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MAY 1984

**DEADLINE FOR JUNE GAS GAUGE:
MONDAY, MAY 28TH.**

Please make the following corrections/additions in your 1984 club roster:

Add: GETTY, LYTLE
1309 Maple Ln.
West Richland, WA 99352
967-3092

JACKSON, HOUSTON - additional car
1959 Nash 4dr Sedan Custom Restored

Correct: MIDDLETON, JEFF
1329 Goethals, Apt. 1
Richland, WA 99352

YALE, JACK
We would have to publish a weekly bulletin to keep up with Jack!
I know he has a beautiful LaSalle . . .
I will attempt to update Jack's car list for the June newsletter.

TOUR TO CAMP WOOTEN

Donna and Craig Kelsey will lead a tour to Camp Wooten on Saturday, May 19th. They will leave Kahlotus at 9:00am SHARP!

Donna, Gayle and Jim are responsible for the games this year so start training your frog.

CALENDAR OF EVENTS

MAY	19	Rickreal Swap Meet
	19-20	Camp Wooten
	19-20	Seattle Swap Meet
	26-28	Nostalgia Days, Colville, WA
	26	Moses Lake Spring Festival Car Show
	27	Yakima Old Car Club Picnic
JUNE	1-3	Fun In The Sun Tour, Yakima
	3	Medford Swap Meet
	9-10	Bremerton Swap Meet
	10	Salem Swap Meet

YE OLDE CAR CLUB - Meeting, April 11, 1984

CORK SIMMELINK and DONNA KELSEY gave an update on the Circle Tour. JIM GILBERT invited everyone to join the April tour. The Portland swap meet was discussed. DIXIE GILBERT will place an order for cloth patches for club jackets. They will be available to members for \$5.40. CRAIG and DONNA KELSEY will lead the tour to Camp Wooten. The Tri-City Swap Meet was discussed. CORK showed slides of the Sun Valley Circle Tour.

7TH ANNUAL TRI-CITIES SWAP MEET

The swap meet is over and by all accounts it was successful. Approximately 200 spaces were sold--both buildings were sold out. Suggestions are always welcome; jot down any ideas you feel would improve the meet and get them to Mike Martin. COMMITTEE CHAIRMEN, PLEASE COMPILE A LIST OF THOSE WHO HELPED YOU WHILE YOU CAN STILL REMEMBER!



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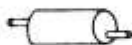
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Russ Curry, 892-0272,
Vancouver

1952 BUICK Special 4dr,
complete, runs great, new
rear end. \$800.
B. Joe Younker, 1017 Boyer,
Walla Walla Ph 525-4461

1927 CHRYSLER "50" Sedan,
rebuilt 4 cyl, excellent
Budd all steel body.
Handsome car.
Jim Lesniak, 783-3906,
Tacoma

1923 MODEL T Chassis with
title, \$150.
Buck Owen, 265-2442, Tacoma

11th annual
FREE ADMISSION

Seattle



AUTO SWAP MEET

75% ANTIQUE AUTO & RELATED PARTS

At Monroe Fair Grounds - Monroe, Wa.

MAY 19-20 1984

HOURS: SATURDAY 8:00 a.m. - 5:00 p.m.
SUNDAY 9:00 a.m. - 2:00 p.m.

VENDORS INFORMATION:

PREPAID RESERVATIONS ONLY, STALLS ARE ASSIGNED ON A FIRST (prepaid) BASIS — SO DON'T DELAY.

OK to unload Friday night 4:00 p.m. to 9:00 p.m. (NO Friday Sales)

Puget Sound Regional Group is NOT responsible for any damage or theft of vendors merchandise.

4-H Building Available for Antiques, Glassware & Specialty Items

STALLS: Inside \$20. - 10 x 10 — Outside \$20 - most 20 x 20 for both days

TO AID IN PLACEMENT INDICATE TYPE OF SALE ITEMS

- Mostly Auto Parts and Accessories _____
- Auto For Sale with Parts _____
- Auto For Sale Only _____
- Auto Literature _____
- Antiques (Specify) _____
- Vintage Apparel _____

PLEASE SEND THIS ENTIRE FLYER WITH CHECK AND S.A.S.E. TO:

Seattle Ford V8 Club
c/o 7424 - 114th Ave. S.E., Renton, WA 98056

NOSTALGIA DAYS - Colville

May 26-28th - Memorial Day Weekend

The Nostalgia Days format will be different this year.

Participants from the north will be met for breakfast in Kettle Falls and those from the south in Chewelah. After breakfast each group will tour through residential sections and visit the nursing homes before touring to Colville. Both groups will then join for a tour of Colville. Cars will be on display on Astor Street and later at the fairgrounds. Everyone participating is encouraged to dress in vintage clothing for a contest first thing during the tours on Saturday morning--that's so you can change into something more comfortable for the rest of the day! After the fairgrounds are closed to the public there will be a no-host dinner followed by a pie and "antique item" auction and vintage clothing style show.

Sunday there will be a variety of long and short tours of the area.

