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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"

2019 Cruise Season:

March 16th

April 27th

May 18h

June 15th

July 20^h

August 17th

September 21th

October 19st

2019 Meeting Dates:

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

Meeting Starts at 7:00 PM

January 8th

February 12th

March 12th

April 9th

May 14th

June 11th

July 09th

August 13th

September 10th

October 08th

November 12th

December 101h

Chaplain's Message

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MY FATHER...

loves me	John 3:16
cares for me	Matthew 6:26
forgives me	Psalm 103:12
is compassionate	Psalm 103:4-5
is understanding	Psalm 139:1-2
is accepting	Psalm 139:1-6
satisfies	Psalm 107:9
persistently pursues me	Luke 19:10
is reason	Isaiah 1:18
pardons	Psalm 103:3
heals	Isaiah 53:5
redeems	Job 19:25
is loving-kindness	Psalm 86:15
reasons	Isaiah 40:21
is righteous	Jeremiah 9:23-24
is gracious	Ephesians 1:7-8
is sovereign	Psalm 103:19

Time to "dust off" those Bibles and check out these verses - you will be blessed.

Craig Chaplain



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President French's Message

Presidents Message April 2019

I started off last month's letter with "The Hot Rods are coming the Hot Rods are coming!!

And yes they did, and they just kept coming and coming till we had 242 great looking cars and trucks all over the parking lot! There were so many to judged Joe Bob had to call in the CCC Reserve in order to judge all the entries! Thank you, thank you!

Not only was there a line of cars coming in, there was constant stream of folks getting popcorn and drinks. So many in fact when I went to get some popcorn I ended up passing out popcorn as fast as Pat could bag it. In fact, she popped a whole case of popcorn and the drink ladies sold 88 cans of pop and 32 bottles of water during a cool evening. Awesome job ladies!!

If you didn't already purchase your Large or X-Large Safety Green T-Shirt, well, ya missed the boat like me. The Crazy T-Shirt ladies sold 48 T's and we are down to just over 100 T's in stock! So if you have procrastinated on buying your 2019 T you better get yours at the next show. And if you want Safety Green, let me know so I can plan the inventory.

This year we changed things up and I asked all of you to get up and mingle with the participants and thank them for attending our show. Then we followed up with thanking them as they were leaving the show for the evening. I thought y'all were awesome in doing that. I know that surprised a lot of folks because they were telling me how they had never been thanked before! Do you think they told their buddies? Awesome, simply awesome! Great job everybody and I mean everybody. This show doesn't just magically happen, it takes all of us working and pulling together to make this look easy to the participants! They have no clue how hard you work!

Final thought:

If you were impressed with the shows turnout, share it with others, be proud.

If you worked hard with/for your fellow members, be proud of your team work.

If you left wore out, hungry and ready for bed but you had a smile on your face and warm feeling in your heart, thank God for the opportunity to serve others.

Steve French

President

Monthly Club Meeting – Second Tuesday

Dixie House Café 6200 E. Lancaster Ave., Ft. Worth, TX 76112 Meeting will start at 7:00, restaurant closes at 8:30. Everyone is invited to attend – members, guests, and visitors.

Prayer Request

United States of America Ron Burdett Mike and Betsy Raffetto Anita Hale

Vice President's Message

WE DID IT! One show down seven more to go.

I don't believe it could have gone any better. Everyone pitched in during set-up and tear down and that is greatly appreciated. The ladies at the registration did an outstanding job as did our t-shirt crew, folks serving refreshments, those working the front gate, and Bobby and Carolyn supplying entertainment. Thanks goes out to Joe Bob, Wayne and James at the judges table, we couldn't do a show without you. Lastly, thanks to everyone that helped to judge the 204 vehicles that came to the show. I believe we completed judging earlier than usual and but for a few delays at the end were ready to hand out awards to the participants early.

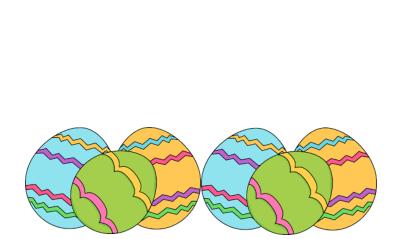
Registration went incredibly smooth considering all the changes we had in classes. Of the 204 people entering vehicles I had only one person that was upset and he quickly calmed down when it was explained what we did and why we changed years in each class. His anger changed to "will this speed up judging?".

