

MAY CLUB EVENTS

Georgia

Cool
Cruisers



"Cars for a Cause"

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Cool Cruisers for a Cure

Saturday, May 7th
Lenox Mall in Buckhead



Sunday, May 15th ♦ 1:00 - 5:00 PM

"Rides & Rescues"



Decatur Estate & Way Back Antique Mall
2272 Lawrenceville Hwy ♦ Decatur, Georgia 30033



Saturday

May 28th

11:00 AM - 3:00 PM

Memorial Weekend Car Show

4343 Tilly Mill Rd ♦ Doraville, Georgia 30360



Upcoming Events - *see page 9*

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**Welcome
New Members!**
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St. David's Car Show Winners



St. David's "Holiest Roller" Best in Show:
Rob Briggs, 1932 Hudson Big Box pick-up

Popular Choice Top 10:

Donald G. King, 1950 Olds 2 door coupe
*Rick Huntzicker, 1934 Ford 3 window coupe
*Scott Phillips, 1954 Chevy 3100 pick-up
Ron Swatty, 1965 Pontiac GTO
*Frankie Palisi, 1957 Chevrolet Bel Air
Greg Peacock, 1968 Chevrolet Chevelle
Steve Bryson, 1968 VW Beetle
Dick Lord, 1963 Mercedes 190 SL
*Reid Puckett, 1968 Ford Bronco
Doug Ellington, 1957 Chevrolet Bel Air

Ladies' Choice:

Doug Bailey, 1966 Cadillac Eldorado convertible

Kids' Pick:

Jim Hickey, 1961 Ford Starliner

Featured Club (Viper Club) Favorite:

Tony Rogers, 2014 Ferrari California

"Coolest Cruiser" (GCC Club Pick):

Stan Olsten, 1946 Chevrolet Fleet Master

* Denoted Club Member



The "Holiest Roller" Best in Show winner:
Rob Briggs'
1941 Hudson
Big Box
Pick-up.
A real "Show Stopper!"

2016 Club Shows & Events

Susan G. Komen Race for the Cure

Saturday, May 7th

8:30 AM

Peachtree Rd @ Lenox Mall

Decatur Estate Antique Mall

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1:00 PM - 5:00 PM

2272 Lawrenceville Hwy
Decatur, GA 30033

Memorial Weekend Car Show

Saturday, May 28th

11:00 AM - 3:00 PM

Home Depot

4343 Tilly Mill Rd, Doraville, GA 30360

Hot Rods at Hayes

Saturday, June 4th - *New Date*

10:00 AM - 2:00 PM

Hayes Dealerships of Baldwin

3660 GA Hwy 365, Baldwin, GA 30510

Kyle Croft Benefit Car Show

Saturday, June 18th

10:00 AM - 2:00 PM

The Factory Church

9872 Main St, Woodstock, GA 30188

Galaxy Diner Cruise-In

Saturday, July 16th

4:00 PM - 7:00 PM

3320 Henderson Mill Rd, Chamblee, GA

The Factory Church Car Show

Saturday, August 13th

10:00 AM - 2:00 PM

9872 Main St, Woodstock, GA 30188



Horsepower at the Pony

Saturday, August 20th

Noon - 4:00 PM

The Pink Pony

1837 Corporate Blvd, Atlanta, GA 30329

Galaxy Diner Cruise-In

Saturday, September 3rd

4:00 PM - 7:00 PM

Roy's Galaxy Diner

3320 Henderson Mill Rd
Chamblee, GA 30341

Cool Cars at Coolray Field

2016 DATE SET!

Saturday, October 8th

10:00 AM - 2:00 PM

Coolray Field

(Gwinnett Braves Stadium)

2500 Buford Dr, Lawrenceville, GA 30043

Cars and Costumes

Open Car Show & Costume Contest

Saturday, October 29th

Noon - 4:00 PM

The Pink Pony

1837 Corporate Blvd, Atlanta, GA 30329



Toys for Tots Cruise-In

Saturday, November 19th

1:00 PM - 5:00 PM

Roy's Galaxy Diner

3320 Henderson Mill Road
Chamblee, GA 30341

Other Cruise-Ins, Shows & Events

YEARONE

2106 Braselton Bash Schedule

1001 Cherry Dr, Braselton, GA

Saturday, May 21 3:00 PM – 7:00 PM

Saturday, June 18 5:00 PM – 9:00 PM

Saturday, August 20 5:00 PM – 9:00 PM

Saturday, September 17 Noon – 7:00 PM

Chip Foose Car Show

Saturday, November 19 1:00 PM – 5:00 PM

Christmas in Braselton Car Show



20 King Mill Rd, McDonough, GA 30253

Monday Night Cruise-Ins

6:00 PM to 9:00 PM

All Makes Welcome!

