



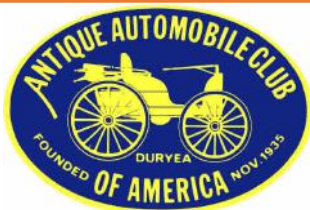
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**Next Meeting 3:00 pm**

**Sunday Jan 6<sup>th</sup>**

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The Road Map— January 2019

# THE ROAD MAP

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## THE OFFICIAL NEWS LETTER OF NEW JERSEY REGION ANTIQUE AUTOMOBILE CLUB OF AMERICA



1939 Ford Fordor Deluxe  
Owned by  
**Robert J Hudak**  
No. 11 in 2017 Participation Points



Wayne Tuck and Art Briggs  
**Receive their Perfect Attendance Awards**  
2018 Fall Hershey

**NJ Region AACA**  
**January, 2019**  
**PRESIDENT'S MESSAGE**



**D**uring my first NJAACA monthly meeting, I was struck by something that I'd not seen in many years. After the President warmly greeted the club members, he asked everyone to stand to recite the pledge of allegiance. It wasn't merely a routine, patriotic gesture by the participants, as we often see, but a heartfelt expression of their appreciation of our country and its founding principles.

I'm a great fan of America, and of our veterans, and I became a fan of the club's members, too. They listened attentively as the meeting progressed and freely contributed their ideas, and differing points of view, with no reservation. I became very thankful and grateful to have become a part of NJAACA.

This past holiday season, I was grateful for many things; my spouse, our loved ones, our good health and of the abundance and freedoms that our country provides, though we may sometimes take them for granted. I hope that you experienced many of these same feelings.

As we begin the New Year, we'll continue to enjoy the comradery and friendship, of the many like-minded individuals of our club, who share one common bond... the love of antique cars. I'm grateful for my new friendships of the club's new members, who are joining us in a seemingly, continuous stream. I also appreciate the many trips, tours, museum visits and other activities that had been arranged, by so many of our hard-working members.

I'm gratified by the continual efforts of our officers and committee chairs, who do so much to help keep our club moving forward. I must also mention the efforts of so many other club members who, though not having a direct leadership roles, are leaders in themselves. Their individual contributions have added more energy, vitality and member participation, within our growing organization.

As we begin our New Year, I hope that we'll become that much more appreciative, of what our club is and does for its membership. Together, let's resolve to become a greater part of our club's growth and activities as we enjoy the new adventures that lie ahead in the New Year.

*Jerry Peck, President*

NJ AACA #1462

**NOTABLE QUOTABLES**  
**An Idea from Bernie**

At our December meeting I was approached by the most illustrious Bernie Cooney about creating a section in the newsletter that could be a space for inspiration. Well, inspiration comes from every direction and while the quotes shown below were selected somewhat at random, we'd love your input for future issues of the Roadmap.

*-Jay & Bernie*

"In a world of peace and love, music would be the universal language"

*-Henry David Thoreau*

"This ain't asphalt, son. This is dirt. You don't have three-wheel brakes, so you got to pitch it hard, break it loose and then just drive it with the throttle. Give it too much, you'll be outta the dirt and into the tulips. I'll put it simple. If you're goin' hard enough left, you'll find yourself turnin' right."

*— Doc Hudson ( Cars )*

"Ferris, my father loves this car more than life itself. He never drives it! He just rubs it with a diaper!"

*- Cameron Frye (Ferris Bueller's Day Off)*

"Need I remind you, 007, that you have a license to kill, not to break the traffic laws"

*- Q (Desmond Llewelyn)*

"I will build a car for the great multitude. It will be large enough for the family, but small enough for the individual to run and care for. It will be constructed of the best materials, by the best men to be hired, after the simplest designs that modern engineering can devise. But it will be so low in price that no man making a good salary will be unable to own one."

*- Henry Ford*

I was driving my 1959 Chevy Impala down King's Highway in Brooklyn with the top down, and I heard 'Oh! Carol' on three stations at the same time while I was channel surfing. I knew then that I made it.

*- Neil Sedaka*

I had a '56 Ford, and my first car was a '49 Chevy. I converted it to a stick and used to race with the other high school kids down along the river.

*- Craig T. Nelson*

**New Jersey Region AACA  
Secretary's Minutes  
December 6th, 2018 #719  
Old Timers Appreciation Day**



The 719th Region Meeting was called to order at precisely 7:30 p.m.

All were asked to rise to recite of the Pledge of Allegiance

The following new members were welcomed: **Mark and Donna Martin**

Motion to approve the minutes of the #718<sup>th</sup> November monthly meeting and Old Timer's Night (As displayed in the Road Map) was made, seconded and approved. The minutes for the previous meeting will stand as displayed in *The Road Map*

No Correspondence was read by **President Jerry Peck**

Treasurer's Report, was given by **Tim Schimmel**. A motion to approve Tim's report was unanimously approved.

President's Report: **Jerry Peck**, several important things were mentioned: The passing of **Carol Bar-lup**. **Carol** was an important and active member of the national AACA for many years, mostly at her husband's (**Don's**) side. Our region already has a facility for honoring our regions members who pass. As a region we do not make a donation for the death of national members. However, if region members feel a need to donate in her name to the AACA Library, they may do so.

**Jerry Peck** felt compelled to repeat the results of the recent election held at the **Singe** museum:

Not surprisingly, **Jerry** will serve another term as President. He promises to do at least as well as he did this year.

Having held various positions in our club, **Art Briggs** ran for Vice-President and was elected, another position successfully filled.

No surprise, after all these years, **Tim Schimmel** was re-elected as Treasurer, and **Bill Pritchett** continues as Membership Secretary.

Not new to our Region Board, former President, **Greg Roser** comes back for the most interesting position on our management board, Recording Secretary. Rounding out our officers, **Ed Geller** takes another term as VP of Administration.

