



TRAACA letter to Belle McCollum



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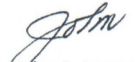
Dear Belle,

On behalf of the Tallahassee Region Antique Automobile Club of America, (TRAACA), please accept our sincere condolences on the loss of your husband, Craig. He will always be fondly remembered for his twenty - plus years of service, hard work, and dedication to this Car Club. Craig was the Club's enthusiastic "spark plug " and the driving force for the success of the annual Monticello Watermelon Festival Car Show. He will be greatly missed by his many friends and fellow car enthusiasts.

This letter is also sent as our acknowledgement of your very thoughtful and generous donation of \$2000, to honor the life and memory of your beloved husband. On behalf of all the members of TRAACA, please accept our sincerest appreciation and gratitude. As you requested, this donation will be applied to the TRAACA Jack Hanbury Scholarship Fund for the Lively Technical College Automotive Services Tech II program.

We will share a copy of your kind donation and this letter of acknowledgement with the Club members. We know this is a very difficult time for you, and we sincerely wish you peace and comfort in the days to come.

Warmest regards,


John A. Lester
President

Please note: This contribution is not tax deductible.

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Special points of interest:

- Show information and Flyers.
- Cars for Sale
- Celebration Car show
- Trivia

Breakfast at the Cracker Barrel



The gang met at the Cracker Barrel on the Friday after the monthly meeting. They always enjoy good company, and good food. Come out and join them this month!!

Celebration Car Show September 30th 2023

The Celebration Church car show will be held on September 30th with registration either online, or at site. Registration and set up starts at 1:30 pm.

Preregister on line and get a free BBQ meal. This is a great show every year. The website is shown in upcoming events, below. DWR



Upcoming Events for September

As we go into June the following events are known to be held:

1. South wood Cars and Coffee . Saturday September 2nd 8 a.m. till 11 a.m.
2. Gerber Collision Cars and Coffee. Sat, September 2nd 9 am. The location is on Appalachee Pkwy across from Hardees.

3. . Thomasville Road Whataburger.

Last Saturday of each month. 4 p.m. till ?. Tallahassee Street Rodders.

September club meeting will be on the 12th at 6 p.m.

September 30th 9am-1pm. Monticello Cars and Coffee. In the CAR-QUEST parking lot. Winn-Dixie shopping center

Breakfast at the Cracker Barrel on Friday morning after our monthly meeting. 8:30 am.

September 30rd. 3:30 pm. More info to follow. Celebration Church Car Show.

<https://celebration.org/carshow>

Cars for Sale



1950 Studebaker Champion. Very nice condition, interior nice. Asking \$12,500.00



1932 Model A Roadster. Asking \$15,000.00

1931 Ford 4 door Sedan. Asking \$10,000.00



Member Bill Halsell is helping a friend sell these cars. He states that the Studebaker is in very good shape, runs and he has driven it.

Bill volunteers to arrange to show these cars to potential buyers. Please contact him at: (850)-896-1266 or email at: willbhals@yahoo.com



Items for Sale



FOR SALE: Five Standard Catalog books.

1. American Cars 1946-1975 4th ed.
2. American Cars 1805-1942 3rd ed.
3. Ford 1906-2008 4th ed.
4. Farm Tractors 1890-1980 2nd ed.
5. American light duty trucks 1896-1986 2nd ed.

All books are in new condition. Email John Schanbacher for prices. Offers entertained.

jrschan@comcast.net

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BIG BEND CHAPTER #96

ANTIQUE AUTO-MOTORCYCLE SWAP-MEET

2023 Schedule of Events

FEBRUARY 4TH
APRIL 1ST
JUNE 3RD
AUGUST 5TH
OCTOBER 7TH
DECEMBER 2ND

Gates Open 8:00am Until 4:00 pm

2335 Bloxham Cutoff Road, Crawfordville, FL

SHERLOCK SPRINGS

No pets or alcoholic beverages on ground please

JOE 850-212-2587 RICK 850-545-1811

Hershey 2023

AACA EASTERN NATIONAL FALL MEET

BY LAND, AIR OR SEA
HERSHEY, PA 2023

October 3-6 ■ Tuesday-Friday

Largest Antique Car Show & Flea Market in the World

Registration information can be obtained by submitting the activity request card that came with this magazine to AACA Headquarters.

