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President's Report

Kip's Cockpit—April

When I first became a member of AACA as a wee lad back in 1965, all antiques were "pre-war" vehicles. The covers and pages of *Antique Automobile* were filled with photos, stories, and advertisements of predominantly brass-era vehicles, and my heart panged for a 1913 Stutz Bearcat. Post nickel-era Ford Model T's, all Model A's, almost anything from the 1930's, and even junior series Packards were considered virtually un-collectible. Spending a lot of my youth at



Greenfield Village, I thought of Model T cars and trucks more as tools than antiques. We had an uncle that drove a Model T depot hack around town until long after Debra and I were married, and my great-grandmother continued to drive her 1939 Plymouth well into the 1970's. My mental image of an "antique" vehicle is still cemented in 1965. But time moves on, and yardsticks change.

Not long after we were married, Debra wanted an economical convertible, she ended up with a 1961 Metropolitan. As our family grew, a 1963 Studebaker Cruiser provided more room (it was also pretty cool hearing a two-year old Tatyana pronounce "Studebaker" correctly). Four years later we moved up to the luxurious leather and walnut of a Humber Super Snipe. For us, these weren't so much antiques as economical and stylish transportation.

Today when I see an "antique", it's not as much the vehicle I appreciate, but the memories it brings to mind. Like watching our neighbor wash and wax his aqua blue metallic 1963 Oldsmobile 98 every Saturday afternoon, or driving to Greektown with my best friend Dave Samples in his first-generation Mustang, chasing the Gremlin of flying & snow skiing buddy Jay Seyfried, or riding along with my mother in her 1967 Pontiac Executive while singing along to *The Sound of Music* as it played on the 8-track stereo.

But it's not just the old memories. Debra and I still enjoy creating new "antique" car memories during every AACA meeting, tour, and swap meet. Join together with us as we create new memories at the upcoming Pate Swap Meet in April, and the Texas Tour in May.

If I could only remember where I left my car keys...

April 20, 2024 Meeting:

Hard 8 BBQ after the Tile Placement Party—see Details in this Spotlight!

205 S Oak St, Roanoke, TX 76262

New name approved by National AACA.org

March Meeting

By Jerry Smith

After a great tour to Terrell and Quinlan east the day before, our regular meeting was held north of Fort Worth on March 17. A rather out of the way place called "Shop DIY Garage" hosted our March meeting. It is a shop with car lift spaces to rent by the hour for do-it-yourselfers who enjoy working on their vehicles but do not have space or a lift or all the tools needed. This shop rents lift space by the hour along with tools and accessories. It's a unique concept and with all the apartments that are in the area, it should catch on as a very popular place to work on vehicles.





Marcus and Al discussing how things are going in the travel world.

And Charlie and **Debra** talking about how to make the club better.

The venue and pretty day after the rain, seemed to bring out many of the classic cars.

With Pate and the Texas Tour in Granbury coming up, there will be lots of opportunities to drive your cars.





Steve checking out Marcus' Bentley







March meeting (cont'd)





We had a little more room at the **DIY Garage** than we did for lunch the day before in **Quinlan**. And it didn't rain as it did in Quinlan. However, as **Carey Frisbee** put it, sometimes places and experiences like we had at "**God's Country Café**", make the best memories. I sure won't forget the rain dripping into my fried catfish anytime soon.

During the meeting, the great job that **George Lang** did with the **Spring Tour** out to **Terrell** to the **British Flying Training School Museum** made a big hit. If you haven't been, it's worth the few hours to go and learn more about the efforts made during **WWII** to support the **British**.

Our club has a lot on its plate coming up in **April** with the **Pate Swapmeet** as well as in **May**, the **70th Texas Tour.** We're going to need lots of help to pull off these two great events. As **Charlie Gambulous** reported at the meeting, there is a lot of work going on behind the scenes. **Charlie** reported that our experiences with Pate over the last couple of years, have helped us get in the best position we've been in in a while. So that's great news.

Charlie also reported that judging discussions are taking place which should make that part of the Texas Tour go much smoother.

