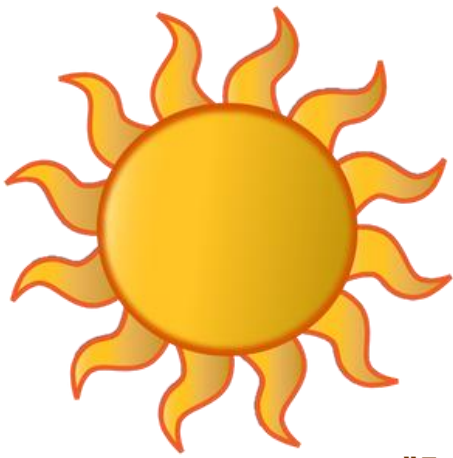


# Christian Classic Cruisers NEWSLETTER



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**John 3:16**

**"For God so loved the world, that he gave his only begotten Son,  
and whoever believes in Him will not perish but have  
everlasting life"**

## Chaplain's Message

### SUPER MEN OR WOMEN IN EVERYDAY CLOTHES

Many think of a hero is someone who has done something spectacular or unbelievable. How many remember the many stories of Clark Kent (Mr. Superman) and his spectacular rescues. He was considered a mighty hero because of his courageous acts, but he was known as Clark Kent in his everyday clothes.

As we look in the Bible the Old Testament has many spiritual heroes. Noah and the ARK; Abraham and God's promise his seed would populate the earth; Joseph who interpreted the king's dream and became the Premier of Egypt; Ester became the queen; Naomi and Ruth. All of these were considered spiritual heroes. As God spoke to them they obeyed. Generation after generation were blessed because they listened to God.

Deuteronomy 6:13 (NIV) God told Moses to instruct the people: These are the commands, decrees and laws the LORD your God directed me to teach you to observe in the land that you are crossing the Jordan to possess, <sup>2</sup> so that you, your children and their children after them may fear the LORD your God as long as you live by keeping all his decrees and commands that I give you, and so that you may enjoy long life. <sup>3</sup> Hear, Israel, and be careful to obey so that it may go well with you and that you may increase greatly in a land flowing with milk and honey, just as the LORD, the God of your ancestors, promised you.

There may be a special person in your family who you might say is that special Superman or Superwoman in everyday clothes and if it weren't for them I would not be what I am today. In our families choices were made by grandparents and parents as to where we lived, attended schools, worked, received our education, etc. Those decisions affected members in the family. Decisions you make now may affect members in your family for generations to come.

Let's pray that we can be the Spiritual Super men or women in everyday clothes for someone in our generation so they can say "if it weren't for them I would not be what I am today".

**Dwain**

### 2015 Cruise Season:

March 28 <sup>th</sup>	5-9 PM
April 18 <sup>th</sup>	5-9 PM
May 16 <sup>th</sup>	5-9 PM
June 20 <sup>th</sup>	6-10 PM
July 18 <sup>th</sup>	6-10 PM
August 15 <sup>th</sup>	6-10 PM
September 19 <sup>th</sup>	5-9 PM
October 17 <sup>th</sup>	5-9 PM

### 2015 Meeting Dates:

**Come at 6:30  
for social time and  
dinner with friends!!**

**Meeting Starts  
at 7:30 PM**

January	13 <sup>th</sup>
February	10 <sup>th</sup>
<i>(Valentine's Dinner)</i>	
March	10 <sup>th</sup>
April	14 <sup>th</sup>
May	12 <sup>th</sup>
June	9 <sup>th</sup>
July	14 <sup>th</sup>
August	11 <sup>th</sup>
September	8 <sup>th</sup>
October	13 <sup>th</sup>
November	10 <sup>th</sup>
December	8 <sup>th</sup>
<i>(Christmas Party)</i>	

**2015 CCC Officers:**

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**Dwain Klopfenstein**  
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**Burl Hurley**  
**Director-at-Large**

**The Prez Says!**

What a great show we had in July! The weather was good and we had 228 cars with lots of cars to judge. Thanks to all of you who helped judge. It was a hot night and everyone worked hard. We had several first timers again with some good looking cars.

The Pacesetters Quartet will be singing at the August car show on the 15<sup>th</sup> so invite your friends. The car show begins at 6:00 and the trailer will be there at 4:30 for setup.

Let's pray for safe travels for the members that are going to Louisville. Will see you at the next meeting on August 11<sup>th</sup>.

