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50/50

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LUNCH MEETING SEPTEMBER 8 TH AT 11 A.M.
SEAFOOD ISLAND REST. SAN MARCO SQUARE
TURN IN AT FIREHOUSE SUB, OR FIRE STATION, DOOR AND PARKING IN BACK.

AUGUST 11 TH. LUNCH MEETING AT BOB EVANS

IN ATTENDANCE: THE WAGNERS; THE EASLEYS; THE BENDETTIS; ROB DALY
SANDY WINTZ; KEN LAWSON; KAREL DANIEL; DEE SCOTT; BILL GILLESPIE;
GERRY GEDDINGS....NEW MEMBERS; CHRISTOPHER PARKER AND STEPHANIE
FORQUER.....50/50 WON BY ROB DALY....\$ 18.00

LUNCH AT BOB EVANS WAS LONGER THAN USUAL AS WE HAD A LONGER WAIT FOR OUR FOOD...KEN DISCUSSED THE UPCOMMING EVENT AT WHITS CUSTARD, THE CRUZIN TO THE CREEK IN OCTOBER, AND THE CECIL PINES CAR SHOW IN NOVEMBER...A XMAS EVENT WAS PROPOSED BUT THERE WAS NOT ANY INTEREST SHOWN BY THE GROUP (EDITORS NOTE: THE GROUP IS "ALL THE USUAL SUSPECTS...AS THEY SAY IN CASABLANCA....PLEASE COME OUT AND SUPPORT THE CLUB)

RICHARD WAGNER SPOTTED A CHRYSLER PROWLER IN THE PARKING LOT AND FOUND THE OWNER IN THE RESTAURANT. AS A RESULT CHRISTOPHER PARKER AND STEPHANIE FORQUER JOINED THE CLUB...**WELCOME ABOARD!!!!**

SEPTEMBER BIRTHDAYS:

RICHARD BARSKY ON 9/06 BRENDA DALY ON 9/09 KRIS GEDDINGS ON 9/11

ANNIVERSARIES: NONE TO REPORT ON MEMBERS OR THE TRUCKS....



ICE CREAM SOCIAL AT WHITS ON 8/20 6:30 TILL DARK

WE HAD A NICE TURNOUT FOR OUR INAUGURAL EVENT AT WHITS...WAGNERS SSR; DEE SCOTT RIVIERA; LAWSONS PACKARD; G. GEDDINGS LEBARON CONV. THE BAD BOYS WERE BENDETTI; SCHUDEL; EASLEYS; ONSAGERS WITH AIR CONDITIONED CARS....

WE SAT IN CHAIRS AT THE SHADED END OF THE PARKING LOT AND ENJOYED THE GREAT CUSTARD FROM WHITS. IT WAS FUN TO “HANG OUT” AND VISIT. FOUR COLLECTOR CARS WERE PRESENT WHICH WAS SOMEWHAT DISSAPPOINTING AS WE HAD EXPECTED SEVEN CARS TO SHARE WITH THE PUBLIC.



WOODYISMS

August is in the rearview mirror, and we are looking at September through the windshield. It is the month of transition. Summer's deceptively bright colors and overwhelming heat gradually disappear. Left in its place are brown, orange, and red foliage. September is the month of the Fall Equinox (September 22nd) and the official start of the fall season.

September is the 9th month of the year and lasts 30 days according to the Gregorian calendar. The origin of the word September is '*Septembre*' in old English, and '*September (seven)*' in Latin. This month is named after Septimus Severus who was the first afro Roman Emperor and was the seventh month in the Roman calendar till 153 BC.

Labor Day is a federal holiday celebrated every first Monday of September in the USA to highlight the economic and social rights of labor. According to some researchers, Matthew Maguire, a machinist who was the secretary of the Central Labor Union of New York, proposed this holiday in 1882. Other researchers allege that Peter J. McGuire who was a vice president of the American Federation of Labor first brought forward this idea in May 1882.

Constitution Day (or earlier celebrated as Citizenship Day on the third Sunday of May) is a federal celebration, but not a holiday, of the adoption of the United States Constitution and acknowledges USA citizens. Normally, it is observed then because the Constitution Convention commissioners in Philadelphia signed the Constitution on September 17th, 1787.

The law stipulates that the all educational institutions receiving public and federal funding provide educational programs on this date regarding the history of the United States Constitution and also renamed the holiday as 'Constitution Day and Citizenship Day.

