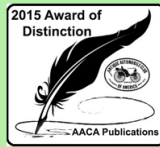
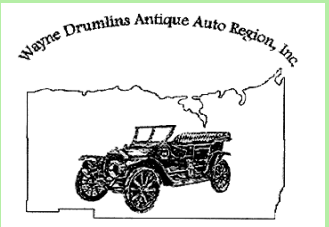


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President's Message

December 2016

Greetings Folks,

Let me start by saying thank you to all of our outgoing officers and board members. Your time, dedication and expertise has been greatly appreciated. To our newly elected officers and board members, thank you for stepping up and offering your services to help keep Wayne Drumlins a viable club. I look forward to working with you this coming year. To all of our members, this is your club. Your officers and directors are at your service but it is up to you, the members, to make Wayne Drumlins an active, dynamic, interesting and inviting organization. Participation is a key to our continued success. Yes, we all have too many demands on our time and conflicts arise, but please do your best to support club activities and outings.

This promises to be a milestone year for us with our Fortieth Annual Car Show. Even though August seems like a long time away, our Car Show committee is already working on the early stages of planning for the show, ordering the trophies, and exploring possible sources of manpower to help with setup and during show day. Everybody, please remember to get your requests in early for nice weather on the show weekend.

No doubt, everyone is already for the upcoming holidays. On page four there is latest information about our December Christmas gathering and the January Year End Banquet. Please remember to mark your calendars as the dates are not on our usual meeting days. Also, it has been several years since we have had a January get together. Lets hope we don't need to break out the skis and snow shoes for either event.

Everyone have a safe and happy Holiday Season.

Dick Stearns

Secretary's Minutes

NOVEMBER 2016 MINUTES

The November 9, 2016 meeting was held at the Marion Masonic Lodge. We had our Ham Dinner with many various dishes that were brought by the members. Amy Ressue provided the ham. The meeting was opened at 6:50PM by our President Dick Stearns and began with the Pledge of Allegiance to our flag. 24 members were present.

SECRETARY'S REPORT - A correction, brought up by Jean Empson, about a sign up sheet to be passed around for cheese, crackers and pepperoni, in regards to the year end banquet, be taken out of the October 2016 minutes. They will be provided by the Waterside Wine Bar. A motion was made by Pete Empson to accept the minutes as corrected. Seconded by Pam Heald. Motion carried.

TREASURER'S REPORT - Rita Canavan, Treasurer, reported on our accounts. Motion made by Joel Neal to accept the report. Seconded by Ann Neal. Motion carried.

BOARD OF DIRECTOR'S REPORT - Matt Canavan reported that Jean Empson had approached the Board of Directors about waving the Club dues for 2017. It was presented to the Board of Directors and he heard from all but one of the Board Members to approve it.

SHOW COMMITTEE - None

MEMBERSHIP COMMITTEE – Jean Empson, Chairman, stated that as soon as you get your new AACA dues card, let her know so that she can check your number against to what she has on the roster.

CONCERNS FOR MEMBERS AND ANY CORRESPONDENCES RECEIVED - Stan Herdman is getting out and about. It is hard for him to get out in the evening.

BUY SELL OR TRADE - None

OLD BUSINESS - Jean Empson needs reservations for the year end banquet by 1/2/17. It will be \$50.00 for the room and \$60.00 for appetizers. Motion made by Charlie Bauder to have a price of \$15.00 per person for the meal and the Club would pick up the remainder of the cost. Seconded by Matt Canavan. Motion carried.

NEW BUSINESS - None

UPCOMING EVENTS - On December 17th, we will be going to the Wayne County Nursing Home in the Orchard Way Wing at 3:00PM. Pam Heald passed around 10 names of residents for gifts. The Seneca Sound Waves will be entertaining everyone. We will be giving them \$100.00 as in the past.

President Dick Stearns thanked the refreshment committee which consisted of Amy Ressue.

The next meeting will be the third Wednesday in February 2017 to be held at Phelps Community Center. Refreshments to be decided later.

