



Bowtie Newsletter

CLASSIC CHEVY CLUB
SPRINGFIELD, MISSOURI
NOVEMBER, 2022

Classic Chevy Club was formed in 1975 for the enjoyment, preservation, and restoration of Classic Chevy's. Members need not own a car, but a sincere interest is requested.

Editor's Notes

The Peanuts gang celebrates Halloween and All Saints Day



Stay safe and cool/warm

All Saints' Day – November 2, 2022

Many Catholic churches in the United States celebrate All Saints' Day to honor all the saints, particularly those who do not have their own special feast day, on November 1.

Is All Saints' Day a Public Holiday?
All Saints' Day is not a public holiday. Businesses have normal opening hours.



On All Saints' Day some people take flowers to the graves of their loved ones.

What Do People Do?
All Saints' Day is also known as All Hallows 'Tide, All-Hallomas, or All Hallows' Day, and it's celebrated in many areas of the United States, especially where there are large Roman Catholic populations.

In New Orleans, for example, people gather in local cemeteries and decorate the graves with flowers. The descendants of French-Canadian settlers around St Martinsville, Louisiana, observe this day in the traditional French manner by laying wreaths and bouquets and lighting candles on even the most obscure graves.

All Saints' Day, which is celebrated globally, is closely tied with All Souls' Day, which was first instituted at the monastery in Cluny, France in 993 CE and quickly spread among Christians. Some eastern churches in the United States celebrated All Saints' Day on the first Sunday after Pentecost.

Day After Halloween
All Saints' Day and All Souls' Day are also closely linked with Halloween, which is a shortened for the name "All Hallows' Eve".

In the United Methodist Church, All Saints' Day is observed on the first Sunday in November to remember deceased members of the local church congregation. A candle is lit as each person's name is called out, followed by a prayer offered for each soul.

Many Latin American communities in the United States hold celebrations around November 1 and 2, linking with All Saints' Day and All Souls' Day (November 2). These celebrations are part of the Day of the Dead, also known as Día de los Muertos.

Public Life
All Saints' Day is not a federal public holiday in the United States.

Background
According to some sources, the idea for All Saints' Day goes back to the fourth century when the Greek Christians kept a festival on the first Sunday after Pentecost (in late May or early June) in honor of all martyrs and saints. Other sources say that a commemoration of "All Martyrs" began to be celebrated as early as 270 CE, but no specific month or date is recorded.

Pope Gregory IV made All Saints' Day an authorized holiday in 837 CE. It is speculated that the chosen date for the event,

November 1, may have been an attempt to supplant pagan festivals that occurred around the same time.

Symbols

Symbols commonly associated with All Saints' Day are:

1. A sheaf of wheat.
2. Rayed Manus Dei (hand of God).
3. The crown.
4. Symbols / images of saints.
5. The liturgical color is white on All Saints' Day.

Now back to the regularly scheduled newsletter.

Lexophile Funny's

**I wondered why the baseball
was getting bigger. Then it
hit me.**

**The roundest knight at King
Arthur's round table was Sir
Cumference.**

Everyone Has a Story to Tell



**Don't Forget – Club Meetings of 2023 Have Been
Scheduled**



The next Classic Chevy Club Meeting date, time and venue will be Sunday, April 16 at Library Center at 2:00 pm, in Springfield.

The Dinner Night Out event will be held at Big Whiskey's on Republic Road, Monday, November 28, at 5:00 pm.

Event	Location	Date
Dinner Night Out	Big Whiskey's on Republic Road	28-Nov
Dinner Night Out	Big Whiskey's on Republic Road	26-Dec
Club Meeting	Library Center Community Rooms A/B	16-Apr 2023

Additional Flimsy Whimsy

**When fish are in schools,
they sometimes take debate.**

**The short fortune teller who
escaped from prison was a
small medium at large.**

Website & Newsletter Updates

Website Updates: Our club newsletters are current through November, 2022. Membership Lists are current through September and are available in the website. The latest version of the list is September, 2022. Birthday and Anniversary Lists are also up to date. Both are available on the website on the members only page. The on-line member list is current, too.

If you see something that should be changed or added, let the editor know.

The Bowtie editor searches for scheduled events in 2022 and will begin to surf for shows in 2023. I have listed below what I have to date. Let me know if you come across any that are not listed.

The newsletter format has been altered slightly to segregate the club information that doesn't change each month. The final page outlines how to access the club website and delineates the framework of how the monthly email page is set up. In addition, the last page shows the officers names and contact information as well as the club mission statement.

