



# THE RUNNINGBOARD RUNDOWN

THE MONTHLY NEWSLETTER OF  
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## ANNOUNCEMENTS:

### Board Meeting

Thursday, Oct 10 at 7:00 PM at The War Vets

### General Meeting

Wednesday, Oct 16 at 7:00 PM at The War Vets

## 2020 DUES NOW DUE!

Dues can be paid by sending a check made out to  
**CLRAACA** for \$20 to: **Nancy Rudny, 13 Utica St.,  
Jamestown, NY 14701** Or you can pay at any meeting.

Dues must be paid by Dec. 31, 2019

**NOTE: National AACA 2020 dues are also now due.**

## 2019 EVENTS

- Oct 9** AACA Fall Meet, Hershey
- Oct 19** Corning Museum of Glass Tour (details on back)
- Dec 1** National AACA Scholarship applications due (details in magazine)
- Dec 6** Downtown Jamestown Christmas Parade
- Dec 8** Annual Children's Christmas Party (details to the right)
- Dec 9, 10, 11** Bell ringing for Salvation Army at TOPS Markets, Washington St. Jamestown
- Dec 31** National AACA and CLRAACA memberships are due

## 2020 Board Member Nominations

Looking for members interested in being on the board of directors. Jim Sackett and Greg Press will be incumbents, but at least 2 more nominations are needed. New members mean new ideas for the club! Call any board member listed on the top of this newsletter to nominate yourself or a friend. Nominations are due no later than November's general meeting and voting will take place at December's general meeting.



## Happy October Birthdays

Barbara Stubbs - 28th

## October Anniversaries

Steve and Christine Hatfield - 17th



**Thank you, Sara Tantillo** for the lovely dessert at our last meeting. Nancy Rudny will delight us in October!

**Newsletter submissions** - The newsletter is always looking for interesting articles or information to share with the club. Feel free to submit anything to Jeanne Oag, Newsletter Editor, at any club meeting or email her at: [jeanneoag@hotmail.com](mailto:jeanneoag@hotmail.com) **NEXT SUBMISSION DEADLINE IS OCTOBER 25TH.**

**Club website:** [www.clraaca-dunkirk-flea-market.org](http://www.clraaca-dunkirk-flea-market.org)  
**Newsletters and flea market info all in one place!**

## ANNUAL CHILDREN'S CHRISTMAS PARTY

**Fluvanna Fire Hall,  
Sunday, December 8, 2019**

All club members are welcome to attend and share in the Holiday spirit!

**Pizza Party starts at 1:00pm** includes pizza, salad and drinks. Stay for cookie decorating and the annual visit from Santa Claus.

Reservations and a gift list **MUST** be received by **Nov. 15** to allow adequate time for shopping and wrapping. Please limit gift suggestion prices to \$20-\$30 maximum per child.

Please mail the form to:

**Jeanne Oag  
4534 Terrace Dr.  
Gerry, NY 14740**

### Dec 8th Annual Children's Christmas Party RSVP

Number of adults attending \_\_\_\_\_

Number of children (*11 and under*) attending \_\_\_\_\_

Member's name \_\_\_\_\_

Member's phone number \_\_\_\_\_

**\*Children to receive a gift from Santa are limited to those 11 years old and younger.**

First and last name: \_\_\_\_\_

Age: \_\_\_\_\_ Gender: \_\_\_\_\_

2 gift suggestions: \_\_\_\_\_

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*If there are more children, please attach an additional sheet*

### Downtown Jamestown Annual Christmas Parade

The club is looking to put together a committee to organize a float for this year's parade. Interested people should call Frank Tantillo at 716-484-0727 or 716-665-8922. We have done this in past years and would like to start doing it again and involve club members children and grandchildren!!

**Club Touring or Outing Form** - the club is always interested in having tours and outings. There is now a form available on our website (under the RBR link) or from any board member, to help you plan an outing or tour.



**The Chautauqua Lake Region A.A.C.A.**  
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### Corning Museum of Glass Tour

On Saturday, October 19<sup>th</sup>, Hosts Ken & Greta Peterson and Ken & Connie Shearer have put together a fun day at the Corning Museum of Glass. The day's itinerary:

9:00am SHARP! – leave the N. Main St., Jamestown Park N Ride

11:00am – arriving at McDonald's in Wellsville for a short break

1:00 pm – tour begins at the museum. Hoping to have lunch there prior to tour.

Dinner at The Beef and Barrel in Olean on return trip.

Cost of admission is \$8.50 per member w/the club paying half of admission. Guests are welcome at \$17 each.

Reservations with check made out to **CLRAACA** due by **Oct. 12<sup>th</sup>** and sent to:  
**Nancy Rudny, 13 Utica St., Jamestown, NY 14701.**

Any questions, contact Ken Peterson at 716-483-2329.

Member Names

\_\_\_\_\_ x \$8.50 = \_\_\_\_\_  
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Guests Names

\_\_\_\_\_ x \$17 = \_\_\_\_\_  
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#### The Annual Steak Fry was a success this year!

49 members and 2 guests attending! Could not have had a better steak - done to perfection!



#### Club member Jan Bernas shares the following:

Buying a car without a radio — or a Bluetooth connection — is unthinkable for the modern driver, even if they don't plan on tuning in. That marriage makes sense: Cars and radios were becoming consumer products around the same time, so putting the two together was perfectly natural. But someone had to be first, and that someone was Chevrolet in 1922. It was an optional inclusion — an additional cost of \$200, roughly \$3,000 in today's money — and had an antenna the size of the roof of the car. Obviously, things had to shrink, and it wasn't until the 1930s that the radio was a viable standard inclusion in consumer vehicles.

#### PRES. FRANK TANTILLO'S "IT HAPPENED IN SEPTEMBER"

**Sept 4, 1957-1958** - Edsel went on sale - known as E-Day

**Sept 9, 1964** -1st production T-bird rolled off the assembly line at the Dearborn Michigan plant

**Sept 10, 1979** - MG sports car ended production in England

**Sept 16, 1908** - GM Corp. formed

**Sept 21, 1903** - Preston Tucker born. Remembered for his 1948 Tucker car nicknamed The Tucker Torpedo. A car with many modern features of today such as disc brakes, padded dash, rear engine design, pop out windshield designed to eject during a crash, and third center headlight which swiveled to light around corners. Tucker also invented The Tucker Turret, a swiveling machine gun turret used during WWII. Production was stopped on the Tucker automobile because of accusations of stock fraud and pre-selling to dealers to get capital to start manufacturing his cars. The US Securities and Exchange Commission began a grand jury investigation and on Jan 22, 1950 the jury returned a verdict of Not Guilty. Preston Tucker was a bankrupt and broken man and was forced to sell his remaining assets including 51 cars that were completed before the plant was shut down. Preston Tucker died on Dec 26, 1956 of lung cancer.