

P.A.C.E. Car Club Newsletter



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Notes from the President:

Hello everyone,

Fall is in full swing now, cooler temperatures and the leaves are turning beautiful shades of orange, red and gold.

On Saturday, the 25th of October several of our members cruised down to the DayDream Diner and had a delicious breakfast and then attended the Lawrenceburg car show. All members that entered their cars won trophies. Congratulations to all!!

Even though most car events are over for the season, the Veterans parade will be held in Pulaski on the 11th of November. All members are encouraged to bring their cars out and drive in the parade. Would love to see at least 25 cars there. Members that are attending should be at the "Village Square" between 8:30 and 9:00.

Thanks to everyone who attended the October meeting. Our next meeting "We Are Thankful" is Tuesday November 11th at FNB. Jon and Billie will provide the turkey and all members are encouraged to bring side dishes, desserts and drinks. Hope to see everyone there.

Note: Club dues were due on July 1st for July 1, 2025 – July 1, 2026. Dues are \$20.00 per family. Please contact Judy Kelly (931) 424-6559.

Note: November 2025 P.A.C.E. membership count: Total 85 Club Members & 127+ Vehicles

Keep up with what's going on with the club – [READ THE MINUTES.](#)

We can't cover all the local events in the newsletter, but the following are some of the local web sites you can check:

Tennessee Events: www.memorylanecruisers.net

Alabama Events: <http://www.olderide.com/events/alabama.html>

Please continue to keep Mike Wolfe and Leticia Cline in your prayers as they recover from their car accident!

Monthly Club Meeting

Tuesday, November 11th, 6:00 PM – This month is "We Are Thankful", at the First National Bank, Pulaski. BBQ Turkey will be provided. Members are asked to bring Sides, Drinks, and Desserts. **This is a welcome start to the holidays!!**

Remember that guests are always welcome – please help us grow our membership!!!

Club Sponsored/Supported Events

November 2025 –

Nov. 11th Veterans Day Parade – Pulaski, TN

Nov. 11th PACE Car Club Meeting, “We Are Thankful”, First National Bank

December 2025 –

Dec. 2nd PACE Car Club Meeting, “Christmas Party”, First National Bank

Dec. 13th Pulaski/Giles County Christmas Parade, 5:00 PM – “Storybook Christmas”

Local Event Calendar

November 2025 –

Nov. 1st Rods & Wheels Cruise-in, Ditto Landing, Huntsville, AL

Nov. 8th HO!HO!HO! Christmas Show, Cullman, AL

Nov. 8th The Ultimate Car Show, Moore County HS, Lynchburg, TN

December 2025 –

Dec. 6th Christmas Open House & Hot Rod Gathering, Mt Pleasant, TN

Note: There are tons of car events going on in the local area and the best source for TN, AL, & KY is www.memorylanecruisers.net. Get the cars out and put some miles on them!!

P.A.C.E. Car Club Minutes – October 2025

Meeting was called to order by President, Parker Francis, with recitation of Pledge of Allegiance. No guests; no new members; October birthdays and anniversaries were recognized. Member sickness/distress network...keep Neal Hickman, Jim Knight and Bob Venne in thoughts and prayers. Following dinner blessing, a great “Western Cowboy” meal was enjoyed by all...thanks to all those who prepared the meal for us!

Financial report by Treasurer, Wanda Francis...ending balance was \$1,685.75...Judy turned over an additional \$120.00 in membership dues to be added. Most Improved...Bobby Thompson absent, however, Parker mentioned that Lee Kelly & Billie Wilson have entries. Club Apparel...available at Sweet Tees...Lee McKinney working on another possible design as current one appears a bit faded. Vinyl car window signs available for \$5.00 from Lee Kelly.

Current Events: Campbellsville Heritage Festival, Campbellsville, and Ardmore Car and Truck Show, Ardmore were both on October 4th with PACE members attending one or the other. “Best of Show” at the Ardmore Show was won by Bill Topper...Congratulations! Big Lots Cruise-in, Lawrenceburg, October 10th is final cruise for the season. Cruisin’ for Cody, Pulaski National Guard Armory and Hohenwald Car Show, were both on October 11. This Saturday, 18th, is Pancake Breakfast, 7-11, at United Methodist Church, Pulaski; we’ll meet at 8:00 at service station across from Yellow Deli to cruise over together. PACE Cookout, 5:00, and hayride, 6:00; this afternoon/evening at Parker and Wanda’s...please let them know if you’re coming and what you’re bringing...if no more than 12 sign up this event will be cancelled. Final PACE Bank of Frankewing Cruise-in from 2:00-5:00 on Sunday, October 19th. Saturday, October 25th, we’ll meet for breakfast at 8:00 in Campbellsville and then cruise over together for the Lawrence County Classic Car Club Annual Car Show. That evening is Bean Supper/Silent Auction at Pleasant Ridge Church, Goodsprings...Judy Kelly chairs this event. Let’s go out and support her! Viewing auction items starts at 5:00 with dinner at 5:00...always great food!

Membership: If you have not paid your annual dues by tonight’s meeting, you will be dropped from the roster. Judy hopes to have updated by our November meeting. 2026 Calendar...see Lee Kelly. Reminder that we have a special club discount at the Pulaski and Ardmore O’Reilly and Auto-Zone stores.

New Business: Following discussion regarding our monthly door prize drawing...a motion was made by Jon Wilson, 2nd by Lee Kelly, motion carried to discontinue this. **VETERAN’S DAY PARADE, November 11th**, meet at 8:00 in parking lot by Painted Goat (Village Square) bring your cars and participate! Marty Rapp gave an enlightening report on the Commissioner’s meeting regarding their discussion on 16% increase in property tax and a 3-7% wheel

tax...with no top off cap! He'll advise us of next meeting and encourages attendance to it! Our County is 1.9M in the hole! Many things will be coming up on May 2026 ballot!

NEXT CLUB MEETING: Tuesday, November 11, 6:00, First National Bank , "WE ARE THANKFUL!" Jon & Billie will pick up turkey from Reeds; members are encouraged to bring side dishes, desserts and drinks for our PACE Thanksgiving celebration. Hope to see everyone there. Safe travels home tonight! 😊 Judy Kelly, Secty.

Editor's Note:

With the car events winding down for the season, it's time to focus on those much needed repairs and modifications. Please make safety your number one priority. Make sure you have functional Fire Extinguishers in your shop and one in each vehicle. It's time to tap them with your dead blow hammer and shake. Make sure the indicators are showing a full charge!! Also, make sure any gasoline is stored in a proper container well away from your work area. Already looking forward to spring 2026. Be safe!!!

P.A.C.E. Club Photos – October 2025

October 4th Ardmore Car Show



October 11th Hohenwald Car Show



October 18th Pulaski Lions Club Pancake Breakfast/Cruise-in



October 19th Bank of Frankewing Cruise-in (Last one for the Season)



October 25th Lawrenceburg Car Show



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