Newsletter Email Page

Newsletter email page: Usually, on the email page, there is a link to the newsletter attachment. Just the link to cruise-ins and car show flyers are in the club website and photo album are available this month. Complete schedule (that I know of) is on the website right now. November/December schedules are in the newsletter.

West Plains Car Club 2022 Newsletter for November is available in the website. October newsletter is not available at this time.

Classic Chevy Club New Fliers and Analytics



Several new fliers were added this month. They are CoxHealth Auxiliary Car Show for 2023. Normally, access to fliers is available from the photo album link published with the

newsletter email.

- Website Analytics will not be available on the website until end of the week.

New or Revised Fliers

Event	Location	Date
CoxHealth Car Show	Springfield, MO	23-Sep*
* 2023		

Indian Hills Punny Puns 2.0

**THE PLANS FOR A
PAPERLESS OFFICE
LOOKED REALLY GOOD
ON PAPER**

**STOP ANIMAL TESTING!
THEY GET
REALLY NERVOUS
AND GIVE THE
WRONG ANSWERS**

Classic Chevy Club Meeting – October 16, 2022

Club Meeting Attendees

Helen & Larry Fortner	Leroy & Twila Winkle
Johnny Cox	Charlie & Jeannette Prose
Dave & Jean Deason	Bill & Jeanie Huyett
Steve & Marcia Bisher	Wade Mitchell
Robin & Bobby Goss	Brian Prose
JJ & Mike Jennings	Jim Scott
Nile & Carol Jones	Dennis & Norma Taube
Mary & Dan Kuhn	Tom & Barb Trosper
CL & Mollie Carter	Dave Walters
Jim Meyer	Yvonna Davis
Carl & Kathy Schmachtenberger	
Melinda Owen	Don & Loneta Sunderland

Christmas Party – December 9, 2022

Melinda went over the details for our annual Christmas party Dinner set for Dec 9 @ 6:00pm. She sent flyers around, as well.

The gag gift cost is \$15 this year, the due date for attending is no later than Nov 20. Melinda will collect money for those attending at our next meeting. The cost was set @ \$32, BUT the club will be paying \$8 of that so the cost per person is set @ \$24 per person. That DOES include TAX and TIP.

See flier in the following photo gallery.

Event	Location	Date
Hot Rod Holiday	Springfield, MO	19-Nov to 20-Nov
Club Christmas Party	Springfield, MO Knights of Columbus	09-Dec

50/50 Drawing Results

The 50/50 raffle was won by Steve Bisher (\$30.00). He donated the winnings back to the club.



Big Whiskey's Dinner Night Out – November 28, 2022

Next Dinner Night Out is Monday, November 28 at 5:00 pm at Big Whiskey's at 1440 W Republic Road.

Springhouse Village Cruise-In – October 15, 2022

Helen & Larry Fortner	Leroy Winkle
Steve Bisher	Wade & Gerri Mitchell
Jim Scott	Melinda & Jess Owen
Nile & Carol Jones	Dennis & Norma Taube
Mary & Dan Kuhn	Tom & Barb Trosper
Yvonna Davis	Dave Walters
Jim Meyer	

The car club occasionally participates in community service activities that support our relationships with veterans', medical, and educational organizations. This normally includes cruise-ins to veteran facilities, assisted living residences, or local schools or churches.

We accomplished an event on October 15, 2022. A group of members caravanned to Springhouse Village Retirement on East Farm Road 132 in Springfield to show off our classics. As Melinda wrote in the event flier, "Let's take this opportunity to bring a smile to the faces of their residents by offering our classic cars for viewing. We will park our cars and give the residents the opportunity to come out and see our cars."

We had a great time talking to the residents. And we were treated very well by the staff.

By the way, we planned to have lunch at Ziggy's after the event and so off we went to the North Glenstone location.

Editor Note: There is an old saying "Keeping up with the Jones'." After ordering our food, I was asked very politely to take a photo of Carol Jones' waffle.



No one at our table duplicated that feat. They couldn't keep up with the Jones'.

Fall Foliage Tour – October 28-30, 2022

Eight members attended this event that was hosted by the Arkansas club (one couple). They were Helen & Larry Fortner, Dave & Jean Deason, Bobby & Robin Goss, and Tom & Barbara Trosper. Twelve photos are published in the gallery. All of the photos (30+) are available in the club website. Album can be reached by entering this address in your browser:

<https://www.fall-foliage-tour-classicchevyclubspringfieldmo.com/>

Comments from the Tom Trosper:

Fall Foliage was a real interesting trip this year. In addition to the regular stuff, out of the blue the whole group was invited to a private ranch near Wilburton, Oklahoma to see a bunch of vintage Packards. An amazing place!

