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**HVPR Auto Tidings Newsletter for April 13th**

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# Auto Tidings

## Internet Newsletter

**April 13, 2026**

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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!

### APRIL

- **16 - HVPR Founders Tour Planning Luncheon** - 11 AM until 1:30 PM - see below for more information.
- **17 - Old Dominion Rehab** - 2-4 PM - 4 Ridgewood Parkway Newport News VA 23608
- **17 - Deadline for ODMA Meet Registration!**
- **18 - HVPR Tour to the Jamestown Settlement** - Leaving 9 AM from the McDonald's at Ft. Eustis Blvd/Route 17. See story below for more information.
- **18 - Historic Phoebus VA Car Show** - 10 am -4 pm Mellen Street Phoebus VA 23663
- **22 - The Arbors Retirement** - 1-3 PM - 110 William Styron Square S, Newport News VA 23606

- **25th - Class Cruisers Car Club Weekly Cruz-In - 4:30 to 8 PM. Coastal Church, 101 Village Ave, Yorktown VA**

## MAY

- **2 - Old Dominion Association Meet - Hosted by the TRAACA (The Real Life Church, 900 Centerville Turnpike N, Chesapeake, VA 23320)**
- **2 - 26th Annual Williamsburg British and Import Car Show - 10 AM to 2 PM at the Williamsburg Premium Outlets, Williamsburg, VA**
- **9 - 5th Annual Invitational Car Show - 8 am - noon on Main Street in Historic Yorktown.** To nominate your vehicle please RSVP to Tony Scarpelli at [scarpp02@aol.com](mailto:scarpp02@aol.com), Al Crane at [cranejra@aol.com](mailto:cranejra@aol.com), or Scott Dayton at [smdayton40@gmail.com](mailto:smdayton40@gmail.com).
- **25- Memorial Day Car Show - 9am-3 pm Coastal Church 101 Village Ave Yorktown VA -Supports Wounded Warriors and families.**
- **31- Parkinson's Benefit Show and Shine 11am-3 pm Williamsburg Antique Mall 500 Lightfoot Road Williamsburg VA**

## HVPR at Southeastern Spring Nationals

Jim Elliott was the big winner for HVPR at the 2026 AACA Southeastern Spring Nationals. His 1931 Cadillac received an AACA First Junior award, and he was recognized for having achieved 250 judging credits! Keith Colonna also received an AACA First Junior award for his freshly restored 1946 Lincoln Continental convertible. Donna Elliott was also part of the judging teams, as was Bob Stein. Members Tony and Leslie Scarpelli were guests with their 1956 DeSoto Firedome at a DeSoto club meet also being held at the track. Next year's event is expected to be a dual meet, with a Grand national followed by a standard National event. (Photos by Harry Park, Bob Stein, and Leslie Scarpelli)





## Tour Planning Luncheon on April 16th

We are seeking volunteers to assist with hospitality during our Founders Tour. September 9-14, 2026. If you are interested in helping either with hostess or host, dress up in colonial costume, baking, or in any way please let us know. We are hosting a luncheon. Just to make it fun and hash out responsibilities. If you can't make it, just let us know if you are interested in anyway and, we'll keep you posted of other get togethers. This looks to be a fun tour, and we want to start the fun already.

Thursday, April 16, 2026 - 11:00 - 1:30 pm. Menu: Chicken Salad, Orange Sherbert Salad, and Ginger cookies at the home of Donna and Jim Elliott:  
222 Kings Grant Dr.  
Yorktown, Virginia

## ODMA Meet Registration Deadline is Friday!

The 73rd ODMA Annual Meet is being sponsored by the Tidewater Region and will be held in Chesapeake at the Real Life Christian Church (900 Centerville Turnpike North, Chesapeake VA 23320) on May 1-2. Dash plaques provided to the first 100 vehicles and judges hats provided to judges (First 25). Registration information provided on the ODMA website ([ODMA](#)) and on the TRAACA website at: [2026 ODMA Meet](#). Get your registration in **TODAY!** The registration deadline is **April 17th!**

