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RCR Newsletter

RIVER CITY RODDERS

AUGUST 2011

RCR Car Club Meeting

The August Meeting will be hosted by Bob Templeton & Jerry Burgess on August 11 at Bob's house, which is located at 2419 Horseshoe Ridge in Cape. Things usually get started around 6:30. Somebody said we're having filets and baked taters. I'd like my steak medium rare and my tater loaded up with everything you got. Can't wait for the meeting to get here.

Rodder Gossip

An anonymous Rodder has nominated Bosky for the Golden Gas Can Award. Rumor has it that his rod started sputtering (that would be his "street" rod) just before an exit ramp on his way back from Columbus and he coasted in to a gas pump. I think this may be the third or fourth time this has happened. We may have to pass the hat and buy Paul a gas gauge. I personally think he needs to install one of them idiot lights like I have in my Infinity that's starts flashing and tells me I have thirteen miles to go before I run out. With the advancing age of rodders everywhere, this could be the next big thing.

JULY MEETING

THE JUNE MEETING WAS HELD AT BOSKY'S SHOP IN JACKSON. I COULDN'T MAKE IT, SO I CANT COMMENT ON THE FOOD, BUT I'M SURE IT WAS GOOD. JOHN MAY PASSED OUT SPONSOR ASSIGNMENTS.

CAR SHOW UPDATE

JUST HAD OUR ANNUAL POWWOW WITH THE CAPE PD AND OLD TOWN CAPE. THIS YEAR WE'RE GOING TO TRY PUTTING UP FLYERS THAT SAY "NO PARKING BY ORDER OF THE CAPE PD" TO SEE IF THAT HELPS REDUCE THE NUMBER OF LEFT OVER CARS. THE CAPE PD WILL BE DOWNTOWN AT 6:00 THIS YEAR TO GET A HEAD START ON TOWING. THE MAIN THING THE CLUB NEEDS TO DO AT THIS POINT IS TO WORK OUR SPONSORS AND DOOR PRIZE DONORS. EACH OF YOU ONLY HAS A FEW, SO IT SHOULDN'T TAKE MUCH TIME. REMEMBER THAT WE COUNT ON OUR SPONSORS TO PAY OUR BILLS IF WE HAVE A RAIN OUT. PAM & LOUIE WITH HOT ROD NIGHTS WILL BE HANDLING OUR SOUND THIS YEAR. WE DID A TRIAL RUN A WEEK OR TWO AGO IN DOWNTOWN CAPE ON A SUNDAY MORNING AROUND 9:00. THEIR SYSTEM WORKS GREAT. COULD HEAR IT LOUD AND CLEAR ON BROADWAY AND WILLIAM ST. SOME OF THE FOLKS THAT LIVE IN THE DOWNTOWN LOFT APARTMENTS WERE PROBABLY CUSSING US WHEN THEY WOKE UP TO OLDIES MUSIC ABOUT TWO HOURS BEFORE THEY PLANNED TO GET UP.

ELECTRIC CAR CONVENTION

IN CASE YOU HAVEN'T HEARD, JACK RICKARD, THE GUY WHO OWNS THE BIG HOUSE NEXT TO THE OLD CAPE BRIDGE, AND HIS BUDDY BRYAN NOTO, ARE BUILDING ELECTRIC CARS. THEY ARE TAKING KIT CARS LIKE EARLY PORSCHEs AND COBRAS AND PUTTING ELECTRIC DRIVE TRAINS IN THEM. THEY WILL BE HOSTING AN ELECTRIC CAR CONVENTION THE WEEK AFTER OUR CAR SHOW AT THE AIRPORT AND HAVE ELECTRIC HOT RODS COMING IN FROM ALL OVER THE WORLD. BELIEVE IT OR NOT, THIS IS GOING TO BE PRETTY COOL. THEY ARE SETTING UP A QUARTER MILE DRAG STRIP ON ONE OF THE RUNWAYS AND WILL HAVE AT LEAST TWO ELECTRIC DRAG CARS THERE THAT RUN THE QUARTER IN THE MID NINE'S. THEY WILL ALSO HAVE AN ELECTRIC CAR SHOW AND ASKED ME IF WE WOULD BE INTERESTED IN JUDGING. WE CAN DISCUSS AT OUR NEXT MEETING, BUT I THINK IT WOULD BE FUN. THESE GUYS ARE ESSENTIALLY ELECTRIC HOT RODDERS.

UPCOMING EVENTS

AUG 4-7—STREET ROD NATS IN LOUISVILLE
AUG 6—CAR SHOW IN JOHNSONVILLE, IL ON HWY 161
AUG 6—CRUISE IN AT CULVERS IN ARNOLD
AUG 6—CRUISE IN AT MURPHYSBORO
AUG 6—CAR SHOW IN LEBANON, IL
AUG 6—CAR SHOW IN BUSH, IL
AUG 6—CAR SHOW IN HUTSONVILLE, IL
AUG 11—RCR MEETING
AUG 13—CRUISE IN ON THE SQUARE IN JACKSON
AUG 13—CRUISIN' MAIN ST IN OLNEY, IL
AUG 13—CRUISE IN ON THE SQUARE IN BENTON, IL
AUG 14—CAR SHOW IN ELLIS GROVE, IL
AUG 18—CRUISE IN AT ANDY'S IN CAPE
AUG 20—CRUISE IN AT MCDONALDS IN FESTUS
AUG 20—CRUISE IN AT MARION HOME DEPOT
AUG 21—CAR SHOW AT ANNA, IL FAIR GROUNDS
AUG 21—CAR SHOW IN OLNEY, IL
AUG 26-28—FROG FOLLIES AT EVANSVILLE
AUG 27—CRUISE IN AT MARION ON THE CIRCLE
AUG 27—CRUISE IN AT MCDONALDS IN ST. GEN
AUG 27—CRUISE IN AT CULVERS IN CAPE

2011 MEETING SCHEDULE

AUG-BOB T & JERRY B SEPT—DOWNTOWN PAVILION
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DEC-WES & NANCY MORRIS

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