May 2nd Chevrolet vehicles Featured

May 9th Ford-Lincoln-Mercury Featured

May 16th Mopar/AMC vehicles Featured

May 23rd Trucks & Jeeps Featured

Sunday Morning Octane

May 8th 8:00 AM - 11:00 AM

CRUISE-INS

Tucker Main Street Cruise-In

Second Saturdays

April - September

5:00 to 8:30 PM

Main Street, Tucker, GA 30084

Classic Car & Bike Cruise-In

Every Tuesday - 6 PM to 9 PM

Varsity Jr. Dawsonville

93 Bethal Lane, Dawsonville, GA 30534



Atlanta Donut Derelicts

Every Saturday

8:30 AM to 11:00 AM

The Donut Shop

3677 Chamblee-Dunwoody Road

Chamblee, GA 30341

CAR SHOWS

Goodmark Chevrolet Car Show

Saturday, May 7th

Noon to 4:00 PM

123 South Elm Street

Commerce, GA 30529

Norcross Car Show

Saturday, May 14th

8:00 AM to 4:00 PM

Downtown Main Street, Norcross

Peachtree Corners Festival

Car & Bike Show

Saturday, Jun 11 - 10 AM to 3 PM

Sunday, June 12 - 12 PM to 4 PM

The Corners Pkwy & Woodhill Drive

Peachtree Corners, GA

*Send us your favorite
Car Shows & Cruise-Ins!*

Car Event Finders:

Online at:

SoutheastWheelsEvents.com

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CLUB NEWS & UPDATES

Our Weekly Breakfast Meeting



Join us for our "Wonderful Wednesday's" Breakfast.

We meet every Wednesday at 9:30 AM at the **Cracker Barrel**, 6175 McDonough Dr, Norcross, GA 30093 (off Jimmy Carter at I-85).

May Birthdays



Happy Birthday To . . .

Santos De La Rosa 2nd
Richard Eddings 3rd
Steve O'Neal 4th
Delores Fair 9th
John O'Harra 11th
James McCutchen 15th
Millie Farabaugh 17th
Steve Tanski 20th
Norma Boedeker 28th
Mike Steger 31st

Please make sure we have your birthday and your family members!

Change of Address

If you change either your email address, or your physical address, please let us know.

Also, if you change your phone number, we would like to know this too.

We DO NOT share your info with anyone else!

Charity Collections for April 2016

We collected \$2,100 for the **Drake House** at the **St David's Church** show. We also collected \$140 for our **Komen Race for the Cure** team.

At the "Horsepower at the **Crazyhorse**" show, our total for **Calvary Refuge Homeless Shelter** was \$1,340, thanks to **Dennis Williams'** contribution of \$800 in honor of our club volunteers.

Future Cruise Ideas

On our recent cruise to the **Dillard House**, we discovered that *Cars and Food* are a very good mix!

We all enjoyed the social aspect of this type of event, so we will be planning more during the year.

If you have a destination that would make a good day trip, please let us know.

We may also be looking at overnight trips sometime in the near future.

Home Depot show added

We had a last minute offer to put on a Memorial weekend show at the **Home Depot** in **Doraville**. After the initial "not enough time to plan it" thoughts, we decided to give it a try.

They will have Food Trucks at the event, along with a bunch of home improvement demos in the parking lot.

We will raise funds for **USO Georgia**. It promises to be a fun day!

New Club Caps



We have a supply of Club caps available. We changed up the design for a fresh new look. We have a variety of styles for only \$20 each. They will be available at all Club functions.

You can also place your orders for polo shirts and Club jackets. *See Rick for details.*

Club Cards

If you need additional **Club Business Cards**, please email your request, along with all your current info to Rick at RNE660@mindspring.com.

There is no charge for the cards. If you need a new name badge, the charge is only \$10.

Goodbye Dave, Hello Dave!

Our friend **Dave Tribble** recently retired from Metro Atlanta Auto Dealers Association. Dave was the "driving force" behind the Atlanta International Auto Show, and our contact person on the event.

