

The Washington Cruisers Car Club

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Club News

At our last cruise, we had a minor incident between a few non member cruise attendees. This was an isolated incident, and does not reflect the normal behavior of attendees at our events. The Washington Cruisers Car Club monitors all activities during our events to provide a family friendly environment. To those people involved in incident, please understand that we will do everything possible to prevent any unpleasant experiences in the future.

I know this was in the last newsletter, but we still need a few members to step up.

We are in need of 5 more members to join the board. We currently have 7, but can have as many as 12. You may not realize, but it takes quite a lot to keep the club running throughout the year. With so few board members , it is getting more difficult to handle all that needs to be done. Most of the current board members have been on the board for many years.

If this is something that interests you and would like information about being on the board of our car club, contact Jamie at 724-263-3335 or email me at jamie110@verizon.net.

We are currently looking for a place to hold our annual membership meeting in January. Look for details in the next newsletter.

JAMIE

Christmas Party

Save the date, we found a location. Washington Cruisers will be having our Holiday Party Saturday, December 14th, 2013 at 6:00p.m. at The Springhouse, Route 136, Eighty Four, PA We will be having our event in their indoor "Sunporch" area which will include a buffet dinner featuring their own Smoked Ham, Chicken Breast, Mashed Potatoes, Vegetable Medley, Rolls & Butter, Assorted Pies & Cakes, and Coffee, Tea, or Lemonade for \$15 per person. The Springhouse is easily accessible on Route 136 and has ample, lighted parking. Please join us for a wonderful evening in the country with all your Cruiser friends! Look for further info in the next newsletter.

Merchandise

If you are interested in purchasing club merchandise you can pick it up at the cruises or contact Scott on his cell at 724- 986-7213.

Super Cruise

We finally had good weather for our cruise. We had a good turn out of about 250 cars. I would like to thank those who volunteered to help wherever it was needed.

Thank- you to Johnny, Jack and Sherri for their help running the Auction.

Thank you to those who donated items for our Auction.

Thank-you to the guys who manned the entrance.

Thank-you to Dennis for supplying the music as our DJ, even though he was sick, he did a great job.

Welcome new members

Michael & Gloria Stephan and their 1991 Toyota MR2 and 2010 Chevy Corvette.
Drew Manko and his 1993 Ford Mustang and 1999 Ford F350.

CAR SHOW

The Attention to Details Car Show was a great success. It all started with great weather. We had 91 participants and about 20 members attend the show.

I would like to thank those members who helped out with the set-up and take down of the tables and tents.

I would like to thank Johnny, Sherri, Jack and Elaine who ran the Chinese Auction. (sorry if I missed anyone).

Thank you to all of the Lady Judges, I think this year was the hardest to judge. There were so many nice and new cars that attended.

Antique and classic car shows & cruises, being public events, require that participants practice good etiquette, that is showing respect for others and others' property.

While participating, you also need to remember, that you don't have the only vehicle there, and you don't have necessarily the best taste in vehicles. It is because of this that you shouldn't bad mouth the vehicles of those around you. Many owners have devoted long hours of care and attention to their beloved motoring treasures so it is a good idea for all participants to be aware of the importance of others' property. Make friends of the other participants by showing respect for them at all times.

AWESOME TIPS!

***Cornstarch:** Untangle Knots. Sprinkling cornstarch into tough knots, such as shoe laces helps loosen them.

***Club Soda:** Make Your Breads Fluffier.

When baking, where recipes call for water, add club soda instead to make pancakes, waffles and any other breads fluffier.

***Salt:** Keep Windows Frost Free. Pour a cup of salt into a liter of water. Sponge the liquid onto the inside of window to prevent frost from forming during the winter months.

***Rubbing Alcohol:** Remove Permanent Marker. Dab the surface that has the permanent marker on it with a cloth or cotton ball covered in rubbing alcohol to make it disappear quickly.

***Chap stick:** Stops Bleeding when you cut yourself shaving. Just swipe some chap stick over the cut to stop that constant bleeding. No more tissue squares!

***Aspirin:** Get Rid of Armpit Stains on T-Shirts. Grind up an aspirin tablet or two, then make a paste out of it using water, lemon or vinegar. Spread the paste on the stained area and let sit for an hour before washing.

***Coke:** Remove Blood Stains from Clothing. Soak the stain in coke until the stain is dissolved, then wash the clothing as usual. Wash before the coke dries, though.

