



# GASCAR NEWSLETTER

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## PRESIDENT'S MESSAGE

GaSCar President's letter, September 2020

Dear GaSCarians,

First, I want to welcome our new members. We are happy you chose our antique car club to be a part of. We look forward to getting to know you as part of our car club family: Terry and Judy Brown, Bill and Carol McGahee, Jack and Sally Tatro and Jeff and Susie Kern.

As the fall approaches, the Board is working to get some activities planned for you. At present, there is a cookout scheduled for 4:00 this Saturday in the Fox Appliance back parking lot. If it rains, we will move inside. Bring a side to accompany burgers and hot dogs. Do not forget the 2:00 cruise-by planned.

There will not be a monthly meeting in October. But mark your calendar for October 10<sup>th</sup>. Meet us across from the Channel 6 studios in the parking lot (Augusta West Parkway.) We will meet at 10:10, and then at 10:20, we will drive to Augusta Gardens Retirement Center for a drive-by for residents. The residents will be looking for us at 10:30.

Then we will leave there and drive out Highway 28, to Plum Branch, SC, for a cookout at Mac and Dot Winn's home. All meats and sides are furnished; just bring a light dessert, and chairs. Mac will have plenty of parking for cars.

The Christmas Dinner Committee is meeting and making plans for our annual dinner. It now looks like we will meet at the Jones Creek Club House on December 3<sup>rd</sup>. More information will be coming soon.

I would like to invite you to our next "Lunch Away." I am thinking of Saturday, November 7. Maybe a sack lunch and little cooler to take with you. More to come later.

*John Moore*

*"For it's a long, long while from May to December / But the days grow short when you reach September."*



## Treasurer's Report

July 31, 2020	Ending Balance	\$3647.53
August 2020	Receipts/Deposits	\$0.00
August 2020	Disbursements	\$00.00
August 31, 2020	Ending Balance	\$3647.53
	Checks not cleared	\$0.00

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## SUNSHINE COMMITTEE



In our thoughts and prayers:

Rick and Linda Endler, John Force, Claude and Anne Johnson, Christy Sloan & Family, Donna & Jim Martin, Judy Murphy, Harold Glazener, Margaret Little, Harold Peacock, Larry Phillips, Jimmie Adams. If you, or a member you know, is sick or in the hospital, please call the secretary or a member of the Sunshine Committee: Pat Glazener (803-593-9081) or Linda Adams (706-755-3507).

## MONTHLY MEETINGS CANCELLED FOR REMAINDER OF 2020

## UPCOMING CLUB EVENTS

Sep 12<sup>th</sup>: Cook-out at Fox Appliance. Let Ernie know if you're coming. Festivities start around 4:00 PM. Bring a side dish. Check your email for other events on the 12<sup>th</sup>.



Oct 3<sup>rd</sup>: Annual GaSCar garage sale. Fox Appliance. Set up and pricing (as well as pizza) on Friday the 2<sup>nd</sup>, 6 PM. Garage sale start at 7 AM on the 3<sup>rd</sup>. Gather your items now and bring to Fox Appliance. Please price them if possible.

Oct. 10<sup>th</sup>: Drive-Thru at Augusta Gardens Retirement Center at 3725 Wheeler Rd, Augusta. Meet at 10:10 AM at the parking lot across from the Channel 6 studios at 1336

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Augusta West Parkway (near Fox Appliance). Mac and Dot Winn have graciously invited us to a cookout at their home in Plum Branch after the Drive-Thru. Hamburgers, hot dogs and sides will be provided. Please bring a light dessert and chairs. Let Ernie Dinkins or John Moore know if you're coming.

**Nov. 7<sup>th</sup>:** (tentative) Lunch Away. More details to follow.

**Dec. 3<sup>rd</sup>:** (still tentative) GaSCar Christmas party at Jones Creek Club House, 777 Jones Creek Drive, Evans, GA 30809. More info coming so please watch your email and the GaSCar website at [gascarclub.com](http://gascarclub.com). With current level of Covid-19 restrictions, seating may be limited.

Visit <http://cruzintotheoldies.com/Happenin.pdf> for regional events.

**SAVE THE DATE: "Lost in the Fifties" car show at Saint Teresa's. Oct 24, 2020**



## August 18<sup>th</sup> Board Meeting:

The GaSCar board met at Fox Appliance to discuss upcoming events. Items discussed included:

1. Our participation at the "Day of Healing" at Evans Town Center. (We had a very good turnout. Some of the pictures are included in this newsletter.)
2. Hot dogs and Hamburgers at Fox Appliance on the 12<sup>th</sup> of September. Meat provided by the club with attendees bringing side dishes.
3. Drive-Thru at the Augusta Gardens Retirement Center on October 10<sup>th</sup>.
4. Discussion about a fall car show at Ben's Antiques and Bargains on Gordon Highway on October 31<sup>st</sup>. The board decided not to participate.
5. Discussion about the Christmas Party and what options are available. Christmas Party committee working on this. Stay tuned.
6. Aaron Clements (C&C Automotive) would like to have a car show at their Telfair location. Board recommended we do it in the spring.
7. The annual yard sale date was set for October 3<sup>rd</sup>.
8. No Fall Tour scheduled but opted for a Spring Tour instead. May already have a volunteer to organize (Now that Gerald's Lincoln is back on the road).
9. Discussed possibilities for one-day trips this fall in lieu of a Fall Tour.