Chris Stathopoulo continues to do an outstanding job linking our **Texas DFW Region** to the **AACA** national website. Even the details are not completely worked out right this moment, **Chris** reports significant progress. To see for yourself, you can go **Google Texas-dfw.aaca.com**. This takes you directly to our website hosted by the **AACA** National club. Or you can go to **AACA.com**, the national website and then go to the regions section. Scroll through all the club sites until you get to the **Texas DFW Region** site on page 6. Click there and it takes you to our website as discussed above.

We look forward to more improvements and updates from Chris.

Updates

 1. Next club meeting occurs after the Pate Tile party on 4-20-2024 at Hard 8

 BBQ in Roanoke. Tile party starts at 10am at Texas Motor Speedway.

 2. Pate Swapmeet—April 25-27 for the latest updates see www.pateswapmeet.com

 3. Texas Tour in Granbury—May 16-19 see theTexasTour.com

 4. Bug Tussle Trek- September 28-29-Promises to be the coolest Bug Tussle Trek ever.

PATE Registration Training !!

By Nichole Gambulos

We will have a **ZOOM** session on **Tuesday**, **April 9 @ 6:45 PM**. Everything you need to know to work in registration. The system is more streamlined than last year including *clickable maps* showing available spaces. We will cover space selling, updating addresses, car corral, and non-computer tasks such as greeting vendors.

A new feature this year is a larger installed tent 20' x 20' outside the registration building which should be much sturdier than the one that blew away last year! We've already sold over 9k spaces which is a record at this point and we still have a few weeks to go!

Pate sign up link for zoom call and volunteer slots to follow via email blast from Spotlight editors.



Don't forget that it's not too late to contribute to the Silent Auction for Texas Tour!! Contact John or Lynda Richardson:

johnhrich@tx.rr.com/214-914-6742 OR lyndarich@tx.rr.com/214-385-1902 to discuss. Here are some excellent examples of contributions so far...



How about a Basket, Texas Placard, Texas Wine(?), etc.

Editor's Comments

By John Richardson

Ever wanted to meet a person that could "fix anything"? Actually, you already know him, our own Brady Richard. If you need proof of that just read the article in this Spotlight about Paul Alexander, written by Brady. We have so many talented, helpful and involved people in this club it's amazing to me.

Need Help, all you have to do is ask; Help Needed, someone will step up to the plate. It's a good feeling when we see our members take the lead on making a difference in people and the community's lives. See last month's article on Nichole's students, another great example.

We are a lucky group, and we as editors appreciate the opportunity to share this kind of information about our membership. So if you have something you would like to share, just let us know!!

AACATRSPOTLIGHT@GMAIL.COM

Thanks Brady, for making a difference.

TEXAS TOUR—May 16, 17,18, 19 2024

Granbury, Tx!! Are you signed up—why not?

Are you helping—why not?



Contact—Nichole (texasregionaaca@gmail.com) or Charlie (nmwaggoner@gmail.com)

Sunshine Report

By Nuris Hester

Nothing new to report this month. Blessings and best wishes and continued good health and happy motoring to all our members. Remember to send updates to me! Hope to see y'all soon!!

Nuris—Sunshine report

Total Eclipse Tour—April 8

By George Lang

RSVP BY APRIL 2ND!

On April 8th there will be a total solar eclipse that will pass over Texas. This may be a once in a lifetime experience.

I have arranged a trip to West Tawakoni to view the solar eclipse on April 8th, 2024. That area will have 4 minutes, 21 seconds of totality. If you have never seen a total eclipse of the sun, you are surely missing one of the most spectacular sights you will ever see.

ACCORDING TO TXDOT THAT DAY COULD BE VERY DIFFICULT ON THE ROADS, SO START EARLY IF YOU ARE GOING. GEORGE SAYS HE WILL BE THERE "AT FIRST LIGHT".

The Big 'D' Little Birds have reserved pavilion 1 at the City Park in West Tawakoni and have invited us to share. We will be serving hamburgers and hot dogs for lunch starting about 12:30.

DIRECTIONS:

From Dallas: Take I-30 East to Goliad Street exit in Rockwall (Just past Lake Ray Hubbard). Turn right and then turn left onto US Hwy 276. Hwy 276 goes through West Tawakoni.