**Gary Veach**



**Monthly Club Meeting – Second Tuesday**

Asian King Buffet  
953 Melbourne Road  
Hurst, TX

Everyone is invited to attend – members, guests, and visitors.  
Social time begins at 6:30 pm. Meeting starts at 7:00 pm.

**Membership**

Membership Chairman – **J. W. Irving**

Currently we have 58 active memberships and 7 Lifetime Members.

If you would like to join in the fun and Christian camaraderie of CCC, please visit [www.christianclassiccruisers.com](http://www.christianclassiccruisers.com) and download the Membership Application.

**Remember in Our Prayers**

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|-------------------------|----------------------|
| † Ron & Vicki Burdett   | † Wanda Klopfenstein |
| † Bob Eads & His Mother | † Jim Oldenkamp      |
| † Ed Hogan              | † Joe Bob Powers     |
| † Nancy Hunter          | † Betsy Raffetto     |
| † Burl Hurley (Cousin)  | † Phyllis Veach      |
| † Casey Jones           | † JB West            |
| † Reyna Kinnan's Mother |                      |

## Club Merchandise



For club apparel contact **J. W. Irving**.

Hats and visors are in stock and available at club meetings and club shows. Regular hats are \$10.00, Camo hat is \$15.00. A price catalogue is available for the various shirt styles. If interested in a shirt, let J.W. know so he can order it for you. Club plaques are available for \$25.00.

## Judging

See you at the show on August 15<sup>th</sup> at 6:00pm. This month is our Hot Texas Nights show. We need all members to help out with judging. Its great fun and you get to see all kinds of awesome rides! Just contact me or see me at the Judges table at the show.

**Joe Bob Powers**

## Ladies Corner

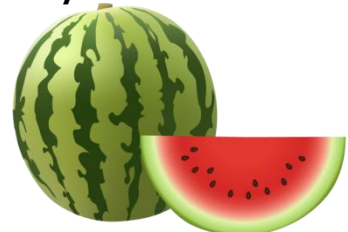
We had a good time at **Nina Biancos'** home in July. A great summer "Ball Park" dinner included hot dogs and summer fruits. The ball park can't hold a candle to **Nina's** spread!.

The winners were:

Most Buncos: (Tie) **Marilyn Conner; Leslie Norman; Linda Walker**  
Most Small Buncos: **Freddie Helfer** (New Member!)  
Most Wins: **Linda Walker**  
Most Losses: **Leah LaBarbera**

August Bunco will be Monday, August 24<sup>th</sup> at **Phyllis Veaches'** home.

**Phyllis Veach**  
Social Chairperson



### Chairpersons

#### **Chaplain**

*Dwain Klopfenstein*

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*Burl Hurley*

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## July Mystery Member Revealed!

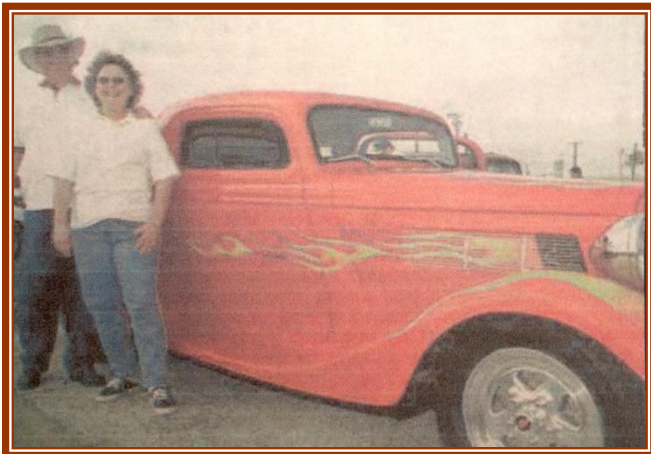


July's Mystery Member was Josh Johnson pictured with his 1963 Chevy K20 short-bed pickup.

This truck is FOR SALE! It has a 350 small block, and a turbo transmission going to a divorced transfer case. It is a (working) 4 X 4. It is in need of some repairs and a motor.

Contact Josh via [cccruisersnews@gmail.com](mailto:cccruisersnews@gmail.com) if interested.

