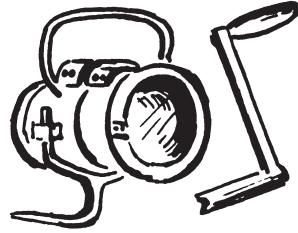
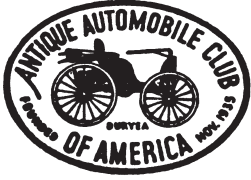


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SMOKE SIGNALS

JUNE

8	Rotary Show of Wheels Show	Fleetwood, PA
9-13	AACA Divisional Tour	Frederick, VA
16	Church Tour	
20-22	AACA Eastern Spring Nat'l	Saratoga Springs, NY

JULY

4	All Fords Day, Fleetwood Car Show	Fleetwood, PA
10-13	AACA Western Div, Tour	Big Horn, Wyoming
21	Picnic Tour	
29	D.A.F. Stake-out	

AUGUST

2-4	Das Awkscht Fescht	Macungie, PA
18	Dog Days Tour	
22-24	Corvettes at Carlisle	Carlisle
31	Duryea Days	Boyertown, PA

PRESIDENT'S MESSAGE

Hi everyone! I can't believe that Spring is almost over and that summer is only a few weeks away. This spring season has been beautiful - lovely flowers and the blossoming trees.

However we have had up and down temperatures and lots of rainy days (especially on weekends). Our club has had it's first two tours - the early bird tour to the Pioneer coal mine in Ashland and the apple blossom tour to the Mascaro car museum in Birdsboro. The church tour is on June 16 at St. John's UCC at 1027 Church St. in Fogelsville. The church service is at 10 A.M. followed by a luncheon at the church and a tour around Fogelsville. Fogelsville - the past and the present.

On July 21 the picnic tour will drive to New Jersey and be hosted by Ray and Judy Fischer and Wayne and Denise Tuck. The August 18 tour will be going to the industrial museum in Bethlehem, and of course we have the Das Awkscht Fescht in August on the 2, 3, and 4th. Please consider helping at the Fescht. Our chairman Bob Hobaugh and his committee have been very busy working to make this another great event but we can always use your help even if it's only for a few hours.

Also come and join us on the tours!!

Barbara Koch

BUSINESS MEETING MINUTES MAY 2024

President Barbara Koch called the business meeting to order at 3:00 p.m. on May 4, 2024 at the New Jerusalem Zion UCC Church Krumsville, PA. There were 22 members present. We recited the pledge of allegiance to the American flag.

Susan Manwiller gave the Secretary's report from the business meeting held April 6, 2024. A motion to accept the Secretary's report was made by Leroy Hinkle and seconded by Bob Hobaugh. The motion carried unanimously.

Lester Manwiller gave the Treasurer's report for April. A motion to approve the treasurer's report, subject to audit, was made by Shirley Schaffer and seconded by Minnie Breininger. The motion carried unanimously.

COMMITTEE REPORTS

Membership: Phyllis Peters reported the possibility of a new member, John Hartman from Reading. He plans to go on the Apple Blossom Tour, meeting us at the Mascaro Museum in Birdsboro. He saw the write-up about the club in Encore where the Secretary has been putting monthly articles.

Free National Memberships: Phyllis has four available from National.

Website: Jeff Dotterer had nothing to report in Michael's absence.

Newsletter: Mike Horning had nothing to report.

Activities: Suzy McGovern reported on the following tours. Information to register will appear in the newsletter:

1. Apple Blossom Tour, May 19, 2024 – Tour masters are Vas & Leroy Hinkle. Leroy has 16 going so far.
2. Church Tour, June 16, 2024 – Tour masters are Minnie and Carl Breininger, Marilyn Roth & Ray Huber and Barbara Koch. Meet at St. Johns UCC at 9:45 for 10:00 church service followed by lunch, video, and tour of Fogelsville.
3. Picnic Tour, July 21, 2024 – Tour masters are Judy & Ray Fischer and Denise & Wayne Tuck. See where to meet in newsletter. Tour is rain or shine, bring lawn chairs, and drive an antique vehicle, if possible, if not come anyway.
4. Dog Days Tour, August 18, 2024 – Tour masters Barbara Koch, Florita Hobaugh, Tim and Sue Hinkle have a tour planned to the National Museum of Industrial History in Bethlehem.
5. Four-Day Tour, September 13-16, 2024 – Tour masters are Ken Dages, Ray Huber and Tom Hudecki. All meals and tours are included for \$325.00 per person, \$375.00 for non-members. Hotel rooms are reserved. Pay for hotels on your own. See details in newsletter. Deadline for reservations is August 15, 2024.
6. Fall Foliage Tour, October 20, 2024 – Tour masters are Cheri & Jeff Dotterer. They have a hayride planned for us.
7. Applejack & Cider Tour – Open

Leesport Swap Meet:

Lester and Jeff plan on using pylons and caution tape to direct cars and charge admission. Lester will check with the Leesport Farmers Market about any restrictions or ordinances concerning charging admission or collecting a donation.

