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Georgia Cool Cruisers
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HOLIDAY HELPERS' Cruise-in

Fundraiser to Help Those in Need for the Holidays

Saturday, November 14th

11:00 am - 3:00 pm

Handy Ace Hardware

3969 Lawrenceville Highway

Tucker, GA 30084

See page 9 for more info

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Hope You Have a
"Cool" Thanksgiving!



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Cars & Costumes Car Show Winners



BEST CLASSIC:

David Randall, 1966 Plymouth Belvedere

BEST MODERN:

Greg Hicks, 2015 Dodge Challenger Hellcat

TOP 15:

Ted Fischer, 1936 Ford 3-window coupe

*Andy Sarratt, 1962 Chevrolet Bel Air

*Bill Musarra, 1966 Ford GT-40

*Sammy McDaniel, 1952 Ford pick-up

Sam Goldsmith, 1948 Chevrolet 3100

*Lisa Cheek, 1969 Chevrolet Camaro

Jerry Gordon, 1965 Chevrolet C-10

Frank & Suzanne Newsom, 2017 Ford Mustang GT/CS

John Ashline, 1997 Brabus (Mercedes) E420

Steve Cripps, 1986 Citroen 2CV

Lisa LaRoe, 2016 Ford Mustang GT convertible

Greg Jackson, 1992 Chevrolet Corvette

Theresa Lathrop, 2014 Ford Mustang

*Dan Crosson, 1955 Chevrolet 3100 pick-up

Mike Walling, 1967 Pontiac GTO

Host's Award: Pony's Pick:

"Kudzu Dave", 1929 Dodge Brothers Victoria

Charity Pick: "Breast" of Show:

*Denny Williams, 2001 Plymouth Prowler

Club Award: "Coolest Cruiser"

Sonny Mordt, 1957 Chevrolet Nomad

Costume Contest Winners:

Best Female: Vanishia Soero

Best Male: Omar Aviles

Best Couple: *Karen & Steve O'Neal

Best Decorated Car: Kyle Smithey

* Denotes GCC Club Member

2020 & 2021 Club Shows & Events

Holiday Helpers' "Cool" Cruise-in

Saturday, November 14th, 2020
11:00 am - 3:00 pm
Handy Ace Hardware
3969 Lawrenceville Hwy.
Tucker, GA 30084
Helping those in need for the Holidays.



Toys for Tots Cruise-in

Saturday, December 5th, 2020
11:00 am - 3:00 pm
'Cue Barbecue
5260 Peachtree Industrial Blvd.
Peachtree Corners, GA 30071
*Bring a BAG of Toys or a PILE
of Cash to Help the Kids for Christmas!*



"I'm SICK of Winter"

Sweetheart Cruise-in

Saturday, February 13th, 2021
11:00 am - 3:00 pm
'Cue Barbecue
5260 Peachtree Industrial Blvd.
Peachtree Corners, GA 30071
Fundraiser for Breast Cancer Treatment.

Cool Cars & Rescues

Sunday, April 11th, 2020
Noon - 4:00 pm
Decatur Estate Antiques
2272 Lawrenceville Highway
Decatur, GA 30033
Fundraiser for Lifeline Animal Project

Other (Non-GCC) Events of Interest

Not many events going on in our area, but we managed to find a few . . .

First Sundays every month, 8:00 am - 11:00 pm. Caffeine and Octane, Perimeter Mall, 4400 Ashford-Dunwoody Rd, Dunwoody, GA 30038

Saturday, November 7th, 7:00 am - 11:00 am, Swap Meet at Atlanta Dragway, 500 E. Ridgeway Road, Commerce, GA 30629 *Info: Brad 706-424-5035*

Sunday, November 8th, Noon - 4:00 pm, Cars, Barks & 'Cue. "Cue Barbecue, 5260 Peachtree Industrial Blvd, Peachtree Corners, GA 30071. *Gray Dog fundraiser. Popular Choice Awards, Entry \$20.*

Saturday, November 21st, SVRA Car Show, Michelin Road Atlanta, 5300 Winder Hwy, Braselton, GA 30517. Open to all classic, vintage, exotic, vintage motorcycles and collectible cars of interest. Entry: \$45.00 (includes: 2 Weekend passes to the Vintage and Trans Am Races, VIP Parking, access to race car paddock) *Info: Toni Strollo at 863-698- 8620 or TC@svra.com*

If you have an event that you would like to share with our members, please send the info to Rick no later than the 20th of the month prior to the event.

2021 Show & Event Planing

We have started on our 2021 plans by adding 2 of our favorite Winter/Early Spring shows. These events are:

The "I'm SICK of Winter" Sweetheart Cruise-in at 'Cue Barbecue in Peachtree Corners. It will be held on Saturday, February 13th, with a rain-date of February 20th and "Cool Rides & Rescues" at Decatur Estate Antiques on Sunday, April 11th with a rain-date of April 25th.