International Day of Peace or World Peace Day is a universal holiday celebrated annually on September 21st. The United Nations General Assembly announced the 'inauguration day of the General Assembly — third Tuesday of every September' as 'International Day of Peace' on its 57th session in 1981. After twenty years, September 21st was designated as Day of Peace by the ruling of UN General Assembly on 7 September 2001. On every 21 September since then, the 'Peace Bell' in Headquarters of the United Nations is rung. This bell which was procured by Japan in commemoration of human slaughter in wars was made by the coins donated from children who live on all the continents of the world. "Long Live Full World Peace" was engraved on the bell.

Until a World Peace Day was accepted by the United Nations, the Soviet Union and the Warsaw Pact member states considered September 1 as World Peace Day and celebrated it to remind the countries of a peaceful world struggle. (September 1st is the date when Germany invaded Poland in 1939 and started World War II.)

One final administrative note. I mentioned Christopher Parker our new member earlier. Attached is an update to our member roster which includes Christopher. Please destroy any previous copies of the roster you may have. Also review you own entry and make sure that it is up to date. If it isn't please let me know so I can make the necessary corrections.



Spring - April 16

**Trout Creek Memorial Park
6550 FL-13 N, St. Aug. FL 32092**

Cruisin' to the Creek Car Shows - 2022



Fall - October 1

**9 am - 3 pm Rain or Shine
Free to the Public**



**36 Years of
Great Car
Shows**



**ALL PROCEEDS
BENEFIT:
Ronald McDonald
House Charities
Jacksonville**

**Over 50 Awards
10 Specialty & Top 10
in each category:
Import, Antique,
Classic and Modern**



**Vendors Wanted.
Pre-Registered Club
Parking Available.**



Register Online: www.carcouncil.org/show-registration

The First Coast Car Council consists of over 30 different car clubs in North Florida and South Georgia working together to host the show. The show is open to all makes and models of vehicles. Dash plaques are given to the first 200 vehicles registered. Clubs are encouraged to pre-register with ten or more vehicles, to select reserved parking on over 23 beautiful, shaded acres at Trout Creek Memorial Park in St. Johns County, FL. We welcome out of town individuals and clubs, to join us for a great day of fun with 50/50 drawing, door prizes, vendors, music and more.

Vehicle Pre-registration fee \$25 must be postmarked by April 6 (spring show) and September 20 (fall show). Postmarked later and day of show registration is \$30. Mail entries to: FCCC 618 Blair Road Jacksonville, FL 32221. You may also register online and pay via PayPal online at: www.carcouncil.org/show-registration. Registration includes: Registration for event, Dash Plaque (first 200 registered) and parking in the show field. Those vehicles not registered will be required to park in the spectator lot only. In lieu of the \$25 registration fee, some participants boost our charitable donation to the Ronald McDonald House Jacksonville by having a business sponsor their vehicle for \$100 (a tax deductible donation). You must include the sponsor info below participant info on your registration form. The \$100 sponsorship includes: Event registration for the vehicle owner, sponsor recognition during the event and a nice sponsor plaque to present to the business. Please share this info with your friends.

Registration Form

Check One, Amount Enclosed [] \$25 Spring [] \$25 Fall [] \$50 Spring & Fall

Participants Name:

[] \$30 Day of Show [] \$100 Sponsored Vehicle [] Vendor \$20 & doorprize

Address:

Business Sponsor Name:

City, State, Zip:

Email:

Phone:

Vehicle Make:

Model:

Year:

Club Affiliation:

Waiver of Liability: I for myself, my heirs, my assignees, executors and administrators, do hereby waive and release any and all claims of any nature which I may have against the First Coast Car Council, Inc. it's officers or members, Ronald McDonald House Charities of Jacksonville, Ring Power, the Trout Creek Memorial Park, and all participating sponsors and supporters, for any injuries or damages which I may suffer, or any damages, destruction or loss of my property, including loss from theft, arising from or connected in any way with the 2022 Car Shows, to be held April 16 & October 1, 2022. ALL PARTICIPANTS MUST SIGN WAIVER OF LIABILITY

Signature:

Date:

All registration applicants are subject to review before approval by the First Coast Car Council, Inc. For further information send inquiries to: swcassidy@aol.com Visit our website www.carcouncil.org or find us on Facebook: First Coast Car Council, Inc.