In West Tawakoni, turn left onto Water Line Rd. The park is on the right. Address is 1208 E State Hwy 276, West Tawakoni, TX.

The eclipse begins at 1:47 and ends at 1:52

The Big 'D' Little Birds will have a travel trailer/grill there that we will use for cooking the burgers and dogs.

We are asking everyone to bring a side dish that will go well with dogs and burgers.

AACATR-DFW is supplying the burgers and dogs and condiments. Plates and dinnerware too.

I will need an indication of how many people would be attending the SOLAR ECLIPSE event.

I have ordered 50 pair of viewing glasses that will be available for about \$1.00 a pair.

Please call, text or e-mail me if you will be attending.

CUT OFF FOR RSVP IS APRIL 2, 2024 as I plan to pick up burgers and dogs on April 3.

ALSO, bring your own chairs and potentially blankets!!

GEORGE LANG

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DON'T KNOW ABOUT YOU, BUT LYNDA AND I TOLD GEORGE WE ARE - IN AND PUMPED !!!

Pate Tile Sorting Party

By John Richardson

Well, if you haven't been to a Pate Tile "Party", you really need to get out and participate in one! As you can see we all had fun on April 23rd at the Texas Motor Speedway. Like last year, after days of warm weather, again this one was a chilly start to the day, but warmed (just as we were leaving). It seemed better organized this year, but maybe 'cause it wasn't my first rodeo. There were plenty of people, including from our club, so it was all done pretty quicky—and there were even donuts left over! Don't forget that the next Party is on April 20th at the Motor Speedway to lay down the tiles for the Pate Swapmeet which starts on April 25th. Our club, with the Pate Registrar, Nichole, is doing registration for the 3 day event. Be sure and show on the 20th and sign-up to participate in the Registration activity!





Paul Alexander — 1946-2024

Paul Alexander was declared the longest surviving iron lung patient last March by the <u>Guinness World Records</u>. He contracted polio during an epidemic of the debilitating disease in the 1950s as a child living in Texas. Despite his condition, Alexander graduated from college with a law degree and ran his own legal practice. He also became a published author with the book "Three Minutes for a Dog," detailing his life.

WHY IS THIS IMPORTANT ? - READ BELOW

A Different Story Than Usual - By Brady Richard

About eight years ago I helped a person in the warehouses behind my car building by machining a couple of acme thread lead screws. When I delivered them I found out they were part of an iron lung and that there was a person living in one in Dallas. I had no idea anyone was still alive that had polio. A short while later the person I did the work for went missing and his warehouse space was being cleared out. I had two of my employees go over and get the iron lungs as I knew they belonged to someone.

A couple of months later a Dallas paramedic came into our main office asking if anyone around here had any iron lungs. Much to their surprise we said yes. That's when I found out about Paul Alexander, the polio survivor. I promptly rebuilt one of the machines and tested it. I got a call about a month later that Paul was in the hospital and this might be a good time to change his machine to the new one. We delivered the rebuilt machine and picked up the old one. Two days later I get a call from his caregiver in a panic about the machine not working correctly. She was unable to tell me what was wrong but it just was not right. Myself and one of my employees grabbed some tools and a few parts and when to his house. We found that the neck collar had not been put on correctly and had popped off the seal. The caregiver had stuffed towels around his neck to make it seal better. What we saw was the top of a head buried in towels.

We knew we would have to stop the machine and remove the neck collar over his head to put it back together. As this was totally new to us we were very concerned and wanted to work fast. Paul assured us he could breathe on his own for around five minutes. We started to work. Paul sounded like a fish out of water, gasping for air. After a couple of minutes I noticed he was getting tired and starting to turn blue. We really got worried as this repair was going to take longer. The caregiver finally calmed down and found his portable machine. We wished we had known about that earlier. Got him on the portable and finished the repairs. That was a very different way to meet someone for the first time.

Over the next few years I had the honor of getting to know Paul and maintaining his machine. The last time I saw him was about a week before he passed away in the hospital complaining about their machine was not working correctly. They called me to see if I could make sure it was. The machine was fine but he was not.