# HVPR April Flash Tour to Jamestown April 18th

Meet at McDonalds at the intersection of Ft. Eustis Blvd and Rt17. Depart McDonalds at 9am heading east on Ft. Eustis Blvd crossing Rt17 and turning left onto Old York Hampton Highway to Cook Rd. Turn right onto Cook Rd to Ballard Street. Turn left onto Ballard St and turn right onto Zweybrucken Rd towards the Yorktown Victory Monument and turn right onto Comte deGrasse St to Water St. Turn left on Water St to Rt238 and follow Rt 238 to Rt 60W. Take Rt 60W to the DoubleTree by Hilton off of Kingsmill Rd for a quick tour and bathroom break. This is the Founders Tour Event Hotel. From there, we'll get back on Rt 60W to Rt 199 to the Colonial Parkway and take the parkway to Jamestown Settlement where we'll have lunch.



## Brookdale Chambrel in Williamsburg Visit

An enthusiastic turnout on the first Retirement venue of the season on a sunny spring day Friday April 10 2026, . Fourteen Classic Cars from the late 20's, 30's, 50's, 60's and 70's thrilled resident patients and Staff of Brookdale Chambrel in Williamsburg. Lots of smiles and memories for all! Car Clubs represented were Classic Cruisers, New Kent Cruisers, Colonial Virginia Model A Ford Club, Historical Virginia Peninsula Region of ACAA and the Williamsburg British Car Club.. Al Crane shared some Vietnam Memories with a Retired USMC Aviator who had 2 years in 'Nam'!. (Story and photos by Al Crane.)





## **Classic Cruisers Saturday Night Cruise Ins Start April 25th!**

The Weekly 2026 Classic Cruiser's Car Club cruise-ins will take place every Saturday night from 4:30 PM to 8:00 PM (weather permitting) Saturday April 25 thru Saturday October 17. (Weather Permitting) Coastal Church, 101 Village Avenue, Yorktown, VA 23693. Open to all years, all makes, and all models. If it's cool, bring it. It is only a \$2.00 donation to show your vehicle. There is no admission fee for spectators. All cruise-in donations are donated to local charities. It is a great place to look at some great rides, share memories, see your old friends, and make some new ones. For up to date information about the cruise-ins, go to the Classic Cruisers Car Club Facebook page. Additional information may be obtained from our website <http://www.ccccva.com> or contact Club VP Kathy Jefferson 757-871-7666

## **New Acquisitions**

**Have you added a 'new' antique vehicle to your old car family? Share a picture of your new 'baby' with the Club! Send images and information to Bob Stein at [posti@aol.com](mailto:posti@aol.com).**

**No New Member Acquisitions**

## **New Members**



**Jeff Schnakenberg**  
**1966 Dodge Charger factory 426 Hemi**

**Classified Ads**

**VEHICLES**

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

**1932 Packard 903 Deluxe Eight Convertible Sedan - \$124,900** - Rare body style - same as the one used in the 'Adams Family' movies. 384.8 CI 135 HP eight-cylinder, rare 4-speed transmission, divider window. Used on several long tours, including the 2003 Lincoln Highway Tour from New York to San Francisco. Meticulously maintained, always stored in a climate-controlled garage. Selling to downsize. Yellow and Tan with Orange Trim and tan top. Wire Wheels. Shatterproof roll up windows in all 4 aluminum doors. Brown leather interior with a tilt forward front windshield, and a roll up second windshield behind the front seat. A pull-down divider creates two separate rear seats. 142.5 inch wheelbase. Radiator stone guard and dual air horns Whitewall tires. Folding trunk rack with correct rear trunk. Three levels of ride control available for the shock absorbers. An updraft carburetor with a large air cleaner. This vehicle is available to inspect and drive in Chesapeake/Virginia Beach Virginia. Contact owner Bill Wilcox at [robynburnham58@gmail.com](mailto:robynburnham58@gmail.com). Photos and more information at: **1932 Packard 903 (caroholic.com)**

**1937 Pontiac 2-door Sedan - \$9,500** - Converted to 12 volt, new battery. Excellent paint and interior, Interior stitched as original. Visor, clock, and radio. New wide-whitewall tires. Runs and looks great. Extra parts. Orange with cream upholstery. Contact Michelle Schindler for pictures and more information at [myschindler@hotmail.com](mailto:myschindler@hotmail.com).