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**Terry & Judy Brown**  
**Jeff & Susie Kern**

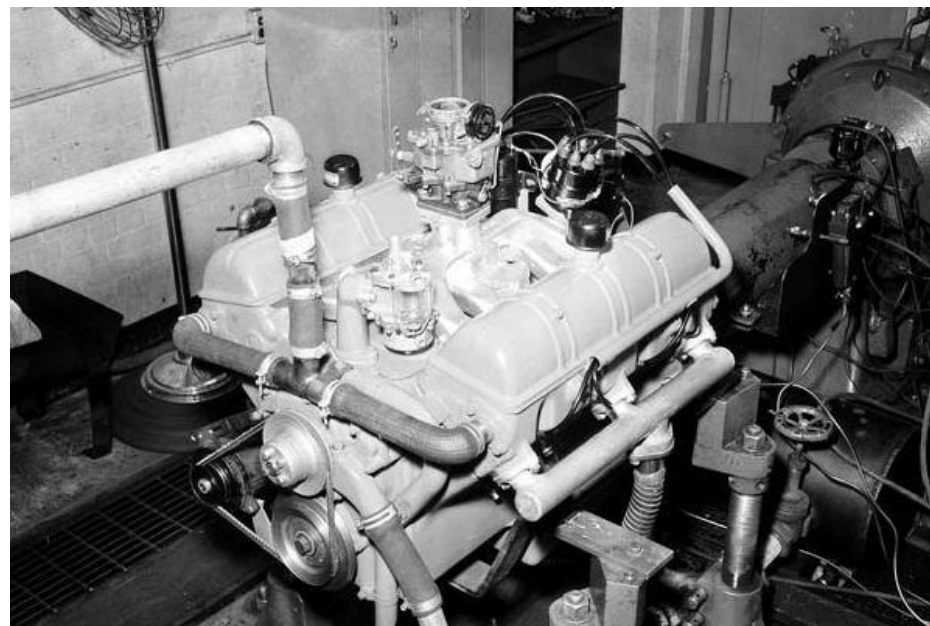
## Birthdays

## Anniversaries

Sep 10<sup>th</sup> Bob Bishop  
Sep 10<sup>th</sup> Jimmie Adams  
Sep 11<sup>th</sup> Gail Smith  
Sep 13<sup>th</sup> Gene Norris  
Sep 14<sup>th</sup> Michael Ferrando  
Sep 18<sup>th</sup> Ed Pettit  
Sep 19<sup>th</sup> Kurt McClure  
Sep 19<sup>th</sup> \*\*Charles Durand\*\*  
Sep 21<sup>st</sup> Deb Joiner  
Sep 28<sup>th</sup> Ernie Dinkins  
Oct 1<sup>st</sup> John Force  
Oct 9<sup>th</sup> Robert Taylor  
Oct 14<sup>th</sup> Andrew Morse  
Oct 15<sup>th</sup> Larry Phillips  
Oct 15<sup>th</sup> Beverly Harrell  
Oct 15<sup>th</sup> Mark Petry  
Oct 20<sup>th</sup> Staci Deketeleare  
Oct 23<sup>rd</sup> Bill Monro

Sep 10<sup>th</sup> Mac & Dorothy Winn  
Oct 7<sup>th</sup> Jim & Donna Martin  
Oct 14<sup>th</sup> Andrew & Mary Morse  
Oct 22<sup>nd</sup> Jerry & Donna Jason  
Oct 25<sup>th</sup> Bill & Lois Monro  
Oct 30<sup>th</sup> Jim & Ann Rosier

## TECH QUIZ



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No winner in last month's picture contest. The correct answer is: 1949-1951 Kaiser-Frazer prototype V8 engine, 288 ci. This engine was designed to go into the Kaiser-Frazer line of large cars in 1952 but was cancelled in order to devote funding to the smaller Henry-J. As the story goes, the emblem for the 1952-55 full size Kaiser cars had the "V" emblem already designed to signify a V-8 engine. Due to budget constraints they still used the "V" emblem but put a "K" in the middle to signify "Kaiser". When Kaiser made the decision to discontinue all Kaiser automobiles in the United States, all the rights to the V-8, including later prototypes, were sold to American Motors. This later prototype apparently became the basis for AMC's 250/327 V-8 first used in the Hudson and Nash automobiles in 1957.



This month's quiz should be easier for all of you technical whiz's. Same rules: Guess year, displacement and manufacturer of this engine. Email me your answer ([mike@lemons.com](mailto:mike@lemons.com)) and the winner(s) will be announced in the next newsletter.

## FROM THE EDITOR:

There are still 15 members who get this newsletter through the US Mail rather than through e-mail. Since these members do not use e-mail, they do miss out on other notices and updates which typically are only sent through e-mail or listed on the club's webpage ([gascarclub.com](http://gascarclub.com)). So if you are a US Mail recipient, please also check the webpage (if possible) for updates.

Mike

## MEMBERSHIP RENEWAL

It's time to renew your annual membership in GaSCar and AACA. Fees are \$70 of which \$45 goes to AACA (increase this year of \$5.00) and the other \$25 to our GaSCar region. The new membership form is already on the web page ([gascarclub.com](http://gascarclub.com)). We really don't need much information other than membership number and your money although we would like your birthday and anniversary dates if you are willing to share (month and day only). Please send this information and check to Sandra Moore, 211 East Wise Street, Trenton, SC 29847. If at all possible we would like to get the renewals to Sandra by December 1st so that we can get all of them to National before the end of the year.

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**Gerald's Lincoln**



**Jerry's Chevy**

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**Scott's Blazer**



**What a duo!!**

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**Faye's Corvette**



**Jimmie's Cutlass**

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**John is mobile**



**Lovely ladies (minus the background)**

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**Some serious discussion**



**Jim's Mustang (socially distanced)**

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**Dy's Mustang**



**Love the hats**

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