Being around people who have overcome a lot of adversity but can still manage to be happy should be an inspiration for all of us.

March Meeting minutes

PLACE: Shop DIY Garage

DATE: Sunday, March 17, 2024

TIME: 2:00 p.m.

Kip called the meeting to order at 2:09 pm.

Presidents Report - Kip Lankenau

Our Name has been changed by National to AACA Texas DFW Region on website and is spelled out Texas Dallas Fort Worth Region in the back of the *Antique Automobile* magazine under Regions & Chapters.

1st VP Report – Kim Keith

Gained one new member up to 93 members: 70 couples, 20 individuals, and 2 students.

New email for membership inquiries <u>AACATXDFW1@gmail.com</u>

Question from the floor about our change to allow 2 votes per family membership, does it affect our PATE count numbers. No it does not. All PATE participating clubs count Family Memberships just as AACA National does. Our member + spouse counting allowing 2 votes per family membership only affect votes taken in our local chapter..

 2^{nd} VP Report – Andy Riemitis is out of town.

April meeting will be held at the PATE WORK DAY, Saturday, April 20th at the Texas Motor Speedway. We will meet at 10 am to lay tiles. Afterwards, we will go to Hard 8 BBQ for lunch (clubsponsored) per Charlie Gambulos.

Treasurer's Report – Debra Lankenau

Submitted report.

Secretary's Report – Judy Kerr-Guysinger (sick)

Linda Cruz read the minutes from the February General Membership meeting as the Board of Director's meeting minutes were published in the Spotlight. A motion to accept the minutes as read was made by George Lang and 2nd by Charlie Gambulos 2nd the motion passed.

Tour Director's Report - Carey Frisby

<u>Tune Up Tour</u> – very well attended with 25 vehicles and 40 people. The First British Flying Museum was very informative and well-presented. Spent almost 2 hours at the museum visiting with docents and learning about the British and later US cadets who trained in Terrell to fly. Afterward, the caravan drove to Quinlan for a five-star lunch despite close quarters and pouring rain. Big thanks to George Lang for setting up the tour and Lynda & John Richardson for coordinating lunch!

Texas Tour - Charlie Gambulos stated the Comanche Nuclear Power Plant Tour was scratched since the power plant is up for sale and the visitor's center is now closed. Working on Plan B.

March Meeting minutes continued

Bug Tussle Trek – Cole Clayton absent (attending family wedding)

Host hotel information and tentative schedule is posted on the website. Recommended to make hotel reservations requesting the \$99/night rate at the Holiday Inn Express, Paris, as per Chris Stathopulo.

Pate Swap Meet – Charlie Gambulos

Saturday, March 23, at 10 am is tile clean-up & organization party at the Speedway.

Saturday, April 20, at 10 am - work day at Pate laying down tiles; late lunch will follow at a nearby restaurant (Club Sponsored) with a General Membership meeting.

Sunday, April 28, 10 am - Tile Pick Up Day

Old Business:

Communication Committee – Due to the need for messaging & branding consistency, Kip appointed Debra to lead a committee to address these issues. Kip asked for a motion to approve the Committee; Kim Keith made the motion with a 2nd from Mike Hrehocik, the motion passed..

Communication Committee Report – Debra Lankenau

The committee has met twice via Zoom to develop a strategy to have consistent messaging.

- Websites we want our website to reflect our Texas Region spirit, look professional with added functionality. Chris is working on the National hosted site which has room to grow.
- The committee is evaluating all websites, and social media and will develop guidelines and graphic standards so our club can work towards consistent messaging across all media platforms.
- Developing a Tagline The Committee will publish in the Spotlight ideas, so put on your creative hat and take a spin at coming up with a tagline.
- Request from the floor to have AACA Texas DFW Region business cards printed up so members can hand them out to prospective new members. The Communication Committee will develop the design.

