

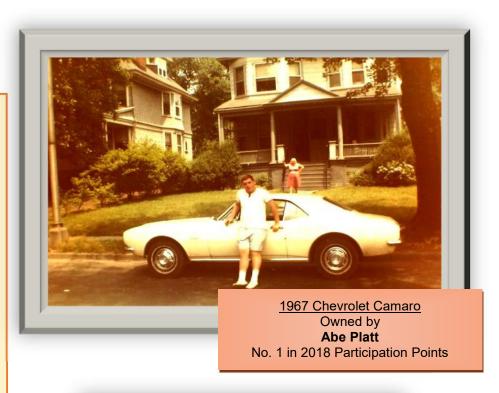
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NJ Region AACA March, 2019 PRESIDENT'S MESSAGE

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e're about to begin one of the busiest, and most productive, years of our club's history. We'll have more activities, car shows, a "sunny" Spring Meet and, of course, our Eastern Spring National. We'll need many volunteers to help and we'll need everyone to spread the word about our club and its benefits. I've said repeatedly that new membership is vital toward our club's growth, revenue, vitality and member participation. This year, especially, will require an "all hands" effort. Please, be sure that you say "yes" to calls for help and make it a goal to sign up just one new member.

New tangent - Just yesterday, I was thinking about my old Pontiac, which is sitting in storage, under a tarp. It's in a barn about three miles away and I don't expect to see it, again, until mid-April. I miss it. I can visualize when I'll be able to drive it, again, through the countryside, in the warmth and bright sunshine. No doubt, you've similar imaginings. Truly, winter's been tough on all of us and there's been far too few events to keep us fully engaged. Well, have hope. Spring's nearly arrived.

For the past two years, we've gone to many new and unfamiliar locations to explore and enjoy. They happened, because just a few, highly motivated members chose to make these events happen. The variety of these activities caused more member participation, more fun and adventure by all...even on weekdays. You, too, can contribute, by identifying, and chairing, a new event. It's neither hard, nor time-consuming.

Finally, let me say a word about our new members. You're comfortable with our club, because you've had plenty of time to "ease" your way into it. Can you remember when you were newly arrived? Slightly intimidated? Uncomfortable? Those feelings are justified. That said, new members need your attention, so that they can feel at ease. You can help, by extending a warm handshake and a kind word.

Our new members aren't strangers to you. They're simply new friends that you haven't yet met. All of us are like lengthy novels, where each successive chapter revels, yet another aspect of our lives and experiences. They're revealing, interesting, informative and sometimes excruciatingly funny. As new members become better known, they become a more active, and inclusive part, of all of us. <u>Please</u> make our new members feel at home. They'll be very grateful for your kindness and attention.

Jerry Peck, President NJ AACA #1462

2019 AACA Annual Meeting Pictures Courtesy of Rich Reina

Visit https://richardscarblog.com for the full story



The Lobby of the Hotel was well adorned to welcome everyone.



Vicki Mangulson and Duffy Bell sport the new Spring National Polos



Greg, June, Vicki, Brenda, Jacqueline, Wayne, Denise, Sven, Leif, Ben, Judy, Ray, & Jay pose before the awards banquet





upcoming EVENTS



NJ AACA EVENTS

AACA NATIONAL EVENTS

MARCH

7th NJ Region AACA 722nd monthly meeting Morris Plains VFW Post 3401, 45 Tabor Road, Morris Plains, NJ, 8:00 PM

APRIL

4th NJ Region AACA 723rd monthly meeting Morris Plains VFW Post 3401, 45 Tabor Road, Morris Plains, NJ, 8:00 PM

27th Dairy Queen Exhibition, 231 State Route 31, Washington, NJ, 11 AM to 2 PM, Bill Pritchett & Marc Bernstein, chairs

MAY

2nd NJ Region AACA 724th monthly meeting Morris Plains VFW Post 3401, 45 Tabor Road, Morris Plains, NJ, 8:00 PM

5th 68th Annual Spring Meet, Mennen Arena 161 East Hanover Avenue, Morristown, NJ Pete Cullen chair

17th-19th NJ Region AACA Spring Fling

MARCH

3rd AACA Onelaunee Region 52nd Annual Swap Meet and Car Corral, Hamburg Fire Co. Field House, 127 South 4th Street, Hamburg, PA 7AM – 2PM

APRIL

4th—7th AACA Southeastern Spring National, Charlotte, NC

29th—**May 1**st AACA Southeastern Divisional Tour, Cape Fear, NC

MAY

30th AACA Grand National, Auburn, IN

AREA EVENTS

MARCH

24th 48th Annual Swap Meet & Car Corral Salem County Fairgrounds





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



REQUEST FOR HELP 2019 SPRING NATIONAL ADVERTISING

Ladies and Gentlemen of the NJ Region AACA:

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 NJAACA #1524 2019 AACA Eastern Spring National Souvenir Program Chair (732) 752-6341 or abeplatt@aol.com