## August Mystery Members



## Cruisin' Along...

### Wise County Heritage Museum Tour & Gospel Opry Concert

Thanks to all that came out for the cruise to Wise County Heritage Museum in Decatur on June 29<sup>th</sup>. We had 14 members including **Linda Leatherwoods'** mother. We arrived at 4pm for a private after-hours tour of the museum. We enjoyed viewing lots of vintage military memorabilia including a tribute to the WWII Lost Battalion. Following our tour we traveled up the road to Catfish O'Harlies for good food and fellowship. Then it was back to the Museum for the Gospel Music concert. They should have named it Gospel Music Comedy it was so funny! We laughed all night. It was unrehearsed and very entertaining. Very reminiscent of the "all day singing and dinner on the ground" experiences that some of us remember growing up. After the concert, we went to Braum's for ice cream treats and the laughter continued. It was also a very good birthday for me and a fun time for all. I would like to thank the Museum President, **Kerry Clower** for arranging the private Museum tour for us. He also recognized our Club to the crowd at the Concert.

Sincerely, **Burl Hurley**, Cruise Master

### Texas Civil War Museum

Submitted by **Burl Hurley**, Cruise Master

We had a very enjoyable time Saturday, July 11<sup>th</sup>. About 14 of us met at the Dixie house café for breakfast then 12 of us went on to the Texas Civil War Museum in Weatherford. We all kind of went exploring on our own after viewing a short movie about Texas' involvement in the Civil War. There is so much history there and we enjoyed taking in all the exhibits, displays, artillery room, and of course the gift shop, at our own pace. Afterward the **Friesens, Sowell**s and **Hurley**s decided to check out the Weatherford Peach Festival. It was a little warm and crowded, but we enjoyed the festival and visited some of the antique stores. After we enjoyed all the warm weather and peach ice cream we could handle, we decided to have dinner at the Vintage Grill just east of the square. The restaurant has recently opened and includes a classic car museum. Next time you're in Weatherford, check it out – there is reserved parking in front for classic cars.



**August**



## **Cruisin' Along... (Continued)**

### **Twin Oaks Church Youth Camp Fund Raising Car Show**

Submitted by **JB West**

On Saturday June 27, **Bob Bianco, Bill Crow** and **JB West** attended the Twin Oaks Church's Youth Camp fund raising car show. **Bob** and **JB** were selected as top 20 winners. The **Christian Classic Cruisers Club** was recognized as the car club with the most participants since the Mad Dog Club withdrew themselves from the club category. Approximately 70 cars were in attendance.

### **Cruise Rules**

Submitted by **Burl Hurley**

- How fast do we go? I have been asked frequently how fast we drive when we travel together on cruises. We drive the speed limit, which on some interstates in Texas is 75 mph. It is 65 or 70 mph in most other states.
- We try to all leave together, stay together, and arrive together.
- Always watch the car behind you. If it slows down we should all slow down and wait for everybody to catch up. We will stop if necessary (at a safe location). If we do that we will be safe and can enjoy the Cruise and the on-lookers' thumbs up.
- When one car stops for fuel, everyone stops for fuel. You may have half a tank of gas, but to be most efficient with stops, top off your tank at every stop. If there are more vehicles than there are gas pumps available, go to the station across the street. Do what you need to do and then be ready to roll.
- Keep in touch with the lead car if you have an emergency!!

There are two people I like to follow #1 **JESUS CHRIST**, #2 **Jim Rowlett**

If we all heed these simple rules we will arrive safe and sound. Enjoy your cruises and be safe.

Why not join us on our next cruise to Abilene, Texas? Details below.

### **Let's Roll!**

The Weatherford Car Show (Parker County Cruisers ) is September 26<sup>th</sup>. Following the show we will roll on to Abilene, TX, to spend the night. On September 27<sup>th</sup> we will attend the Motor Head Sunday Services with **Jim & Linda Rowlett**. Lodging and other details will be sent via email as soon as possible. Please mark your calendar and plan to attend this Cruise.