Das Awkscht Fescht:

Chairman Bob Hobaugh reported the following:

1. Sent volunteer sign up sheets to DAF team.
2. Revised registration forms were labeled and mailed. Next year post office requires bulk mailing to go electronic.
3. The Lehigh Valley Camaro Club has shown interest in being the feature car for 2025. The Rolls Royce & Bentley Owners Club are also interested.
4. Contacted the Rotary members that helped last year.
5. Working with Cheri Dotterer and Scott Rarick to get a pop-up banner made.
6. Continued with posting on social media.
7. Agreement with Members 1st Credit Union as a sponsor.
8. Circulated vendor cards at the National Motorcycle Show in Oley, America's Transportation Experience, and RB Collection.
9. Ordered dash plaques and participation awards.
10. Had further discussions with National Museum of Industrial History about World's Fair Weekend to be held June 8 & 9, 2024 in Bethlehem. Club member Ron Smith will have his curved dash Olds there.
11. Susan reported 632 vehicles to date (36 online) 27 less than last year, flea market 180 spaces sold, 1 less than last year.

President's Banquet: Nov. 10, 2024, Blue Mountain Family Restaurant in Shartlesville. A young man will be providing musical entertainment.

Christmas Party: Dec. 15, 2024, Tim Hinkle was absent.

OLD BUSINESS

None.

NEW BUSINESS

Upcoming local car shows:

May 11, 2024 – Wheels for Victory Car Show, Kempton; benefits kids at Victory Junction Camp.

May 11, 2024 – Morgenland Union Church Car Show, Orefield, PA

Sept 10, 2024 – Strausstown Car Show

Thank you to Elaine Baer and Vas Hinkle for refreshments.

A motion to adjourn the meeting at 3:50 p.m. was made by Cheri Dotterer and seconded by Shirley Schaffer. The motion carried unanimously. Next meeting is September 7, 2024 at 3:00 p.m.

Respectfully submitted, Susan Manwiller, Secretary

CONGRATULATIONS

Ken and Elsa Dages were awarded their 50 year pins by the AACA. They have been members for 52 years.

ACTIVITIES CORNER

Everyone enjoy your summer but don't forget about the club's car tours because we won't have any car club meetings until September. So make sure you read the Tin n Brass and plan to attend the car tours. In June is the church tour and then the picnic tour in July. They both will be a lot of fun so plan on joining us. All the information is in the secretary's report. Any questions please call the tour master or me Suzy at # 814-788-0801. We still have the November tour available so if anyone is interested in running the tour just call me. Please stay safe and have fun this summer.

Suzy

Das Awkscht Fescht 2024 Opportunities

Please join your fellow Ontelaunee members and friends to make our 61st Das Awkscht Fescht a success on August 2, 3, and 4, 2024. The Fescht will feature the 60th anniversary of the Mustang and the 75th anniversary of the Honda motorcycle. Our friends from America's Transportation Experience (AACA Museum, Inc.) will host and staff the feature car tent. Tent sponsors with displays there are the RB Collection and Members 1st FCU. Ontelaunee volunteers get free outside parking, admission, breakfast and lunch on show days they serve. How can you help?

Here are some opportunities: (a) vendor pin location with LeRoy Hinkle on Monday, 7/22/24 at 7 am; (b) vendor stake off with LeRoy Hinkle on Monday, 7/29/24 at 2 pm; (c) show field stake off with Lester Manwiller on Thursday, 8/1/24 at 7am; (d) show field parking directions with me on Friday, 8/2/24 at 7 am; (e) registration tent with Phyllis Peters on Friday at 7 am; (f) car corral with me on Friday at 7am; (g) participant awards on Friday at 3pm with Jim Peters; (h) show field parking directions with me on Saturday, 8/3/24, at 7 am; (i) registration tent with Phyllis Peters on Saturday at 7 am; (j) car corral with me on Saturday at 7am; (k) participant awards on Saturday at 3pm with Jim Peters; (l) registration tent with Phyllis Peters on Sunday, 8/4/24, at 7 am; (m) show field parking directions with Lester Manwiller on Sunday, 8/4/24 at 7 am; (n) car corral with me on Sunday at 7am; and (n) participant awards on Sunday at 3pm with Jim Peters.

