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Birthdays & Anniversaries

Anniversaries

- David & Valerie Claussen 5/31
- Randy & Sharee Corrigan 6/13
- Don & Ruth Hammer 6/19
- Neal & Kittie Hubbard 6/29

May Birthdays

- Carol Carter-Suing 5/4
- Lynn Piha 5/6
- Michelle Carpenter 5/7
- Robert Morris 5/8
- Dave Clausen 5/12
- Bob Whitfield 5/13
- Kathy Burnett 5/26
- Larry Anglund 5/30

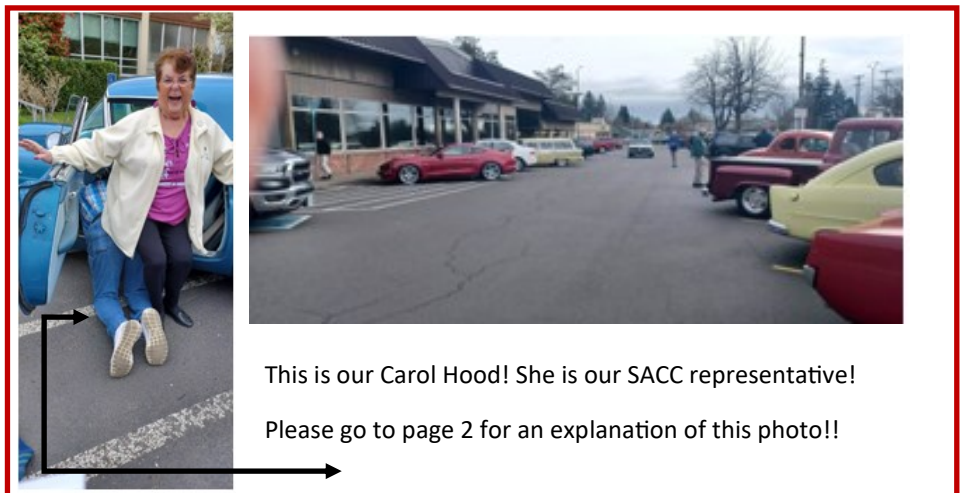
June Birthdays

- Lance Caddy 6/6
- Melody Hutchinson 6/7
- Floyd McMillin 6/12
- Randy Corrigan 6/13



SACC 94th Annual Cherry Blossom Poker Run was held April 15th. Rollin' Oldies did their part by manning the stop in Silverton at the Silverton Historical Museum. Tom and Lynn Hinkley moderated the stop. There were well over 350 cards sold over all the stops. Thank you to all the folks who supported this great charity run!

Photo courtesy of Tom Hinkley



This is our Carol Hood! She is our SACC representative! Please go to page 2 for an explanation of this photo!!

April 15th Cherry City Poker Run....

What a Great Cruise this ended up being. With Myself and Oren, Derek and Melody, Robert and Carolyn, Neal, Leon and Roberta, Verle, and Carol....

One of the best part of the day was when we were heading to Sisters of the Benedictine in Mt. Angle. As we were approaching the site Carol was following us in her 57 Thunderbird, when we noticed that she was falling behind. We slowed down to see what was going on and didn't see her right away. We pulled into the site and Oren went back to the road to see what happened to Carol as I went and got our cards stamped.. Here comes Carol and Oren to catch up with me in the line. Carol was all beside herself saying "My car won't go anymore than 5 miles an hour". I told her we would check out her gas pedal and then the linkage on the carb. By the time I got out to the car Oren had check the pedal out and found that a 3 inch block had been duct taped to the gas pedal to allow Carol to drive the car, short legs and all. Well, the tape had came off and prevented the pedal from being pushed properly, resulting in the top speed of 5 MPH. So now we had to try and find some way to get the block to stay in place so Carol could continue to drive the car. So the search started for more Duct Tape. As the other Club Members went back to their cars, to look for some tape, Carol decided to look in her trunk of the car. As she is looking someone showed up with Duct Tape and handed it off to Oren under the dash of Carol's car. Carol turns around and slams the lid on her trunk shut just to realized she just locked the keys in the trunk.....we all just stood there in disbelief...Then Carol says "I think I may have an extra set, just need to remember where they are"... She gets into the car and starts going through her stuff, looking for the keys. Suddenly she finds them and opens the trunk, retrieves her keys and puts the extra ones back where she had found them...Oren finished up the task of re-taping her block to the gas pedal and were ready to roll again...Or so we thought...As we are pulling around the drive way to hit the road again, I am watch Carol in my mirrors, as she is following us again, and noticed her trunk lid bouncing up and down...Oh My Gawd!!! Stopped my car and told Oren to go shut her trunk for her. The whole time she had no idea why we were stoping again until Oren slammed her trunk lid shut. Finally!!! We were able to get back on the road and complete the last couple of stops on the Poker runs, Memories to smile and laugh about...

Submitted by : Rich Coe, Cruise Master



Yes! The Ladies brought home the trophies from the "Dust em; Off Car Show" in Corvallis! Carol Hood won for being the car most wanted in their garage, and Dayle Langley took home the Lead Sled award. The "boys" had fun too!

