

*THE BOWTIE BULLETIN*  
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*MESSAGE FROM OUR PCCC PRESIDENT*

Greetings to all,

July certainly started out with a bang, (no pun intended) heat, rain and occasional hail. Through all that the club still found things to do. Several members joined in to a short but nice parade in Cleveland NC. Dave Peedin planned out a fantastic trip to Hiwassee Georgia for the week of July 10 to the 14th. We could not escape the rain but it was a great time in between rain drops. Happy to say all made it home safe and sound with no MAJOR problems. Other members took advantage of the heat and went to Henderson that weekend for the ruin creek cruise in. From what I was told it was very hot but they had a good time. Ray Bader put together an outing to Phantom Works restoration shop tour on the 19th.

It was very interesting talking with Dan Short the owner and main character on the show. The tour was enjoyable to say the least, a lot of information and things to see. Check out Facebook for some great pictures. On another note I would like to welcome all the new members that have joined PCCC since January and hope you have been able to join in to some activities. I hope to see and talk to as many members as possible at upcoming events. Thank you all for making this the best car club in N.C.

The August 2019 Business Meeting Is Scheduled on *Monday August 25, 2019*  
Advance Auto Store Support Center-University Building  
4709 Hargrove Rd, Raleigh, NC 27616

## CLUB INFO

### 2019–2020 Club Officers

President - David Smith  
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For a complete listing of carshows and cruise in's  
Contact club member

*Kaye Brady*

A Complete list will be posted on Facebook  
and will be sent by email

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Got an interesting project or story you would like to submit for future newsletters?  
Contact Jeff Hopp at [jhopp55@att.net](mailto:jhopp55@att.net)

### *PCCC APPAREL*

#### Royal Blue Polo Shirts

Including standard embroidery [\$22]

#### Hats

Solid Kaki, Kaki with Black Brim, Solid Black  
Style will be popular soft cover type and adjustable fit  
[\$15 ea]

#### Club Jacket Royal Blue

Including standard embroidery [\$46]

#### New 'Soft Shell Black Jacket

With lighter contrast collar [\$56]

#### Magnetic Engraved Name Badges [\$10.70]



Contact *Larry Lewis* @ 919.215.3946 or  
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for complete ordering details

*WELCOME NEW MEMBERS !!*

Skip & Cindy O'Strander  
Youngsville, NC

Randolph & Marta Ferrantino  
Holly Springs, NC

Paul Barber  
Raleigh, NC

Bill & Diane MacKrell  
Durham, NC

Larry & Janie Sweat  
Clayton, NC

*Who Is This PCCC Member ?*



*Watch for the big reveal in the  
2019 September Edition.*



**Photos By  
Chris Peedin, Carol Keith,  
Les Shelton**



## LOCAL AUGUST CARSHOWS AND EVENTS

### **AUGUST 3**

**SPENCER, NC** - 15th Annual All Ford Show at NC Transportation Museum, 1 Samuel Spencer Dr. Spencer NC. 9am to 1pm.

### **AUGUST 4**

**GREENSBORO, NC** - Gate City Summer Showdown 2pm to 8pm. 2806 Randleman Rd. Greensboro NC. 336-420-5950 for info.

### **AUGUST 10**

**SPENCER NC** - 8th Annual All GM Show at the NC Transportation Museum 1 Samuel Spencer Dr. Spencer NC. 9am to 1pm

### **AUGUST 17**

**GARNER, NC**— 13th Annual Capital City Cruisers car, truck, & bike show. 1155 East Timber Dr. Garner NC. 919-940-1605 for info.

### **AUGUST 24**

**HENDERSON NC** - 10th Annual All Ford Show. 8am to 3pm. Gwynn Lane Henderson at Corner of US 158 Bypass and Ruin Creek Rd. 252-432-9835 for information.

### **AUGUST 31**

**DURHAM NC** - Break out the Hot rod Annual Labor Day Weekend Car, Truck & Bike Show. Fellowship Baptist Church 515 Southerland St Durham, NC. 8am to 3pm. 919-618-2922 for info.

**LITTLETON NC** - 25th Annual Rod & Custom Show, presented by the Stray Cats. 8am to 3pm. Open to Pre 1980 vehicles. call 252-578-6049 for more info.

## AUGUST CRUISE INs and CARS & COFFEE EVENTS

### **AUGUST 3**

**CLAYTON, NC** - **CARS & COFFEE** - 1st Saturdays 8am to 11am. 11407 US 70 business, Clayton NC at The Church at Clayton Crossings parking lot.