Request for Raffle And Silent Auction Items

months until our club sponsors the Eastern Spring National. As chairperson of the Raffle and Silent Auction the raffle which will take place for the three days of the event. I for donations of Items to be used as prizes for the raffle. The items will be on display



Wednesday, Thursday and Friday and tickets for chances to win will be sold on the same days. Winners will be announced Friday night. If each family of the NJ region donates something of no less than \$20 in value, we will be well on our way to making

this part of the National a success. Usually items are put in a basket or other container in like groups. For instance, baking items can be com-

bined with select coffees; a DVD with popcorn for a night at home watching a movie, gardening tools and seed packets; a bucket with cleaning supplies. The list is endless Also, any items you may have received for Christmas that aren't quite right for you could be regifted to the raffle. You can bring your own contribution to our meetings right up until the June Club meeting. If



you need Ideas or unsure of how the raffle is run, please call and I will be glad to assist.

Denise Tuck 609-240-1566

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New Jersey Region Antique Automobile Club of America



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

The New Jersey Region - AACA 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 AACA 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 | Full page and quarter page |
|---|---------------------------------------|------------|---|
| • | Quarter Page: | . \$150.00 | advertisements must be provided i portrait orientation. |
| • | Half Page: | . \$250.00 | portrait offentation. |
| • | Full Page: | . \$350.00 | Half page and business card (1/8 |
| • | Full Page: Front or Back Inside Cover | \$450.00 | page) advertisements must be |
| • | Full Page: Back Cover Page | . \$500.00 | 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)

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

Abraham Platt 175 Misty Lane Middlesex, NJ 08846 abeplatt@aol.com

For more information call 732-752-6341

Phone:

| To more information out 702 702 60-71 | |
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| \Box YES - I would like to support the New Jersey Region of the AACA by placing this | s advertisement. |
| Signature : | _ |
| Print Name : | _ |
| Business Name : | _ |
| Street Address : | _ |
| Mailing Address : | _ |

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



Email :

IN MEMORIAM

Bryan E. Burke



Former Teaneck police chief, father of six and vintage car buff

Chief Bryan E. Burke, 80, of Hackettstown, N.J., died Saturday, Feb. 16, 2019 at home.
Bryan was born Feb. 24, 1938, in Yonkers, N.Y., to the late Philip and Ingrid (Williamson) Burke. In addition to his parents, he was preceded in death by his beloved wife, Gratia Burke, in 2016.
Bryan was the chief of police for the Teaneck Police Department before retiring after 30 years of service.
He was a member of the Chiefs of Police Association, the Fraternal Order of Police, Knights of Columbus, Hackettstown, and the American Legion of Bergen County.

He graduated summa cum laude from William Paterson University with a degree in criminal justice.

In addition, Bryan was an avid vintage car collector.

He is survived by his six children: Alice Burke; Bryan Burke and wife Tracy; Dennis Burke and fiancée, Beth; Theresa Ricciardo and husband David; Patrick Burke and wife Christine, and Jayne Duggar and husband Danny; sister, Denise Kuhl and husband Clark; 15 grandchildren and five great-grandchildren. For those desiring, donations may be made to Concerns of Police Survivors ("COPS"), concernsofpolicesurvivors.org in memory of Bryan E. Burke.

Memorial Service for Trudy Ungar

Trudy's daughter asked that we share details of the memorial service they will be holding.

When: Saturday, March 9th 4:00 p.m.

Where: Christ Lutheran Church 32 Pascack Road Woodcliff Lake, NJ 07677

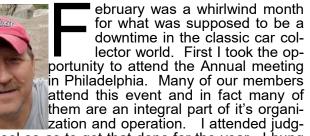
The service will be followed by a light repast in the fellowship hall.

Thanks,

Donna Ungar Stubin



UNDER THE HOOD Notes from the editor



ing school so as to get that done for the year, I hung out with region members at our trade show booth where they worked hard to promote the spring national meet in Parsippany. It's amazing what you get to know about folks when you sit with them for a few hours. I was introduced to many of the important players in the AACA and got to speak extensively with other editors who are multiple National Honor winners. And by doing so I learned of the many varieties of information available to use without copyright worries. Some of that you will see this month in the Roadmap for the first time, which should open up some publications to our membership that don't necessarily take part in national activities. In my alone time I got to have drinks with members from regions as far away as Florida and Georgia and met a nice brother and sister that were in Philly to present for the first time an award dedicated in memory of their late parents Robert and Annie Garrison, the Discontinued Award II for late model "Orphan Cars". Philadelphia was a great experience and for those that have never attended, make a point to go next year, take in a seminar, tour the city, and reconnect with others in the hobby that enjoy the history and excitement that goes with collecting automobiles.

After that it was off to Ocala Florida for my first time judging a national meet that wasn't called Hershey. I got placed in a really great group of experienced judges who guided and coached me through what turned out to be a banner day of judging Mustangs and Camaros. While I missed out on the Friday night BBQ, I did get to enjoy the awards dinner with some other NJ region members and enjoyed greatly the excitement everyone showed as they were called up for their awards. Some for the very first time, others as seasoned veterans. The Winter meet was just more education and experience in the world of the AACA. I'm like a kid in a candy store and I enjoy every minute of the camaraderie and mutual affection for our hobby.