Thanks, **Burl & Darla Hurley**

## Car Trivia (Answers elsewhere in newsletter)

1. True or False? The 1953 Corvette came in White, Red, and Black.



2. What car first referred to itself as a convertible?



3. What automakers first logo incorporated the Star of David?



## Cruise Masters - Upcoming Events & Club Calendar

Please visit the website:

[www.christianclassiccruisers.com/calendar](http://www.christianclassiccruisers.com/calendar)

**Cruise Master (AM – Breakfast) – Cort Rea**  
Plans will be sent via email.

**Cruise Master (PM – Local Events) – Burl Hurley**

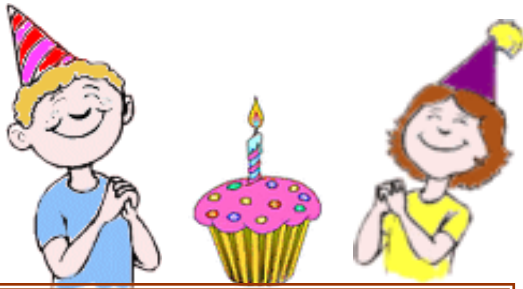
DATE	ACTIVITY	DETAILS – Opportunities & Commitments	CONTACT
August 3 – 10	NSRA+ Louisville Nationals	Kentucky Hosts Kids' Games on Friday & Saturday.	<b>Bobby Stout</b>
<b>August 25<sup>th</sup></b>	<b>DEADLINE FOR CCC AUGUST NEWSLETTER ARTICLES.</b>	CCCruisersNews@gmail.com	<b>Linda Walker</b>
September 26-27	Parker County Cruisers Car Show, Weatherford Motorhead Sunday Service, Abilene	Participate, Stay Overnight  Travel to Abilene for Service by <b>Jim &amp; Linda Rowlett</b>	<b>Burl &amp; Darla Hurley</b>
October 8 – 11	Brooke Army Medical Center (BAMC) Fort Sam Houston and Boerne Key to the Hills Rod Run	San Antonio and Boerne	<b>Bobby Stout</b>
December 8 <sup>th</sup> (Tentative)	CCC Christmas Party	TBA	<b>Phyllis Veach</b>
February 2016	CCC Valentine Party	TBA	<b>Phyllis Veach</b>



**NATIONAL MARSHMALLOW TOASTING DAY**



## Birthdays & Anniversaries



**HAPPY  
BIRTHDAY**

Karol Hogan	8/2
James Buck	8/8
Mary Michaels	8/10
Dwain Klopfenstein	8/14
Wayne Klopfenstein	8/14

## HAPPY ANNIVERSARY

<b>Flenniken, Joe &amp; Donna</b>	<b>8/4</b>	<b>53 Years</b>
<b>Eads, Bob &amp; Rosalynn</b>	<b>8/14</b>	<b>50 Years</b>



1. False. The 1953 Corvette was only available in Polo White.
2. The 1904 Thomas Flyer which had a removable hard top.
3. Dodge Brothers.

## Gary's Body!

On June 1<sup>st</sup> a motley crew of he-men converged on **Gary Veaches'** compound. In no time we got the 1951 Plymouth station wagon's body off the dolly and onto the frame!



THE CREW

**Gary Veach, Chris Sowell, Stan Friesen, J.W. Irving, Cort Rae, Ed Hogan, & Gary Bass.**  
(On-lookers – **Phyllis Veach & Granddaughter**)

## Sponsors

We are so grateful to all of our sponsors. If you or someone you know would be interested in becoming a sponsor to donate door prizes, or to sponsor one of our shows, please contact **Gary Veach** at 817-821-1581.

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## Special Interest Event

### Vintage Car Enthusiasts and Veteran LOOPers,

Here's the latest news about the 8th ANNUAL - 2015 LONE STAR LOOP 1000 TOUR...We're finally open for Registration! Thanks for your continued commitment and patience while we expanded and streamlined our website, especially our online Registration page! We think it will simplify the registration, meals reservations, and LOOP GEAR purchases so that you will be able to just enjoy the ride.

Our First Seven Annual Lone Star Loop 1000 Tours have been a huge success, so we're doing it again this year with a different tour route. Mark your calendars for October 15-18 for the 2015 "Rockport Rust-Out Resort Tour". This year we're planning a scenic driving tour through central Texas and gulf coast in and around Rockport. Evening stays will all be in Rockport with day trips to scenic tours and attractions with lunch stops. This is shaping up to be the most eventful LOOP yet!

At our website, [www.LoneStarLoop.com](http://www.LoneStarLoop.com), you will find all the important aspects of registering for the 2015 Lone Star Loop 1000 either by mail or online. Don't overlook that you may also make your reservations for all planned meals and pre-pay by PayPal. In addition, you may also purchase "LOOP GEAR" online to commemorate your participation (See Registration Form or "LOOP GEAR" page). DON'T FORGET EARLY REGISTRATION PRICES END 8/15!