2024 Tune-Up Tour- March 16th 2024 by John Richardson

George Lang led a surprising and pleasingly large number of AACATR-DFW members (36!) on the Tune-Up Tour to the #1 British Flying Training School in Terrell TX on a warm and welcoming sunny day a few Saturday's ago. Ok, Ok, it was overcast etc, etc. But the sunny disposition of the members, the welcoming docents at the museum, and the surprisingly well curated museum made for a great event. It's amazing to see the jewel that was the museum and the fascinating history of a tough time in global events, right in our back yard. One of ultimately 7 British flying schools in the US during WW2, there were a vast array of artifacts, historical photos, and explanation of why the school was there, supplemented by extremely knowledgeable docents and videos. One fascinating item for me was the wall map overlay of the UK and western Europe on top of Texas and surrounding states. It highlights how large our state is, as well as how well the training school could use our local skies to practice long run missions in Europe. Some folks took the shuttle to the hanger in back to see aircraft and larger artifacts. If you didn't make the Tour, it's really worth a trip just to see this well preserved example of history! Thanks to George for setting this up and leading us there.





Notice anything interesting about this particular display?



2024 Tune-Up Tour– March 16th 2024

Well, on to a less well planned (but equally exciting) activity after the museum—the lunch tour by John and Lynda Richardson. We toured on up to Quinlan TX near Lake Tawakoni (where the Eclipse event will be) and to what used to be Pop's Fish and Shrimp/Holy Smokes BBQ, which became God's Country Café only the Thursday before the Tour. As you can see from the photo, it was not the largest place around, and the owner neglected to mention in advance that 1/2 the seating was outdoors. Of course just as we all crammed into the parking lot, the skies opened up to a



fine deluge and everyone crowded inside, mostly standing around, wondering what the heck happened. As resourceful members brought in their own chairs from outside, Lynda starting ordering plates at the cashier. Fortunately!! we had the menu printed and everyone selected their meal in advance. So it was only getting the selection onto a plate and passed to the recipient by whomever was standing closest to the counter (aka volunteer waiters). All in all the food was pretty good, people were patient and help-ful, and it didn't rain inside.

Lesson: ALWAYS look before you leap, and eat at a place **<u>before</u>** you invite 34 of your best friends over for lunch!



Communications Committee Update By Debra Lankanau

Goal of Committee - to promote AACA Texas DFW Region consistently across all mediums including print, website (S), and social media.

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Accomplishments:

- 1. Migrated national-hosted website to National's new servers with room to grow. Working on website guidelines.
- 2. Tweaked logo to include "Texas DFW Region"
- 3. Started creating TAG LINE

Defining Graphic Standards & Styles

The committee welcomes YOUR input on creating a TAGLINE for our club. It sums up what we do in one line...Here are some samples the committee came up with. Have a glass of wine, put on your creative hat, and take a stab at it! Email your thoughts to Tammy at acatxdfw1@gmail.com

Bigger in Texas, better in a classic car! Oldest chapter in Texas. Drive into the future with us. Oldest chapter in Texas, driving into the future. Helping people to better enjoy the classic car and its history. We're the Wheel Deal! Let the good times roll! Our rolling memories! Visit history, drive a Classic! Driving history. Taking history down the road. Great cars, great people, great events

Debra Lankenau Communications Chair <u>debra@kipmotor.com</u>

TEXAS TOUR PAYMENTS:

There have been some questions on using PayPal to pay for registration fees.

- 1. You need go to PayPal.com
- 2. Select "Send Money"

3. Type in email address "<u>TreasurerAACATexasRegion@gmail.com</u>" (it should come up as verified.

4. Enter the amount of funds for registration.

Hit "Send" button

If you have any questions, please contact me at debra@kipmotor.com



Tour Update:

• Hilton Garden Inn discount rate is full, but if you want in the hotel anyhow call

817-579-3800. It's right next door to the convention center where we will be meeting.

- Comfort Suites discount rate is still available (currently) so call them: **817-579-5559**. They are a very short drive away.
- Registrations are still available so, if you haven't, go to : <u>thetexastour</u>.com to complete and mail the form,

OR: Click <u>HERE</u> for on-line registration

The deadline for registration is April 19, 2024. Those who register by this date will be guaranteed their shirt order, commemorative swag, and inclusion in the Tour Book. Because of the lead time needed on tie dye shirts, we will not have extras available. Late registration, please add \$10 per person after April 20, 2024. Please let us know of dietary restrictions and we will do our best to accommodate with the caterers.