Other than these two events, our schedule is open, and we are looking for some suggestions on what you, our valuable members, want.

We are hoping the pandemic's restrictions are over in the new year, so as not to limit our ability to hold events. We would like to put on a show at Snellville Days in early May and the Hayes of Baldwin show later that month. We will wait and see if the Gwinnett Public Safety show at Coolray Field returns for the Fall.

We can also set up some Cruise-ins at Sonic's or the Varsity, and maybe some additional "Social" get-togethers. Please send your ideas to Rick as soon as possible.

"Cool Gear" for Christmas!



Medium Weight Jacket

Jacket Back Design

Polo Shirt

Club T-Shirt

Windbreaker With Hood

NOW is the time to order for Christmas, and we have the perfect gifts for the "Cool" ones on your Gift List (or get something for yourself!).

First is our popular fleece lined medium weight jacket with a fold away hood and an assortment of pockets! \$90 (SM-XL), \$95 for 2X & up, available in several colors. We also have a water resistant jacket, also featuring a fold-away hood, available in multiple colors, only \$70 (add \$5 for 2X and up). Both jackets feature left chest logo and full back embroidery (as illustrated above).

Also we offer our Custom Embroidered polo shirts in a variety of colors, Short Sleeve or Long Sleeve, in men's & ladies cuts, \$30 (add \$3 for 2X and larger). These items are made to order, so contact Rick to place your order.

ALSO AVAILABLE: Our latest **T-shirts** have gotten two thumbs up from everyone! We have sizes Small - XL @ **\$15.00 each**, 2X & 3X are **\$18.00 each**.

Our Embroidered baseball caps are available in a variety of colors and styles for only \$20 each. To help you stay safe and look "Cool" we have **embroidered face masks** (sizes: Men's and Women's) for **\$12.00 each**. (Cash, Credit Cards & PayPal).

CLUB NEWS & UPDATES

October Charity Collection



October is Breast Cancer Awareness Month and we honored this great cause with our "Cars & Costumes" show at the Pink Pony.

We did *REALLY WELL* with an *AMAZING* total of **\$2222.00!** This was a combination of registration donations, 50/50 proceeds, over \$700 from the auction, a \$300 donation from the Pink Pony and Karen & Steve O'Neal's donation of their Costume Contest winnings!

Thanks to everyone that donated!

Club Trailer News

At the end of our Labor Day show, we discovered that our trailer had a broken tail-gate hinge.

We asked **Larry Navarre** if he knew of anyone that could make the repair. Larry went into action, inspecting the damage. He unstuck the hinge pin, cleaned up everything, then hauled it over to **Greg Rogers'** shop where Greg welded up good as new.

Larry made a suggestion . . . He said our trailer is looking pretty shabby, and the Club could use a newer, nicer one. He said we should do a fundraiser to make this happen.

We would be good with that! We are open to your suggestions on how to make this happen . . . *sooner rather than later.*

Speaking of our Club trailer, we still need someone to pull it to our November 14th show at Handy Ace in Tucker and the Toys for Tots Cruise-in at 'Cue in Peachree Corners on December 5th.

Please let Rick know if you can help!

VOLUNTEERS STILL NEEDED!

We are still struggling to get enough Volunteers lined up for our shows. Our main needs are with set-up and especially at registration and tear-down/pack-up.

The work is not hard, nor does it take up the entire show (*except for Rick LOL*). We will show you what needs to be done and how to do it. *Please let Rick know if you can help!*

Toys for Tots Breakfast & Shopping

We are asking to see who is interested in our annual Toys for Tots Breakfast & Toy Buying Excursion.

We are thinking about Breakfast or Lunch at the **Metro Diner** in Stone Mountain, then a short trip over to **Big Lots** on Stone Mountain Highway. This would take place the weekend prior to our Toys for Tots show, either on Saturday or Sunday, November 28th or 29th.

If you are interested, please let us know so that we can set it up and get the word out to everyone. We know with the pandemic, some are still not ready for the close contact of a restaurant.

In Our Prayers . . .

Unfortunately we have a long list of members and their families that need our thoughts and prayers.

Dale Xenos lost his 13 month battle with pancreatic cancer on October 22nd. His daughter, Daniele, will let us know when his Memorial Service will take place.

We recently learned that **Bryan Smith** died from a heart attack back in January.

"Falcon Fred" Hartley has recently been diagnosed with bladder cancer and is undergoing treatment. Fred's wife recently had major back surgery.

Amber Behnken had a recent stay in the hospital, but is home and doing much better now.

