### TALLAHASSEE CHASSEE

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#### SPECIAL POINTS OF INTEREST:

- TRAACA Christmas Party
- Studebaker for sale
- Gerber Cars and
  Coffee for De cember
- Upcoming AACA National Events.

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### TRAACA CHRISTMAS PARTY

On December 14th we held our annual Christmas Party at the Culinary Arts Building, Lively Tech. The party was well attended, and 47 members enjoyed it.

There was a gift exchange after dinner. If you bought a gift, you got a gift. I believe that most of us left happy with it.

The Dinner was great, and very tasty. The chefs served Pork, Roast beef, and Turkey with dumplings. There was plenty of salad and fruit available also. Thanks to our favorite chefs .

Neal Davis made an announcement about the Ocala Bus Trip in January. See below. The business part of the meeting was cut short to allow more time for everyone to enjoy the time together.

Looking forward into 2022:

- We would like to continue getting new members, and retaining our core members. Growth is important as is the experience and comradery of our senior members.
- Planning needs to continue on 2023 nationals. Neal Davis needs support from all of us.
- More events such as tours and such. One a month would be a great start.
- 4. More participation by the membership. We need to have our meetings better

### attended, and programs done that will interest us all.

5. I would like for everyone to consider getting High School and college age folks interested in the classic cars. How we do that could be a topic for discussion. We need to foster the interest so the hobby continues to grow.

In closing, on behalf of Chantel and I, we hope everyone had a Merry Christmas, and will have a Happy enjoyable New Year. Welcome 2023!

\_\_ Don Romaine

### Honeybun delivers to Toys for Tots!

Honeybun decided to donate a toy to the Toys for Tots program in December. She knew where she wanted to take the toy, and graciously allowed Chuck Kunstbeck to drive her there.

The Toys for Tots program is one of the most worthwhile programs around. No kid should ever go without a present on Christmas morning. Urrah! Chuck and Honeybun. Job well done!



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### 1960 STUDEBAKER FOR SALE

This is the only true "Bullet Nose" Studebaker produced, with the wrap around rear windows.

Restored motor and Drivetrain. Fourth gear overdrive. Starts and runs effortlessly. New interior and new paint. Rewired to 12 volts. Redline radial tires. New correct fender skirts.

\$21,000.00. (Negotiable)

Contact Bob Brown at (850) 933-5628 or r9brown99@gmail.com



#### GERBER COLLISION CARS AND COFFEE

As you are aware, we hold a Cars and Coffee get together at the Gerber Collision shop, on Appalachee Parkway, the second Saturday of the month. The time is 9a.m. till 12 p.m..

The meeting for December was on Saturday the 11th. We were able get out there and show off some of our cars, and talk to folks about them. The folks at Gerber always go out of their way to make the event as welcoming as possible. The coffee is hot, and the donuts are great!

A big thank you goes out to them for their efforts!

We parked our cars closer to the roadway so travelers could see them. It seemed to help draw in more folks

Our Cars and Coffee was also adver-

tised on Facebook. There were several new folks that are joining the club.

In the future we will be parked close to the road as we were this month.

Thanks to Neal Davis for bringing the hot coffee and the donuts.

The next cars and Coffee is scheduled for January 8th. Please come out and join us!

### UPCOMING EVENTS FOR JANUARY AND FEBRUARY

As we go into July he following events are known to be held:

- 1. Southwood Cars and Coffee . Jan 8th. 8 a.m. till 11 a.m.
- Garber Collision Cars and Coffee. Jan 8th ,9am-12pm.
- 3. Glory Days Cars and Coffee. 3rd Sat.

Thomasville Road Whataburger.

Last Saturday of each month. 4 p.m. till ?. Tallahassee Street Rodders. This event is doing well, We went to the last one. Lots of great cars..

The Havana Car show continues to grow from all accounts. They close off an entire side street for the cars to park.

## **Upcoming AACA** Events



February 24-26 2022: Winter Nationals Melbourne, Fl. Reg deadline: February 1st March 20-26 2022 Founders tour 2022 Mobile, Al Cars 1932-1997



### More AACA events for 2022

April 7-9 2022: Southeastern Spring Nationals Charlotte, N.C. <u>May 19-21 2022</u>: Grand Nationals Virginia Beach, Va <u>October 4-7 2022</u> <u>Eastern Fall Nationals</u> <u>Hersey, Pa.</u> LOCAL EVENTS! June 18 2022: Watermelon Festival Car Show Monticello, Fl

For more information, visit TRAACA.com

2022 AACA

GRAND

NATIONALS

VIRGINIA BEACH, VIRGINIA MAY 19-21, 2022

March 5th 2022 9am-2pm Lively Tech Car Show Tallahassee, Fl

## CLUB DUES

As we all are aware, The end of the year means that TRAACA dues are due. John Scahanbacher has announced this and some have paid.

John has advised that the dues are \$25.00 until February 1st. After that they rise to \$30.00.

Every year, John has a hard time getting us to pay the

dues. This year, let's make his job easier?

When he gets the final dues in, the roster will be sent to all members .

Thank You All in Advance! Don Romaine



### PHOTOS FROM DECEMBER CARS AND COFFEE





### Information on Ocala bus Trip

### Date: January 22nd 2022

### Schedule:

6:45 a.m.: Load the bus. Location to be determined

10:00 a.m.- 12:00 p.m.: Tour National Parts Depot

12:00 p.m.–1:30 p.m. Lunch and travel to Don Garlits Museum

1:30 p.m.–NLT 4:00 p.m. Tour Garlit's Museum

4:00 p.m.: Load the bus for return trip

7:00 p.m.: Arrive back at Tallahassee

### Travel Details:

Travel time will be approximately 2.5 hours

The bus will be provided by Astro Travel, The bus has USB ports and a 110 volt outlet at each seat. There is also a restroom.

Light snacks and drinks with lids are permitted. Fast food is not allowed.

Pictures of the bus can be found on Astro Travel's website.

Tipping the driver a few bucks is considered appropriate.

### Cost:

With the club contributing \$750.00 toward the cost of the trip, individual costs will depend on occupancy. With a full bus of 38 the cost per person will be \$35.00. If only 30 people signed up, the cost would be \$45.00 each.

### National Parts Depot:

900 SW 38th Ave. Ocala FI 34474

Admission is free. Over 200 cars are on display plus a restoration shop. Dozens of these cars are unrestored, low mileage originals. More details and pictures may be found on the web under "National Parts Depot car Collection".

### Don Garlits Museum:

13700 SW 16th Ave, Ocala Fl. 34473

Admission for Seniors and Teens is \$10.00 each. Over 300 cars are in two buildings. Additional details and pictures may be found at "DonGarlits.com".

This should be a great trip and we hope to have a full bus.

If I can provide any further information please do not hesitate to contact me. –Bob Newman

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Note! I spoke to Neal Davis today, and he advised that there are 8 seats available on the bus. If you are interested please let them know. -Don R.

# Pictures from the Chilli Cookout and Auction































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### Don't park them, Drive them!

Club Website: TRAACA.ORG

Club Officers:

President: Don Romaine Vice President: Craig McCollum Secretary: Chantel Romaine Treasurer: Jack Hanbury Historian: John Schanbacher Executive Committee: John Schanbacher Norm Madsen Dan Stallings

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### ABOUT OUR CLUB

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.

### Happy Birthdays in January

Bob Newman	1/03
Scott Wagers	1/04
Lorne Jones	1/04
Gene Gainer	1/12
Karilyn Kuntsbeck	1/18
Max Zurko	1/22
Roger Crawford	1/24
Shirley McCammon	1/29