



The Steering Wheel

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Newsletter of the Midwest Antique Auto Club

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An independent group of collectible vehicle enthusiasts.

Dedicated to the preservation of the antique/collectible automobile.

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Meetings are held on the third Sunday of each month. The Board meets at 1:30 p.m. and the general meeting begins at 2:00 p.m. during the months of November, January, February and March at the **NEW CASSEL RETIREMENT CENTER at 900 N. 90th St., Omaha, NE 68114.** During the summer months of April, May, June, July, August, September and October, there are no inside meetings. In these months we have “Official Car Tours” on the third Sunday of each month. Plus whatever extra tours may please us. There is no meeting in December, that meeting is replaced by our annual Christmas banquet. All vehicles are welcome, any year, make or model, but a drivable collectible/antique vehicle is not a requirement for membership.

The deadline for articles for the Steering Wheel is the last Saturday of the month.

The President's Message



Hello Everyone,

I am sorry that the New Cassel car show ended up canceling at the last minute. The health of their residents is very important and with rising COVID cases, they decided it was best to cancel the show. We are working with New Cassel and they may have a car show later this year. More to come.

I am happy to announce that Jim and Cheryl Cushman have volunteered to become the new MAAC treasurers. Again, I really appreciate Jim and Cheryl's support of the club and Dixie and Kenny long-term service as Treasurers.

We are getting to the final stages of my father's 47 Chevy convertible (see pictures on next page). Dad drove the car to a gas station to put fuel in the gas tank. And with Ed's help, we were able to get the fuel gauge to work properly. We are finalizing the installation of the windows and hopefully will be sending it soon to have a new convertible top installed.

I also included a few pictures I took at the Good Guy's Car Show in Des Moines this last weekend. Karen and I attended with my son, Michael, brother and nephew drive our cars to Des Moines. It was a great weekend event.

See you in July. John and Karen Thurber



CALENDAR OF EVENTS

July Driving Tour – SATURDAY July 9th, 2022

We will be meeting at Jack and Susan Lorsch's home at 6755 County Road 25 in Kennard NE from 1:00 p.m. to 3 p.m. on Saturday, July 9th for a car show. Jim and Susan will provide food for the club. The food starts at 4 p.m. Please bring lawn chairs. Please see attached flyer.

H&H Chevrolet All Chevy Show – July 17, 2022

H&H Chevrolet is sponsoring the All Chevy Show on Sunday, July 17 from 11 a.m. to 3 p.m. at 4645 S. 84 Street, Omaha. The show is free to all owners of Chevrolet vehicles. The show hours will be advertised as 11am – 3pm for the spectators. Boy Scout Troup #249 will be selling food and drinks throughout the day.

August 14th Driving Tour

We will be meeting at Fort Omaha for the 8th Annual Vintage Wheels at the Fort event on Sunday, August 14. The show is held at historic Fort Omaha at 5730 N. 30 Street, Omaha. More information to come in the August Steering Wheel.

Member News

Due to rising COVID levels at New Cassel, the June car show was canceled. It may be rescheduled for later this year. More information will be shared in a future Steering Wheel.

I am sad to report that long-time MAAC member Lloyd Burke passed away in June. Lloyd's funeral was on June 27 at St. Patrick's Church in Neola, Iowa. Please keep Lloyd's family in your thoughts and prayers.

Show & Shine

Don't need a car
Come & Enjoy

Saturday, July 9, 2022

Any time after 1:00 p.m.

**Jack & Susan Lorsch
6755 County Road 25
Kennard, NE**



We will eat about 4:00 p.m.

Food & Water Furnished

Bring anything else you want to drink & lawn chairs

Remembering Jim

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