Toys for Tots Sponsor Update

We have had a very good response from many of our previous sponsors, and will have enough to produce our event t-shirt again this year, and will also be able to give them free to registered participants (while supplies last).

We will still accept sponsors through November 10th. If you would like to be a Sponsor, please contact Rick (*who else*) as soon as possible!

You can be a sponsor for as little as \$100 and have your name or company logo on the shirt back!



Our Breast Cancer Fundraiser a HUGE SUCCESS!

“Cars & Costumes” at the Pink Pony was PACKED!

Once again, we fought the weather forecast, but this time WE WON! The week of the show’s forecast changed almost every hour, from Sunny and Mild, to Rain and Warm. We decided last minute to try and get the show in, and we are happy we did! No rain during the show time, although it did start as we finished packing up the trailer.

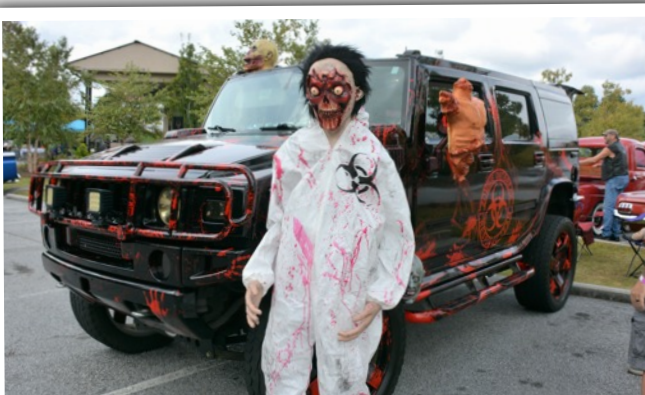
We had a PACKED show field, many of which were decorated for Halloween PLUS a large group of Costume Contestants trying to claim their share of prize money. The Pony staff cooked burgers and hot dogs, and supplied a variety of cold beverages for a very warm Fall afternoon.

We collected donations for “It’s the Journey,” a non-profit organization that raises funds for breast health and treatment here in Georgia. Between entry fee donations, our auction, the 50/50 raffle and donations from the Pony and Karen O’Neal, we raised an amazing \$2,222!!!

Our thanks to the Pony for hosting our show and the Club volunteers that came out early and stayed late to make the show another successful one. *See page 2 for all the winners.*



More Photos from "CARS & Costumes"



And More from "CARS & Costumes"



Holiday Helpers Cruise-in at Handy Ace Hardware

Holiday Helpers Cruise-in
Saturday, November 14th
11:00 am - 3:00 pm
HANDY ACE HARDWARE
3969 Lawrenceville Hwy.
Tucker, GA 30084



One of our favorite charities is helping the kids for the Holidays. Sometimes we forget about the kid's families that struggle for the basics. This has been especially true during the pandemic. We thought that this show would compliment our December Toys for Tots Cruise-in by providing assistance to some local families, with help from NETworks Cooperative Ministries.

We are THRILLED that Handy Ace Hardware wanted to host this event, but they have always been very Community oriented, so this was a good fit with them.

Mike Perry has signed on to do his famous burgers and hot dogs again, PLUS he will have Barbecue sandwiches. Nitro Coffee has agreed to set-up shop with their assortment of coffees. We will have our usual array of Best Classic, Best Modern and Top 15 popular choice awards, plus door prizes, 50/50 raffle and our famous playlist of oldies!

Entry fee is a cash donation to help provide for local families for the holidays. In addition to your cash donation, you can bring non-perishable food items that will go to NETworks food pantry (please, no expired items). For a list of their needs, please go to their website: www.NETworksCoop.org.

Once again, we need Club Volunteers to give us a helping hand during the show. Set-up time is 9:00 am. We also need someone to pull the Club's trailer to the show.

Cars, Barks & 'Cue Rescheduled to November

'Cue BBQ ♦ 5260 Peachtree Industrial Blvd, Peachtree Corners, GA 30071
Sunday, November 8th ♦ Noon to 4:00 pm



Hurricane Delta's remnants made its way through Atlanta just in time to ruin a perfectly good car show weekend on October 10th and 11th, canceling this show. This event was also canceled back in April due to the Pandemic.

Let's hope the "Third Time is the Charm" for Atlanta Weimaraner Club Rescue's Fundraiser, now set for Sunday, November 8th at noon.

Although this is NOT a Cool Cruiser event, we have helped on it, so it will strongly resemble a "Cool" car show! There will be Best Classic, Best Modern and Top 15 popular choice awards, and even a "Coolest Cruiser" pick!

You know what a great host 'Cue has been for our shows, plus they have tasty barbecue! Entry fee is \$20 with proceeds going to help save Gray Dogs (Weimaraners).



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