ENTRY FEE: \$5.00 can be sent in advance with your name, address, phone number, and the number of adults and children in your group or family. Also, bring an auctionable item - vintage or collectible, and a pie for the auction.

DINNER AND BREAKFAST: No-host, breakfast cost for adults - \$3.00, children 12 and under - \$2.00; dinner cost for adults - \$4.00, children - \$2.00.

Mail your entries and make checks payable to: THE CHOKES & SPOKES, P.O. BOX 143, COLVILLE, WASHINGTON 99114.

THE MARKETPLACE

1940 BUICK Super 4dr 99%
1950 OLDS 98 4dr 99%
1938 FORD 4dr sedan
1953 FORD Victoria
1952 FORD Carryall 4WD
1965 MUSTANGS (3)
1930 CHEVY 4dr - basket case
1941 FORD 1-1/2 T
1931 FORD 1-1/2 T, metal top
1955 BUICK Super
1957 BUICK Roadmaster
1926 T wire wheel chassis
1923 T motor, overhauled
1932 MODEL B motor, rebuilt
MODEL T: small drum ruxtel
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Del Loeffelbein, Rt.1, Box
254, 1920 Moses Lake Ave.,
Soap Lake, WA 98851 Ph
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1926 MODEL T Touring, fully
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Bob Diens, 529-9909, Walla
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Lewiston

CRANKER'S CLUB NORTH IDAHO TOUR 1984

JULY 4th
WEDNESDAY

REGISTRATION - 12:00 to 5:00 p.m. - University Inn - Moscow, Idaho
Hospitality Room - Poolside Barbeque - Fireworks & Dance

JULY 5th
THURSDAY

Tour leaves 8:00 a.m. - Touring over Scenic Routes in Washington,
approximately 100 miles - lunches served at noon - return to University
Inn for Buffet Dinner - Evening on your own to visit or shop in large
Mall nearby etc.

JULY 6th
FRIDAY

Tour leaves 8:00 a.m. - Short tour to Breakfast stop - Touring in
beautiful Idaho 100 miles - lunch served at noon. Return to University
Inn for Awards Banquet and dancing.

JULY 7th
SATURDAY

Breakfast and Farewells

TOUR PRICES

(Lodging not included)
Includes: Poolside barbeque, 2 tour lunches, 1 buffet dinner, 1 banquet
and 2 breakfasts, plus extras and entertainment.

Price per Couple	\$112.00	Children under 12 not attending	\$34.50
Car & Driver	58.50	banquet	
Extra Adult	53.50	Children under 12 attending	\$46.50
		banquet	

REGISTRATION DEADLINE: JUNE 6th

Cost after this date will be an additional \$20.00 per couple

(Detach and mail to Crankers Club, Inc. - P.O. Box 442 - Lewiston, Idaho 83501)

OWNER OR DRIVER: _____

ADDRESS _____ CITY _____ STATE _____ ZIP _____

WIFE OR ADULT PASSENGERS NAMES AS DESIRED _____

ON I.D. BADGES _____

CHILDREN PASSENGERS UNDER 12 _____ Attending Banquet _____

YEAR, MAKE & MODEL OF YOUR CAR _____
(Must be 1957 or older)

INSURANCE CARRIER _____

REQUIRE PHOTO OF CAR AND DRIVER WITH APPLICATION _____

TOTAL TOUR COSTS \$ _____ Signature of Owner _____

\$25.00 DEPOSIT \$ _____ Enclosed _____

BALANCE DUE \$ _____

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2250 2nd Avenue North
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(208) 743-8800

To the Editor,

I would like you and your membership to know that there is a quality restoration shop in Lewiston Id. We have been in business for three years now, although I have been restoring cars for twenty years as a hobby. I have three other very talented men working with me in my shop. Pat Emerich, as many of you know, has grown up restoring cars. John Kaufman is our paint man, he is a credit to the Lewis Clark Voc Tech program that he graduated from. Ron Randall has background in mechanical and electrical work. As you can see we are well rounded in our skills.

I have been a member of the Crankers Club for eight years and this year am serving as vice-president.

We also have a line of Model T and A used and new parts. From time to time we have a variety of cars on the premises that are for sale.

We would appreciate you publishing our letter and flyer in your news letter to let your members know we are here to help them in any way we can.

Come by our shop anytime and see what we are doing.