You may or may not know that we have a few members in the club that make every national meet. After this February, I have no idea how they do it, they have to be really tired at the end of the year.

On My honor....... Jay DeBoey (#1540) 908-963-5985 J.deboey@comcast.net





CELEBRATIONS By Brenda Zimmerman

March Anniversaries



| Date | Names | Years |
|------|---------------------|-------|
| 12 | Alan & Sue Danner | 52 |
| 29 | Wayne → Denise Tuck | 50 |

March Birthdays



| Date | Member |
|------|------------------|
| 1 | Amy Leonard |
| 6 | Angela DeLorenza |
| 17 | Peter Cullen |
| 17 | Pat Manganelli |
| 17 | Richard Russell |
| 24 | Richard Kline |
| 27 | Larry Ashley Jr. |
| 27 | Peggy Schaedel |

Interested in Having your Birthday and/or Anniversary dates published? Please Contact Brenda Zimmerman 908-625-0052

NEXT MEETING

The March (722nd) meeting of the New Jersey Region AACA will be held at the VFW on Rt. 53 in Morris Plains 8 PM March 7th. 2019





AACA Capital Campaign By Tom Cox Vice President - Public Relations



ince its founding 83 years ago, the Antique Automobile Club of America (AACA) has served as the bedrock upon which the antique vehicle hobby is built. We have outgrown our present facilities. Our headquarters and library must expand and modernize if we are to

maintain our leadership into the future. Our current library and headquarters building, is nearly 100 years old. An evaluation by building professionals determined it cannot be feasibly or economically upgraded to meet our needs. Apart from supporting our nearly 400 Regions and Chapters, National Meets and Tours, and supporting Antique Automobile magazine, AACA hosts more than 80 online forums supporting other car clubs and vehicle brands. Our library curates more than two million historical documents of its own, and nine significantly sized collections owned by other major clubs and associations. It has become the leading support center for historical vehicle information, and its responsibilities to our members and the hobby increase daily. Many recently donated literature collections will soon be arriving, including the one highly significant collection — to be soon announced - that will rock the automotive community. Our responsibility to step-up and continue our leadership is essential to the survival of all that we value within the hobby we enjoy so much. We have no choice but to meet this challenge. The AACA Board of Directors has entered into an agreement to purchase the property owned by Pennsylvania American Water, which fronts Hershey Park Drive and is contiguous with the Hershey Fall National show field. The building will support all aspects of the event. It which contains a two-story 32,000-squarefoot office building served by 187 parking spaces, a generously sized loading dock, and an accessory sixcar garage. The existing building is in excellent condition and because of its robust original design and current systems, re-purposing will cost less than new construction. It will provide the space necessary for AACA to service the automobile hobby worldwide well into the foreseeable future. On behalf of the

AACA Board of Directors, our Capital Campaign Committee, and the hundreds of thousands who utilize AACA's essential resources, I am asking for your financial support of AACA's new headquarters through donations. With your support, we will succeed. It has been heartwarming to experience the tremendous support for this project thus far, but we still have a long way to go to reach the finish line. Please consider making a donation of cash, securities, or saleable vehicles. The time is now to step-up to secure the future of our hobby, and to give back to the club that has given so much to all of us. Time is of the essence, and we look forward to hearing from you.

NOTABLE QUOTABLES An Idea from Bernie

"A man travels the world over in search of what he needs and returns home to find it." - George Moore

"When you have confidence, you can have a lot of fun. And when you have fun, you can do amazing things."—Joe Namath

"Never regret a day in your life. Good days give you happiness and bad days give you experience." — *Unknown*

"The pessimist sees difficulty in every opportunity.
The optimist sees the opportunity in every difficulty." Winston Churchill

Sunshine Committee

Hi, all! I realized that many of you don't know how to contact me in the event that someone is in need of some sunshine. You can contact me on my cell (908) 319-2093 (please leave a message if I don't answer...I work in correctional facility and cannot have my phone), or email me: pritchypritch518@gmail.com.

Thanks!!! Sarah Pritchett NJAACA #1404







New Jersey Region Antique Automobile Club of America <u>Award Sponsorship Application</u>

The New Jersey Region - AACA will hold its 68th Annual Spring Show Meet on **Sunday**, **May 5**, **2019**. Note this is the fourth year at this *GREAT LOCATION*, the paved main parking lot at:

The Mennen Arena, 161 East Hanover Avenue, Morristown, NJ 07960.

This year we are again providing the opportunity for sponsorship of judging awards for each class of vehicles.

Typically, the Region draws as many as 225 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 16 Judging Classes, with three Awards (1st, 2nd & 3rd) to the top vehicles in each class. The NJ Region judging procedure follows the nationally recognized AACA format. These awards are determined on the basis of vehicle authenticity, maintenance and overall quality of restoration.

