

THE BOWTIE BULLETIN

The Official Newsletter
Of The **PIEDMONT CLASSIC CHEVY CLUB**

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A Message from Our PCCC President

PRESIDENT vs. KING

As many of you may know besides being President of PCCC I have also received the honor of being King Leonidas VII of Oakwood. This has presented a conflict on a few occasions, but I am happy to report that going forward there will be minimal scheduling conflicts of the two positions; which is a good thing because we are entering our busy time of the year.

Thanks to the outstanding work by both Ray Bader and Les Shelton for the Good Guys show April 28-30 and our Annual car show on May 27th are progressing nicely. Both these shows succeed because of our group effort, so when asked to help out please step up and lend a hand as needed. Over the next two months a major effort for show sponsors is under way. Please approach your neighborhood businesses, neighbors, and friends and ask for a \$50 donation. If every member brings in one sponsor we could double last year's money raised. Remember these are funds that go directly to our charity Hilltop Home. Pat Smith is our show sponsor chair and will be glad to help you with any questions you may have.

Changing subjects, I have identified a possible new meeting location for our monthly meetings. The cost could be somewhere around \$50 per month, but nothing has been confirmed yet, so if you know of a meeting hall that could work please let me know.

Barry Kitchener

Next Scheduled Business Meeting — Monday April 24, 2017

CLUB INFO • NEWS

PCCC Apparel

Royal Blue Polyester Golf Shirts
(including standard embroidery) [\$25]

Royal Blue Cotton Golf Shirts
(including standard embroidery) [\$20]
Add [\$2] for 2XL and [\$3] for 3XL

Club Jacket Black or Royal Blue/Navy
(including standard embroidery) [\$44]
Add [\$3] for 2XL and [\$4] for 3XL
\$5 extra for embroidered name on shirt or jacket
\$10 for embroidered club logo on back

Magnetic Engraved Name Badges [\$10.70]

Contact ***Larry Lewis*** @ 919.215.3946 or
rclarry@aol.com
for complete ordering details

2017–2018 Club Officers

President - Barry Kitchener
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Vice President - Chris Peedin
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Secretary - Jane Overman
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Treasurer - Tom Doherty
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Send your 2017 PCCC Dues payment to:

Tom Doherty
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For a complete listing of carshows and Cruise In's
Contact club member David Matthews at matthewsdavid1955@gmail.com

PLANNED 2017 PCCC SOCIAL EVENTS & CLUB CRUISES

Fish Fry - May 2017
@ Lynwood and Mavis' House

Tour at Mike Leith's Classic Car Museum

DATES TBD FOR ALL EVENTS

Sunday Picnic at Falls Lake—Shelter #23

Georgia Moonshine Cruise—July 2017
Visit the Georgia Moonshine Cruise Website for details
or contact Dave Peedin for details

Cruise In to Hurdle Mills, NC and lunch at
Homestead Steakhouse Restaurant
in Timberlake, NC

Any Questions or Suggestions?

Contact Carol Keith at 919.847.5515 or David Peedin (Travel Coordinator for car cruises) at 919.612.6998

*WELCOME
NEW MEMBERS*

*Peter & Maria Stange
Holly Springs, NC*

*Steven & Jane Larue
Garner, NC*



Rick Mangrum and his Street Rod Nova





Lee Caplan brought his Volkswagen Type 181 "Thing"
all the way from Maryland

Our 2017 Made In The USA Carshow Flyer

PIEDMONT CLASSIC CHEVY CLUB
28th Annual Made In The USA CARSHOW
May 27, 2017
Celebrating 50 years of the 1967 Chevrolet

Sponsored by:
CAPITAL
CHEVROLET



Sponsored by: Capital Chevrolet
Show for All American Makes 1990 or Older ONLY
Proceeds from the car show to benefit: Raleigh's Hilltop Home for Children
Photo Plaques to first 200 Entries - Door Prizes - Music - 50/50 - Food

"Best of " Awards

Best Chevy	Best Paint	Best Interior
Best Other GM	Best Engine Compartment	Best Other US Makes
Best Ford	Best Club Participation	Best Special Interest
Best Mopar	Best Street Rod	Best Truck

Mark Roberts, CAPITAL CHEVROLET "Pick of the Show " Award
Kids Choice Pink Ladies Choice PCCC Presidents's "Pick of the Show"