Region activities: Filling in for **Ex VP Duane Copley**, **Acting VP Suds Reddy** presented a dissertation of upcoming Region and National events, with input

from the various chairs. For everyone's convenience all Region and National events are printed in *The Road Map*.

Road Map Editor – **Jay DeBoey** Life keeps getting better for our esteemed Editor

Spring Meet – **Pete Cullen** – Just when you thought it was safe, you were told that our local Spring Meet is progressing quite nicely. Pete thanked Greg Roser for procuring the needed contract for Mennen Arena.

Tour Master – open position

Membership– **Bill Pritchett**, **Bill** expects our membership to top over 200 this year.

Webmaster - **Leif Mangulson** Website is up to date. **Leif** is living the good life in cyberspace

Human Interest – Although we don't always honor our members in this manner, we all gave **LeRoy Gearhart** a hearty 85<sup>th</sup> happy birthday wish. He looks like he can do another 85 more!

Accessories – **Duffy Bell** – Available on demand

Welcoming Committee – **Ray & Judy Fischer** – Welcomed new members Mark and Donna Martin

Participation Points – **Vince DeLisi**, with a pending feast just inches from our taste buds, Vince set a record for brevity in his PP Report. (Not enough time to spell out Participation Points)

Sunshine – **Sarah Fehley**, **Sarah** in true **Pritchett** fashion is always willing to give a hand. Thanks for the set-up help

Refreshments – Open Position. As we continue to suffer on without one of the most important chair positions, we improvise and make do with what we have. You know things are difficult when our President must go hunting for plastic forks, in the middle of the meeting. It should be noted that, despite of all obstacles, a wonderful pot-luck, mostly home backed spread appeared in the spaces reserved for these items. Once plastic forks were supplied on and all enjoy a holiday feast.

Respectfully submitted,

**Bernie Cooney #1247**  
Secretary



(Secretary's Minutes December 6th, 2018 #719 cont.)

Watchung Mountain Chapter – **George Ernst** No Report

Government Liaison and Safety – **Bob Hedderick** No Report

Archivist – **Matt Verzi** No Report

Properties – **Rich Reina** No report

Jacket and Sweatshirt Sales – **Roger & Kathy Bagley**, The fashion team keeps getting better and better

Badge Fines – **Herb Singe**, as only **Herb** can.

Spring National In New Jersey – **Wayne Tuck** says all Spring National chairs are performing at optimal levels. There may or may not be some clarification of contracts at our Host Hotel. Our meet's advertising booklet is expected to blossom with the team of **Platt & Tuck** working both ends against the middle. Being that the NJ Region is hosting the Eastern Spring National in 2019, we will have a booth at the Annual Meeting in Philadelphia in February to promote the event. Ray and Judy Fischer have the pleasure of staffing the booth. We are told many hands make light work. All members are welcome to help.

OLD BUSINESS: None

#### NEW BUSINESS

Greg Roser invited children of all ages to his "Christmas House" Santa fund raising visit in Fanwood on Dec. 8<sup>th</sup>.

Items for sale or wanted See Road Map for a complete list of treasures available

50/50 – **Bob Smith** Needy people lining up for holiday bonuses will be gratified they went to **Leif Mangulson** and **Ray Fischer**

The meeting was adjourned precisely at: 8:21 p.m.

It should be noted that attendance may have been off a bit, but quality more than made up for quantity

Respectfully submitted,

**Bernie Cooney #1247**  
Secretary



ANTIQUE AUTOMOBILE CLUB  
OF AMERICA

## FOR SALE

### FOR SALE : 2012 Hallmark 22' Car Trailer



Recently Serviced, Aluminum Wheels, Stone Guard, Electric Tongue Jack, Extra Lighting, "Rhino-Lining" Floor, Built-On Stabilizers, Spare Tire.  
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\$4,950.00.

Nick Matlaga, 570-897-6151, [nmatlaga@epix.net](mailto:nmatlaga@epix.net)

### FOR SALE: 2001 Corvette Coupe

Red with Black Leather & Woodgrain Int. 39,056 Miles  
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Immaculate Cond. Call Bill @ 973-432-9231

### FOR SALE : 75 Corvette

19 K miles, 4 speed, T Tops, runs excellent. AC and Tach need work. Have Tach parts. \$15,000 or OBO.  
Email [petedetommaso@gmail.com](mailto:petedetommaso@gmail.com) for details/pics.

### FOR SALE : 84 Mercedes 380Sel,

190K miles. 2 tops, runs good. Needs battery, fuel line leak by tank. \$ 5,000 or OBO.  
Email. [petedetommaso@gmail.com](mailto:petedetommaso@gmail.com) for details/ pics.

### FOR SALE : 1964 Galaxy 500 Drop Top



2 Owner, mechanically maintained, clean interior. NOS parts. Chantilly Beige ,289 Auto, re-paint & roof w/glass rear window few yrs. old, \$10,500

For More Information please call :

Dave Bierman @ 908-322-9084 (H) 908-347-6742 (C)  
[davidabierman@gmail.com](mailto:davidabierman@gmail.com)

Items for Sale or Trade should be sent to the Editor of the Roadmap. Please Include a start and end date for the item being offered



# upcoming EVENTS



## NJ AACAA EVENTS

## AACAA NATIONAL EVENTS

### JANUARY

**6<sup>th</sup>** NJ Region AACAA 720th monthly meeting, Awards Presentation & Installation of Officers. Zeris Inn Mountain Lakes—*Pat Hogan Chair*

### FEBRUARY

**12<sup>th</sup>** NJ Region AACAA 721st monthly meeting Morris Plains VFW Post 3401, 45 Tabor Road, Morris Plains, NJ, 8:00 PM

### MARCH

**6<sup>th</sup>** NJ Region AACAA 722nd monthly meeting Morris Plains VFW Post 3401, 45 Tabor Road, Morris Plains, NJ, 8:00 PM

