### The Gas Light

Classic

### **Next Meeting**

June 12, 2021



#### **GREETINGS CLUB MEMBERS**

Even though we had a light turnout for our May meeting it was one of our best meetings in a long time!!! We had three new members join our Classic Memories Car Club! I want to thank Ben and Lisa Scoggins for showing their 1957 Chevy at the last minute!!!

Jerry Owens and Mel Hammontree tried real hard to find us a Car of the Month but no luck! Red Brogden has a new car but is getting the engine rebuilt.

I changed our meetings to the second Saturday of the month thinking there was more conflict with it being on the first. When I called everyone I heard birthdays, graduations, reveal parties and vacations. We will continue to have it on the Second Saturday of the Month because the majority of the holidays are the first and last weekends.

#### **ROAD TRIP**

We have an exciting road trip planned for Saturday May 15, 2021!

We are going to Gail, Texas for their first ever Car Show, Swap Meet and Concert! We will be leaving the Stripes Convenience Store at Big Spring Street and Loop 250 at 8:30 am!

Please call me and let me know!!!

My phone number is 432-770-5589!

My phone has phone block on it if it does not see your number in my contact list!!!! If this happens please leave a message!!!!!

"THE ROAD IS NEVER LONG WHEN YOU TRAVEL WITH FRIENDS"

I hope to see a bunch of you on Saturday for our Road Trip!!!!!!

Sam Austin

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#### **Classic Memories Minutes May**

Opening prayer: John Holmes

Sam Austin: Preparing tonight's meal had several challenges, I prepared two different meatloaves, one is Spicy and the other is Italian, I don't know which is which. Do I have any volunteers to taste them, so we will know? (much laughter),

Different opinions were given, but both were good.

CALL TO ORDER: 19:05 (7:05)

#### **GUESTS:**

Sam Austin: Edie Clement, Sam's next door neighbor.

Donna Johnson: Bill & Alice Busby, my uncle and aunt. I have to tell you a little story about my Uncle Bill. Back when they were dating in high school, (corrected by my Uncle Bill, it was after high school), after high school, he had an old, '51 Plymouth that was blue and had been wrecked. The car was covered by sayings and drawings of people painted in black. The only one I can remember was "Easy Babies," (guess that was a saying at that time) and some guy with a big nose. Aunt Alice added it had "a little man that said, wind it up", among several others, and footprints from the front, across the top and on the trunk. I, and my cousins. thought it was a really neat car. I was around 10 at that time and will never forget that car, Bill said, "I won't either, because I paid \$20.00 for it. I had a '56 Ford, that I had torn up the transmission, and the rear end, at the same time, and I just .......(shaking his head). He then had an MG, and some time later, several Corvettes. I don't think he has any at this time. He said, "I had a '62, '63, '65, '73.'

**50:50**: #657, \$43.00, Patty Owens

#### **ANNOUNCEMENTS:**

Sam Austin--We are going to have a tour next Saturday. I think I picked a good one. It will be in Gail, TX. There will be a car show, swap meet, and a concert. The concert will have Janie Fricke, Charley Pride's son, Dion Pride, and several other bands. There will be BBQ, Dancing, & B.Y.O.B. The concert starts at 6:00pm, so it won't be so late if you choose to attend. Proceeds benefit the Texas South Plains Honor Flight & 2021 Coyote's Care Scholarship. There are flyers on the table up front, if you are interested.

Jerry Owens ---- Says there is another car show in Brownwood/Early, June 4th. I have been working with MARC, an organization that assists people with residential living, vocational services and assistance for people who are handicapped. This car show at the drive-in theater, is a Benefit for this organization. There are fliers for all of these shows, including the one in Gail.

There is a new "cars and coffee," the second Saturday of every month at the CAF. The museum will be open if you want to go through it. Not sure if it will be a regular meeting, as there were some people "burning out" as they left. That was the reason they stopped having it there once before.

There is another "cars and coffee' at Crossroads Church the 4th Saturday from 9:00 to 11:00.

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#### **DETOURS & ROADBLOCKS:**

Weldon Brookshire underwent a colostomy reversal a week ago and has done very well. He may be getting out of the hospital today.

Halley Brookshire went to an ENT specialist because he has had a raspy voice since his hospitalization, when he was on a ventilator for an extended time. He was told he had an ulceration down his throat, and was given medicine to help it heal. The doctor told him he also has something protruding from his spine, which is pressing on his esophagus. This is a serious issue and needs to be taken care of ASAP. He will need to see a Neurosurgeon.

#### **OLD BUSINESS:**

We had a good time at Pate. We will let Lee Ivanhoe discuss that at our next meeting, as he couldn't come tonight,







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#### **CAR OF THE MONTH:**

Ben Scoggins brings his '57 Chevrolet, 4-door. He's had it for many years. Not much to say about it, many of you have seen it before. If anyone who hasn't seen it, it's in the garage here,

**ADJOURN:** 19:20 (7:20)

New things are happening on our web site, so come check it out. It's still a work in progress, 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/

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