We wish him the best in his new "career" as the "Old Movie Guy", and his Westerns film festivals.

NOW, we welcome Dave as our newest club member! Watch for upcoming newsletter articles contributed by Dave!

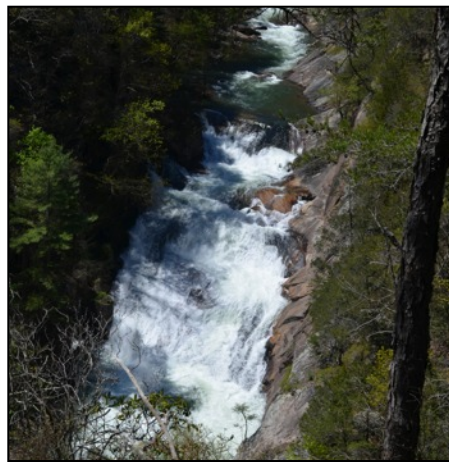
Cruise to the Dillard House a “Tasty” Success!

Our first “Road Trip” was a lot of fun! We had over 35 members and guests meet up for the event, with our starting point at the Park-N-Ride in Lilburn. We cruised up to Baldwin where we made a quick stop at the Hayes Dealerships to pick up some more cruisers.

We made great time, arriving at the Dillard House a tad early, but they were ready for us. We apparently picked a good time, as there was plenty of parking. No complaints about the All-You-Can-Eat family style feast or the service.

After lunch, some headed back home, while others explored the area’s attractions. One group stopped at Tallulah Gorge and were treated to some spectacular views of the waterfalls with the twice-a-year water release.

We will be planning other cruises for this year and we will be looking for your suggestions.



HORSEPOWER at the CRAZYHORSE

A Strong Showing by the Cool Cruisers

We had an absolutely *PERFECT* day for the first car show at the Crazyhorse in Forest Park. Although not “officially” a club event, Rick and a group of our “A-Team” did a great job of putting the show together for our Member/Sponsor **Dennis Williams**, so the show followed our normal format. Although not as many show cars showed up as we would liked, but we had a very respectable number for a first show and some very nice ones! We signed up a new member and made some new car club friends!

Congratulations to our members that took home show awards: **Bill Musarra** (Best Classic), **Jim Flowers** (Best Modern) **Alan & Rochelle Ziglin**, **Frankie Palisi**, **Larry Vaitkus**, **Bill & Anne Marsh** (Top 10 winners) and **Dennis Williams** (Ladies’ Choice).

We collected \$1350 for the Calvary Refuge Homeless Shelter, located in Forest Park.

The Crazyhorse staff *LOVED* the show . . . and our club. They and are looking forward to another show in the near future.

The Second Annual "Holy Roller" Car Show

A GREAT Show at St. David's Church

Our second trip to St. David's Episcopal Church in Roswell was quite a success! This year we doubled 2015's total of 35 show cars, plus the entire show ran very smoothly. We had a beautiful, sunny, but quite windy day, forcing some of our staff into the role of "Human Tie-Downs" for the registration canopy, plus chasing down flyers (and even cash from the donation bowl) in the parking lot!

We had some really "cool" cars, some that we haven't seen before, plus some of our favorite regulars. We had a great group of volunteers from the church that worked well with our club's "A Team". The church staff cooked burgers and hot dogs for the participants plus we had live music in addition to our great oldies play list.

Our Charity collection benefited **The Drake House**, a shelter for women and their children in distress. We collected an amazing total of \$2,100!

Special THANKS to our outstanding crew of club volunteers, plus special thanks to member **Reid Puckett** for coordinating the event.



Team “Cool Cruisers for a Cure” Making a BIG Impact! **Komen Race for the Cure Fundraisers**



After the 2015 Komen Atlanta Race for the Cure, Rick and Sharon decided to form a Team for the 2016 Race. We began fundraising even before Registration for the Race was officially open, so we had around \$2000 raised when we registered the Team on December 1st.

All team members can fundraise individually in addition to Team fundraising events, with all individual donations contributing to the Team total.

For individual fundraising, Komen Atlanta has a Pink Honor Roll, which comprises the Top 100 fundraisers. Pink Honor Roll participants receive a special gift from Komen (a backpack this year), a special green Race bib number, fundraising rewards from Race sponsors, a commemorative medal and early access to the 2017 Race for the Cure.