### JANUARY

**19-20<sup>th</sup>** AACAA South Florida Region Classic Car Fest, Miami Beach, FL

### FEBRUARY

**7-9<sup>th</sup>** AACAA Annual Meeting, Philadelphia, PA

**21-23rd** 2019 AACAA Winter National, Ocala Florida

### MARCH

**3rd** AACAA Onelaunee Region Swap Meet/Car Corral, Hamburg, PA

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### February Cover Photos

#### For the Front Cover

Brenda Zimmerman, No.12 in 2017 Part. Points  
Duffy Bell, No.24 in 2017 Part. Points

#### For the Back Cover

George Ernst, No.36 in 2017 Part. Points  
Carole Durna, No. 48 in 2017 Points

Please provide your pictures and blurb to  
Jay DeBoey **no later than January 17th**

**All events are to be submitted to the Vice President for clearance.**



## FAMILY CHRISTMAS TRADITIONS WITH A MODEL A

By Rick Weingart  
NJ region #1513

**A**nother Christmas tree season was upon us and it was time to get the Model A decorated with lights and wreaths and head out into the country for a tree. Just like we have for the past 30 years. We started when our kids were little and now we go with the grandchildren.

Each year we try some place new as long as it isn't over 100 miles round trip. Part of why we do this is that people get such joy seeing and taking pictures of an old car decorated with the tree on top. As usual the Model A ran great and we gave many AHOOGA's and getting many smiles in return.

This year we went back to Long valley where there are several tree farms to choose from in the rolling hills of Morris County, and it was truly a great day.

We got a great tree and even had some snow flurries to make it a little more special. The tree farm took some pictures of the car and has put it on their web site. Highlight of the day was on the way home we stopped in Fanwood to visit with Santa Claus and had our picture taken. Take the old cars out put some lights and wreaths on them people love it.

Merry Christmas and A Happy New Year!

Rick & Carol Weingart



## REQUEST FOR HELP 2019 SPRING NATIONAL ADVERTISING

Ladies and Gentlemen of the NJ Region AACA:

**A**s I mentioned in the December issue of the Road Map and in my announcement during our Holiday Party, this is not a one person task and I am looking for assistance from the NJ Region's membership to solicit advertisements for the Souvenir Program for the upcoming 2019 AACA Eastern Spring National that we are hosting. Now that the Holiday Season is behind us, I need our membership to step up and offer their assistance either by providing contact information for likely advertisers or by soliciting ads from these likely advertisers, or doing both. Please let me know who you want to solicit ads from first so that I can make sure that that potential advertiser is not approached by two or more members.

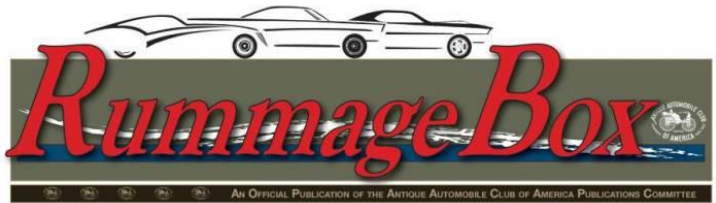
Please note that the Souvenir Program will be a magazine style publication including information about and related to the various scheduled events that will be suitable to use as a keepsake of this National Event. The Souvenir Program will include information on local restaurants, points of interest for self guided tours, and the surrounding area. It will also include a complete list of pre-registered AACA vehicles participating and owner information.

A Sponsor's Application Form for soliciting advertisements for the Souvenir Program is located on the following page. You will find the 2019 Eastern Spring National flyer on the next following page. Please use both the Eastern Spring National flyer and the Sponsor's Application Form together as a tool for soliciting advertisements.

I am looking to our membership for volunteers to join the Souvenir Program Committee with the purpose of soliciting advertisements that will be included in this publication and that will pay for its production.

Please reach out to me directly with comments or to let me know that you are willing help. Thank you for your support and assistance. Please Volunteer Your Expertise.

Sincerely,  
Abraham "Abe" Platt  
2019 AACA Eastern Spring National  
Souvenir Program Chair  
(732) 752-6341 or [abeplatt@aol.com](mailto:abeplatt@aol.com)



### Being Invisible Wayne Tuck Vice President Membership



**A**re you one of our invisible AACA members? Do you only get the car out of the garage for an old car event? Do you get it out in the driveway only to clean it and put it away when you're finished? Are some of your friends and neighbors not even aware that you are an old car fan? Yes, many of us are invisible to the public as far as our old car hobby goes. If so, we are missing many opportunities to promote our hobby to others. Try taking your car out to the convenience store to pick up a loaf of bread and see how many folks will come over and ask questions about the car. Drive to work and see if the car doesn't attract a lot of attention. We spend a lot of time talking about attracting youth to our hobby. Try picking up one of your children or grandchildren at school with an old car. Don't just stop at the curb to pick them up. Park the car and see how many young people are attracted to it. Take it to a high school sports event and not only students, but their parents also will ask questions. Have you ever been asked about your activities with an old car and replied "I belong to AACA" and received the response "What is that"? Maybe we should reply "I belong to the Antique Automobile Club of America, the largest and oldest car club in the world". Be proud of your club. Do you carry trifold brochures, contact information and membership applications with you in your car? Don't be caught speechless or unprepared when these opportunities arise. So get that car out and drive it. Get out in your community. Be proud to be seen in public with your pride and joy. Don't be invisible!

