

The Washington Cruisers Car Club

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Annual membership meeting

The Washington Cruisers annual membership meeting will be held on Monday, January 11th at 7:00 PM at Al's Cafe in Bethel Park. At this meeting we will receive the Financial Report from our Treasurer, Fran Starek, showing receipts and an accounting of disbursements for 2009 as well as the year end balance for this year.

We will also make nominations and elect Board of Director members for the 2010 - 2011 term at the membership meeting. The Washington Cruisers has typically had 12 Board Members but over the past year, or so, we have lost some and now have 9. We have been operating this way for a year or so, but we are always looking for a few good people to help us make decisions and run the club. **If you are interested in being a board member please contact Ken before the meeting at 724-228-4325.**

There are 5 Board Members whose terms expire in 2009 and are up for nomination and re-election. They are Jamie Leichty, Jim DeJohn, Jim Suffern, John Starek and Jeff Zavislak. Please plan to attend and participate in this once a year activity of choosing the Board Members to run your car club, The Washington Cruisers.

If you plan to eat, please plan to come an hour or so early. Let them know you are with the Washington Cruisers, we have the back room to ourselves.

Thanks,
Ken Foutz

If you need info or directions to Al's Café, contact Jamie 724-941-1714 or 724-263-3335.

THANK-YOU

The board would like to send out a big thank-you to Tim Gordon, Manager at Advance Auto on E. Maiden St., in Washington.

Tim has donated all of our second chance prizes for our cruises 50/50 drawing for the past several years, as well as items for our Chinese auction. He has also donated gift cards to be given out at the club's Christmas party. Next time you are in the need for car parts, stop in and don't forget to ask for the club discount.

Tentative dates for 2010

Cruises at McDonald's Saturday's

May 1st, 15th and 29th

June 12th and 26th

July 10th and 24th

August 7th and 21st

September 4th and 18th

October 2nd

We are planning to have special events at some of our cruises. The board is looking for ways to attract people to our cruises. If you have any ideas, please attend the membership meeting to voice your opinion. The info will be put on the flyers when they come out.

**“ATTENTION TO DETAILS” 12 CAR SHOW
SATURDAY July 3rd, 2010**

If you would like to help out in getting trophies sponsored, please contact Jamie for the info.

**SUPER CRUISE 18 (Location to be determined)
Sunday August 1st 2010 (Tentative date only).**

MEMBERSHIP DUES

The 2010 membership dues need to be paid by January 31st, 2010. Please use the form at the end of the newsletter. As always the dues are only \$ 20.00. This will be your last newsletter if dues are not paid!!!

With Sympathy

Mary Suffern's father recently passed away. Our condolences to her family.

Denny Rogers brother recently passed away. Our condolences to his family.

Merchandise

If you are interested in purchasing any cruisers merchandise, you can contact Jeff at 724-228-8882. You can purchase them throughout the year.

We are planning on a new T-Shirt color for the season. Jeff will have them at our first cruise.

THE TIGER HAS TURNED INTO THE CHEETAH.

March Outing

We are planning another breakfast outing. The breakfast will be at the Serbian-American Cultural Center in Weirton, W.V.

We are still trying to finalize a date. More info to come in the next newsletter.

handy dandy “stuff to know”

AMAZINGLY SIMPLE HOME REMEDIES (That Really Work!)

1. AVOID CUTTING YOURSELF WHEN SLICING VEGETABLES BY GETTING SOMEONE ELSE TO HOLD THE VEGETABLES WHILE YOU SLICE.
2. AVOID ARGUMENTS WITH THE FEMALES ABOUT LIFTING THE TOILET SEAT BY USING THE SINK.
3. FOR HIGH BLOOD PRESSURE SUFFERERS ~ SIMPLY CUT YOURSELF AND BLEED FOR A FEW MINUTES, THUS REDUCING THE PRESSURE ON YOUR VEINS. REMEMBER TO USE A TIMER.
4. A MOUSE TRAP PLACED ON TOP OF YOUR ALARM CLOCK WILL PREVENT YOU FROM ROLLING OVER AND GOING BACK TO SLEEP AFTER YOU HIT THE SNOOZE BUTTON.
5. IF YOU HAVE A BAD COUGH, TAKE A LARGE DOSE OF LAXATIVES. THEN YOU'LL BE AFRAID TO COUGH.
6. YOU ONLY NEED TWO TOOLS IN LIFE - WD-40 AND DUCT TAPE. IF IT DOESN'T MOVE AND SHOULD, USE THE WD-40. IF IT SHOULDN'T MOVE AND DOES, USE THE DUCT TAPE. (AMEN!!)
7. IF YOU CAN'T FIX IT WITH A HAMMER, YOU'VE GOT AN ELECTRICAL PROBLEM..