Thank you! to **O'Reilly** for Providing Awards and Trophies
Registration: 8 am to 12 noon - \$20 (No pre - registration - no rain date)

Awards presented at 3 pm
(Sorry no vehicles displayed newer than 1990)
Location: Lake Wheeler Park, 6404 Lake Wheeler Road , Raleigh, NC 27603
Visit our club website for more information at piedmontccc.org
Or visit our Facebook fan page at <https://www.facebook.com/piedmontccc>

TAKE A Kid TO A Car Show
BY ARMO

Park Rules
Lake Wheeler Park Rules: Pets must be restrained on a leash at all times; within the park. No alcohol of any kind. Smoking is only in designated parking lots. Canopies must have a fire extinguisher and anchors.

Help us help the children sign up to be a PCCC Car Show Sponsor For Only \$50 for more information, Contact any PCCC Club Member or email Pat Smith at psmith036@nc.rr.com

SOME NORTH CAROLINA HISTORY

DO YOU KNOW?

Driver's Licenses in North Carolina were not mandatory until the North Carolina General Assembly passed the Uniform Driver's License Act in 1935.

The bill was in response to the fact that more than 1000 deaths had occurred on NC State Highways since the rise of the automobile.

The act defined a motor vehicle as "any rubber-tired vehicle propelled or drawn by any power other than muscular."

Aircraft, ambulances and agricultural and industrial tractors were excluded from the licensing requirement.

Drivers were required to be at least 16 years of age and no test was required. Only the word that the applicant was experienced and careful as needed.

Exams didn't become a requirement until 1948.

Submitted by Chris Peedin



PCCC PARTS & SWAP

Contact club members for more details

Small Block Quadrajet manifold [\$40]; ; Edelbrock 750 Performer Carb - may need rebuild [\$60];
Ray Bader @ 919-387-0479

283 cu in engine, block casting 3896948 (1967 283 195 HP 2 bolt main) 2barrel carb has stamping: T0329GA [\$300] 1966 Chevelle rear bumper excellent (new) condition (reproduction) [\$100 or BO]
Ted Korab @ 973-420-2804 or 919-616-0427

A/R Torque Thrust Wheels, 17X8, 5 lug 4.75 (GM) bolt pattern, Standard offset, 4.50" back spacing. Perfect condition. [\$400 all four] **Dave Peedin 919-612-6998**

In 1961, Lee Iacocca, vice president and general manager of Ford Division, had a vision. His vision was a car that would seat four people, have bucket seats, a floor mounted shifter, be no more than 180 inches long, weigh less than 2500 pounds, and sell for less than \$2500.00. Out of this vision, the Ford Mustang was born.

After many months of meetings, discussions and market surveys, funding was finally approved for the Mustang in September of 1962.

The original 1962 Ford Mustang I two-seater concept car had evolved into the 1963 Mustang II four-seater concept car which Ford used to pretest how the public would take interest in the first production Mustang. The 1963 Mustang II concept car was designed with a variation of the production model's front and rear ends with a roof that was 2.7 inches shorter.

On March 9, 1964 the first Mustang rolled off of the assembly line.

In order to keep production costs down, many of the Mustang's components were borrowed from the Falcon, including most of the drivetrain.

On April 16, 1964, the day before it's release, Ford ran simultaneous commercials at 9:30pm on all three major television networks, ABC, NBC, and CBS. The following day, April 17, 1964, people "attacked" the Ford showrooms.

The Mustang was also introduced at the New York World's Fair on Apr. 17 1964.



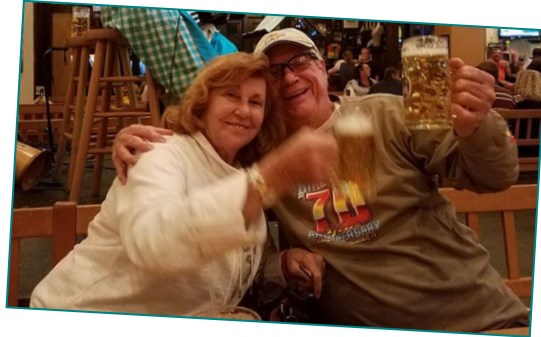
Classic Car Trivia

What year was the first SS package made available?

Trivia answer will appear in
The May 2017 Edition

Trivia from the March 2017 Edition

Out and About with PCCC



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