

## Next Meeting

April 3, 2021



## Presidents Ramblings

Greetings Club Members!!!!

LET'S GET BACK TO LIVING AGAIN!!!

Governor Abbott has officially opened up Texas on March 10, 2021!!!!

I hope that many of you are ready to get back to some kind of normalcy!!!

I have been very fortunate to mostly continue to live my life pretty much the same way before the lockdown! We are going to have our first meeting since the shut down on April 3rd!!!!

I am hoping that if you agree to come to the meeting that you'll show up! I tried to have a meeting in late 2020 and nearly half of those that said they would come did not show up.

What I will be doing is that I will pay for the meal for those that have paid their dues to National and Local!!!! To those of you who choose not to pay their dues because of the COVID Shutdown you can also eat free if you pay your dues when you come to the meeting!!!

The only business that will be discussed is the PATE SWAP MEET!

**PATE will be April 22 thru the 24th.**

This is our biggest fund raiser and we do need volunteers to work the Car Corral. The newsletter will contain detailed information from Scott Ingram and Lee Ivanhoe.

Donna and I are looking forward to seeing all of you!!! Let's get back to living again!!!

Sam Austin

## Pate Update!!

**The Pate Swap Meet will be held this year (April 22-24)!** A 63 page Pate COVID protocol (of the steps being taken to keep participant safe) was developed and submitted to the city of Fort Worth and, as a result, we were granted a waiver of the governor's existing group meeting limit mandate, so the swap meet will not be cancelled unless the governor says the TMS grounds have to be used those dates for continued COVID inoculations. This will be announced on the Pate website shortly and all on the Pate mailing list were just notified (see attached). The Pate COVID protocol is available off the Pate website [www.pateswapmeet.com](http://www.pateswapmeet.com)

COVID Safety highlights– Swap Meet visitors will have to pass through a tent with a thermal imaging camera, those displaying a possible high temperature will be pulled aside and further screened for temperature. If a high temperature is detected they will have to leave. Pate will pass out masks, and masks will be required unless the governor eases that current restriction. 30 hand sanitizing stations and additional hand washing stations will be added.

86% of vendor spaces are already sold and the remaining are expected to sell quickly once the public knows the swap meet is a go.

Lee Ivanhoe has the Car Corral worker car passes for our club.

**New things are happening on our web site, so come check it out. It's still a work in progress, so check back often and see what's new.** <http://www.wtraacaclassicmemories.com/>

**Don't forget, we also have a Facebook page. Come visit us at** <https://www.facebook.com/ClassicMemoriesCarClub/>

### Officers

President: **Sam Austin**

Vice President: **Jeanie Scott**

Secretary: **Donna Johnson**

Treasurer: **Marilyn Brogden**

Pate Director: **Scott Ingram**

Pate Alternate: **Lee Ivanhoe**

Tour Director: **Jerry Owens**

Newsletter: **Jeanie Scott**

### Board Members

Weldon Brookshire

Weldon Brogden

Are you tired of being cooped up? Are you ready for Spring? Are you ready to get outdoors in the fresh air? Are you ready to see some cool cars? Are you ready to reconnect with your car buddies? **Well, have I got the opportunity for you!**

The annual Pate Swap Meet **IS A GO** for April 22<sup>nd</sup> through the 24<sup>th</sup>! Here is the link to the Pate website - [The Pate Swap Meet - April 22 - 24, 2021](#)

Our club's workdays at the Pate Car Corral are Friday 4/23 and Saturday 4/24. In case you do not know, the way it works is we have two workers on duty at all times and often one or two others hanging around to help if needed and for the fun of it! We ask club members to sign up in 2 hour timeslots (more than one a day if you want), and hopefully you can sign up for each day so we can cover the full schedule. Its easy peasy, we just check the cars as they come in to make sure they have a car corral sticker and try to keep the bicycles and golf carts out, and that's about it. The WTR-AACA Club provides snacks and drinks during the day and we usually go out to dinner as a group one night.

So, to sign up look at the attached Pate Worker Template and determine a first choice and a second choice time slot you would like to work and **Email me back with that information.** I will fill the official worker schedule based on the first replied, first served principle. If you want to work but don't care what time slot then just let me know that too and I will assign you a slot. If you and a friend want to work the same time slot be sure to let me know that too! After the schedule is filled up I will send each of you a copy of the completed schedule and a car corral worker pass.

**2021 Pate Car Corral WTR-AACA Work Schedule**

Date	Time	Worker 1	cell	Worker 2	cell
Tuesday - Thursday		Heart of Texas (HOT) Club opens			
Thursday 4/22 -		hook up with HOT to get radios and Golf carts		Scott Ingram	
<b>Friday April 23rd</b>					
Friday	7-9 AM				
Friday	9-11 AM				
Friday	11-1 PM				
Friday	1-3 PM				
Friday	3-5 PM				
Friday	5-7 PM				
<b>Saturday April 24th</b>					
Saturday	7-9 AM				
Saturday	9-11 AM				
Saturday	11-1 PM				
Saturday	1-3 PM				
Saturday	3-5 PM				
Saturday	5-7 PM				
<b>Tear Down Volunteers</b>					
Sunday	7- 10 AM	Ingram, Scott			
Sunday	7 - 10 AM				
<b>Please be prompt in order to relieve the person in front of you</b>					
AACA contacts:		Scott Ingram 432-238-3480			
		Lee Ivanhoe 432-770-1744			

Thanks for your help with this, our only fundraiser of the year!!

Scott Ingram - WTR-AACA Pate Director  
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**God Bless America**

Lee Ivanhoe is getting a block of **hotel rooms** nearby for those that come; once you sign up you will need to contact Lee for the hotel information to confirm your individual reservation.

Pate is getting closer and we still have 7 rooms available of 11, at a great location and reasonable price.

Below is the updated reserved rooms as of my conversation with the hotel a few minutes ago.

If for some reason you already called in and reserved a room from the block of 11 rooms and you are not shown below, just let me know, otherwise will assume the 7 rooms still open.

When calling to reserve a room, the numbers below are actually account numbers and not confirmation numbers. Not sure why the hotel gave me something other than the typical confirmation number. Blame it on COVID !!!

After you have taken one of the rooms , please email me the account number for your room.

Thanks, Lee  
[leeamy5400@suddenlink.net](mailto:leeamy5400@suddenlink.net)  
432-770-1744

Account Numbers

April 22, 23 and 24th. Checkout Sunday AM 25th.

1	186-972103	<u>Halley Brookshire Reserved</u>
2	669-199435	<u>Jack Brookshire Reserved</u>
3	540-750641	<u>Lee Ivanhoe Reserved</u>
4	567-216964	<u>Weldon Brookshire Reserved</u>
5	596-230801	_____
6	639-160791	_____
7	713-892054	_____
8	739-960244	_____
9	774-016375	_____
10	794-262702	_____
11	365-690499	_____

- La Quinta Inn and Suites by Wyndham Northlake Fort Worth
- Located at : 13501 Raceway Drive, Roanoke, Tex, 76262
- Front Desk: 817-490-9400
- Reserved 10- Non Smoking Rooms with 1 King Size Bed. (Rooms with 2 Queens were in short supply.)
- Cost per Night per Room: \$95 + Tax.