This year, the Pink Honor Roll will be determined by contributions raised by 6 pm on Friday, May 6th. Currently we have 4 Team members on-target for the Pink Honor Roll (Sharon, Rick, Deanna and Donna).

The Race is important to our community: Metro Atlanta women are dying of breast cancer more often than women in the U.S. as a whole. Komen Atlanta is fighting breast cancer on two fronts: in Atlanta by providing breast health and breast cancer services for those who cannot afford them, and globally through cutting edge research to find cures.

Saturday, June 4th at Hayes Dealerships in Baldwin

Make your plans for the 8th Annual “Hot Rods at Hayes”



Mark your calendar for Saturday, June 4th for the 8th Annual **Hot Rods at Hayes** in Baldwin! This is **ALWAYS** one of our favorite shows of the year. Although Baldwin is only an hour Northeast of Atlanta, you will feel you are a world away from the noise and traffic of the city.

The Hayes folks work hard to provide a fun filled day of cars,

music, burgers and an assortment of family activities, not to mention all the new car buddies you will make!

We will have a Best in Show plus Top 20 Awards, 50/50 Raffle, Door Prizes and MORE! Entry fee will be a donation to Year One's Hot Rodders Children's Charity, an organization that helps kids in many ways, including their Child Seat program. All registered show cars will receive a FREE event t-shirt, compliments of Hayes Automotive.

Our “Featured Club” will be the **North Georgia Mopar Club**.

We also will need a full complement of volunteers to help run the show.

Hayes Dealerships are located at **3660 State Hwy, Alto, GA 30510**



MAY "COOL" CLUB EVENTS

Susan G. Komen Race for the Cure



Saturday, May 7th ♦ 8:30 AM

Peachtree Road at Lenox Mall

Get up early and come to Lenox Mall on Saturday, May 7th to cheer on Team **"Cool Cruisers for the Cure"** in the **Susan G. Komen Race for the Cure!** Our first-year team of 11 has been one of the top teams in the event. As of press time, we are 3rd with nearly \$6,500 in fundraising!

Our team should be easy to spot in our fluorescent pink team shirts, even in the massive sea of race-day "PINK-OUT!"

Second Annual Rides & Rescues

Sunday, May 15th ♦ 1:00 - 5:00 PM

Decatur Estate Antique Mall

2272 Lawrenceville Hwy, Decatur, GA 30033

This show was a HUGE hit last year (except for the HEAT), so we knew we would return this year! Hopefully we will have another sunny and cooler day. Maggie at Decatur Estate Antique Mall LOVES cars and car shows, plus she is a big supporter of Animal Rescue organizations, so we will be once again teaming up with Furkids.

Member **Mike Perry** will be cooking burgers for us with all the proceeds going to help the club! We are looking to fill the parking lot for this Sunday afternoon show . . . make sure you are part of the show, and bring your car buddies!



Memorial Weekend Show at Home Depot in Doraville

Saturday, May 28th ♦ 11:00 AM - 3:00 PM

Home Depot ♦ 4343 Tilly Mill Rd, Doraville, GA 30360

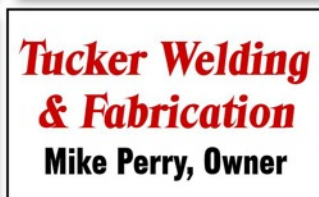
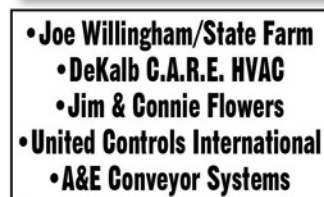
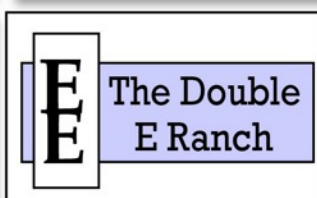
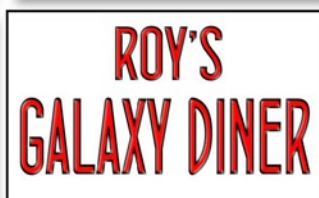
What better way to celebrate Memorial Day than to put on a car show to benefit **USO Georgia**? Well that's just what we will be doing with the help of the Doraville Home Depot.

We were offered this last minute opportunity, so we jumped on it! We will have food trucks to feed us, so it promises to be a fun day.

Since this is a last minute addition to our schedule, we need everyone to help spread the word so we can make this show a success!



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Charities We Support



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