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New Jersey Region  
Antique Automobile Club of America

**2019 AACAA Eastern Spring National  
Souvenir Program – Sponsor's Application Form**



The New Jersey Region - AACAA will be hosting the Eastern Regional National at the Hilton Hotel in Parsippany, NJ from **Wednesday, June 26, 2019 thru Saturday, June 29, 2019.**

**Hilton Parsippany, 1 Hilton Ct., Parsippany-Troy Hills, NJ 07054**

Typically, Regional Nationals draw as many as 500 or more restored and original condition vehicles, ranging in age from the 1900's brass era to the early 1990's for this event. The show field is organized into 38 Judging Classes, one Display Class, and two Certification Classes.

Your sponsorship is important to help the NJ Region continue its role in sharing the passion, knowledge, and love for historic automobiles and automotive history. NJ Region AACAA is a 501(c) (7) non-profit organization.

The costs of placing an advertisement as a sponsor of this event in the NJ Region's Souvenir Program Booklet are as follows:

- Business Card (1/8 page): ..... \$ 75.00 \_\_\_\_\_
- Quarter Page: ..... \$150.00 \_\_\_\_\_
- Half Page: ..... \$250.00 \_\_\_\_\_
- Full Page: ..... \$350.00 \_\_\_\_\_
- Full Page: Front or Back Inside Cover \$450.00 \_\_\_\_\_
- Full Page: Back Cover Page ..... \$500.00 \_\_\_\_\_

**Full page and quarter page  
advertisements must be provided in  
portrait orientation.**

**Half page and business card (1/8  
page) advertisements must be  
provided in landscape  
orientation.**

**Please attach or email publication quality advertising materials in either JPEG (300 DPI min.) or PDF (300 DPI min.) file format to: Abraham Platt ([abeplatt@aol.com](mailto:abeplatt@aol.com))**

Make check payable to "NJ Region AACAA". Send completed form and remittance to:

**Abraham Platt  
175 Misty Lane  
Middlesex, NJ 08846  
[abeplatt@aol.com](mailto:abeplatt@aol.com)**

For more information call **732-752-6341**

☐ **YES - I would like to support the New Jersey Region of the AACAA by placing this advertisement.**

Signature : \_\_\_\_\_

Print Name : \_\_\_\_\_

Business Name : \_\_\_\_\_

Street Address : \_\_\_\_\_

Mailing Address : \_\_\_\_\_

Phone: \_\_\_\_\_ Email : \_\_\_\_\_

**(Must be received no later than *May 31, 2019* in order to be include in the Souvenir Program)**



## NJ Region Member Survey - Your Interest in a Region Summer Tour

The NJ Region is investigating member interest in resurrecting the traditional Region Summer Tour event for Summer 2019. Such an undertaking will encompass a lot of research and planning time by the tour masters.

So, to make sure we spend our time well, please read the below survey questions and provide your responses to **Bill Pritchett and/or Pete Cullen**, but no later than the Region's Installation Dinner on **January 6, 2019**. This survey is strictly to determine interests.

For those who have joined the Region recently, the Region Tour had traditionally been a weeklong tour with your antique car (and maybe even family) during the last full week in July. Destinations varied each year, but past tours included: Bar Harbor ME, Kingston Ontario Canada, Erie, Lancaster, and Pittsburgh regions in PA, Wheeling WV, Baltimore MD, Williamsburg VA, Cape Code MA, the Finger Lakes region NY.

Integral to every AACA type of tour are scheduled stops to local attractions, private car collections and museums, and interesting factories. There would be at least one banquet. All Hotels would be reserved in advance and typical rates are \$80-\$150/night, and would likely include breakfast. The cost of food, gas for 1,500 miles, tolls, and any repairs during the tour, would also be on your own. The tour fee itself would consist of the sum of the admission fees for attractions you would select to attend, plus a nominal fee to cover administration. For budgeting a weeklong tour, you might plan on a maximum of **about \$1,500** per car. A long weekend (4 day/3 nights) tour would result in proportionally shorter drives and less cost. As a comparison, the annual 3 day/2 night fall foliage tour to Lukans runs about \$500 per car.

**Your Name:** \_\_\_\_\_ **Region #:** \_\_\_\_\_

**So, to start the survey:**

Would you be interested in driving your vehicle in any type of summer tour conducted by the Region? \_\_Y\_\_N

**IF NO, End survey here, THANK YOU!**

Now, if touring in an old car (>25 years old) with a bunch of like-minded members is of Interest, **please continue taking the survey!**

Current plans are for a weeklong tour, would this fit your plans? ..... \_\_Y\_\_N

Which of the following destinations appeal to you for a **weeklong tour**:

Thousand Island Region, NY .....  
 Finger Lakes Region, NY .....  
 Bar Harbor area, Maine .....  
 Eastern CT/Rhode Island .....  
 Massachusetts area .....  
 Lake George, NY .....

Which of the following **weeks** in the summer could you choose:

July 13-21, 2019 .....  
 July 20-28, 2019 .....  
 August 17-25, 2019.....

Would you prefer a **shorter tour (closer destinations)**? ..... \_\_Y\_\_N

Which **weekends** this summer fit your plans:

July 12-15, 2019 .....  
 July 19-22, 2019 .....  
 July 26-29, 2019 .....  
 August 9-12, 2019.....  
 August 23-26, 2019.....

Are there any special needs (handicap parking, ADA access)? ..... \_\_Y\_\_N

Would you be bringing any children under 12 years old? ..... \_\_Y\_\_N

What era vehicle would you plan to drive on this tour:

Pre War (older than 1942) .....  
 Post War (1946 to 1960).....  
 Pre Malaise (1960 to 1971) .....  
 Full On Malaise (1973-1994) .....

## DECEMBER 2018 PARTICIPATION POINTS REPORT

Below, please find the points listing for the “top 50” for the calendar year of 2018. It includes meeting attendance points through December 7th, as well as events points, including national events that have been reported to me. It also includes committee chairman points, for the committees published in the Road Map, except for those where an actual driving event is planned (spring fling, fall foliage, mystery tour, etc.). Points for these events will be tabulated when the actual event occurs.