Yours truly,



BREMERTON AUTO CLUB 6th ANNUAL SWAP MEET JUNE 9 - 10, 1984

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24 HOUR SECURITY Extensive Display Area • Security Provided

- STALL RENTAL \$15.00 PER WEEKEND
- CARS FOR SALE \$15.00 PER WEEKEND

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SATURDAY 8 AM to 6 PM • SUNDAY 8AM to 4 PM
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MAKE CHECKS PAYABLE TO: Treasurer Bremerton Auto Club

MAIL TO: Stall Chairman - Bremerton Auto Club
P.O. Box 685 • Bremerton, WA 98310

NAME: _____ ADDRESS _____ ZIP _____

Number of stalls at \$15.00 wk and 80% or more of car parts yes no
Car for sale yes no Make _____ Year _____
Do you wish to sell from your vehicle in outside stall? yes no

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ADDRESS _____ MANY _____

TOWN _____

STATE _____ ZIP _____

SET-UP _____ FR 13 TH 1 PM - 9 PM

SWAP _____ SAT 14 TH 8 AM - 8 PM

_____ SUN 15 TH 8 AM - 5 PM

• STALL RATES (PER WEEK)

INSIDE: 100 SQ FT... \$15

OUTSIDE: 100 SQ FT... \$18

OUTSIDE 10x20 \$12

CAR FOR SALE \$10

TABLES: 4'x 8' \$3

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Ford Parts Numbering System

The Ford Motor Company has developed an efficient numbering system outlined as follows, with which the average parts man can control the handling of stock, filling parts orders and requisitions with greater ease and facility.

1. Part Numbers

Part numbers in general consist of three portions:

- (a) Prefix - for Model identification
- (b) Group and detail number
- (c) Suffix - to indicate interchangeable or non-interchangeable parts; also the kind of finish on standard parts.

For example: 01A-1015 - Wheel.

2. Prefix

The first digit in the prefix indicates the year for which the part was designed as follows:

- "8" for 1938
- "9" for 1939
- "0" for 1940
- "1" for 1941
- "2" for 1942

The second digit, which may be either a "one", "two" or "nine" has the following significance:

- 1 Stands for 90 HP V8
- 2 Stands for 60 HP V8
- 9 Stands for 100 HP V8
- N Stands for 4-cylinder
- G Stands for 90 HP-6 cylinder

The following list of letters, one of which may appear just before the group number identifies the type of vehicle (also serves the purpose of separating the prefix and the group number). In some cases parts may show an "A" prefix which would indicate part is used on passenger, whereas this same part may also be used on commercial and truck, in which case the lowest prefix letter is shown. For example: if part is used on both commercial and truck the lowest letter prefix is used which in this instance is "C".

- A - for Passenger car
- B - for Transit Bus
- C - for Commercial
- T - for Reg. Truck - 134" W/B - 158" and 194" W/B

- U - for Dump Truck - 134" W/B
- V - for Drop Frame Truck
- W - for Cab-Over-Engine - 101" W/B and 134" W/B and 158" W/B
- D - for 3/4 Ton Truck - 122" W/B
- Y - for 1 Ton Truck - 122" W/B

Where an additional "S" appears after above letters, this indicates the part is made special.

3. Group Numbers Chassis Parts

Out parts numbering system is designed so that similar parts for each type of vehicle will be the same number or in the same group. These groups are designated by the thousand figure for each part number and start from the ground or with the wheels, the part numbers of which are from 1000 up.

The brakes are in the second group, the part numbers being from 2000 up, and so on. You will find the chassis parts are divided into functional groups as shown in the following list:

CHASSIS NUMERICAL PARTS LIST INDEX

- 1000-1299 Wheels, hubs and rims
- 1300-1399 Spare wheel carrier
- 1500-1799 Tires
- 2000-2449 Brakes
- 2450-2574 Brake Controls
- 2575-2899 Brakes (emergency)
- 3000-3499 Front axle
- 3500-3800 Steering gear
- 4000-4799 Rear Axle
- 4800-4999 Coupling Shaft
- 5000-5149 Frame and Brackets
- 5150-5224 Battery bracket and parts
- 5225-5299 Muffler and exhaust pipe
- 5300-5549 Front springs
- 5500-5825 Rear springs
- 6000-6999 Engine
- 7000-7499 Transmission
- 7500-7799 Clutch
- 8000-8499 Radiator
- 8500-8599 Water Pump assembly
- 8600-8699 Fan
- 9000-9269 Fuel Tank
- 9270-9420 Instrument cluster and fuel system
- 9421-9499 Manifolds, clamps, etc.
- 9500-9699 Carburetor
- 9700- 9899 Accelerator, spark and throttle control rods
- 9900- 9999 Carburetor

10000-10499 Generator
10500-10649 Cutout
10650-10848 Battery
10849-10899 Instrument Cluster and Ammeter
11000-11549 Starter Motor (drive and switch)
11625-11799 Lighting Switch
12000-12399 Ignition Coil, Distributor,
Condenser
12400-12499 Spark Plug
13000-13399 Head, Fender and Cowl Lamps
13400-13799 Lighting Stop, Tail and Dome
Lights
13800-13899 Horn
14050-14699 Wiring
15000-15124 Stem Wind clock
15125-15199 Heater and Ventilating system

15200-15249 Road Lamp
15250-15275 Automatic Cigar lighter
16000-16149 Front fender
16150-16449 Rear Fender
16450-16524 Running board
16525-16599 Running board shields
16600-16799 Hood
17000-17249 Tools
17250-17499 Speedometer
17500-17674 Windshield wiper
17750-17999 Bumpers
18000-18199 Shock absorbers
18400-18600 Miscellaneous Accessories
18650-18675 Oil Filter
18700-18799 Bus air brakes

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