Upon receipt of Registration Form with payment by PayPal or check, an email confirmation with pertinent information including lodging information will be sent. Please make your reservations early to receive discounted rates. A comprehensive downloadable and self-print PDF file tour booklet will be issued about a week before the start on 10/15 in Weatherford. We're still planning all the details.

We invite all individuals and business owners to take a look at our Sponsorship Program to see how you may benefit by helping make the 2015 Lone Star Loop 1000 a memorable, 8th Annual Tour. Many of our 2014 Sponsors are re-committed to our 2015 Tour with other new sponsors being considered.

If you have any additional questions about registration or sponsorship, please feel free to contact us.

See you on the 2015 LOOP!

LONE STAR LOOP 1000

Paul & Cindy, Directors

817-401-5558

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(Submitted by **Burl Hurley**)



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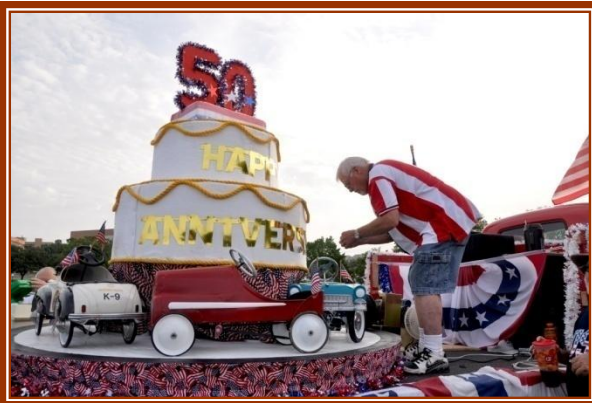
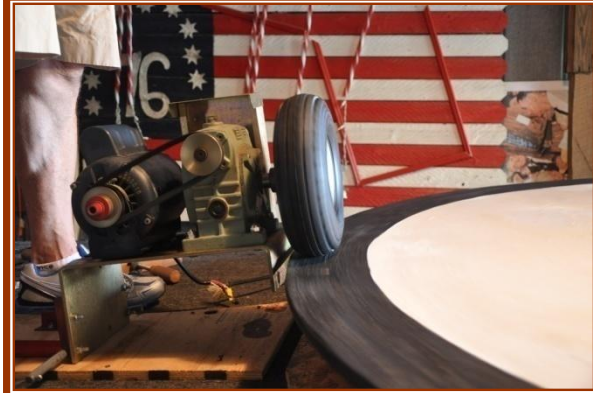


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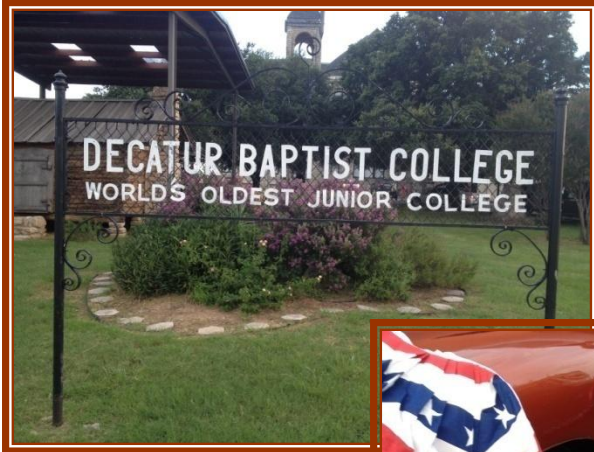
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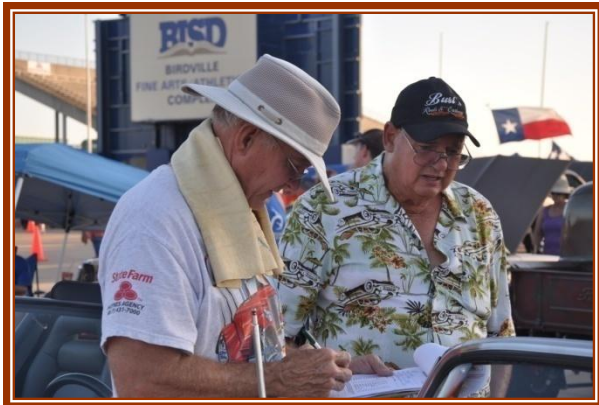




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CCC July "Beach Party" Show



**AUGUST**  
**SHOW**

**"HOT TEXAS NIGHTS"**

**6:00 p.m. See you then!** 17