As you know, the new points system provides for double points whenever a monetary donation is received. It is important for the committee chair of any such event note on the attendance sheet if monies are received so that participation points can be properly awarded.

In the case of national events, it is the individuals responsibility to notify the points chairman of their participation.

Please feel free to contact me directly if you have any concerns or wish to have me include recognition for events you attended that were not otherwise accounted for.

Respectfully submitted,  
Vince DeLisi  
[vincentdelisi@comcast.net](mailto:vincentdelisi@comcast.net)

Region #	Name	Points
1524	PLATT, Abraham	3130
1404	PRITCHETT, Brian	2170
1398	ROSER, Gregory	2165
963	PRITCHETT, William	2075
1471	TUCK, Wayne	1610
1140	CULLEN, Peter J.	1600
1342	FISCHER, Raymond	1470
1247	COONEY, Bernard F.	1450
1530	HUDAK, Bob	1345
420	SMITH, Robert	1280
1477	BAGLEY, Roger	1245
1540	DeBOEY, Jay	1170
1238	ZIMMERMAN, Brenda	1120
1464	SEMMER, Paul	1095
1272	DANNER, Al	1090
1469	BRIGGS, Art	980
1342 S	FISCHER, Judy	970
1474	NALAVANY, Richard	950
654	GEARHART, LeRoy	935
1462	PECK, Jerry	880
1480	KUNZ, Craig	880
1470	HUTCHINS, Ron	840
1404 S	Pritchett, Sarah	810
1434	REINA, Richard	800
1524 S	PLATT, Ann	750

Region #	Name	Points
1328	GELLER, Edward	715
1552	Rankin, Robert	680
878	FIGOROTTA, Frank	660
1282	HEDDERICK, Robert	660
1443	SCHIMMEL, Tim	650
1260	TERRY, Walter	635
1458	KELLY, Robert	635
1507	CECALA, Anthony	620
1508	QUATTROCCHI, John	585
966	BELL, Joseph D. (Duffy)	545
1275	MILLER, Kenneth	540
1471 S	TUCK, Denise	510
1468	MAULBECK, George	470
701 S	GRAHAM, Margaret	460
1240 S	HOGAN, Patricia	460
1505	DELISI, Vince	450
1554	Cliff Stern	445
11	SINGE, Jr., Herbert J.	440
1494	DULIO, Kenneth	440
1459	EYERMAN, Jan	425
654 S	GEARHART, Marlene	420
667	JUDKINS, Kirk	420
1510	MANGULSON, Leif	400
1582	STROH, William	395
984	KLINE, Richard	380

## **UNDER THE HOOD**

### **Notes from the editor**



**D**ecember for a car collector is bittersweet. The weather is totally uncooperative, one day its too cold, another its to wet and the days that are just right are the ones where your view out the window is from your office. We all tend to hibernate our cars for the long sleep. Clean them up, change the oil, put a battery tender on and maybe lift them off the cold floor for the winter. It's times like these where I spend many hours looking at Craigslist, Bring a Trailer, or any number of Facebook market advertisements for everything from Model A's to 1985 Lincolns. It's a way to stay in touch with what cars are going for in the marketplace. But it's also a way to keep in touch with your hobby in the cold months of winter. We could all take a lesson from Bob Hudak or Rick Weingart and just drive.

What do you do to stay in touch with the collector car hobby in the winter? In reality there is so much to do that if you wanted to, you could be just as busy in the winter as you are in the summer. There is club business in January at the Zeris Inn to attend to and I am led to believe that it's a fine event put on by Pat Hogan. There is the annual AACA meeting in Philadelphia in February and another AACA Meet in Ocala Florida at the end of February and then boom, spring is right around the corner.

You would be pleased to know that there is a good group of people in our region that go to as many national meets as they possibly can. That's quite a feat and at Hersey in 2018 both Art Briggs and Wayne Tuck received the perfect attendance award for attending ALL of the meets in 2018. That's a new goal; of mine before I retire and actually have time to do stuff like that. Good work guys!

If you aren't the traveling kind and don't want to stray too far from your beloved four wheeled friend in the garage, you could always commit some time to being on the planning and preparation team for the 2019 Spring National in Parsippany. The advertisements team needs you to get out there and drop off ad forms to your local businesses. And there is work that needs to be done for the raffles and hospitality suite....so much work, so little time. And lets not forget there's the Spring NJ Region show that Pete Cullen is busy with. Putting in a few hours a week to be part of something special this coming May and June could be your ticket to keeping in touch with the hobby during these cold wet months of winter.

On My honor.....  
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## **CELEBRATIONS**

By Brenda Zimmerman

### **January Anniversaries**



Date	Names	Years
7	Don & Joan Ball	61
15	Ray & Judy Fischer	53
31	Ron & Nancy Hutchins	59

### **December Birthdays**



Date	Member
1st	Ron Hutchins
2nd	Helen Jane Swan
3rd	Greg Newell
4th	John Kefalonitis
5th	Duffy Bell
7th	Brendan Hogan
8th	Mary Ann Griffith
9th	Kirk Judkins
16th	Mary Reynolds
16th	Bob Jepson
25th	Kathy Olexa
27th	Joan Hagaman
28th	Joseph Durna
30th	Aaron Newman
31st	Gregory Roser

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and/or Anniversary dates published?  
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## "CHRISTMAS HOUSE" SANTA EXTRAVAGANZA