Please call me at 610-360-6537 to let me know how you, your friends, and family will help on one or more of these days at Macungie Memorial Park. Please also touch base with leaders for each activity where you want to serve. This will be a great Fescht with beautiful cars, motorcycles, trucks and tractors! I look forward to enjoying this Fescht with you!

Bob Hobaugh, Chair

Das Awkscht Fescht 2024

CHURCH TOUR
JUNE 16, 2014 (FATHER'S DAY)

MEET 9:45 AT ST. JOHN'S UCC, 1027 CHURCH STREET, FOGELSVILLE, FOR THE 10:00 SERVICE, FULL BREAKFAST BRUNCH AFTER THE SERVICE. VIDEO OF FOGELSVILLE THEN AND NOW AND THAN A DRIVING TOUR OF FOGELSVILLE SHOWING THE CHANGES.

COST PER PERSON :\$15.00

MAKE CHECKS PAYABLE TO: ONTELAUNEE REGION AACA AND SEND TO: MARILYN ROTH, 428 ADAMS ROAD, BREINIGSVILLE PA., 18031. ANY QUESTIONS CALL MINNIE AT 610-395-2132.

PICNIC TOUR
JULY 21

Ray & Judy Fischer will lead this tour, rain or shine, meeting at 8:30 am at the Route 78 Truck Stop off Exit 7 which is off Route 78 in New Jersey. We will leave PROMPTLY at 9:00 am and proceed to the Holcombe-Jimison Farmstead Museum, 1605 Daniel Bray Highway, Lambertville, NJ. Their website is <https://holcombe-jimison.org>. From 10 am to 4 pm there will be an Antique Truck, Tractor, Car and Old Engine Show. Our antique cars will be driven on to the show field to be part of the show. (Modern cars will not be part of the show but parking will be close by.) Tours of the museum and grounds will begin in the morning. Please bring chairs so we can have a picnic lunch in the shade between 12pm -12:30 pm on the Farmstead grounds. After lunch, we will relax while listening to The Bakersfield Band from Hopewell, NJ. They are playing country music from 1pm to 4pm. We might choose to stay for the afternoon or head for home after 2pm. If you have any questions, please call Ray or Judy at 737-873-3094 or Denise Tuck at 609-240-1566.

Send payment made payable to Ontelaunee Region AACA by July 1, 2024 to:
Denise Tuck, 1284 Millstone River Road, Hillsborough, NJ 08844

Club Members - \$15.00 (names)

Guests over 12 years old - \$30.00 (names)

Children 6-12 years old \$5.00 (names)

EARLY BIRD TOUR

The weather was unseasonably cold for the first tour of the year. Sixteen adults and three children left Strausstown playground and headed north on Route 183 into Schuylkill County following our tour masters Suzy McGovern and Barbara Spohn. Mother nature showed us her spring colors with tulips, daffodils and flowering trees; red bud, dogwood, and cherry. We went through the towns of Cressona, Minersville, Gordon and Ashland and arrived at the Ashland Pioneer Tunnel Coal Mine. Unfortunately, Leroy had a flat tire and missed the tour into the mine but we were glad to see he had a spare tire.

The mine which is under the town of Ashland, was owned and operated by Philadelphia & Reading Coal & Iron Company from 1911 to 1931. In 1962 the mine reopened as a tourist attraction. Into the mine we went riding on mine cars 1800 feet into the mine and 400 feet below the surface. The temperature in the mine was 48 degrees and water could be felt occasionally dripping from the ceiling. Three veins of coal

could be viewed through several gangways. Our tour guide "Duke" gave us a very thorough tour and we enjoyed his stories of the hard life of working in a mine. When the mine was in operation there were 35 miners, 10 mules and a few boys who brought 400 tons a day out of the mine. In those days the coal mining was done by hand. Holes were manually drilled into the hard anthracite coal veins and explosives put into the holes and blasted with black powder. Mules pulled two or three coal cars from the mine weighing 4 tons each.

Hungry and cold we were glad we would not have too far to drive for lunch at the Dutch Kitchen in Frackville. We had a delicious lunch choosing what we wanted off menu. Thanks to Suzy and Barb for a great tour.

Susan Manwiller

JUNE BIRTHDAY & ANNIVERSARIES

Goldie Rhode	6/1	
Sandra Kemp	6/2	
	6/4	Michael & Donna Wolfe
	6/7	Gary Rohrbach & Dee Eng
Lyle Yoder	6/10	
Marian Woblers	6/14	
Judith Fischer	6/16	
James Costa	6/16	
Ruth Barnett	6/17	
Susan McGovern	6/18	
Bryon Reed	6/19	John & Linda Legath
Minnie Breininger	6/21	
Morris Halpin	6/21	
Michael Engard	6/21	
Bruce Foelker	6/22	Robert & Anne Lawatsch
George Husack, Jr.	6/23	
	6/25	Carl & Minnie Breininger
Audrey Merkel	6/28	
Ed Lenny	6/29	

NEW MEMBERS

John & Sandra Hartman
28 Marshall Ave.
Reading, PA 19606-1030

NATIONAL MEMBERSHIPS

As of now we still have Four Free Membership to give to potential person who have never been a member of AACA. If you know anyone who is interested please have them contact me. I will see that they receive the necessary paperwork. Those who choose to take advantage of this offer must also join Ontelaunee. This is a one year only membership so to take advantage it is important to receive this membership as soon as possible.