Tom Hinkley made us all behave!



**ROLLIN' OLDIES GENERAL MEETING
MAY 2, 2023**



The meeting was called to order by President Dave Faller. The Pledge of Allegiance was recited

The meeting was started by introducing a guest speaker from the Strawberry Festival, Cindy Kirby. This year there will be a concert. They are asking for our cars to be on display and be there by 12:00PM. Those showing their cars will receive 2 tickets to the concert for free. When it comes to entering the parade, for the group the payment will only be \$39.00 instead of each car.

The minutes were approved as written with no additions. We then celebrated the Birthdays and Anniversaries in song.

There were 52 members in attendance. The treasurer gave his report and told the members that our insurance was paid.

Mike Brenneman's Celebration will be July 15 at the Rory River Park in Scio. Please drive your cars.

Carol Hood gave the Salem Council report. The Poker Run went well. There were suggestions to delete the first stop and maybe come up with new stops but keep the Willamette Pie Company. Three hundred and eighty two cards were sold. The money will be donated to The Boys and Girls Club.

The cruise in at A & W will but put on hold due to construction in the area. The Blue Moon celebration will be July 15th.

The Cruise Master gave information regarding upcoming Car Shows and Cruises. When coming to the meeting search the table in the front for any applications needed for Cars Show.

This months Friday night dinner will be at Pizza Schmizza at 2602 S Santiam Hwy, Lebanon on the 12th of May.

The trophy winners this month were Carol Hood at the Benton Co. Dust off "WANT THIS IN MY GARAGE" and at the same show Dayle Langley received "BEST LEAD SLED". Hats off ladies

Dan, Web Master, told us about the link (QR code) that you can sign up to our Car Show on our Web site.

Oren has been working on selling or giving away tote bags for our show. Tshirts, hats and jacket information and samples should be at the next Board meeting to be inspected, He also has been working on Sponser Packages that range from \$50.00 to \$500.00. We have a \$500.00 and a \$60.00 sponser. Also we have already received our first application for our Car Show.

Richard Gates is our Car of the Month. Next month it will be a bag raffle for Fathers Day.

REMINDER: Men and women tshirts and underwear are still needed and women socks. Please remember socks for the women. Carol will be delivering them in June.

Respectfully submitted by: Lorna Sebastian,



Car of the Month

!982 Chevrolet SS El Camino

Owner: Richard Gates

Original color repaint in 2019

Engine: 302

Back in 1982, I was single and living alone in my house in Federal Way, Wa. My only car was a 1970 VW Beetle I had bought in 1970. (It now has a Porsche engine and 911 5-speed). It's with a friend in Seattle. Has about 600,000 miles on it.

In 1982 I found myself in a dilemma. I needed a pickup for my house but a good friend had a 1979 corvette he wanted to sell me that I wanted very bad but I couldn't afford both.

My brother who lives in Salem, said he just bought a new 1982 El Camino he loves. I drove down to his house to check it out. I thought it was really sporty and it would solve both my problems.

I ended up finding a new SS El Camino at a dealers and bought it. (I still have it today) It's a 305 the biggest engine they sold in 1982. It's been rebuilt since then.

Later my neighbor talked me into taking all the emission stuff off the engine which was against the law then. I also put dual exhaust on it and removed the catalytic converter, which I was told was a \$10,000 fine if you got caught. I found a guy to do it.

Then something happened I couldn't believe. A few weeks later I started getting bright red cards saying "WARNING, your catalytic converter is being recalled. Bring it in immediately to be replaced." I was afraid i was going to get caught for all I had done and didn't want to have to put everything back.

I anonymously called a Chevy service manager and he said don't worry about it. It's generated by a computer and will stop.

Doing all this practically doubled my gas mileage and gave me a lot more horse power.

My El Camino came in handy when I volunteered with the Seattle Union Gospel Search and Rescue team to deliver clothing to the homeless

For sale: 1970 Chevy A Body inner
and outer covers & heater

Controls \$300.00

Dan Hammer (541) 924-0620

1929 Dodge Flatbed Truck
(Complete)

For information :

Stinson (541) 829-2360

2001 S 2000 Stock except updated stereo &
speakers. 88,000 miles. Immaculate !!

\$25,000 Beautiful Yellow

Will Weiss (208)431-4715

Items listed for sale will be removed after 3 months. Wanted
Items will remain for 6 months. Please email newsletter if item
has been sold. Or found. Thank You!