By Gregory Roser



Eleven NJ Region AACA members attended the Roser family's "Christmas House" Santa Extravaganza on Saturday December 8<sup>th</sup>. Though Santa's visit was scheduled from 4:30 to 6PM, the crowd was so large that Santa received visitors until 6:30. It was a chilly late afternoon, and Santa peeked out of the window and saw no one waiting. Little did Santa know that everyone was waiting in their warm cars for the big guy to arrive. Once I made my appearance, the line grew so long that it was around the corner. The Fanwood police made an appearance to ensure everyone's safety, and for that I am grateful. Unlike the mayor in Old Bridge, Fanwood's Mayor Colleen Mahr and the Fanwood Borough Council fully support my efforts. You see, for the fourth year, my display is a fund raiser for NJ Institute for Disabilities [www.njid.org](http://www.njid.org). This is a local NJ charity that helps and assists children with all disabilities through their Lakeview School, a day school in Edison, and through other facilities. The parents pay nothing for the services, the school is fully supported by government grants, corporate donations, and from the little people like me. Over the last few years I have collected and donated several thousand dollars from the "Christmas House" display. Santa greeted 150 children and their families and all children received a gift from the Roser family. Over \$1000 was donated to NJID in under 2 hours. My goal this year is to collect \$4000 for the season, and as of Dec. 12<sup>th</sup>, I am about halfway to my goal. I have been decorating for 35 years, missing some years because of health or fami-

ly obligations, and the display gets larger every year. It takes about two months to prepare and install the display, and it seems to take a little longer each year as I get older. There is a lot of climbing involved, which I do before the weather turns too cold. The display is a mix of homemade displays and purchased displays. Over the last few years, I have changed over most of the display to LED bulbs, which has reduced my lighting bill from \$100 a week to under \$20 a week. Special thanks go to all of my friends and family elves, for this event could not be possible without their help. I may install the entire display by myself, but Santa requires lots of help. While Santa was greeting his guests, Mrs. Santa (June) was entertaining in the house, serving coffee and homemade treats, and adult beverages. Those who stayed after Santa departed were

treated to a pizza, wine, and beer party. NJ Region members attending the extravaganza were hosts June and Greg Roser, John and Pat Quattrocchi, Mark and Donna Martin, Duffy Bell, Brian and Sarah Pritchett with their niece Brooke, and Betty Allen. Making a cameo appearance was Rick Weingart and family with his Ford Model A, splendidly



decorated with lights and a freshly cut Christmas tree on the roof. Picking up their tree with the Model A is a Wiengart family tradition.

The display is lit from dusk to 10PM right through January 8, 2019, so it is not too late to come and see the lights. You are warned to bring your sunglasses as there are approximately 20,000 lights. If you wish to make a donation to the charity, there is a secure lock box next to the front door. You may also see me at the January Region Banquet, or mail a check made to "NJID" to my address, **83 Paterson Road, Fanwood, NJ 07023.**





Santa and Family 2018

As a reminder, the proceeds of all Donations received at the Christmas House Santa Extravaganza are provided to the New Jersey Institute for Disabilities



Elves!! John Quattrocchi and Duffy Bell



Mr. and Mrs. Santa

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Santa with Rick Weingart



Santa With Brian & Sarah Pritchett and niece Brooke



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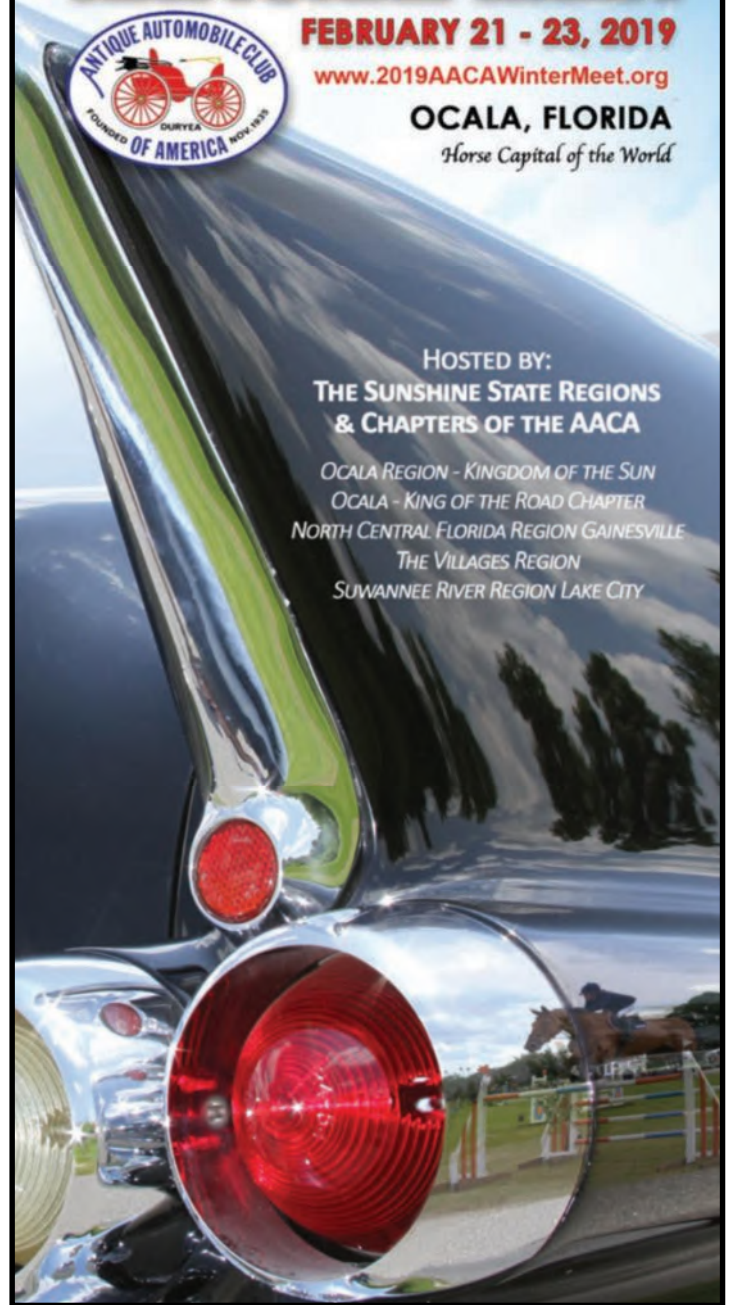
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## NEXT MEETING