Comments from Robin Goss:

Dave here is most of the pictures. It was fun, even though we had rain and fog on Saturday.

Many thanks to the contributors for the photos and comments.

Ladies' Luncheon – November 12, 2022

The fourth Classic Chevy Club Ladies Luncheon will take place on November 12. at Los Cabos Mexican Grill & Cantina, 4109 S National Ave, Springfield, located south of Cox hospital after overpass bridge across the James River Expressway.

Norma will notify the club on times confirm the date.

Hot Rod Holiday – November 19-20, 2022

Hot Rod Holiday is taking over ALL 75,000 sq ft of the E-Plex buildings at the Ozark Empire Fairground's – AND much of the outdoor areas around those buildings! We are bringing you the coolest customs from around the region, drag and stock cars, muscle cars, cool motorcycles, choppers and baggers and more horsepower than the walls can hold! Featuring vendors with the latest gear for your ride, your garage and you! Enjoy great food and drinks while taking in some of the coolest rides from the Midwest!

Join us (eight classics so far) while we will be showing our classics on November 19-20 at the fairgrounds.

We have arranged to show our classics together on the east side of the E-Plex. Larry Fortner, Johnny Cox, Carl Schmachtenberger, Gene Herndon, Mike Jennings, Nile

Jones, Dan Kuhn, and Yvonna Davis & Dave Walters are currently registered
(Meet at 9:00 am on Friday the 18th at the east door of the E-Plex at the Fairgrounds).

Steak 'n Shake Monthly Cruise-In – October 1, 2022

October's Steak 'n Shake Cruise-In of 2022 was a beautiful day in the neighborhood.

Attendees included Glenna Tomlin, Wade & Gerri Mitchell, Diana & Charles Mahaffey, Judy & Gene Herndon, CL Carter, Johnny Cox, Dave Walters & Yvonna Davis, Jim Meyer, and Bobby Goss.

In Memory – Barbara Putman – December 25, 1943 to October 1, 2022

Barbara was born December 25, 1943 in Ward, Arkansas. She was united in marriage June 8, 1963 to E. Gene Putman.

She loved spoiling her granddaughter, Alyssa. She was a loving wife, mother and grandmother. She is survived by her husband of 59 years, Gene.

The family left these sentiments below in their memorial folder for Barbara.

Thank You....

“On behalf of the family, we want to personally thank you for remembering them in their time of need.”

Harvested from a Club Member's Facebook



Library Center Club Meeting Reminders

The Library Center hosts our club meetings from April through October, 2022. For dates, and times for meetings and dinners, see tables below:

November/December - Events

Event	Location	Date
Dinner Night Out	Big Whiskey's Springfield, MO	28-Nov
Hot Rod Holiday	Springfield, MO	19-Nov to 20-Nov
Christmas Party & Dinner	MO Knights of Columbus	09-Dec
Dinner Night Out	Big Whiskey's Springfield, MO	26-Dec TBD
Club Meeting	Library Center Community Rooms A/B	16-Apr *2023*



Club Meetings and Dinner Night Out Schedule

Club Meeting (Meetings Start at @: 2:00 pm)

Event	Location	Date
Club Meeting	Library Center (Rooms (A/B)	16-Apr

Club Dinner Out Night (Dinners Start @ 5:00 pm)

Event	Location	Date
Dinner Out Night	Big Whiskey's – Republic Road	28-Nov
Dinner Out Night	Big Whiskey's – Republic Road	26-Dec

Dinner Night Out – October 24, 2022

The club dined at Big Whiskey's on October 24, 2022.

The members who attended kept dry during heavy rain. They included: Beverly & Johnny Cox, Larry & Helen Fortner, Mike & JJ Jennings, Dana & Pat Jennings, Charles & Diana Mahaffey, Melinda Owen, Dennis & Norma Taube, Tom & Barb Trosper, and Yvonna Davis & Dave Walters. Photos are in the gallery.

Maple Leaf Festival - October 15, 2022

Pat Jennings won two awards at this Carthage event. First place in his class and the Veterans Award. Bobby Goss and Carl Schmachtenberger won second place in each of their classes.

There were 600 cars registered.

Congratulations Pat, Bobby and Carl.

Cruisin' the Coast - October 2-9, 2022

Five member couples attended the 26th Annual Cruisin' the Coast event. A dry and great time in Biloxi was enjoyed by our ten-club members along with 9,618 other enthusiasts.