Super Cruise location

The club is looking for a location that we can have next years Super Cruise. The club will not pay the mall again to have it in their lot. This year was an unusual situation. If you know of a place and can help to secure the details, contact any board member. We need a place that can hold several hundred cars. It would be nice to have a paved parking area.

If it has bathrooms, that would be a bonus.

The board is always up for suggestions and would welcome any comments.

NEWSLETTERS

Please keep me informed of any address changes you may have. I will send your newsletter to the address I currently have. For your information, the newsletters go out in January, March, May, July, Sept. and November. During the summer months they might be a few days late. There is a lot of activity in the club that sometimes I need to adjust the days I put the newsletter out. If you have any info or cruises for the newsletter (that do not conflict with our events), I will gladly put it in if there is room in the current newsletter.

JAMIE

Signs

At a Towing company:

"We don't charge an arm and a leg. We want tows."

At a Car Dealership:

"The best way to get back on your feet - miss a car payment."

In a Nonsmoking Area:

"If we see smoke, we will assume you are on fire and take appropriate action."

IDIOT SIGHTING :

When my husband and I arrived at an automobile dealership to pick up our car, we were told the keys had been locked in it. We went to the service department and found a mechanic working feverishly to unlock the drivers side door. As I watched from the passenger side, I instinctively tried the door handle and discovered that it was unlocked. "Hey," I announced to the technician, "its open!" His reply, "I know. I already got that side." This was at the Ford dealership.

IDIOT SIGHTING :

I live in a semi rural area. We recently had a new neighbor call the local township administrative office to request the removal of the DEER CROSSING sign on our road. The reason: "Too many deer are being hit by cars out here! I don't think this is a good place for them to be crossing anymore."

IDIOT SIGHTING :

We had to have the garage door repaired. The Sears repairman told us that one of our problems was that we did not have a "large" enough motor on the opener. I thought for a minute, and said that we had the largest one Sears made at that time, a 1/2 horsepower. He shook his head and said, "Lady, you need a 1/4 horsepower." I responded that 1/2 was larger than 1/4. He said, "NO, it's not." Four is larger than two.."

We haven't used Sears repair since.

IDIOT SIGHTING IN FOOD SERVICE:

My daughter went to a local Taco Bell and ordered a taco. She asked the person behind the counter for "minimal lettuce." He said he was sorry, but they only had iceberg lettuce.

IDIOT SIGHTING :

I work with an individual who plugged her power strip back into itself and for the sake of her life, couldn't understand why her system would not turn on.

A deputy with the Dallas County Sheriffs office, no less.

Why, Why, Why

Why is it that whenever you attempt to catch something that's falling off the table you always manage to knock something else over?

Why do they use sterilized needles for death by lethal injection?

Why do people constantly return to the refrigerator with hopes that something new to eat will have materialized?

Why is it that no plastic bag will open from the end on your first try?

Why do people keep running over a string a dozen times with their vacuum cleaner, then reach down, pick it up, examine it, then put it down to give the vacuum one more chance?

Why doesn't Tarzan have a beard?

Why does someone believe you when you say there are four billion stars, but check when you say the paint is wet?

Why does Superman stop bullets with his chest, but ducks when you throw a revolver at him?

Why do Kamikaze pilots wear helmets?

DONATIONS

If you have any new item that you would like to donated to the club that could be used for our Chinese Auctions, contact Jamie or bring to any cruises. If you would like to help make baskets or help get donations for the Chinese Auction, please let me know. The club has a donation letter we hand out. Any help would greatly be appreciated.

Jamie

Calendar of Events

**Jan. 11th, 2010.....Washington Cruisers Annual Membership meeting, 7pm.
Al's Café, Washington Rd., Bethel Park, need info call Jamie 724-263-3335.**

**Apr 21 - 25th, 2010.....Spring Carlisle Collector Car Swap Meet & Corral. Carlisle, Pa.
Apr. 30-May 2nd, 2010.....Canfield Spring Swap meet, Canfield Oh.**

**Jun 4-6th, 2010.....Carlisle all Ford Nationals, Carlisle, Pa.
Jun 25- 27th, 2010.....Carlisle all GM National's, Carlisle, Pa.**

**Jul 9-11th, 2010.....Carlisle all Chrysler Nationals, Carlisle, Pa.
July 16-18th, 2010Canfield Summer Swap meet, Canfield Oh.**

**Aug 6-8th, 2010.....Carlisle all Trucks National's, Carlisle, Pa.
Aug 27- 29th, 2010.....Corvette's at Carlisle, Pa.**

**Sept. 17-19th, 2010.....Canfield Fall Swap meet, Canfield Oh.
Sep 29-Oct 3rd, 2010.....Fall Carlisle Swap meet & Corral. Carlisle, Pa.**

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**MEMBERSHIP DUES
(\$20.00) BY JANUARY 31ST, 2010**

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**Make check payable to Washington Cruisers.
Send payment to : Fran Starek
1023 Overlook Dr.
Washington, Pa. 15301**