Phyllis Peters, Membership

KEEP ME INFORMED

When someone is in the hospital, or on the sick list I would appreciate if you could let me know. If someone from the club has passed away I would also greatly appreciate a phone call.

Thank You, Phyllis Peters

Just for your information. I will not be available to get e-mails during the days between May 23 and June 1. If you need anything please do it before those dates!

3-CHICKEN TENDERLOIN STRIPS W/WINE & MUSHROOMS,POT,VEG,SAL,BEV

4-SPAGHETTI & MEATBALLS W/SALAD,BEV

SATURDAY LUNCH 1-CHICKEN SALAD,BEV,DESSERT

2-GRILLED REUBEN W/FRIES OR SLAW,BEV,DESSERT

3-CHEESESTEAK W/FRIES OR SLAW,BEV,DESSERT

4-HAM & TURKEY SUPER MELT W/BEV,DESSERT

SATURDAY DINNER 1-CHICKEN BOWL W/CORN,MASHED POT,BEV

2-BEEF BOWL W/CORN,MASHED POT,BEV

3-CHICKEN & SHRIMP W/FETTUCCHINI,BEV

4-10 OZ PORK RIB-EYE W/POT,VEG,BEV

SUNDAY LUNCH "COWBOY COOKOUT"

SUNDAY SUPPER 1-SOUP/SALAD BAR,BEV

2-HAMBURG SALUTE(25 CHOICES) W/FRIES,SLAW OR SOUP,BEV

3-TURKEY CLUB W/FRIES ,SLAW,OR SOUP,BEV

4-CRAB CAKES W/FRIES &SALAD BAR,BEV

MONDAY LUNCH 1-BURGER W/CHEESE,LET,TOM.,FRIES BEV,DESSERT

2-REUBEN(PASTRAMI),FRIES,BEV,DESSERT

3-RACHEL(TURKEY)FRIES,BEV,DESSERT

4-GRILLED CHICKEN,LET,TOM,FRIES,BEV,DESSERT

5-PULLED PORK,SLAW,FRIES,BEV,DESSERT

COMPLETE INFORMATION BELOW:

YOUR NAME

PASSENGERS NAMES

YOUR FULL ADDRESS

YOUR E-MAIL ADDRESS

YOUR CELL PHONE NUMBER

MAKE & YEAR OF YOUR VEHICLE

TOTAL AMOUNT ENCLOSED (\$325.00/MEMBER--\$380.00/NON-MEMBER)

\$ _____

SIGNATURE

(BY SIGNING THIS FORM, YOU ARE RELEASING THE ONTELAUNEE REGION AACA, IT'S OFFICERS, AGENTS, AND REPRESENTITIVES, AND THE HOST HOTELS FROM ALL KNOWN DAMAGES, INJURIES, LOSSES, JUDGEMENTS, AND/OR CLAIMS FROM ANY CAUSE WHATSOEVER INCURRED BY YOURSELF, FAMILY, OR GUESTS OF PARTICIPANT)

ABSOLUTE DEADLINE FOR REGISTERING IS AUGUST 15, 2024

MAIL COMPLETED FORM AND CHECK MADE OUT TO "ONTELAUNEE REGION AACA" TO:

KENNETH DAGES, P O BOX 7, TREXLERTOWN, PA, 18087

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CONTACT HOTELS DIRECTLY (NOT INCLUDED IN ABOVE FEE)

FRIDAY NIGHT-SEPT 13-COMFORT INN, 117 TWIN ROCKS RD, LAKE ARIEL PA (EXIT 17 OFF RT 84)

PHONE-(570)689-4148 \$159.00/NIGHT-- ONTELAUNEE REGION GROUP #KW45C4

SATURDAY & SUNDAY NIGHTS-PENN WELLS LODGE, 62 MAIN ST, WELLSBORO, PA

PHONE-(570)724-3463 \$314.03(2 NIGHTS-2 DBL BEDS) \$368.42(2 NIGHTS-2 QUEEN)

(THANKS TO RAY HUBER AND TOM HUDECKI FOR HELP PLANNING THIS TOUR)