

May 2022 Rollin' Oldies Newsletter

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Cruises, Shows, and ActivitiesBy Cruise Master, Tom Hinckley

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May 07 -- Cascade High School Car Show, 9am-2pm, \$15.00. 10226 Marion Rd SE, Turner. Group will meet and leave Kohl's at 7:30am.

May 07 -- Chevy swap meet in Coburg. 7am, \$3.00. 91329 Coburg Industrial Way.

May 13 – (previously scheduled for May 20) FRIDAY NIGHT DINNER, 5pm @ Covered Bridge Coffee House in Scio. 38765 N Main St.

May 17 -- Salem Auto Club Council has arranged for another visit to the Brothers Car Collection in Salem. \$15.00 4pm-7pm. You must contact Vicki Champ at 503-910-5952 to reserve a spot or spots and mail-in your payment before your reservation is made. This collection of over 300 cars is not open to the public. I went last month and it is amazing.

May 20 and 21 – LBCC Dyno Days, 8am-4pm, both days. Rollin' Oldies are invited to show-off their cars both days. Time on their Dyno is \$50.00 for 3 pulls. Call 541-917-4506 to reserve a time. LBCC's Automotive Technology Center, 2000 W Oak St, Lebanon.

May 21 -- Annual Rhody Days Car Show, Florence. 9am-3pm, \$25.00. Siuslaw Middle School, 2525 Oak St. Pre- 1980 American cars, trucks, 4WD, British cars, and Jeeps. May 28 -- Cars for Queens Car Show, 10am-2pm, \$15.00. River Park, Lebanon.

May 30 – Mary's Peak Cruise.

June

June 04 -- Lebanon Strawberry Festival Grand Parade, 11am. Enter your car for \$10.00 under the Rollin' Oldies. Set up starts at 7am. Judging begins at 7:30am. Check-in closes at 9:45. Application is ONLINE. We might be asked to provide cars for dignitaries. Ed Andersen is pulling the float for the VA Home. It has been a few years since the club has made a big group showing in this parade. Let's do it. Who is in???

June 04 -- Function 4 Junction Car Show, \$30.00, starts at 8am.

ROLLIN' OLDIES GENERAL MEETING MAY 3, 2022

The meeting was called to order by President Dave Faller at 7:00 PM. The Pledge of Allegiance was recited and the birthdays and anniversaries were celebrated with song.

The guests were Sheryl and Lance Caddy who own a '55' Pickup.

The minutes from last meeting were accepted with no corrections or additions.

The total members present were forty-six.

Linda Meredith, Treasurer, gave her report and stated that two big checks had cleared.

Carol Hood spoke regarding the Salem Council about the Poker Run. There will be an October-fest show on the 17th and 18th. It was brought up that we have in the past donated \$50.00 for a trophy. It was voted on and passed that we will do this again this year.

Ed Andersen gave a talked regarding his trip to Washington DC. It was a memorable trip; one he will not forget. The Honor Flight had 114 participants with 51 Veterans including a 95- year-old WWII veteran.

Tom Hinckley, Cruise Master, has been keeping the club members advised of coming shows by email. The Lebanon Strawberry Festival is in need of cars for the parade and to participate in the car show. The Lyons Club will have a Pancake Breakfast in July.

Dottie Andersen says everyone seems to be in good health with no notifications.

Our monthly dinner will be on May 13th this month at the Covered Bridge restaurant in Scio at 5:00pm.

NEW BUSINESS:

Our Car Show this year will be the 31st.

You can order a Jacket for \$80.00. Contact Tom Hinckley for information. Stich-N-Time will still be handling this.

DJ Freeman is the Car of the Month. The Rollin' Oldies received a trophy for taking first place at the bowling tournament.

The meeting was adjourned at 8:22 PM

Respectfully submitted by Secretary Lorna Sebastian

Rollin' Oldies Car of the Month Cynthia and D.J. Freeman's 1937 and 1938 Plymouths



(1937 left, 1938 right – ed.)

This is my wife, Cynthia, and me with our '37 and '38 Plymouths. I got the '38 in 1997, in many boxes. It didn't have an interior, no glass, no wiring, no paint. I have done all the work on it and it is still in progress but runs and stops. I got the '37 in 2017. It had been stored for 20 years prior. I have done all that was needed to get it running and stopping. Cynthia and I have taken the cars on many trips and plan to continue driving them for many more years.

Poker Run

(Thanks again to DJ Freeman for the photos – ed.)





Tom Shaking the Cards



Indianapolis 500

The Indianapolis Motor Speedway complex was built in 1909 as a gravel-and-tar track and hosted a smattering of small events. The breakup of the track surface led to two fatal accidents in the first two long-distance events. That persuaded principal owner Carl Fisher to spend \$155,000 on repaving the track with 3.2 million bricks.

The crowds grew progressively smaller for the rest of the season, so the track owners chose to focus on a single race. They decided on 500 miles, the estimated distance a race car could run before dark descended on the track, and a spectacular purse of \$25,000, equivalent to 83 pounds of gold.

The combination allowed the track to rapidly acquire a privileged status for automobile races.

The first "500" was held at the Speedway in 1911 on Decoration Day, May 30. This year the Indy 500 starts at 9:45 am PT on Sunday, May 29.

May Birthdays	
Carol Carter	4
Bob Morris	8
Ray Oelke	12
Dave Claussen	12
Bob Whitfield	13
Kathy Burnett	26
Larry Angland	30
May Anniversaries	
Randy and Kathy Burnett	1
Ed and Dottie Andersen	17
Dave and Valerie Claussen	31

June Birthdays	
Carolyn Phillips	1
Lance Caddy	6
Patricia Hemelstrand	7
Melody Huchison	7
Floyd McMillan	12
June Anniversaries	
Randy and Sheree Corrigan	3
Dennis and Liza Bosworth	8
Rodney and Nora Slupe	8
Gene Crumley	14
Leon and Roberta Walter	15
Ruth and Don Hammer	19
Jack and Pat Hemelstrand	22
Kimi and Cortney Nash	24
Verle and Carol Steele	26
Neal and Kitty Hubbbard	29

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