Vice President's Page

Bob advises that there is one open date for a program in 2023. If you would like to do a program for the club, or have an idea for one, please contact him.

Bob.



Diane McCarthy gave a program about her love for Die cast Cars. She has been collecting since the 50's, and has cars of varying scales. She explained the differences in scale sizes, and showed several different versions of the Mustang.

Thank you Diane for a great program, and for the 1/12 Mustang that is now in my collection! DWR

Diane McCarthy won \$45.00 in the 50/50 2.0. She then donated it to the TRAACA Scholarship fund!

Thank You for your generosity.



Bill Brundydge won a bucket of car care products in the 50/50 2.0. They were generously donated by Car-quest of Tallahassee.




Sam Lester won a set of Fuzzy Dice in the 50/50 2.0. She said they will proudly hang on John's GTO!!



November Valdosta show.

40TH ANNUAL CAR SHOW
3101 N ASHLEY ST VALDOSTA, GA 31602

★ ALL VEHICLES WELCOME ★



● FOOD ● MUSIC ● FUN ● 50/50 RAFFLE
AWARDS & CLASSES

#01 CARS STOCK 1900 - 1950	#09 TRUCKS STOCK 1900 - 1950	#17 JEEPS STOCK - ALL
#02 CARS STOCK 1951 - 1975	#10 TRUCKS STOCK 1951 - 1975	#18 JEEPS MODIFIED - ALL
#03 CARS STOCK 1976 - 2000	#11 TRUCKS STOCK 1976 - 2000	#19 HOT RODS
#04 CARS STOCK 2000 - 2023	#12 TRUCKS STOCK 2001 - 2023	#20 MOTORCYCLES
#05 CARS MODIFIED 1900 -1950	#13 TRUCKS MODIFIED 1900 -1950	
#06 CARS MODIFIED 1951 -1975	#14 TRUCKS MODIFIED 1951 -1975	
#07 CARS MODIFIED 1976 - 2000	#15 TRUCKS MODIFIED 1976 - 2000	
#08 CARS MODIFIED 2000 - 2023	#16 TRUCKS MODIFIED 2001 - 2023	

**STOCK IS 0- 6 MINOR CHANGES
NO PAINT OR INTERIOR CHANGES**

Calling All Automotive Enthusiasts !

3 OVERALL BEST OF ALL TROPHY
20 BEST OF SHOW FOR CLASS AWARDS
KIDS CHOICE AWARD
INDEPENDENT JUDGES FROM AACCA OF TALLAHASSEE

