

DAN'L BOONE

REGION CAR CLUB

Kingsport, Tennessee

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| Board of Directors | Bob Hathaway (Chairman), Current Officers, Sam Quillen, Pete Renfro, Howard Osborne | |



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Last few words from President Dave

Early Edition-send your Reservations for party

It's hard for me to believe that two years have passed since I was installed as president of the Dan'l Boone Car Club. In looking back over my term, both years were filled with many challenges and rewards. 2014 was my learning year. I tried to come up to speed on the history of our club, getting to know its membership, club procedures and protocol as I set some ambitious goals for myself. At times I stumbled but kept moving forward. On the plus side I learned the ins and outs of coordinating the Allandale Show as well as documented detailed show procedures for future chairs. I tried to make meetings attractive as refreshments were always provided and door prizes awarded. On the minus side, I was unable to see real growth in membership and club involvement. Realistically, our club epitomizes pretty much what one sees with many clubs and social organizations today, getting membership active and engaged is a challenge.

In 2015, I focused on growing attendance at club meetings and participation in activities as we alternated meetings at ETSU and the Lynn Garden Restaurant. We held Sonic Drive In cruise-ins with limited attendance, but anyone who has attended these has enjoyed fine fellowship with good friends. I must say that our recent November meeting at Dave Berry's was my personal favorite of the year. Dave opened his home and shared his life collection of automobilia with us.

I was duly impressed by his hospitality and the love he expressed for the hobby as well as his many friends who are considered family. Attendance was perhaps the best of the year. As with Dave, there is a treasure trove of member knowledge that exists in the club. I encourage each of you to share your car hobby life experiences through volunteering to provide future programs. A down side again in 2015 was lack of membership growth and the decreased registration and revenue at our 37th Allandale Show. I promise to work hard on the 38th annual Allandale show next September and address areas for improvement that the board has noted. I will also work to find a work around for the newsletter posting snafu that has been problematic this year.

My term ends on an upbeat note give the leadership that Randy Still and Don Wood will provide in 2016 and beyond. My deepest thanks to all the officers and board members for your past and future willingness to continue leading us. I will serve as board chair in 2016 so I promise to provide leadership in this support role.

Becky and I wish you *a Merry Christmas and Happy New Year!* We look forward to seeing you at our annual party and officer installation on December 10 at Mafair UMC.

Dave

Date: Thursday, December 10 **Time:** 6:00 p.m.; dinner at 6:30 p.m. 
Place: Mafair United Methodist Church Kingsport, TN
Price \$15



Reservations are required! Wayne Lambert @1209 Radcliffe Ave. Kingsport, TN 37664 will be taking reservations up to December 3.

As has been the case in previous years you may bring a wrapped toy to enhance the holiday outlook for children in need. Please label for boy or girl and appropriate age. Club members will collect these and see to their distribution.

MENU

- Fried Chicken
 - Sirloin Tip Roast with baby carrots
 - Scalloped Potatoes
 - Broccoli
 - Corn
 - Pasta Salad
 - Tossed Salad
 - Rolls and butter
 - Sweet and Unsweet Tea,
 - Desserts---coffee
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2016 Dan'l Boone Car Club Slate of Officers:

President- Randy Still

Vice President- Don Wood

Secretary – Deborah Crawford

Treasurer – Wayne Lambert

Sunshine Chair – Barbara Hughes

Newsletter Editor - Frankie Lambert

Webmaster- Dave Williams

Board of Directors:

Dave Williams – Chair

Members at Large:

Woody Fleenor

Howard Osborne

Sam Quillen



Just a small part of Dave Berry's Collection. Thanks for Sharing.