The January (720<sup>th</sup>) meeting of the  
New Jersey Region AACA will be held at  
the Zeris Inn, Rt 46 Mtn. Lakes  
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New Jersey Region on the Web : <http://njregionaaca.com>





# AACA EASTERN SPRING NATIONAL



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## 1983 AMC Eagle '30' Wagon

### Statistics:

#### **1983 American Motors Corp. Eagle Series 30 Station Wagon**

**T**his is an all-original car that that I purchased from another Region member just about fifteen years ago. Everyone who knows me, knows that I've been looking for a nice Gremlin since my high school days! With that in mind, after a Region monthly meeting, Earle Genge, who has since passed, approached me and asked if I might be interested in a car that he was trying to sell. When I asked what kind of car he had, his reply was "just think if it as a stretch Gremlin"! Well, you know that I was hooked, and later that week, checked out the car.

It kinda looks like a Gremlin, but then, all AMC products bore a family resemblance. Plus, I always had a soft spot for station wagons, especially the AMC Hornets of the early '70s, from which my Eagle was derived. Neat features are 4-wheel drive, nice ride, and a 23 gallon gas tank, but it has only a 4 cylinder GM engine that was rated at 80 hp – a car this slow has to get good gas mileage!

After a major cleaning and detailing and some mechanical repairs, I took the Eagle to several AMC shows out of state – AND BACK! Hoping that I have more time for Club events in 2019, you might even get to see this one. But until then, she'll be parked in storage next to her 'sister', my 1980 AMC Spirit Hatchback (with the same 'economical' engine) and my 1981 AMC Spirit Sedan (Gremlin body shell)!

If the price of gas ever gets back up to \$4/ gallon, you can bet that one of my AMCs will be taken on a tour or two!

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- Shipping weight 2,671 lbs.
- 109" wheelbase, 183" long
- 22 Gallon Gas Tank
- 12,378 AMC Eagle Wagons manufactured in 1983
- This is only one of 464 Eagle Wagons built with the 4 cylinder engine – Rated 30+ MPG Hwy!
- Standard features retain reclining front seat backs



**Pete's survivor 1983 Eagle Station Wagon**



## **2018 Autumn Outing 25th Anniversary** **Activity Report for October 7th, 2018**



October 7 was a very warm and humid day for the 25th Annual Autumn Outing at Hunterdon Hills Playhouse. Hunterdon Hills once again let us use the front parking lot to display our antique cars. Guests coming to the playhouse had a chance to vote and pick out their favorite cars.



Brenda Zimmerman presented Hunterdon Hills Play-

Frank & Lia Figorotta -----	Modern
Bob & Pat Kapral -----	Modern
Ralph & Lois Knechel -----	Modern
Steve Kuropchak -----	1977 Corvette
Ray & Angie Lemasters -----	Modern
Brian & Laney Lemasters -----	1965 Mustang
Chuck & Mary Lippmann -----	Modern
Vicki Mangulson -----	Modern
Grace McDonough -----	Modern
Richard & Margaret Mowbray ---	Modern
Richard & Marion Nalvany -----	1976 Mercedes
Greg & Joan Newell -----	Modern
Bill & Bette Pritchett -----	1957 Chevrolet
King & Peggy Schaedel -----	Modern
Paul Semmler & Gail Stephens-	1968 Mustang
Dom & Sue Speronza -----	Modern
Bill & Gayle Stroh -----	Modern
Mary Jane Stoddard -----	Modern
Wayne & Denise Tuck -----	1952 Hudson
Gayle Troia -----	Modern
Bill & Annabelle Wilmer -----	Modern
Dave & Monica Wiltshire -----	Modern
Brenda Zimmerman -----	Modern

A special thank you to Dave Cavagnaro, Greg & Joan Newell, Bob & Pat Kapral, Annabelle Wilmer, Mary Lippmann, Gayle Stroh, Vicki Mangulson and Wayne Tuck

Respectfully submitted by,  
Brenda Zimmerman Event Chair  
NJ Region #1238

## **2019 AACA NATIONAL MEETS**

**Winter Meet**  
**February 21-24—Ocala, FL**

**Southeastern Spring Meet**  
**April 4-7 Charlotte, N.C.**

**Annual Grand National**  
**May 30-June 1 Auburn, IN**

**Eastern Spring Meet**  
**June 26-29 Parsippany, NJ**

**Eastern Fall Meet**  
**October 9-12 Hershey, PA**

## **MARK YOUR CALENDARS!**

**This is a Tentative Schedule.**  
**Always check [www.aaca.org](http://www.aaca.org) for**  
**The most up-to-date schedule.**

Winners of the car display were as follows:

First place :

Wayne and Denise Tuck ----- 1952 Hudson

Second place :

Bette Pritchett----- 1957 Chevrolet

Third place :

Brian and Laney Lemasters ----- 1965 Mustang

It was a lucky day for Bob Kapral who won the 50/50.