I think having a judge's meeting before we began, to talk about what to judge and how to assess points on the merit of the car and not on how "pretty" it is, helped. In going through all the judging sheets, for the most part it looks like most of the judges adhered to the idea of awarding points for merit. There are still a few that gave every car they judged virtually the same high score. We may have to work on that.

At the race track, before every race there is a driver's meeting to explain the rules, even if everybody already knows them. We need to do the same thing, so prior to judging at our shows there will be a judge's meeting at the trailer at 6:00 PM. EVERYONE that is going to judge needs to be there for a quick discussion.

Thanks for all the hard work!

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Greetings CCC members

If you would like to join in the fun and Christian camaraderie of CCC, please visit www.christianclassiccruisers.com and download the Membership Application.

New Member(s)

JB & Susie Go Down Under

Susie and I spent the month of January down under. It was interesting to see the classic cars out on the road. Primarily on Sunday's. In New Zealand we saw a number of cars on the road. Some were Streetrods and some were 50-60 eras. Most of the time they were approaching us in the oncoming lane and I had no time to get a photo. But on one occasion we were at a stop sign and there they were. Two Chevrolet's parked while the owners had a pit stop. See if you can spot anything different about the cars.

Also on our ship they had a meeting of anyone interested in classic cars. So I attended. I met a fellow that was the president of a Sydney car club. I took one of our new 2019 club shirts and I gave it to him. Susie saw him wearing it on the ship latter in our cruise. Most of the people (both men and women) were European car owners. But they were equally enthusiastic about their cars as are we.

I would like to have a space in the newsletter for people who have items for sale. We will start with car related items and see how that goes and hopefully move on from there. Please send me a photo, description and your contact information to cccruisersneews@gmail.com, or call me at 940-395-5981.



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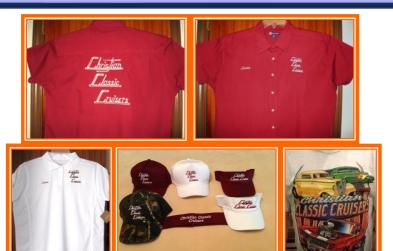
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Club Merchandise



For club apparel contact **Steve French**.

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 me know so I can order it for you. Club plaques are available for \$25.00.



This year we have Yellow, Blue, Grey and Dwain's favorite Pink!!

This year we returning model Suzette, along with new models Carolyn, Debbie and Cheryl. Great job ladies, you look good holding those shirts.

Birthdays & Anniversaries





Betsy Raffetto	4/4
Terry Benton	4/5
Chris Sowell	4/7
Anita Hale	4/14
Greg Ipock	4/16
Marilyn Conner	4/20
Dick McRae	4/22
Steve French	4/29
TK Kinnan	4/29
Terry Muno	5/16
Gary Veach	5/18
Bonnie O'Rourke	5/24
Joe Bob Powers	5/24



We have no Anniversaries in the months of April and May!

Cruise Masters - Upcoming Events & Club Calendar

Please visit the website:

www.christianclassiccruisers.com/calendar

Cruise Master (AM – Breakfast)
Pete Dunham
Wayne Klopfenstein (Assisting)

Plans will be sent via email.

Cruise Master (PM – Local Events) Wayne Klopfenstein Dan Helfer

April/May Acitivites

Date	Activity		Details - Opportunities & Commitments	Contact
1	NSRA Southwest Street Rod Nationals	Kids Indoor Games 11:30-3:00	Oklahoma City	Bobby Stout
April 20 th	CCC Club Breakfast	08:30 am	Skillet & Grill E Division St Arlington, TX	Pete Dunham
April 27th	CCC Car Show			Steve French
May 18 th	CCC Car Show			Steve French
May 18 th	Lone Star Corvette Club Car Show at TMS	TMS @ 06:00 AM TMS @ 2:00 PM	Need two crews of helpers to roll-out and roll-up sound cables and spkrs.	Bobby Stout
May 25 th	CCC Club Breakfast	08:30 am	TBD	Pete Dunham

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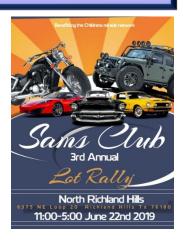
NSRA Happenings

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April 12-14	Oklahoma	Kids Indoor Games 11:30-3:00		Bobby Stout
May 23-26	Springfield			Bobby Stout
July 29-Aug. 5	Louisville		Hotel & Tent Reservations	Bobby Stout

OTHER CAR SHOWS







Seller's Corner

1965 Mustang Contact Brian Kahlmorgan for details. This is <u>not</u> his car.

CCC Car Show















Budapest & Abbey Pat & Stan















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