Up and Coming Events

May 12th
Club Friday Dinner 5pm
Pizza Schmzza
2602 S Santiam HWY
Lebanon Ore

May 13th
10th Annual Cascade Car Show
10226 Marion Rd NE
Turner, Or 97392
\$15 Entry Fee

May 19th
Linn County Lamb and Wool Fair
Car Show 5:00 - 8:00pm
Scio Oregon

May 20th
Lamb and Wool Road Rally
And Parade..
Line up for Parade 10am
Rally at 12:30 after Parade

May 20th
Florence Rhody Days
Siuslaw Middle School
2525 Oak St
Florence Or
9am - 3pm

May 19th and 20th
Motorsports Auction
Oregon State Fairgrounds and Expo Center
2330 17th St NE
Salem Oregon 97301
Doors Open @ 9am

May 29th
Hub City Muscle Cars & Classics
2023 Marys Peak Memorial Day Run

June 1st
Lebanon Strawberry Fest
Lebanon Oregon
12pm after the Parade till
8pm

June 2nd & 3rd
Function 4 Junction
Car Show and Cruise
www.function4junction.com

June 10th
Show and Shine Car Show
Paralyzed Veterans of
America
Home Depot
3795 Hager Grove Rd SE

ANNOUNCEMENTS

- Mike Brenneman's Celebration will be July 15 at the Roaring River Park in Scio. Please drive your cars.
- Mike and Charlotte Weibe's son Lester was hit by a car Saturday night, He is in the hospital in Corvallis. Prayers are Requested.
- Club Dinner will be the 12th at Pizza Smetza in Lebanon 5 pm
- Carol Hood is collecting socks and items for charity. See Carol for a list.
- Raffle for June is a Father's Day Bag

- If you know of anyone needing a card from the club contact Phyllis Smith
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‘HAPPY MOTHER’S DAY TO ALL YOU
WONDERFUL MOTHERS OUT THERE!



DJ's Corner



I think it is just plain COO! Want me to put it to a vote in the newsletter? (DJ)

Know how to prevent sagging? Just eat till the wrinkles fall out!

THE SENILITY PRAYER: Grant me the senility to forget the people I never liked anyway,

Just before the funeral services, the undertaker came up to the very elderly widow and asked how old he was

'98,' she replied...'Two years older than me.'

'So you're 96,' the undertaker commented.

She responded, 'Hardly worth going home, is it?'

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Please send all

contributions to it there!

Dan Hammer has done a terrific job on the website!

There is a flyer and application link to the

Fifties in the Fall car show!

Lots of things to see there too!

www.rollinoldiescarclub.com

My First Car by Dayle Langley

My dad always had me in his shop cleaning parts. I had an older sister that could have helped him too, but she was too caught-up in getting a man. I was 15 and my older sister was 17. My dad had a lot of work because he had a big family. He had his trucking company hauling auto parts to San Diego every night, then after he came home and ate, slept, he would go out to the shop and work on cars for clients. I helped him every day!

My sister Lynn wanted a car, so my dad found her a 54 Plymouth Savoy, turquoise blue. She came home one day and the car was out front. She liked it, but did not like the fact that my dad said she could make payments. She was working so he felt she could afford that \$800 car. Not only that, but she never had the time of day when she did have time, to help my dad.

I turned 16 in November, and my dad told me to go get some rags out of the house. When I came back there was a car out front, and from the looks, I thought we had another job. When I got back out to the shop I asked what we had to do to that car, he said "Well Sis, I suppose you would drive it!". Me..huh? He had gotten me a birthday present of a car. Only thing was I did not know how to drive a column shift with a clutch, and that Robin's Egg Blue 1952 Ford Coupe had a clutch...well not for long. My dad tried and tried to get me to coordinate the clutch. He had to replace it before I finally learned how to do it right.

My car had wheels of different colors. I painted them black. The exhaust had holes in it, which my dad said he would take care of when he could get it in his shop. I got my license and drove it up by the school. When I would let off the clutch it made the most awesome low-throated popping sound. All the guys were loving it! They all wanted to see it, ride in it ect. They wound up coming to my dad's shop to learn about cars. He helped them build on theirs and the girls were all mad at me for them being at my dad's on Saturdays.

The little Ford drove great! Then one day out of the blue it didn't. Something happened to the engine and it threw a rod. I had been faithful with oil ect, but Dad said these things happen when you get an old clunker. That afternoon he gave me the keys to a car in the shop. It was a 1949 Peugeot. Black. It looked like tommy guns could be poking out the windows. I never drove it. The garbage truck crashed into it when it was parked on the curb.

My parents let me drive the Oldsmobile of my mom's if I needed to, but I hardly ever needed to. Till one day I fell in love. Not with a boyfriend, with a car! Our neighbor was selling it, and I really liked it. He was asking \$1000.00 for it. I had some money but only two hundred. Of course I got a loan from my dad and got my 1959 Chevy Impala 2 dr, White with black and white interior.. It had a 327. He would not let me pay him back.

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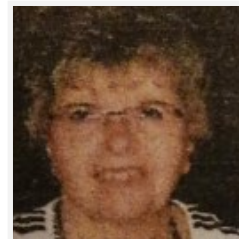
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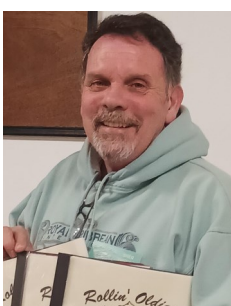
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