Members and guests present:

Art & MaryAnn Ackerman ----- Modern

Ken & Janet Bernhard ----- Modern

Al & Angie Borgstrom ----- 1963 Corvette

Dave & Bennie Cavagnaro ----- Modern

Duane & Trish Copley ----- 1985 Honda

Peter Cullen & Anthony Cecala 1968 Mustang

Allan & Sue Danner ----- 1968 Mustang

Joe & Lynn Digraisia ----- 1985 Mercedes

PJ & Elsie Ehmann ----- 1956 Dodge



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# 83rd Annual Meeting

## Antique Automobile Club of America

### 2019 Annual Meeting Registration Form

#### Schedule of Events (subject to change)

##### Thursday, February 7, 2019

3:00 - 5:30 PM..... Early Meeting Registration  
9:00 PM..... National Directors Reception (Suite 2301)

##### Friday, February 8, 2019

7:30 AM - 4:00 PM..... Meeting Registration (Ballroom Floor)  
7:00 AM - 9:00 AM..... Hospitality ~ Ballroom Floor  
8:00 AM - 5:00 PM..... Trade Show  
8:00 AM - 4:15 PM..... Seminars  
9:00 AM - 11:00 AM..... First Lady's Breakfast (open to all members)  
10:00 AM - 3:00 PM..... Youth Program  
5:30 PM - 6:00 PM..... Reception  
6:00 PM - 8:15 PM..... Region/Chapter Presidents' Dinner (By Invitation Only)

##### Saturday, February 9, 2019

7:00 AM - Noon..... Meeting Registration (Ballroom Floor)  
7:00 AM - 9:00 AM..... Hospitality ~ Ballroom Floor  
8:00 AM - 10:00 AM..... National Judging School  
8:00 AM - 2:00 PM..... Trade Show  
10:00 AM - 1:00 PM..... Youth Program  
10:00 AM - 1:30 PM..... Seminars  
10:00 AM..... Philadelphia City Tours Begin  
2:00 PM - 3:30 PM..... **AACA General Membership Meeting**  
5:30 PM - 6:30 PM..... AACA National Awards Reception  
6:30 PM..... National Awards Banquet

#### First Lady's Breakfast—Friday, February 8, 2019

AACA First Lady June Peterson-Crane will host Friday morning's breakfast, which is open to all members. It will be a fun-filled event honoring women in automotive history. We'll look for you in the Horizon's Ballroom at 9:00 AM where you will be treated to a panoramic view of Philadelphia's ever-changing skyline and a most enjoyable morning.

#### City of Brotherly Love Tour—Saturday, February 9, 2019

Transportation to the Trolley start point will be arranged through the Front Desk. **Check with AACA Registration for details.** With over ten destinations to choose from, select your choices as you plan your day, board the trolley when you wish and stay as long as you wish at each site. You may re-board the trolleys and return to the hotel on your own timetable. Sites include the Liberty Bell, Independence Square, Betsy Ross House, Rodin Museum, Antique Row, Philadelphia Museum of Art, Academy of Music, The Kimmel Center and much, much more!

Name (For Badge) \_\_\_\_\_

AACA Member # \_\_\_\_\_

Spouse/Guest Name \_\_\_\_\_

Address \_\_\_\_\_

City \_\_\_\_\_ State \_\_\_\_\_ Zip \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_ Registrations @ \$25.00 per person .....\$  
Tickets/Admittance for registered Paid AACA members ONLY.

\_\_\_\_\_ Youth Registration (12 & under) ..... **FREE**  
Please list names and ages on reverse  
**(Very Important!)**

\_\_\_\_\_ First Lady's Breakfast Tickets  
Friday, February 8th, 9:00 AM  
@ \$29.00 per person .....\$

\_\_\_\_\_ Philadelphia City Tour Tickets  
Saturday, February 9th  
@ \$22.00 each .....\$

\_\_\_\_\_ Annual Awards Banquet  
- Black Tie or Period Clothing **optional**  
Saturday, February 9th, 6:30 PM  
@ \$60.00 per person .....\$

\_\_\_\_\_ Annual Awards Banquet (Youth - 12 & under)  
@ \$15.00 per youth .....\$

**Total** ..... \$

*Tickets are required for ALL events, including seminars, trade show and schools. Your tickets will be held for your arrival at the AACA Registration Desk on the Ballroom level.*

**Return form with check payable to "AACA"**

Mail to: Michael J. Jones, Chairman  
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**Deadline for Registration: February 1, 2019**

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PLEASE CIRCLE



## REGISTRATION

To enter a vehicle in this meet you must be an AACA member and register your vehicle (s) with the meet registrar on line no later than June 3rd, 2019. To register, visit <http://members.aaca.org/login.asp>. Registration packets will be available Wed June 26, Thu June 27, Fri. Jun. 28, at the Parsippany Hilton, One Hilton Ct. Parsippany NJ 07054. Meet participants arriving on Saturday Jun 29th will receive their packets at the show field entrance.

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## DAILY SCHEDULES

### Wednesday, June 26, 2019

9 am—5 pm .....Registration Open  
.....Hospitality open  
.....AACA Merchandise sales open  
.....Silent Auction Items Display  
10 am-3 pm .....Early Bird Tour  
.....Washington's headquarters  
.....& Jockey Hollow

### Thursday, June 27, 2019

9 am -5 pm .....Registration Open  
.....AACA Merchandise Sales  
9 am—6 pm .....Hospitality Open  
10 am - 3 pm .....Gary Mahan Collection  
.....(includes lunch)

### Friday, June 28, 2019

9 am—5 pm .....Registration Open  
.....AACA Merchandise Sales  
9 am - 6 pm .....Hospitality Open  
11 am .....Racecar/ 2Wheel Qualifications  
1 pm - 2 pm .....Membership Roundtable  
2 pm - 4 pm .....National Judging School  
3 pm - 7 pm .....Herb Singe Museum Collection  
.....(Buffet Dinner)

### Saturday, June 29th, 2019

7 am-11 am .....Registration on show field  
8 am-9am .....Judges Breakfast  
9:30 am—10am .....CJE Courses  
11 am-3 pm .....Judging  
10 am-3 pm .....Hospitality Open  
6 pm-7 pm .....Social Hour (cash bar)  
7 pm .....Awards Banquet

## FIRM Registration Deadline

Postmarked by

**May 26<sup>th</sup>, 2019**

**NO EXCEPTIONS**

**ON Line Registration open to June 3rd**

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1936 Ford  
Owned by  
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1951 Hudson  
Owned by  
**George Maulbeck**  
No. 47 in 2017 Participation Points