Recognizing the evolution of the antique car hobby, this Spring Meet Show has expanded the eligible vehicles to also include those 25 years and older which have been modified from original design, have been customized by their owners, or are hot rods.

Your sponsorship is important to help the NJ Region continue with the Spring Meet in recognizing all award winners!

All sponsors supporting these awards will be recognized in several ways:

- Each Sponsor will have their name/business name and address announced throughout the day of the show, AND during the trophy presentations.
- A poster containing the names and addresses of every sponsor will be posted in several areas of the show field during the show, including inside next to the refreshment area.
- A listing of every sponsor will be published in the printed and on-line versions of the national award winning AACA-NJ Region monthly Newsletter.
- Each sponsor will be sent a letter of appreciation, including a dash plaque the same one provided to the car show participants!

☐ YES - I would like to support the New Jersey Region, AACA by sponsoring a class! My donation of \$50 for each class sponsored is attached.

| Please display my name as follows: | Signed | | | | |
|--|---------------|--|--|--|--|
| | Name | | | | |
| Make check payable to "NJ Region AACA" Send completed form and remittance to: | Business Name | | | | |
| Send completed form and remittance to: | Address | | | | |
| Jerry Peck 22 Coventry Circle | Phone | | | | |
| Flemington, NJ 08822 jerrypecknavy@gmail.com | Email | | | | |
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For more information call (908) 391-1091

SUMMER TOUR—UPDATE

Co chairs Pete Cullen and Bill Pritchett

A month or so ago, Bill & I prepared a Region member survey (copied below) which was included in the January Road Map and was handed out at the Banquet. Since the February monthly meeting had to be cancelled, we lost another opportunity to solicit your input and additional discussion.

However, we did receive a few dozen responses to the survey, and there seems to be enough interest (8-10 cars) for us to begin planning a Summer Tour - We would like to have double that number of tourists!

Based upon those responses, member input indicated the following: The destination will be the NY Finger Lakes area, and it will take place during the all or part of the last FULL week of July, 7/20 thru 7/28, depending upon hotel availability.

Other information gleaned from this short survey is: that we need to consider accessibility to destinations, there will not be any children/grandchildren (few) attending, and most folks will be driving postwar cars.

What wasn't so clear is whether we should plan out a LONG weekend tour (less costly, but limits distance and stops), or go for the traditional FULL week (6-8 days) to put on the most miles and smiles. In selecting hotels, we hope to stay below \$125/night, will try to get free breakfasts, but most lunches and dinners would be on your own. Admission and tour fees (at group, AAA or AARP rates) are normally collected when registering for the tour.

Right now, we are piecing together a preliminary itinerary that would include a one night stay in Binghamton NY area on the way up, also on the way back home to break up the drive, and the rest of the nights in another hotel (possibly Ithaca NY area) and daily trips to various destinations. On the shorter days, we would drive directly to the hotel. To assist in this planning effort, we ask that you respond to THIS email as soon as practical, and let us know the following:

| 1. | Indicate that you are interested and willing to make a tentative commitment to touring during the week |
|----|--|
| | between July 13 and July 21, 2019 : Name () Yes! |
| | (This is NOT a commitment at this time, as we would need a minimum of 10 cars to proceed). |
| 2. | Length of tour preferred : () Full week (Sunday to Saturday) |
| | () Long weekend (Wednesday 7/24 or Thursday to Sunday 7/28) |
| | () go during the week (Monday 7/22 – Friday 7/26). |
| 3. | Any suggestions for Tour Stops in or around the Finger Lakes area (i.e. Northeast Motor Museum, Wineries, Curtiss Wright Museum, Lake Boat Tours, Historic Locations, etc.): |
| | |
| | |

This tour would be YOUR tour, so all members are invited to join in. These tours have been a lot of fun over the past several decades! Please let us hear from you. More details will be available at the March and April meetings.

Thank you for your interest and input! Your Summer Tour Masters Bill Pritchett and Pete Cullen





Another Annual Meeting in the Books

By Stacy Zimmerman, Speedster editor, szimmerman@aaca.org

About 800 of you made your way to Philadelphia earlier this month to join us for the 83rd AACA Annual Meeting. Minus a few issues because of the ongoing hotel reservations (which should be finished by next year's meeting), the event went well and everyone seemed to enjoy themselves.

Attendees had lots to keep them busy! From 52 educational seminars, 26 trade show exhibitors, the First Lady's Breakfast and the Annual Membership Meeting to the hands-on youth program, Regions & Chapters Presidents' Dinner and free tickets to the Philadelphia Auto Show. This year we also had a special focus on Women in Automotive History, which included special guest speaker Constance Smith who wrote *Damsels in Design: Women Pioneers in the Automotive Industry, 1939-1959*, several informative seminars and a trade show booth depicting the theme. All of these activities were crammed into 2 full days and ended with the Oscar-like AACA National Awards Banquet, where 123 National Awards were presented.

Congratulations to all of our 2018 AACA National Award Winners!