The meeting was adjourned at 7:10PM by a motion from Jean Empson and seconded by Steve Heald.

The next order of business was Election of Officers conducted by Matt Canavan at 7:10PM.

Secretary's Minutes continued

President - Dick Stearns
Vice President - Joel Neal
Treasurer - Ann Neal
Secretary - Donna Goellner
2 Year Board Member - Don Combs
2 Year Board Member - Pete Empson

Matt Canavan, Carl Rapp and Gerald Burnham are already on the Board

The Secretary cast one unanimous vote for each officer.

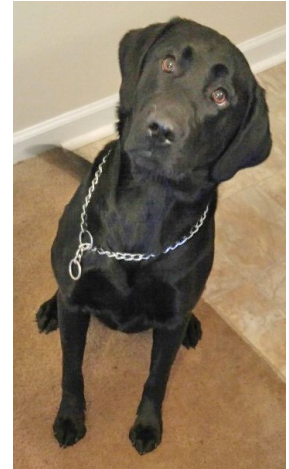
The meeting was adjourned at 7:20PM.

Respectfully submitted by:
Donna Goellner, Secretary

Editor's note:

Donna wanted to share a picture of Brelladonna, their newly acquired two year old pure bred Black Lab, Wayne Drumlin's newest, and youngest, member. Also Hank's birthday present. Happy 70th Hank.

Dick



The Wayne Drumlin's Antique Auto Region

The purpose of this Region shall be to supplement the activities of the Antique Automobile Club of America and to provide mutual enjoyment for members

WAYNE DRUMLINS ANTIQUE AUTO REGION CALENDAR FOR 2016

DATE	ACTIVITY	PLACE	TIME	HOSTS
17-Dec	Christmas Family	Wayne County	3pm	Pam & Steve Heald
15-Jan	Year End Banquet/ Brunch	Waterside Wine Bar 125 Main St, Phelps	1pm	Jean & Pete Empson

Buy, Sell or Trade

not presented at our last meeting



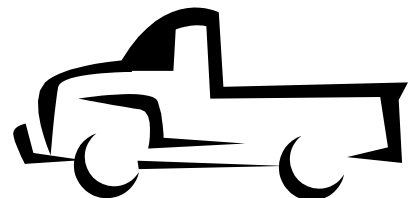
SELL:

Jade 1½ Ton compact floor jack, fully operable, \$20
Pair Walker 1 Ton J-400 bumper screw jacks \$60
Dick 585 230 5035



WANTED:

30-50's vintage pick-up truck, need another toy
call Bill 585-943-0482



Looking Ahead

Membership Dues for 2017

Once you receive your 2017 membership card from AACA, please forward a copy to membership chairman Jean Empson or show it to her at a meeting and she will issue you a 2017 Wayne Drumlins membership card. The dues for club membership are being waived this year. She will need your information by the end of February 2017. If you have any questions, give her a call.

Christmas Gathering

The Wayne Drumlins members will gather on Saturday, December 17, 2016 at 3pm at the Wayne County Nursing Home on Nye Rd., off Route 31 in Lyons. We will meet in the Orchard Way Dining Room. If you have a gift for a resident, please bring it that day or give to Pamela Heald or Jean Empson before. The residents and club members will be entertained by the Seneca Soundwaves.

Any questions, please call Jean or Pamela.

I confirmed that all gifts should be wrapped and labeled with name and room# as on the slip members have.

All of our gifts will stay together as a group and I will submit. So to reiterate what we said on Wednesday. Either bring them to Lyons on 12/17 at 3 PM or get to Pam ahead of time so she can bring them on 12/17.

Wayne Co Nursing Home address is 1529 Nye Rd Lyons, NY. 14489

Thanks-Pam

Year End Banquet

This year our Year End Banquet will be held at the Waterside Wine Bar in Phelps on Sunday, January 15, 2017. We will meet at 1pm for drinks and appetizers. A buffet dinner at 2pm with a program to follow. The cost to club members is \$15 per person. Please send me a check made out to Wayne Drumlins Antique Auto Region by January 2, 2017 for your reservations.

