

*THE BOWTIE BULLETIN
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Floyd Barnes and his Chevy Pickup

Special Message from Our PCCC Vice President, Ray Bader

I'm amazed that it's already February. Seems like Christmas was last week. I want to thank all of the members that had enough confidence in me to vote for me.

Last year was difficult for everyone. The threat of catching a deadly bug loomed over everything we did. Most of our normal activities were cancelled, including our two revenue producing events. We still managed to make our annual donation to Hilltop Home. Thanks to all the members that stepped up and made a personal donation.

Raleigh is on the GoodGuys schedule for April 23 - 25. Not sure if we'll be out of quarantine by then, I'm doubtful. I'll stay in touch with Harry and let you know as soon as I know something definite. We didn't get to participate in any parades last year, hopefully we'll have some opportunities going forward. Now that a vaccine is available, events may start slowly coming back. Everyone stay safe and wear your mask in public.

Thanks, and hopefully we'll see more of each other.

Ray

CLUB INFO

2021–2022 Club Officers

President - *David Smith*
dmsmith57@outlook.com

Vice President - *Ray Bader*
raybader46@earthlink.net

Secretary - *Natalie Hummel*
hummelcycle@gmail.com

Treasurer - *Tom Doherty*
tdoherty@mpcllp.com

Send your annual 2021 PCCC Dues payment to:

Tom Doherty
4008 Ridgebrook Bluffs; Raleigh, NC 27603

Make check out to PCCC
Annual dues are \$25

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

kbrady.southernclassic@hotmail.com

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

PCCC APPAREL

Standard Club Shirt [\$10] Long Sleeve [\$15]

Royal Blue Polo Shirts

Including standard embroidery [\$23]

Pink Ladies V-Neck [\$10]

Hats

Solid Kaki, Kaki with Black Brim, Kaki with Black Trim, Solid Black,
Gray/White [\$15]

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
rclarry@aol.com
for complete ordering details

Welcome New Members

Jim & Sandra Ashley
Fuquay-Varina, NC

Mark & Julie Bernatz
Rolesville, NC

Are You Ready To Go Cruisin'?

The Georgia Mountain Moonshine Cruzin

Club tour to Hiawassee, Georgia on July 28th (travel day and arrival), attendees planned events on July 29th, and main show on Friday 30th and Saturday 31st. Check out Sunday Aug 1 and travel home. Currently, there are 36 PCCC members signed up to go.



View the links for info and registration—

georgiamoonshinecruise.com

[Georgia Mountain Moonshine Cruz-In 2021 Tickets, Thu, Jul 29, 2021 at 9:00 AM | Eventbrite](#)

Georgia Mountain Fairgrounds
1311 Music Hall Road
Hiawassee, GA 30546

1-800-613-4349 to book your room at Lake Chatooga Lodge

Contact Dave Peedin with any questions @ (919) 612-6998

CELEBRATION!!!!

***FEBRUARY
PCCC BIRTHDAYS***

*Ron Schwitz
Ron Watkins
Beth Cooper
Floyd Barnes
Dave Neumann
Jo Clark
Bill Aldridge
Brandon LeSech
Don King*



Photos submitted by Chris Peedin

Getting To Know PCCC Members

Last year, Chris Peedin suggested an idea for members in the club to submit photos of themselves from the past, "Guess Who Feature." If any of you are interested, send me a photo from your past. I will post it in the newsletter for PCCC members to guess who you might be.

After you send me a photo from your past, you would then need to send me a story about you, to describe where you grew up, what schools, or college you may have attended, what your career was (or still is about) and something interesting about your car hobby. So, if you may find this to be an interesting feature, send me a photo of yourself when you were younger and along with a current photo of yourself. Send your story after.

The newsletter that will follow will then reveal who you are and your story posted. Look for this feature during the course of the year.

To submit photos and your story, send me an email at jhopp55@att.net

Jeff

Guess Who



PCCC Photography



*Photos By
Jeff Hopp*



PCCC Photography Challenge - Keep the photos coming!!