Your new **2019 AACA National Board of Directors** was also inducted during the Annual Meeting. These Board members are here to serve you and this organization, so please do not hesitate to contact them.

THANK YOU to all of the members and their families who made the trek to join us for the Annual Meeting. THANK YOU to all of the trade show vendors, seminar presenters and volunteers who made this event a success. The genuine enthusiasm and love for this hobby and AACA could be seen on all of your smiling faces the entire weekend. We hope you had fun, learned a lot and enjoyed being with your fellow enthusiasts

Be sure to mark your calendars now to attend the 84th AACA Annual Convention (new name!) being held in Philadelphia from February 6-8, 2020!





MEMBER FEATURES

1967 Camaro Abe Platt NJAACA #1524 Cover Car

This picture is of me in the summer of 1967, in front of our home in East Orange, NJ, showing off my 1967 Chevrolet Camaro with my Mother proudly looking on in. This was my first brand new car, which I purchased from Hoffman Chevrolet in Bloomfield, NJ. I purchased this Camaro in the fall of 1966, the day after following four or five of these cars, late at night while driving home from work. I worked in Passaic and was heading home on Route 21 southbound as these, yet unknown to me, cars passed me by. I followed them into Newark and was able to see the Chevrolet "Bow Tie" emblem on the rear of the trailing car as they pulled into the Hertz Rental Car garage. The next morning I was at the dealership looking to find out what these beautiful cars that passed me by were. A closer inspection of the showroom model convinced me that I had to own such a vehicle. I ordered a cream colored coupe with gold interior and powered by the 230 cid, 140hp, inline-6 with a 3-speed standard transmission and the shifter mounted on the column. My closest friend at the time had a similarly equipped 1966 Ford Mustang and where-ever you saw one, you saw the other.

1967 CAMARO STATS:

The first-generation Chevrolet Camaro appeared in Chevrolet dealerships in September 29, 1966 for the 1967 model year on a brand-new rear wheel drive GM F-body platform and was available as a 2-door, 2+2 seat, hardtop or convertible, with the choice of either a straight-6 or V8 engine. The 1967 Camaro shared the subframe / semi-unibody design with the 1968 Chevy II Nova. Almost all of 1967-1969 Camaros were built in the two U.S. assembly plants: Norwood, Ohio and Van Nuys, California.

Production numbers:

Base: 121,051 RS: 64,842 SS: 34,411 Z28: 602 Total: 220,906

1982 Mercury Zephyr Ann Platt

NJAACA #1524S Rear Cover Car

In late 1981 or early 1982, as it was still cold and wintery out, I was in the market for a new car. Abe said, let's go to Marino's, our local Lincoln-Mercury dealer, since he knew Joe, one of the salesmen there. A Zephyr displayed in the showroom caught Abe's eye so he told the salesman he would come back with me. Several days later I was in the showroom to sit down and discuss options and color choices. We ordered a 1982 Mercury Zephyr Z7 Sports Coupe with a silver-grey metallic exterior with maroon red accent striping to match the maroon red interior. The Zephyr came equipped with a 2.3 L (140 cu. in.), inline 4-cyl engine, with a 2-barrel carburetor that put out a whopping 86 hp, and a 3speed automatic transmission. This was going to be quite a change for me as my three previous cars had V-8 engines. Several weeks later I received a call when the car arrived at the dealership to let me know that it came in with an option that I had not ordered; a maroon red split vinyl roof. I became very attached to this beautiful and very comfortable car. The Zephyr took us on trips all over the eastern half of the United States.

This car suited me very well until that faithful day when I took my Zephyr to Marino's for routine service. I noticed a 1988 Cougar sitting on the showroom floor and started to admired it. In early February we returned to Marino's and ordered a Twilight Blue LS Special Edition with shadow blue interior. Since our vehicles were daily drivers, no pictures of my Zephyr exist. The picture submitted for this article is an example of what a Zephyr Z7 Sports Coupe looked like, specifically the split vinyl roof. The vinyl roof and interior colors in the picture are the same as my Zephyr.



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Email. petedetommaso@gmail.com for details/ pics.

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68th ANNUAL ANTIQUE CAR SHOW



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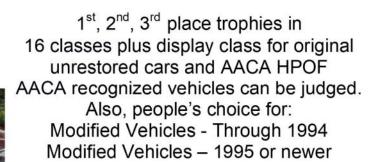


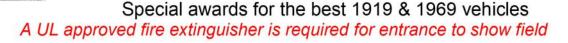
The Mennen Arena
161 East Hanover Avenue
Morristown, N.J. 07960
Gates open at 9:00 A.M.
Judging Starts at Noon
Spectator Donation \$3.00

Pre-Registration \$10.00 - Day of Show \$25.00 No charge for pre-1928 vehicles if pre-registered

10 X 20 Flea Market Spaces Pre-Registration \$20.00 - Day of Show \$30.00







Registration Info - Vince DeLisi, 219 N Martine Avenue, Fanwood, NJ 07023 Tel: 908-803-1570; email – vincentdelisi@comcast.net