If you are unable to make the tour or want to help out ahead of time, we have made public a list of supplies we normally purchase for the Tour. Please click <u>here</u> to see the list and support the Tour. Many hands make light work! If you want to add your name as a volunteer please contact Nichole and/or Charlie Gambulos.

The website listed above has the Tentative Schedule-

check it out!!

Texas Tour update continued

The link for the Amazon list of tour needs is <u>HERE</u> Shout out to Lynda Richardson for the boost up in buying tablecloths! It's sure easier than me buying up all the stock at three different Dollar Trees (hello Bug Tussle)

Volunteer link– ON THE WAY— watch for a separate email.

Registration has picked up. Shirt sales- 19 smiley face ones and 22 peace sign ones, so almost an even split on those preorders. Farthest registrant is Harlingen (RGV AACA) One ouf of state (Arkansas) There's several that have been coming for more than 40 years according to registration.



Oldest car: right now it's a 1925 Locomobile

All British & European Car Day – 2024

Sunday, April 21st

Bath House Cultural Center, White Rock Lake Park

521 E. Lawther Dr., Dallas, TX 75218

10 am – 3 pm



Come and join us at our 39th annual celebration of fine British & European motoring at the Bath House Cultural Center, White Rock Lake Park. Over 250 cars – vintage and modern, motorbikes,

and scooters will be present along with local car clubs, vendors, and food trucks to add to the festivities. Registration for a vehicle is \$30 at <u>www.allbritishcarday.com</u> and as always, spectators are welcome to attend at no charge.

Winners are determined by people's choice -1^{st} , 2^{nd} , and 3^{rd} place for each class plus a Best of Show and Best Preservation (no kit or modified cars).

This event supports *Shoes for Orphan Souls*, a Buckner International outreach program, and they need NEW SHOES for BOYS 11-18 years old. Please help us reach our goal of 174 pair of new shoes. This is our 20th year collecting shoes and we want to hit the magic number of 2,000 pairs!

Pack a picnic, grab your chair, hat, sunscreen, and umbrella, and experience the largest gathering of vintage British & European vehicles in North Texas.

For more information go to <u>www.allbritishcarday.com</u> or <u>www.facebook.com/allbritishcarday/</u>

Pate Swapmeet Update

By Charlie Gambulos II

As an all volunteer event, and main source of revenue for our club, it takes all of the assistance we can get to make it run as smoothly as possible. Our club is tasked with assisting with the **Cadillac LaSalle** club in sorting and setting up the space markers as well as running the registration building. As **Pate** continues to grow all clubs are doing multiple duties. Below are the date for setup/takedown as well as registration during the swap meet.

Tile Placement April 20 at 10am with meeting to follow

Hard 8 BBQ

205 S Oak St, Roanoke, TX 76262

Swapmeet Registration April 25-27, CLUB ACTIVITY!!

Tile pickup April 28

Pate Volunteer Sign-up Link –To Be Sent by Special Email—Watch for IT!



YOU ARE INVITED...



Last spring the Commemorative Air Force (CAF) invited the Dallas Early Ford V8 Club to display their vehicles at the annual "War Birds Weekend".

This year the same event is scheduled for **May 4 & 5th.** The CAF has extended this year's invite to interested car clubs in the DFW area to join them in celebrating 2024 as the **80th anniversary year of the D-Day invasion**. All era vehicles up through the 60's are invited to participate and will have a prominent location to **display their vehicles and "promote their clubs"**.

To accommodate the clubs, I (John Wallace) have offered to act as the liaison with the CAF for planning purposes and will need an estimated number of vehicles and attendees you believe would be interesting in taking part. The event will be held at the CAF Headquarters at Dallas Executive Airport (Red Bird)

May 4th & 5th with vehicles in place by 9:00AM.

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2024 CALENDAR Every 3rd Sunday at 2pm ______

Pate Tile Placement "party"

Texas Motor Speedway

Then

Club meeting at

Hard 8 BBQ

Eclipse Tour

April 8

Pate Swapmeet April 25—April 27 _Pate Tile pickup and lunch April 28

> Bug Tussle Trek September 28-29



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