for what model years?
Answer: 1975 - 1979
2. In what year did automobile production resume in the United States following World War II?
Answer: 1946
3. What well-known figure in automobile manufacturing headed a committee of 8 men to design the Ford Mustang?
Answer: Lee Iacocca
4. What was the last model year for the 2-seater "porthole window" Ford Thunderbird?
Answer: 1957
5. True or False: All Model T Fords came in black color only.
Answer: False. Toward the end of production, colors like maroon and green were available.

This month's trivia questions - All Studebaker questions this month:

1. The durable 6-cylinder engine developed by Ralph Vail and Roy Cole was first used in Studebaker's 1932 Rockne. Including bore and stroke modifications from time to time, what was the final model year that the Cole-Vail engine was used in new Studebakers?
2. In 1904, who said, "The gasoline automobile is a clumsy, dangerous, noisy brute of a vehicle... Accidents will happen. A lot of people will be killed. The damned things sink to high heaven...and in short, they are a public nuisance."
3. The first four-door Studebaker station wagon was offered for what model year?
4. Which of the following was **NOT** in the 1956 Hawk line?
Flight Hawk
Power Hawk
Silver Hawk
Sky Hawk
5. Which Studebaker brother returned from the California gold rush in 1858 with \$8,000 to invest in the H&C Studebaker Company?

Answers will appear in the April, 2017 issue of the Hillholder. If you just can't wait, give Tim Taylor (your newsletter editor) a call. He'll be glad to share the answers with you. More next month.



Studebaker Corral



These advertisements are provided as a service.. Ads will be posted on a "first come, first served" basis with preference given to Studebaker-related ads. North Georgia Chapter members will be given priority when space does not permit all ads..

Each ad will be posted for 3 months. If space permits, ads can be posted for additional 3-month periods. To extend or delete an ad, contact the Newsletter Editor at e-mail studebiker@hotmail.com. One photo may be included for each ad. All ads and photos should be sent to e-mail studebiker@hotmail.com. The Newsletter Editor and members of the North Georgia Chapter SDC shall not be responsible for the accuracy and authenticity of the contents of the ad. The advertising party shall be solely responsible for the ad contents, although the newsletter editor reserves the right to reorganize ad contents, without changing facts, to best fit the space available.

CARS AND PARTS FOR SALE

1953 Studebaker Starlight Commander Regal for sale. Car is in very good condition. No rust (some repair work in trunk area). Very Good paint job. Excellent interior. Mechanically sound. Standard shift with overdrive. 232-V8. Car has been rewired and starter replaced. Tires 5 years old. Price negotiable. Contact Wayne Ziemer 706-255-5494.

For sale: 1956 Golden Hawk, Chevy engine, good stainless and glass, needs new left rocker panel, otherwise great restoration project. Has later model trunk lid and hood. Asking \$2200. Call Harold Bellamy, 770-503-7280, for more details Located in Gainesville, GA.



SOME THOUGHTS ON RESTORING A STUDEBAKER

Written by Chuck Lampman, this 99-page book is based on articles written by Chuck Lampman, North Georgia Chapter SDC member, that appeared in *Turning Wheels* in the early 1990's and won the SDC Churchill Award for Best Article, Non-paid. Some material

edited out of *Turning Wheels* is included in the book as well as updates and several new items written after the *Turning Wheels* series was published. "Some Thoughts" is aimed at the first time restorer but will be of value to the more experienced. It is not intended to be a "how to restore" book but gives a look at the decision-making processes, tools, spaces, and basic skills needed to do a restoration. It also provides a framework to help structure a project and contains several chapters of Studebaker-specific advice.

Cost for the book shipped to continental US addresses is \$22.50 plus \$4.00 for handling and postage. Payment can be made through PayPal sent to chuck@lampman.com or by mailing a check or money order to Chuck Lampman, 4141 Lynette Court, Kennesaw GA 30144-2293.

Contact Chuck Lampman directly for purchases outside the continental U.S.

1952 Studebaker Champion with overdrive, nice, original with a/c, \$7800 and 1953 Studebaker Champion, no price yet. Contact Lanny Hiatt, 678-758-2668, happytrails2u@peoplepc.com

1955 Commander Coupe, White on red. Auto, p/s, p/b, electronic ignition, electrical fuel pump, alternator, otherwise original. It has been maintained by Mike at Allpro Automotive, 904-277-7177, for the past 10 years. I am asking \$19,000.



MEMBERSHIP APPLICATION NORTH GEORGIA CHAPTER, SDC

To join this chapter, complete this application and mail with \$10 dues (\$5 if joining after July 1st) check or money order in US funds to the following:

North Georgia Chapter SDC
c/o Jim Carto
1109 Ivey Brook Dr.
Bethlehem, GA. 30620

Note: You must be a member of the National Studebaker Drivers Club to join this chapter.

National SDC Member Number _____

Date joined National SDC _____

Today's date _____

Name: _____

Birthday (month/day) _____

Spouse/Companion _____

His/Her birthday (month/day) _____

Street address _____

City _____ State _____ Zip _____

Telephone _____

Cell phone _____

Email _____

Studebakers owned (Year/Series/Model)

NOTICE

To be a member of the North Georgia SDC, you must be a member of the National Studebaker Drivers Club.

To join the National SDC, go to www.studebakerdriversclub.com, click "About," and then click "Membership."

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