**MORRISVILLE, NC** - **CARS & COFFEE** - 8am to 11am, 5425 Page Rd, Durham NC

**GARNER, NC** - **CRUISE IN**- Mojoes 1st Saturday Cruise in, 4pm to 9pm. Garner Towne Square 2648 Timber Dr. Garner NC.

### **AUGUST 7**

**ROLESVILLE, NC** - **CRUISE IN** - Every Wednesday at 5pm. Gelato Mia 112 Southtown Circle Rolesville NC.

### **AUGUST 10**

**WAKE FOREST, NC** - **CARS & COFFEE** - 8am to 10am at Sonic Drive In 12508 Capital Blvd Wake Forest NC. **Classics only.**

**CARY, NC** - **CARS & COFFEE** - Millpond Village, Kildaire Farms & Ten/Ten, 8:30am near the First Citizens Bank.

**RALEIGH, NC** - **CARS & COFFEE** - 8am Triangle Town Center, 5959 Triangle Towne Blvd. Raleigh NC.

**AUGUST CRUISE INs and CARS & COFFEE EVENTS (Con't)**

**AUGUST 10**

**ROXBORO, NC – CARS & COFFEE** - 44 Gordon St. Roxboro NC from 8am to 10am. In the parking lot of The Shops of Hall's Way.

**RALEIGH, NC - CRUISE IN** - 3pm to 7pm Marsh Creek Community Center 3050 N. New Hope Rd. Raleigh NC. Open event, contact 919-395-8626 for details.

**CLAYTON, NC - CRUISE IN** - 2nd Saturdays Zaxby's 3pm to 7pm. 12857 US Hwy 70 W Clayton NC.

**ST PAULS, NC - CRUISE IN** - 2nd Saturdays Cruising Main St, downtown St. Pauls from 6pm to 9pm

**KINSTON, NC - CRUISE IN** - 2nd Saturdays April to Oct. held at the Marathon Hwy 70 E Kinston, beside the Bojangles.

**WAKE FOREST, NC – CRUISE IN** – 4pm My Place Restaurant and Tavern. 2108 S Main St. Wake Forest NC. Call 828-320-3541 for details.

**CARY, NC**— Hot Rods & Hot Grub Cruise In, Cary NC D & S Cafeteria from 10am to 2pm.

**AUGUST 17**

**RALEIGH, NC - CARS & COFFEE** - North Raleigh C&C 1141 Falls River Ave. Raleigh NC at Caretta Coffee and Café. 8am to 11am.

**GREENSBORO, NC - CARS & COFFEE** - 8am to 10am. 1720 West Gate City Blvd, Greensboro NC.

**MOUNT AIRY, NC - CRUISE IN** - Mayberry Cool Cars & Rods Cruise in, W. Oak St. & Main St. Downtown Mount Airy starts at 4pm.

**DUNN, NC - CRUISE IN** - Harnett Cruisers hosting 3rd Saturday Cruise in at Hwy 55 Burgers, shakes, & fries from 5pm to 8pm. 1269 E. Cumberland St. Dunn NC.

**AUGUST 18**

**RALEIGH, NC – CRUISE IN** – Boston Market cruise in, 4558A Capital Blvd. Raleigh NC. 3pm to 8pm. 919-381-0740 for info.

**LIBERTY, NC – CRUISE IN** – Cobles Cruise in, Liberty Shopping Center starts at 2pm. 336-669-4075 for details.

**AUGUST 23**

**DURHAM, NC - CRUISE IN** - Bull City Street Rodders 4th Friday nights 3912 North Roxboro Rd. Durham NC from 6pm to 9pm.

**AUGUST 24**

**WAKE FOREST, NC – CRUISE IN** – Sonic Cruise In, 6pm 12508 Capital Blvd Wake Forest NC.

**BENSON, NC – CRUISE IN** – Hardees 11959 Hwy 210 Benson, from 3pm to 6pm. 919-524-9445 for info.

*For More Info—Contact Kaye Brady at  
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## AUGUST CRUISE INs and CARS & COFFEE EVENTS (Con't)

### **AUGUST 25**

**KNIGHTDALE, NC - CARS & COFFEE** - 4th Sundays 9am to 12 noon at 8001 Knightdale Blvd. Knightdale NC.

**CARY, NC - CARS & COFFEE** - Rides and Coffee at Detail Garage, 9am to 12 noon. Last Sunday of the month. 683-C Cary Towne Blvd. Cary NC.

**BENSON, NC - CRUISE IN** - Char Grill from 1pm to 6pm. 105 S Walton Ave. Benson NC.

### **AUGUST 31**

**GARNER NC - CRUISE IN** - 5th Saturday cruise in, 3pm until. 1155 East Timber Dr. Garner NC, White Oak Shopping Center.