25\$ REGISTRATION

**11TH
NOVEMBER, 2023**

ALL PROCEEDS BENEFIT THE GEORGIA SHERIFFS BOYS & GIRLS RANCH SCHOLARSHIP PROGRAM

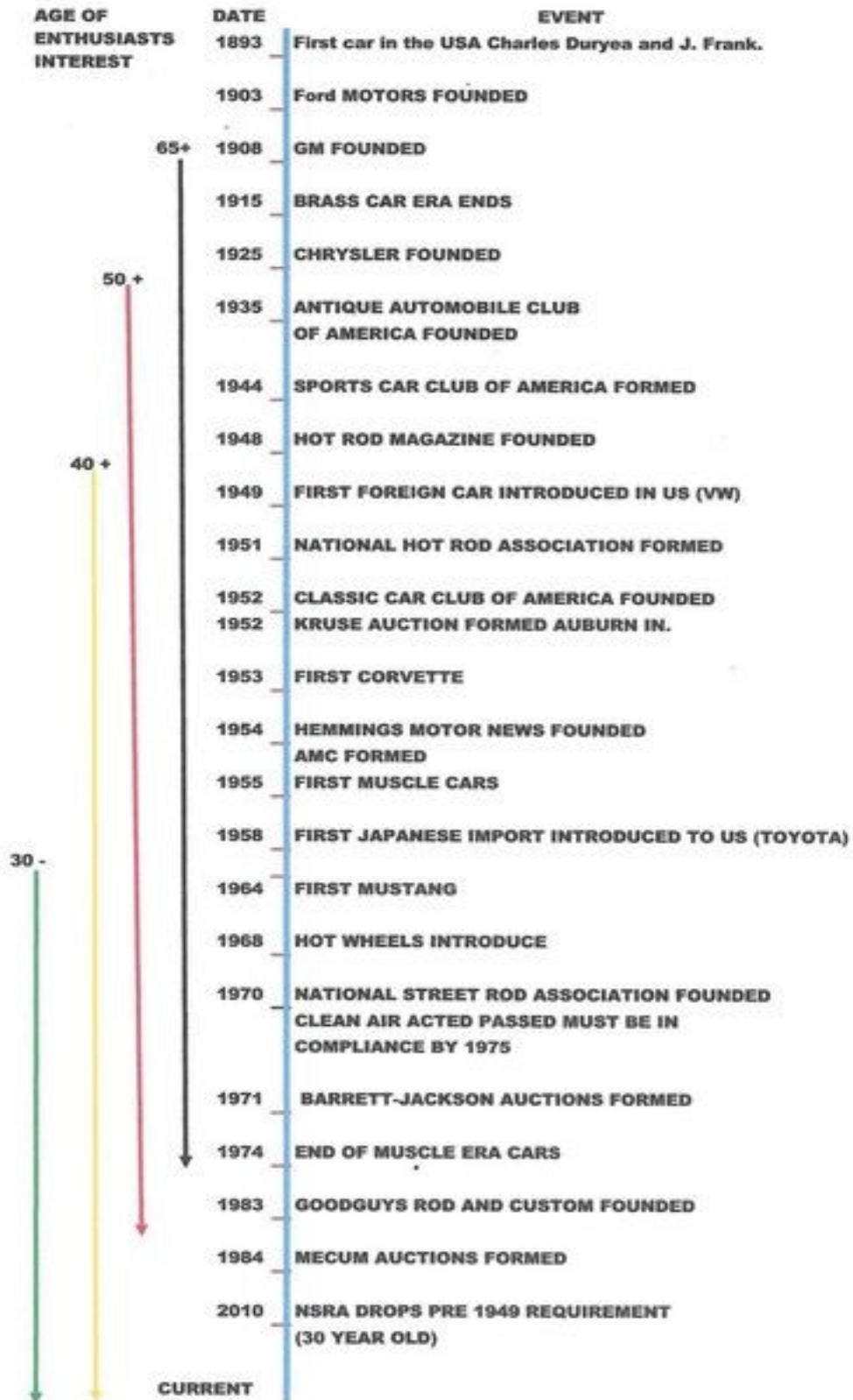
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*South Georgia
Classic Car Club*
Established 1964

This is a great show with a lot of participation from the area. There are always a lot of nice cars, and a bunch of food trucks. We have been asked to provide judges for this show, I have done it for the past two years and it was fun, Please join us

Car Interest Chart from AACA

CAR ENTHUSIAST TIME LINE HISTORICAL LIST OF EVENTS



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TRAACA

NEW ADDRESS!

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Club Website:
TRAACA.ORG

**“Don’t Store them,
Drive them”**

The Tallahassee Region AACA (TRAACA) is the Regional club chartered to the AACA National Organization. The AACA was established in 1935 and is dedicated to the history of the automobile, and the preservation and/or restoration of vehicles 25 years old or older. This includes cars, trucks, commercial vehicles, and motorcycles in original or restored condition.

TRAACA was established in 1970. Activities include, regular meetings, judged and non judged shows, displays, local tours, Rallies and Participation in national events put on by AACA.

If you wish to become a member of our regional club, Then you are also required to join the AACA national club. Belonging to these clubs gives you many benefits. There is access to the National AACA show held at Hersey Pa each year, access to other members that are a wealth on information on most car projects. You may just enjoy the fellowship of other car owners. You can download an application at TRAACA.org.

Ownership of an antique automobile is not a requirement for membership.

Club Officers: 2023

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John Schanbacher

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Scott Scarce

Chuck Kunstbeck

Historian: John Schanbacher

Trivia Question Section

What was the first American made car that came with a “Perpetual Guarantee” ?



The Acme brand was advertised as having the Perpetual Guarantee in 1904. This proved a short one as they went out of business a few years later.