Show Info: Pete Cullen - 973-650-2957

Flea Market Info: Joe DeFreitas - 908-812-7485

Additional detail as well as forms can be found at www.njregionaaca.com



LOCATION: MENNEN ARENA, 161 East Hanover Avenue, Morristown, NJ 07960

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| | Requirements for Judging | and Month of the first first of the second o | Venicle must be on the field by 12:00 Noon. | Must have safety glass in the windshield and wind wings. | 3) No "For Sale" signs on the judging field!!!! | 4) On questions of authenticity the burden of proof is on the owner. | | b) Vehicles must be driven through the Tire extingisher check and | onto the show field! | First place winners at the 2014 thru 2018 Spring Show Meets must | register in Class 11 and display 1st place plaque. | | Please check your class assignment as well as the information | in your registration packet's judging check list for accuracy! | | NI D AACA MAL. O.I. | NJ Region AACA INTERDETS ONLY | After registering your ventrie for the show, you may pre-register a second anuque | vernicie registered to you or you spouse without this ge, vernice most be usplayed in the appropriate class, and the registration form needs to note: "do not judge". | Vehicle for display only! | | A UL approved Fire Extinguisher must be in the vehicle for | entrance to the show field and visible in the vehicle for judging. | Award winners or their representatives must be | | present to pick up trophies awarded at this show! | |
| | All vehicles pre-1928 | no fee if pre-registered | Classes AACA Recognized | 1. Brassera 1915 - all vehicles | 2. 1916-1933 Autos | 3. 1934 - 1942 Autos | 4. 1945 - 1953 Autos | 5. 1954-1959 Autos | 6. 1960 - 1964 Autos | 7. 1965 - 1969 Autos | 1970-1979 | 9. 1980-1994 Autos | 11. Senior Spring Show winners | 2014-2018 | Must display 1st place plaque | 12. Trucks, fire engines, military, | professional vehicles to 1994 | 13. Two seat sports cars | motorcycles & racers to 1994 | 14. Mustang, Cougar & Shelby 1964 thru 1994 | 15. HPOF or Unrestored to 1994 | Display only! | People's Choice! | 15. Modified vehicles to 1994 | We reserve the right to | combine or add classes | |
| | 68th Applied Spring Show | ooth Allinai Johnig Jilow | New Jersey Region AACA - Chartered 1951 | יייי איני פון איני | www.njregion.aaca.com Email: njaaca@outlook.com | Sunday, May 5, 2019 (rain or shine) | (| Mennen Arena | 161 East Hanover Avenue, Morristown, NJ 07960 | Field opens at 9:00 AM | Chairman Pete Cullen 973-650-2957 | Chief Judge Ed Geller 908-362-6378 | Registration Vince DeLisi 908-803-1570 | email: vincentdelisi@comcast.net | Flea Market Joe DeFreitas Cell Phone 908-812-7485 | | Dash Plaques for the first 250 cars registered | | Special Awards for the nicest, authentic | 100 year old - 1919 Vehicle on the Show Field | 50 year old - 1969 Vehicle on the Show Field | | To contact the field in an emergency, please call | Vince DeLisi 908-803-1570 | Spectator Admission - \$3.00 Donation | REFRESHMENTS & INDOOR REST ROOMS ON SITE | |

| Region Annual Spring Show Trophy Please circle the appropriate category: Best restored vehicle (first showing) Directors' Trophy - best unrestored 1930 - 45 Kecutives' Trophy - best unrestored 1930 - 45 Membership Trophy 1 - best unrestored 1966 - 5 Membership Trophy 2 - best unrestored 1960 - 7 Membership Trophy 3 - best unrestored 1976 - 9 | Members' application to be judged for |
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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

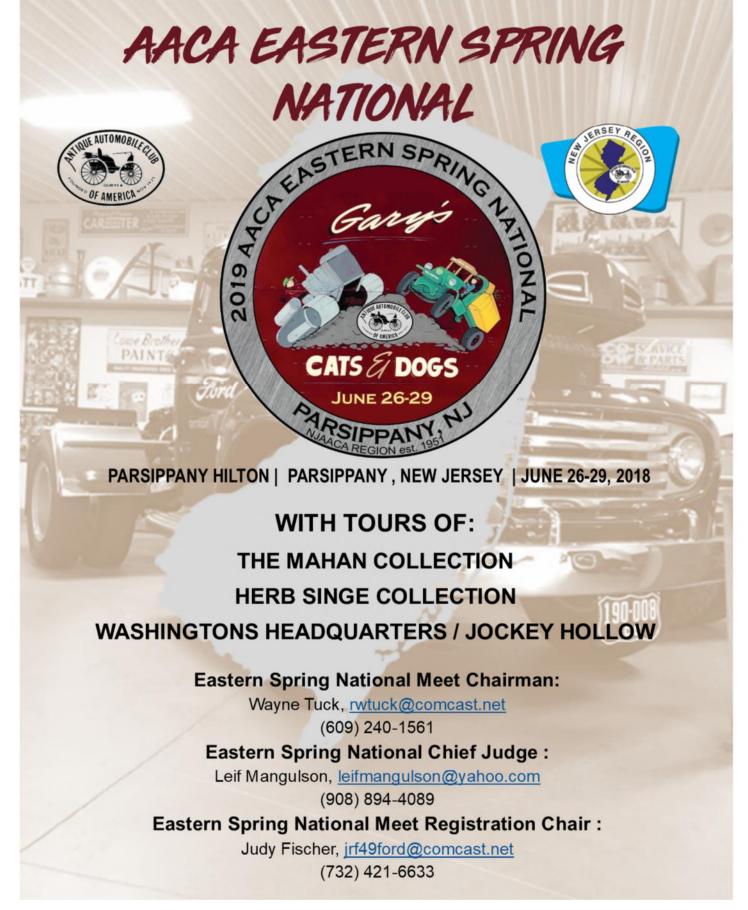
MARK YOUR CALENDARS!

