



DAN'L BOONE REGION AACA NEWSLETTER

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President Howard Irwin

Dan'l Boone Car Club Members,

First of all, I want to thank all our members for their help making Allandale Fall Meet 2024 one of the best in recent years. Dave Williams did a great job organizing and leading us through this event, along with help from too many of you to begin to list here. As Dave recounted in an email shortly after our September 15th event, we had a near record attendance of 303 registrations, only recently topped by the 2014 Fall meet which also featured Mustangs, then celebrating the 50th anniversary of the Marque. After several counts and recounts we had 40 club members participating along with 26 of their prized rides. Thank you all again for making this event a great success and a special thanks to Dave Williams! If you haven't seen the video posted by one of the attendees, please check out this link listed here:

https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=3qPJ_HMZ9eo, or Allandale Car Show 2024 "AACA Fall Meet" (youtube.com) for those of you reading this electronically. Thanks, Marty for including this on our website and also to Dave for including on our Facebook page.

Also in September, we wrapped up our Sonic Summer Cruise-ins with Friday evening, September 20th. It was nice to relax with several of you a few days after a long day on Sunday at Allandale. There are a few other area events wrapping up September on our calendar below and hopefully some of you will be able to participate in these events. We've got a couple listed in Abingdon, one in Greeneville and one in Kingsport on the last weekend in September. Hopefully, the rain will have stopped by then and you can get out your rides for these Saturday and Sunday events.

Now for October, we've got a couple of my favorite events, both happening before our October club meeting on the 15th at Zachary's Steakhouse at 6pm. The first is the show at Weber City First Baptist Church sponsored by Moccasin Gap NAPA store. This show is from 12noon to 4pm and usually draws a nice crowd, as one of the last shows of the season. This NAPA store was a sponsor of our show, with many valuable door prizes and I hope you can come out and enjoy the afternoon. Next on the October agenda is the Shady Valley Cranberry Festival on the following Saturday, October 12th. For those of you who can join us, we are caravaning from Lowes, East Stone Dr. We will meet Saturday morning at 8am departing at 8:15am sharp. We expect to arrive at the Shady Valley Presbyterian Church (134 Winchester Road) about 9:15am in time to line up for the parade which starts around 10am. If you are inclined, bring candy to toss out to the kids who will be lining the parade route to the Old School House, which is the center of the festivities. There will be lots of great food to choose from along with craft venders from all over the area and some live bluegrass music for entertainment.

You can also tour the cranberry bogs and see them about ready for harvesting. It's a fun day and one of my favorite events of the year.

Feel free to invite a friend who might enjoy the cruise up US 421 and the festival environment.

Maybe we will have some photos to share at our monthly meeting the following Tuesday. We'll wrap up the October club agenda with a Board meeting on the following Monday, October 21st at 6:30pm at the Irwin home.

Thanks again to all who helped make Allandale a great success, especially our show chair, Dave Williams. Looking forward to seeing you all soon!

Howard

ALLANDALE HAD SOMETHING FOR EVERYONE



Matthew Caldwell's antique tractor at Allandale

Minutes from the September 10th Meeting of the Dan'l Boone Region AACA

The September 10th meeting of the Dan'l Boone Region AACA was held at Zachary's Steak House. guest, Dr. Richard Reed gave the invocation. Jim Houston was also welcomed as a former member and guest. New members, Tom and Sally Cloud were welcomed. Dave Williams reported that David and Susan Taylor and Jim Longwell were feeling poorly and unable to attend. The Pledge of Allegiance was led by Marty Lane, and then dinner was enjoyed.

Howard Irwin, President, started the business meeting by reviewing our goals got 2024. Then he covered how we were doing reaching those goals. We had a club outing each month since March and have gained new members. He then reviewed the calendar of events for September and October.

Then last minute plans for Allandale 2024 were reviewed. Set up support was to arrive between 7 and 7:30am. Betty Wright was to lead the registration team. Howard Irwin was to create a spreadsheet of pre-registered vehicles received by mail, while Matt Caldwell was to create one of vehicles registered online.

Two hour shifts were recommended for those working traffic control.

Marty Lane was to be in charge of Door Prizes which would be awarded between 10:30 am and 1 pm.

The photographer shared photo samples and gave the pricing of \$ 20 for a digital image or \$ 30 for an 11 by 17" print mailed to car owners' homes.

Dave Williams emphasized the importance of keeping traffic flowing and only allowing vehicles to enter by the registration tent. He reviewed the map of Allandale and our traffic flow for 2024. Advertising was to appear in the Kingsport Times-News on the Thursday and Friday prior to the advent.

Matt Caldwell told about recent car events but was unable to share the video due to technical problems.

The meeting was then adjourned.

Respectfully submitted,

Randy Still, DBR Secretary

Dan'l Boone Car Club 2024 Event Summary by Month

Including other local events (revision date 9/26/2024)

September had to be deleted because the events had passed and the editor was without Power until Sunday at 9:00 p.m.

□ October

Moccasin Gap NAPA Car Show 12noon-4pm, October 5th Weber City First Baptist Church

Cranberry Festival, October 12th, Meet at Lowe's E. Stone Dr at 8am, depart 8:15am arrive at 9:15am at Shady Valley Presby. Church 134 Winchester Rd

Monthly meeting 6pm Zachary's Steak House, October 15th

Haunted Hot-Rods Car Show, October 19th, 3pm-9pm, Kingsport Farmers Market

Board Meeting October 21st, 6:30pm, Irwin's home

Hershey, PA October 8-11th

Old Dominion Packard Club fall meet Smithfield, VA October 23-27th

Veterans Center of E. TN Car Show, October 26th, 1pm-6pm 2927 Highway 66 S, Rogersville, TN

□November

Monthly meeting 6pm Zachary's Steak House, November 19th

Cruise to VA Hospital Show for Veterans Day, November 8th ???

□ December

Monthly Christmas meeting 6pm location TBD, December 17th

Possible cruise to Johnson City for Moose Club car show, TBD ???









Registration Tent

Awards Tent

Thanks to Randy Still, Howard Irwin and Marty Lane for all pictures.

Randy Still's 1956 Imperial Limousine at Allandale





Sam Hauk's Model T Ford

Dave William's 1964 Mustang at Allandale

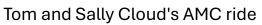




Beatrice & Alan Dias' Studebaker Convertible



A couple of Model T's







Scott & Sally Mathein's 1914 Buick at Allandale



Photographs BY MARTY LANE

Sonic Views