***Honey:** Remove Blemish Overnight. Have a blemish you need to get rid of by tomorrow? Put a dab of honey on the blemish and cover it up (it's best to use a Band-Aid) and the honey's natural antibacterial properties will clean out the bacteria by the morning.

***Wax Paper:** Clean Can Opener Gears. Run a few small strips of wax paper through the can opener to clean out of the bits and pieces that have built up in the gears throughout the year. The wax will also rub off on the gears to protect for future use as well.

***WD-40:** Remove Crayons from Walls. Use the lubricant and a cloth to remove stubborn crayon marks from the walls just by spraying the wall and wiping with a cloth

***Chalk:** Keep Ants and Slugs Out of the House. Ants and Slugs Won't Touch Chalk. So, simply draw a line in front of your doorway where you are having problems with these pesky critters and they won't cross it, meaning they won't be able to get into your house.

Get Well Wishes

Sending get well wishes to Lorraine Hickman after her recent surgery.

Get well to Jim Nichols who has been battling an infection.

Hope you are feeling better soon.

Travel Plans for 2013-2014

*I have been in many places, but I've never been in Cahoots. Apparently, you can't go alone. You have to be in Cahoots with someone.

*I've also never been in Cognito. I hear no one recognizes you there.

*I have, however, been in Sane. They don't have an airport; you have to be driven there. I have made several trips there, thanks to my children, friends, family and work.

*I would like to go to Conclusions, but you have to jump, and I'm not too much on physical activity anymore.

*I have also been in Doubt. That is a sad place to go, and I try not to visit there too often.

*I've been in Flexible, but only when it was very important to stand firm.

*Sometimes I'm in Capable, and I go there more often as I'm getting older.

*One of my favorite places to be is in Suspense! It really gets the adrenalin flowing and pumps up the old heart! At my age I need all the stimuli I can get!

*I may have been in Continent, and I don't remember what country I was in. It's an age thing. They tell me it is very wet and damp there.

Calendar of Events
2013 Cruises/Shows/Events

Sept.

Sept. 7th, 2013.....McDonald's Cruise, Meadowlands, Pa. 6-9 pm. Info 724-263-3335
Sept. 14th, 2013..... 50's Fest, Waynesburg, 10-4, info Doug 724-627-5555
Sept. 14th, 2013.....Car Cruise, Thomas Church, Eighty-Four. 1-5 info Kim 724-745-0913
Sept. 14th, 2013.....Waynesburg Flashlight Drags. 2-6 Gates open 11:30
Sept. 15th, 2013.....Groveton Fire Hall Car Cruise, Coraopolis. 1-5, info 412-953-2663
Sept. 15th, 2013.Our Lady Miraculous Church, Cruise, Meadowlands 4-8. \$5.00, 724-514-6169
Sept. 21st, 2013.....McDonald's Cruise, Meadowlands, Pa. 6-9 pm. Info 724-263-3335
Sept. 22, 2013.....Krepps Covered Bridge Car Show, Hickory. Reg. 9-12 (show time?)
Oct. 5th, 2013.....Last McDonald's Cruise, Meadowlands, Pa. 6-9 pm. Info 724-263-3335
Oct. 5th, 2013.St. Patrick Car Show, Canonsburg. Reg. 9-12. Show 12-3:30. Info 724-/809-4631
Oct. 6th, 2013.....Harvest Car Cruise, North Strabane Twp. Park. 11-4, Reg. 10:00am \$6.00
Dec. 14th, 2013...Christmas Party. Springhouse . Dinner @ 6:00 Sharp. Info in next newsletter

**Please come to our remaining
cruises and support the club!**

**If you have any articles I could use for the newsletter, please send them to me.
Jamie**

Weekly cruises

**Sunday: Caste Village Cruise ??
Rockefeller's Kennedy Twp. 4-8**

Monday: Wendy's Restaurant, McMurray 6-10

Tuesday: Shop N Save, Canonsburg 6-9

**Wednesday: Al's Café, Bethel Park 5-10
Sonic, Bridgeville 6-10**

Thursday:

**Friday: Mineral Beach, Finleyville 5-9
Wexford Starlite Cruise 5:30-9:30 starts**

**Saturday: Giant Eagle, McMurray 5-9
(Opposite our Saturday night Cruises)**