
HVPR Auto Tidings Newsletter for November 24th

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HVPR/AACA News and Activities

Check the AACA, HVPR, and ODMA websites for up-to-date information on events and activities. Participate and enjoy your vehicles!

NOVEMBER

- 27 - Thanksgiving

DECEMBER

- **14 - HVPR Holiday Party** - Noon to 2:30 at Old City Barbeque in Williamsburg (See story below)

HVPR Holiday Gathering!

A holiday Gathering of the Historic Virginia Peninsula Region will be held at the Old City Barbeque ([700 York Street, Williamsburg, VA](#)) on Sunday, December 14th starting at noon and continuing until 2:30 PM! Order from the menu with separate checks. Drive an old car if weather permits. Please let Donna Elliott know if you are attending so she can have an accurate count for the activity. (Text or email Donna at 757-871-6701 or email her at delliott222@cox.net.)



HVPR November Cruise into Virginia His

HVPR members took a great cruise into Virginia history on Saturday, November 15th. Tony Scarpelli, Joe Amos, Keith Henry, Edward and Glenn Ott, Tom Murphy and Carolyn August, and Pete and Pam Romeo met at Shorty's in Williamsburg between 8:30 and 8:45am, and departed for a cruise through Colonial Williamsburg heading out to Jamestown Road to ride the ferry over to Scotland Neck. After crossing the ferry, we headed 2.5 miles on Rt 31 to visit Smith's Fort Plantation. We were met there by Chris Hunt, Roger and Judy Cross, Keith Colonna, and Alphonso and Ludovici, along with our tour guides, Tom Forehand and his assistant Landry. I

say, Tom Forehand is an excellent docent, and his narrative was incredibly info and certainly not scripted. His love of Smith's Fort and Surry County history is

Smith's Fort is the site of Captain John Smith's proposed "New Fort" and is located directly across the James River from Jamestown. The site still has earthworks mark the spot of the unfinished fort site partially completed in 1609 before being abandoned. The manor house on the property was built for Jacob Faulcon c.17 and retains much of its original pine woodwork. In 1886, the property, then called G Creek Farm, was purchased by a collective group of four African American farmers including Bolling Morris, John and Carter Hardy and Robertson Simmons, who farmed tobacco on the property. By the 1920s, Mr. Morris was the sole owner and eventually sold it via an agent to John D. Rockefeller, Jr. Smith's Fort was acquired by Preservation Virginia in 1933 and has operated as a museum ever since. More of Smith's Fort can be found at this link: <https://preservationvirginia.org/smiths-plantation-an-american-story>

After departing from Smith's Fort, we headed back toward the Scotland Ferry Landing, stopping at Surry Seafood Company where we enjoyed great camaraderie, stories, and excellent food. We left Surry with full bellies and some great history of Smith's Fort Plantation and its contribution to the Virginia economy.

Huge Thank You to Tony Scarpelli for arranging the tour, driving the route with Amos, and coordinating with Surry Seafood Company for lunch. (Thanks to Al Chris Hunt, and Pete Romero for the images and Pete Romero for the story)





New Acquisitions



John Heimerl - 1963 Volvo P1800

Member News

No new member news.

Classified Ads

VEHICLES

1929 Chevrolet 2-Door Sedan - 6-cylinder, new carb and fuel pump. Older restoration in condition. Located in Waverly VA. Contact Chuck Elder at 804-691-8039.

1932 Packard 903 Deluxe Eight Convertible Sedan - \$145,500 - Rare body style - same one used in the 'Adams Family' movies. 384.8 CI 135 HP eight-cylinder, rare 4-speed tran divider window. Used on several long tours, including the [2003 Lincoln Highway](#) Tour from

to San Francisco. Meticulously maintained, always stored in a climate-controlled garage. 3
downsize. Yellow and Tan with Orange Trim and tan top. Wire Wheels. Shatterproof roll up
in all 4 aluminum doors. Brown leather interior with a tilt forward front windshield, and a ro
second windshield behind the front seat. A pull-down divider creates two separate rear se
inch wheelbase. Radiator stone guard and dual air horns Whitewall tires. Folding trunk rac
correct rear trunk. Three levels of ride control available for the shock absorbers. An updat
carburetor with a large air cleaner. This vehicle is available to inspect and drive in
Chesapeake/Virginia Beach Virginia. Contact owner Bill Wilcox at ***robbyburnham58@grr***
Photos and more information at: ***1932 Packard 903 (caroholic.com)***

1959 Ford Galaxy for sale: 4 Dr. - Make Offer - 292 cu. In. V8; Runs nicely; Undermount
Power Steering & brakes; Dual Exhaust - Lake pipes; ext. coral & int. Original; little TLC. F
757-460-2833

1965 Mustang Convertible - \$9800 - 6-cylinder, automatic.2 Axles, clear title / no liens, o
hubcaps stored separately, odometer less than 78,000. Located in Tidewater Area. DM Fr
(757) 409-0433 or email: flyingcave@gmail.com.

1968 Camaro SS 396 - \$60,000 - Matador Red with original black vinyl top, houndstooth interior, 4 speed, posi rear, Multiple National awards winner, 48,910 actual miles excellent condition (see pictures) Bob Parrish 757-739-1608 for more information or pictures.

1970 Cadillac Coupe de Ville - Make Offer - 75k original miles. 7.7-litre motor. Was run parked 20 years ago. Located in Lanexa, VA. Contact Jeff Daube at 757-810-1070.

1991 Dodge Stealth (same as Mitsubishi 3000) - Asking \$7500 - Original condition, Co
Talley for details. (757)679-6314

1993 Bricklin EV Warrior Electric Moped - \$800 - 2022 AACA Senior Grand National award winner, fully restored, recent batteries. Yellow, with charger and literature. Has range of over 20 miles at 25 MPH. For photos and more information, go to www.caroholic.com/93_evwarrior.htm. Contact Bob Stein at posti@aol.com or call/text 757-270-3689.

PARTS/TOOLS/OTHER

6:00x16 Wide Whitewall Tires - \$200 - 4 Firestone wide whites, 6.00 x 16, beautiful, full roll smooth, no cracking but don't see a date code. Show for sure but maybe limited
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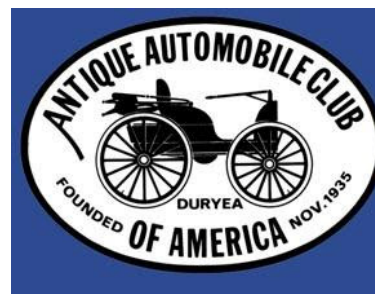
1963 Virginia License Plates - \$125 - New/never registered 1963 Virginia tags still in wrapper - Y4-373. If interested contact Wes Maupin at wesmaupin@ymail.com

WANTED

Recommendation for Good Painter - Need to get my 1966 Impala repainted. Contact Barela at: jhbarela@icloud.com

1914 6-cylinder car 130" wheelbase or larger and 48 hp or more powerful engine. If interested contact Reggie Nash at reggie@wnash.com.

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