Jean Empson
1267 Ridley Rd.



Anniversaries

Anne & Carl Rapp 12/13
Nancy & Charlie Bauder 1/11



Birthdays Happy Birthday to:

Sue Bernardo	12/16
Don Combes	12/30
Isabel Potter	1/3
Betty Reilly	1/12
Dave Lentz	1/12
Jim Berry	1/13
Donna Goellner	1/22

Cover photo

1954 Kaiser Manhattan



Charlie Bauder's 1954 Kaiser Manhattan

Independent car makers have always been my preference. My father drove a Hupmobile, a Crosley and Kaisers. In High School, I drove first a 1951 Kaiser Coupe and then a 1954 Kaiser Manhattan. For years, I thought it would be nice to have another Kaiser. I bought this car in 2009. The body was in excellent condition and the interior is original. I had the engine and transmission rebuilt.

The Kaiser-Frazer Corporation started producing cars in June 1946 in the former Willow Run bomber plant, said to be the world's largest auto factory under one roof. They, along with Studebaker, were the first to produce all new body designs after World War II. The Big Three produced slightly refined pre-war models. From June 1946 to the end of 1949, K-F had produced 400,000 cars. Howard "Dutch" Darrin's design for Kaiser was the industry's first true envelope body styling with no hint of a rear fender. Darrin also designed the second-generation Kaiser which was introduced in early 1950 as a 1951 model. The 1951 models sold well; by the end of calendar year 1950, 146,911 cars had been sold. The 1951 models featured a pop-out windshield, and the deluxe model, a padded dash, first introduced on the 1948 Tucker. Sales declined in '52, '53, and '54 for several reasons. Kaiser never offered a V-8 engine to replace the 6-cylinder flat-head and body styles were limited to two and four door models.

Using the original 1951 Darrin styled-body, Buzz Grisinger redesigned the front-end for the 1954 model year. A wrap-around rear window was also added. The 1954 Kaiser Manhattan was the best performing Kaiser yet; a McCulloch supercharger was added which boosted power from 118 to 140 bhp. The old six came alive: 0-60 in 14 seconds which compared to Hudson Hornet performance. These changes had little effect on sales, 1954 production was only 4,110 Manhattans and 4,400 non-supercharged specials. Kaiser ceased car production in 1955 and shipped equipment to Argentina, where cars similar to the 1954 model were produced as the Kaiser Carabela until 1962.

1954 Kaiser Manhattan Specifications;

DIMENSIONS: wheelbase 118.5 in.; over-all length 17 ft. 11.6 in.; height 60.25 in.; weight 3,475 lbs.

ENGINE: six-cylinder, L-head; bore 3.31 in., stroke 4.38 in.; displacement 226.c cu.in; 140 bhp with super-charger at 3,800 rpm.

TRANSMISSION: Dual-Range Hydramatic

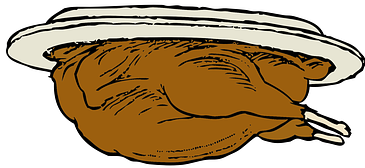
Charlie Bauder

Just a friendly reminder:

Your editors are always in need of good photographs and a brief write-up of your pride and joy for our cover. We can use electronic submissions or a good color print. Prints will be returned unharmed after scanning. To those who have shared in the past, thank you.

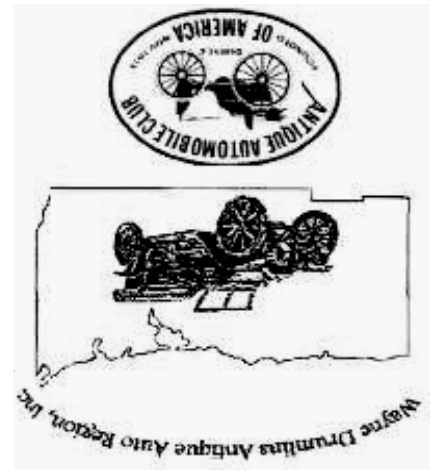
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