

P.A.C.E. Car Club Newsletter



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Notes from the President - Hello to all and happy holidays! Can you believe it is Christmas time already? The weather is cooler but it has still been beautiful. We even got a little much needed rain...enough to knock the dust down. We hope the weather stays nice for the annual Pulaski Christmas Parade on December 9th.

Our "We Are Thankful" meeting was another excellent night. We had a good turnout and plenty of great food as usual. Thanks to all. We really did a bang up job on the collection for Seniors for Kathy Bassham. Our members are awesome with generosity. We collected \$520!

A group of members met at Five Points Market and Deli for breakfast on the 17th. Then we followed Dennis over near Bunker Hill to retrieve his new project...a 1955 Ford Thunderbird barn find. We spent the morning gathering pieces and parts and carried them back to Dennis' house on three trailers and unloaded there. That is quite an undertaking, but Dennis will have fun with it.

Hope to see you at the P.A.C.E. Christmas Party on Tuesday, December 5th. Don't forget the key words (Children's unwrapped gifts, Dirty Santa gifts, calendars) as it is a busy night!

Notice: The Saturday morning "Pulaski Car Guys" cruise-in from 8:00 AM to 10:00 AM at the Hardee's parking lot will start back in April 2024.

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

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

Tennessee Events: www.gearheadgazzette.com.

Alabama Events: www.memorylanecruisers.net, <http://www.olderide.com/events/alabama.html> and <http://naraaca.org/calendar.html>

Monthly Club Meeting

Tuesday, December 5th, 6:00 PM – This month is "PACE Annual Christmas Party", First National Bank, FNB will be providing the ham again this year. Members are asked to bring related side dishes, drinks, desserts etc. Note: We will be collecting unwrapped toys to support the Police Officers Assoc. Need twenty-five gifts for kids 6-11 years of age. If you are staying for "Dirty Santa" bring one wrapped gift per person. Plan to stay this year and have some fun

Be sure to bring your "Coupon" from the newsletter if you would like to participate in this month's drawing (except December & January). ..and as always, guests are welcome – **please help us grow our membership!!!**

Club Sponsored/Supported Events

December 2023 –

5th PACE Car Club Meeting – 6:00 PM, FNB, "Annual PACE Christmas Party"

9th Pulaski Christmas Parade – Theme "A Christmas Carol"

Local Event Calendar

December 2023 –

2nd TechnoCraft Christmas Open House, 10AM – 2PM, Mt Pleasant, TN
Rat Trap AA/FA Racing. “Nitro-Noise” at 12 Noon. Bring your Hot Rod/Muscle Car.

2nd Nashville Cars N Coffee, Nashville Speedway, Lebanon, TN

January 2024 –

6th 13th Annual Motorama, Lebanon, TN

P.A.C.E. MINUTES – November 2023 Meeting

All were welcomed by President Jon Wilson; Pledge of Allegiance recited; guest, Tom Moore, introduced. Tom filled out application and paid \$20.00 dues to be submitted at December meeting with acceptance into membership. November birthdays and anniversaries recognized. Following blessing by Parker, we were all treated to “We Are Thankful” meal. Jon reminded all to read minutes as printed in the monthly newsletter to stay informed. October was a busy month with events well attended by our Club...”Cruizin’ for Cody; final Bank of Frankewing cruise-in; Fall Cruise (thank you, Parker & Wanda!) through back roads to Lawrenceburg Airport; Charles and Joyce participated in the “Roots Across America” filming at the Sonic, Columbia. On the 28th, some of us met at Crockett’s Mill Restaurant for breakfast before cruising over to Rotary Park for the 45th annual Lawrenceburg Car and Truck Show. Veteran’s Day Parade, Pulaski, had about 10 PACE cars participating. Graham Stowe spoke recognizing all our Veterans! Some of us went on up to the American Legion for a treat to hamburger stew for lunch.

Financial report given by Claire, balance of \$1,398.12 in account. By-Laws Committee Report...

Copy to be included in December newsletter for your approval; to be voted on at January meeting. Club Apparel...C&C Printing, Pulaski, and HD Ink, Leoma, for shirts and hats. Vinyl car window signs available from Lee...\$3.00 each. PACE Web Page...Up-to-date! Member Sickness/Distress Network...continue to keep Danny Biggs in prayer; he’s at home with Hospice; and remember Porter Glover as he has surgery this week. Saturday Cruise-Ins at Hardee’s...DONE FOR THE YEAR! Will start back up in April. It has been suggested that we try to meet for lunch/dinner during winter months to keep active! Jon and/or Parker will notify us by email of these gatherings! Annual Most Improved Contest...No entries! PACE Calendar Project...2024 Calendar...Lee has final sign-up sheet tonight; he’ll contact absent members to get any additional orders...calendars are \$13.75/each...he will have available by December meeting...**NOTE: he is not printing any extras this year!** Membership Drive...Jon has information sheets/applications available. Keep in mind that you only have to have a love for classics to join us! Monthly Door Prize Drawings...Please give donations to Billie for this monthly drawing...none in December or January! December: “Dirty Santa” January: BINGO

NEW BUSINESS: Our Secretary sent in a letter of resignation. We can hold a special election in January for someone to step-in until the annual election in June 2024; Judy has offered to step-in for the remainder of the year if no one is nominated. Brenda made motion with 2nd by Harold to have Judy resume secretary position for remainder of year. Trading Post...Dennis still has a number of items for sale, talk with him. He also has a “barn find”...a 1955 T-Bird in Bunker Hill...and is asking for assistance to move it this Friday, meet at Five Points at 8:00 a.m.; he’ll treat all to lunch afterwards.

ANNUAL CHRISTMAS PARTY...Tuesday, December 5th, 6:00, 1st National Bank. Bank is providing ham! Please bring related Christmas sides, desserts, and drinks. Don’t forget one wrapped gift per person for the “Dirty Santa”. We will ALSO be collecting toys for the Police Officers Association...we will need 25 unwrapped gifts for children 6-11 years of age. Bring to December 5th meeting! Collection for Seniors...\$520.00 collected tonight...Brenda will get to Kathy Bassham with our thanks for handling this again this year. Door Prize Winners Tonight...Fred & Chris; Mark & Claire; Lee & Judy; Jim & Sherry. Adjourned at 8:12...

Editor's Note:

A reminder that the Pulaski Christmas Parade is coming up on Saturday, December 9th. The theme this year is "A Christmas Carol". Would love to see a whole line of decorated PACE cars! We really had a great car year that went way too fast. Looking forward to another great year!! Hope to see a good turnout at the 2024 events. Note: The 2024 PACE calendars will be available at the December meeting. Note: The updated PACE By-laws are included in the newsletter. Please review and be prepared to vote on them in January.

P.A.C.E. Club Photos

Pulaski Veterans Day Parade -



1955 T-bird Barn Find (Dennis Edwards) -



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