This is a Tentative Schedule. Always check www.aaca.org for The most up-to-date schedule.











Antique Automobile ine 26 –29, 2019 Club of America Spring Nationa Parsippany, New Jer NJ Region AACA 2019 Eastern Hosted by the

REGISTRATION

with the meet registrar on line no later than June To enter a vehicle in this meet you must be an register your vehicle (s) visit: register members.aaca.org/login.asp. AACA member and 2 2019.

field Registration packets will be available Wed June Meet participants arriving on Saturday Jun 29th 26, Thu June 27, Fri. Jun. 28, at the Parsippany Hilton, One Hilton Ct. Parsippany NJ 07054. will receive their packets at the show entrance

TRANSPORTATION VEHICLE INFORMATION

TRAILER parking available on site \$25/day RV parking - on site (no hookups) \$30/day Trailer parking is available Wed - Sun AM

Alternate Lodging Hilton Parsippany **Hosting Hotel**

Hampton Inn Parsippany Parsippany, NJ 07054 One Hilton Court 973-290-9058 Parsippany, NJ 07054 One Hilton Court 973-267-7373

ASK FOR SPECIAL RATE GROUP CODE "AACA"

OTHER AREA HOTELS

Red Carpet Inn 973-539-8383 America's Best Value, 973-539-8350 Hanover Marriott 973-538-8811

HOSPITALITY ROOM

guests with a comfortable place to congregate and spend time catching up with old friends. We added Saturday to provide a comfortable place or Judging teams to sit and complete their snacks Wednesday through Saturday. We look forward to providing our Hospitality room will be offering reporting 9 prior beverages and Administration.

DAILY SCHEDULES

Wednesday, June 26, 2019

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

Thursday, June 27, 2019

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

Friday, June 28, 2019

| 9 am - 5 pm | Registration Open |
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| | 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

Registration on show field Social Hour (cash bar) Judges Breakfast Awards Banquet Judging Hospitality Open CJE Courses 9:30 am - 10am 6 pm - 7 pm 7 pm 11 am - 3 pm 10 am - 3 pm 7 am - 1 am 8 am - 9am

FIRM Registration Deadline

May 26th, 2019 Postmarked by

NO EXCEPTIONS





The New Jersey Region AACA, host of the 2019 Eastern Spring National, welcomes you to "Cat's & Dogs 2019", We encourage all members to register their vehicles for judging. The meet plaque will be given to each registered vehicle when entering the judging field.

The judging of vehicles will begin promptly at 11 AM AM on Saturday. Any vehicle arriving after 11 AM WILL NOT be judged. Please Do not be latel Allow time for traffic flow. All vehicles must remain on the judging field until released by the Chief Judge.

All registered race car owners will be requested to demonstrate running condition on Friday in the Trailer Parking Area 11:00 am. Spectators are welcome, but must remain in the seating areas. The time for this event may change due to weather conditions. Please listen for field announcements.

Raffle/Silent Auction

Join in the fun with a game of chance. Our raffle will consist of a hundred or more items, some automotive related and some not. Drop your tickets in the bag for your favorite items. Winners will be drawn on Friday night.

Silent Auction items will be higher premium items. A clipboard will accompany each item with a starting bid price. Simply list your name with your bid. If someone bids higher, you will have the opportunity to top that bid. Bidding will be closed and a winner declared on Friday 2 PM.

WEDNESDAY Early Bird Tour 10am - 3pm

A guided tour of Ford Mansion - Mr. Ford's widow, Theodosia, allowed General Washington to use her home as his headquarters during the winter of 1779-1780.

Then onto Jockey Hollow National Historic Park, nationally significant as the site of the 1779-80 winter encampment of the Continental Army under General George Washington. Here the Continental Army under Washington's leadership emerged as a cohesive and disciplined fighting force.



THURSDAY 10am - 3pm THE MAHAN COLLECTION

Come tour the largest collection of Autocars, Brockways, and Mack Trucks around. This personal collection is located in Basking Ridge NJ and houses unique chain drive Macks and other historical machinery and equipment. Including a 16" dia. Navy Gun barrel from the Battleship NJ. The Tour includes Lunch.