**1949 MG TC - \$27000** - AACA Senior Grand National awardee 2022. Cream with red interior, tan top and side curtains, ALFIN brake drums, removeable auxiliary LED rear light bar, luggage rack, front antenna bumpers, chrome wires, full tonneau, many spare parts and all literature. 4-cylinder, 4-speed. For photos and more information, go to [www.caroholic.com/49\\_MGTC.htm](http://www.caroholic.com/49_MGTC.htm). Contact Bob Stein at [posti@aol.com](mailto:posti@aol.com) or call/text 757-270-3689.

**1949 Nash Ambassador - \$15,000** - 47K original miles, original upholstery, mostly original paint. magazine feature car. 6-cylinder OHN engine, 3-speed with overdrive, factory spotlights, fog lights, and front bumper/grille guard. new distributor, NOS muffler. Include many spares and all literature. 5 new wide whitewall tires plus mounted extra wide whitewall spare. Car has been gone through top to bottom. Includes battery tender and car cover. Runs and drives great. See photos and more information at: **Bob's 1949 Nash Ambassador**. Email [posti@aol.com](mailto:posti@aol.com) or call 757-270-3689.

**1956 Pontiac Chieftan convertible (Barn Find) - \$4900** - Project car with excellent potential! \$4,900 OBO. Contact Nick Smith 757.589.6345 or email [nick.smith4878@yahoo.com](mailto:nick.smith4878@yahoo.com)

**1956 Packard Caribbean Convertible - \$56,000** - Original. Contact Bob Powell (804) 389-2555 or [rlplkp@comcast.net](mailto:rlplkp@comcast.net).

**1956 Ford Thunderbird - \$19,000** - 312 V-8 and automatic transmission, Power brakes and steering, signal-seeking radio. Rebuilt carburetor, aluminum radiator, 5 new whitewall tires with mounted extra wide whitewall spare, factory hardtop, Town and Country radio, soft top. Many new parts, spares, and literature. Runs and drives great. See photos and more information at: **Bob's 1956 Ford Thunderbird**. Email [posti@aol.com](mailto:posti@aol.com) or call 757-270-3689.

**1959 Cadillac Fleetwood 60 series** – Best Offer - Rare, low production model. Originally a western, rust free car, with full recent professional restoration, with all chrome and metal refinished. Repainted in original Empress green with matching interior. PW, PS, PB, AC and power vents. Strong rebuilt 390 cu-in engine. Tom Bottoni, 757-538-1518 or [tnbottoni@gmail.com](mailto:tnbottoni@gmail.com)

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

**1960 Triumph TR3 - \$26,500.** Off-frame restoration, red with black interior. Contact Bob Powell for more information and photos. 804-389-2555 or email [rlplkp@comcast.net](mailto:rlplkp@comcast.net).

**1962 Cadillac 1962 Coupe Deville – Best Offer -** Professionally restored, originally a California desert car, rust free. Recently restored, with all chrome and metal refinished. Powerful, rebuilt 390cu-in engine with <15K miles. Repainted in original Sandalwood gold. PW, PS, PB, AC and power vents. Best Offer. Tom Bottoni, 757-538-1518 or [tnbottoni@gmail.com](mailto:tnbottoni@gmail.com)

**1965 Mustang Convertible - \$9800 -** 6-cylinder, automatic. 2 Axles, clear title / no liens, original hubcaps stored separately, odometer less than 78,000. Located in Tidewater Area. DM Frech - call (757) 409-0433 or email: [flyingcave@gmail.com](mailto: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 contact 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 running when 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, Contact Ken Talley for details. (757)679-6314

### **PARTS/TOOLS/OTHER**

**6:00x16 Wide Whitewall Tires - \$200 -** 4 Firestone wide whites, 6.00 x 16, beautiful, full tread, roll smooth, no cracking but don't see a date code. Show for sure but maybe limited go. John Heimerl - [ntenna@me.com](mailto:ntenna@me.com)

**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](mailto:wesmaupin@ymail.com)

### **WANTED**

**Recommendation for Good Painter -** Need to get my 1966 Impala repainted. John Barela at: [jhbarela@icloud.com](mailto:jhbarela@icloud.com)

**1914 6-cylinder car 130" wheelbase or larger and 48 hp or more powerful engine.** Please contact Reggie Nash at [reggie@wnnash.com](mailto:reggie@wnnash.com).

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