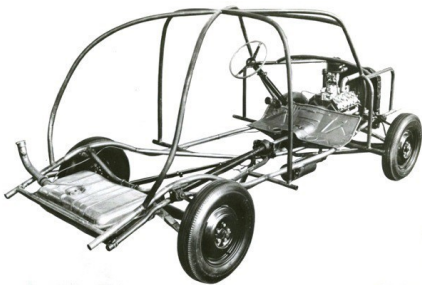
This is a challenge to all PCCC Club members to get involved with some car photography. As we all have cell phones (yes some can take some awesome photos) and some of us do have nice cameras, how about getting a nice photo of YOUR vehicle with an old abandoned building, or barn, or old gas station... or anything you feel would be a nice image of your car or truck. Since it is suggested that we do not to gather in crowds and the car events are few and far between, this might be something cool to do and would be an opportunity to get those classics out on the road for a bit. Your images will be featured each month.

Send to my email at—jhopp55@att.net

Jeff

Classic Car Trivia—Henry Ford's Soy Bean Car

Henry Ford's "Soybean Car" was actually a plastic-bodied car unveiled on August 13, 1941 at Dearborn Days, an annual community festival. The frame, made of tubular steel, had 14 plastic panels attached to it. The car weighed 2000 lbs., 1000 lbs. lighter than a steel car. The exact ingredients of the plastic panels are unknown because no record of the formula exists today. The car body and fenders were made from a strong material derived from soy beans, wheat and corn. The body was lighter and therefore more fuel efficient than a normal metal body.



It was made, in part, as a hedge against the rationing of steel during World War II. It was designed to run on hemp fuel.

The Henry Ford Museum gives three reasons for Ford's decision to make a plastic automobile, Ford was looking to integrate industry with agriculture, he claimed that his plastic made these cars safer than normal metal cars, and Ford wished to make his new plastic material a replacement for the metals used in normal cars.

Ford also experimented with organic molds for car exteriors, but the actual soybean car was destroyed, its secrets lost with its demise.



Contact Jeff Hopp to submit an ad
or change or delete existing ads at
jhopp55@att.net

PCCC PARTS & SWAP

Contact the PCCC Member
listed below for additional
details

R-12 Freon for sale
12oz cans [**\$25ea**]
Contact **Mustang Mike** @ 516 557-9060

Chevelle Parts - Ford Model A Parts
Contact **Bill Aldridge** @ 919-523-4619

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**]; **Four brand
new AC Delco 11" brake rotors** and a complete set of new brake pads available for C3 Corvettes [**\$125
for all**]; **GM 3:42 ring and pinion gear** for 12 bolt PosiTrac carrier [**\$200**]; Pair brand new (still in box)
headrest for 1967 Camaro bucket seats. [**\$200**]; **Brand new complete RS Conversion kit for 1969
Camaro.** Includes new Grill, Headlight Bucket Assemblies, Electric Doors & Motors, wiring harness, rear
Tail Lamp Assemblies, Housings, & Lenses, and Back Up Light Assemblies. [**\$1,000**]

Contact **Dave Peedin** @ 919-612-6998.

2004 2wd Toyota Tundra Crew Cab,
New tires, AC recently charged, New radiator,
Leer Camper shell [**\$5500**]
Contact **Eric Mangum** @ 612.210.4109

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

1988 Cougar LS, 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. [**\$4900**]
Contact **Robert Andersen** @ 919-749-1454

Set of 4 new GM Door Hinge Pins
for a GM "H" body Monza, Vega,
Sunbird, Skyhawk, Astre,
and Starfire. PN 9655646 [**FREE**]
Contact **Mike Roth** @ 201-755-0600

Long Style Cast Iron Water Pump (for small block) [**\$15**]; Carter Fuel Pump [**\$5**]; Cast
Water Neck [**\$10**]; Chrome Water Neck [**\$7**]; 1970-72 Chevelle Original Dash Pad [**\$75**];
1970 Chevelle tail light lenses [**\$40 for both**]; Crawler [**\$10**]; K&N 13x2 Washable Air
Filter [**\$10**]; 14x3 Air Filter [**\$5**]; 68-72 Chevelle Fuel Tank Door/License Plate Mount
[**\$10**]; Original 1970 Chevelle Grill with Stainless Trim [**\$75**]; "350" emblems (R&L) for 70
Chevelle [**\$40**]; Trunk Emblem for 70 Chevelle [**\$30**]; Grill Emblem for 70 Chevelle [**\$15**]
Contact **Jeff Hopp** @ 919-665-9318