FRIDAY 3am - 7pm HERB SINGE'S COLLECTION

Herb Singe is a founding member of the NJ Region AACA from 1951. It is always a fascinating time to visit his personal collection of cars and automobilia in his private facility. Brass era cars, automobile art, and other stunning collectibles are in a private warehouse for your viewing pleasure. A buffet Dinner is provided.

GREAT FALLS OF PATERSON

72 McBride Avenue Paterson, NJ 07501 Here you will find the second largest waterfall in the USA (Yes, only second to Niagara Falls). Cotton and silk fabrics; steam locomotives; continuous rolls of paper; airplane engines. What do these things have in common? They were all manufactured in the same place - Paterson, NJ.

In 1792, Paterson was established, America's first planned industrial city, centered around the Great Falls of the Passaic River. Find out how the place, people and products worked together to bring the Industrial Revolution to the United States (self-guided tour).

THE FRELINGHUYSEN ARBORETUM

353 East Hanover Ave. Morris Twps., NJ 07960 This 127-acre preserve, which surrounds a historic Colonial-Revival mansion and its formal gardens, offers self-guided nature trails with all trees and shrubs labeled as reference (self-guided tour).

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Don't Try This One at Home Folks!

By Dain King, Chairman Judges Training, dainking@aol.com



ike most of you, after Hershey is over life seems a bit empty. It is lucky that Christmas is about ■ halfway to the Annual Meeting in Philadelphia to keep our mind off the lack of judging opportunities. I tried something different this year to keep my mind sharp and spirits up. I had

several extra Exterior and Interior Judging Worksheets, so I attached them to my clipboard and went to the Walmart parking lot to do some practice judging. After last year's stint of going into the new car dealerships and scoring the cars on the showroom floors of Allentown, I have been banned from Lehigh Street, including the used car lots. It is a good thing I many of you have been there before. You can attend took my Judging Guidelines with me. Many of the cars were over 25 years old. Most needed some heavy lifting when it came to interiors. After about an Newark, DE 19713. We have a rate of \$109/night hour of looking for decent car to practice my judging skills on a Pennsylvania State Trooper approached in 3. This includes breakfast for those of you who have his cruiser and inquired about my wandering around not stayed at this chain. To obtain this rate, mention the parking lot. I pulled out my 2018 copy of the the "NJ Region Car Club Block" when you call 302-Guidelines and asked him if he had factory documen- 266-6400. tation regarding those red and blue lights on the roof. Well, he looked at me as if I had just asked him for his seum. Roebling was the person who made the steel birth certificate and driver's license. Don't Try This One at Home Folks! By Dain King, Chairman Judges Training, dainking@aol.com He invited me to explain will be visiting old towns and a couple of local musea little more. When he saw my Interior Worksheet, he ums in Delaware and Maryland. The exact towns are got the idea that I was really looking for something to being finalized. We will be in rural country, and vou steal from the back seat of a parked shopper. Then I asked him if those huge front bumper guards were factory approved accessories. When he asked me to get in the back seat, I explained that even though I was an Interior Judge, we were not supposed to enter a vehicle unless it was a bus or a motor home. The of where we will be going. I assure that we should two-way radio he was now using was definitely an aftermarket item, and all those computer screens in the passenger compartment looked as if he just great restaurant. Please send me an email or call if bought out the whole electronics section at Walmart. you think you will be going so I can get an idea of the By now I had recorded so many deductions, I ran out size of our tour. of space at the bottom of the column marked "Other." I could see from the back seat that he was now writ- Bill Pritchett ing something down on a clip board. It was NOT a NJAACA #963 Judging Worksheet, as it had the word "Summons" 908-534-9069 across the top. He gave me a copy and explained it to wipritchett@gmail.com me. I told him I was sorry that I could not reciprocate, as we could never divulge a score to anybody, anytime, anywhere. But I did give him one of the new AACA fliers and a membership application. Luckily, he let me go. It was getting close to 3 p.m. and all the vehicles would be leaving the show field soon.

Spring Fling, May 17-19 Bill Pritchett



elcome to the annual Spring Fling. This year we will be going to the greater Wilmington, Delaware area. I do not plan on going to any of the DuPont estates as on Sunday if you desire. We will be staying at the Country Inn & Suites, 1024 Old Churchman Road, which is a great rate in that area with a cutoff of May

For Friday we will be visiting the Roebling Mucables for the Brooklyn Bridge and steel products for many other bridges and structures. On Saturday, we will be able to blow the carbon out of your vehicles as we will be exercising them. An optional trip on the way home Sunday will be discussed with the participants.

Next month I hope to have a much better idea have a lot of fun, and all venues will be child safe. A Saturday night buffet dinner has been arranged at a





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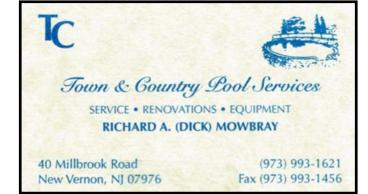
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