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## CRAZY & ODD

When France was occupied by the Germans in 1940, Citroen was forced to produce vehicles for the Nazis. They chose to move the fill line on their oil dipsticks lower, causing the trucks to seize under stress from low oil.

On October 6, 1909, Vancouver revealed its first Auto Ambulance and was taken on a test drive, when it ran over and almost instantly killed a wealthy man from Austin, Texas. Ironically, this man was the first person the ambulance picked up.

1981 Cadillac Eldorado's were fitted with a metal plate under the driver's seat to fix a balancing problem. This saved mob associate Frank Rosenthal's life when the plate shielded him from the force of a car bomb exploding under his Eldorado.

About 1/3 of new cars no longer come with a spare tire. While some have run-flat tires, having no spare tires decreases weight and increases fuel economy and also quietly saves car companies millions of dollars a year.

Car makers employ sound engineers to give car doors that satisfying 'thunk' when closed.

An oil change for a Bugatti Veyron costs \$21,000 and takes approximately 27 hours.

Volkswagen sells sausages and ketchup. It is also their best selling product, selling millions more than their cars.

## PCCC PARTS & SWAP

Contact the PCCC member listed below for additional details

Contact **Jeff Hopp** to submit an ad or change or delete existing ads at [jhopp55@att.net](mailto:jhopp55@att.net)

Original heater core & blower motor for 1966/67 Chevelle. Perfect condition [**\$200 for both.**]; Original heater core and blower motor for 1970-72 Chevelle - perfect condition with Temp Control panel. [**\$200**]; O.E. "Spread Bore" 4 Barrel intake off of 1968 327 Corvette engine [**\$75**] Contact **Dave Peedin** @ 919-612-6998.

Four brand new AC Delco 11" brake rotors and a complete set of new brake pads available for C3 Corvettes [**Asking \$125 for all**] Contact **Dave Peedin** @ 919-612-6998.

Edelbrock 750 Performer Carb - may need rebuild [**\$60**] Contact **Ray Bader** @ 919-387-0479

Chevelle Parts and Ford Model A Parts for sale—  
Contact **Bill Aldridge** @ 919-523-4619

1967 Camaro factory original transmission Muncie M-22 4 speed with Hurst Competition shift cluster minus handle, new aluminum bellhousing with fork, fly wheel and bolts, new clutch, pressure plate and throw out bearing and bolts as well as transmission to bellhousing bolts. [**Asking \$1500 firm.**] Contact **Jane Overman** @919 637 9297

1988 Cougar LS for sale, white with deep blue interior; fuel injected 3.8L V6, auto trans original owner, original paperwork available. Also has set of brand new Splash Guards with Cougar Logo and some spare Wheel Covers and Center Caps. [**\$TBD**] Contact **Robert Andersen** @ 919-749-1454

62 Impala S/S hubcaps. Excellent condition (set of 4) [**\$250**]; Contact **Barry Kitchener** @ 919-623-7287

The **Chevrolet Cosworth Vega** is a subcompact four-passenger automobile produced by Chevrolet for the 1975 and 1976 model years. It is a limited-production version of the Chevrolet Vega, with higher performance. The car's light weight, coupled with a manual transmission, alloy wheels and special graphics, made it a viable and able performance car.

### THE COSWORTH VEGA

Between the two years, its base price averaged \$6,000, twice that of a standard Vega and about \$800 less than a Corvette, leading to a two-year production run of 3,508. It was just a fraction of the 5,000-per-year estimate GM hoped for.

It featured several firsts, including Chevy's first sixteen-valve twin-cam engine, first factory-installed stainless steel exhaust header, and first use of electronic fuel injection.



The Cosworth Vega was conceived four years earlier. Around 1971, Chevrolet contacted Cosworth Engineering of England, and development began on a race-inspired version of the four-cylinder Vega engine. Cosworth has a long, distinguished career in Formula One racing.

All 1975 Cosworth Vegas were painted black, with gold pin-striping applied to the hood bulge, body sides, wheel openings, and rear cove panel. Wheels were 13" cast-aluminum and finished in gold. 'Cosworth Twin Cam' lettering appeared on the front fenders and rear cove.

For 1976, the Cosworth, along with the other Vega's, received a minor restyle with a wider grille and tri-color tail-lamps.

In 2009, a modified Chevy Cosworth Vega set a new class record at the Bonneville Salt Flats. Using modern tuning techniques, owner/driver Frank Sloan and his crew coaxed nearly 260 horsepower (at 9500 rpm) out of the four-cylinder engine, more than double the factory rating of 110. Sloan and his Vega now own the Land Speed G/Pro class record of 156.818 mph.



*Out and About with PCCC*



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