Attending this year were Wade & Gerri Mitchell, Helen & Larry Fortner, Melinda & Jess Owen, Dennis & Mary Partlo, and Charles & Diana Mahaffey.

Melinda prepared a travelogue for the event which is published below.

Cruisin' the Coast 2022 was attended by club members Larry & Helen Fortner, Charles & Diana Mahaffey, Wade & Gerri Mitchell, Dennis & Mary Partlo and Jess & Melinda Owen. The weather for the entire event was best described as perfect. Every day was sunny to partly cloudy with crisp mornings and daily highs around 80 degrees.

The trip to the coast went by without incident. Shortly after arriving at the hotel the work commenced getting the road dust off the cars.



McElroy's Seafood Restaurant is always the first stop for some the first day. This year was no exception. One of the goals while at CTC is to get your fill of shrimp. McElroy's provides

a great opportunity for this while sitting outside with an ocean view.

Some of our members took the opportunity Saturday to take the ferry from Dauphin Island to Gulf Shores, Alabama. There is a restaurant owned by Jimmy Buffet's sister named Lulu's which is a must stop when in Gulf Shores. This year we had an opportunity to sit right by the water and view the barges and boats going by. Again, more shrimp was had!



Sunday brought assorted opportunities to enjoy the area. Some members attended the cruise- in at Gulfport while others visited area towns for shopping. Steve's restaurant is always a must stop for, you guessed it, more shrimp. The view from the restaurant is another highlight.



Cruise Central, where the event packets and credentials are obtained, opened on Monday. It is always a wonderful opportunity to socialize and watch all the great classics cruise through. This year was no exception.



Tuesday everyone headed to the town of Moss Point for a cruise-in. This event has grown each year, becoming a good show. While the ladies shopped the men viewed the cars and enjoyed the sights. After the show we headed to Bozo's Too, which is another must-visit restaurant. As you will see in the picture, more shrimp! The restaurant's restrooms are accessed by an outdoor sidewalk whose fence is lined with cute and funny signs. The one below caught my attention.



While I am not going to name names or try to explain this next picture, if you look closely you will want to ask Helen Fortner about the story behind it.

Wednesday was the Biloxi Block Party. Some of our



members attended the party while others chose to sit across the street at the Hard Rock Casino and watch all the classics come and go. Amanda and Joe Martin, from the Iron Resurrection television show attended the Block

Party. Several of our members got to meet and visit with them. I know it was the highlight of their day



The day was capped off by a visit to Aunt Jenny's Catfish Restaurant. The restaurant is surrounded by Live Oak trees that are 500+ years old. The restaurant was built in 1852 and has retained much of the original look which added to a great experience topped off by the delicious food.



Ocean Springs is the highlight of the week for many of our club members. An early wake up call for 3:30 a.m. gets us on the road to get in line by 5 a.m. The gates open at 7 a.m. allowing cars to file in and claim their favorite parking spots. Some of our members' cars from last year were featured in the CTC event program guide this year. I am sure if you ask Larry Fortner, Mike Jennings, Pat Jennings, or Jess Owen, they will show you their copy of the program guide with the page dog eared with the photo. After getting our cars parked and displayed, tradition has it that a visit to TatoNuts donut shop is a must. Let's just say it is a tradition for a reason. The best donuts this side of Hurt's donuts in Springfield. Between the shopping opportunities and the many great restaurants to choose from, our members had a full day.

Members took the opportunity Friday and Saturday to get their event cards stamped at the various locations or to just hang out at their favorite town and enjoy the sights, cars, and food.

The trip home was uneventful but all the laundry that had to be done once arriving was monumental! Fortunately, all members arrived home safe, with wonderful memories of another great Cruising the Coast.

November - December

Happy Anniversary to You Two			
November	Name	December	Name
1	Peggy & C.A. Smith		
18	C.L. & Mollie Carter		



Happy Birthday to You, Too			
November	Name	December	Name
10	Jack Wernet	5	Harold Richart
10	Peggy Smith	8	Dave Deason
18	Wendell Royster	8	Barb Langley
22	Dennis Taube	12	Mollie Carter
29	Diana Mahaffey	14	Reta Bruffey
27	Charlie Prose, Jr		



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The next meeting will be held on Sunday, April 16, at The Library Center on 4653 S Campbell. Meeting convenes at 2:00 pm in the Community Room A & B

Room Legend:

AB = Community Room A & B

Aud. = Auditorium

SHR = Story Hour Room

Can = Canceled

TBD = To be determined

BW = Big Whiskey's

Decoding Jim Scott's T-Shirt Text for Senior Citizens



Acronym	Meaning
BBF	Best Friend Fell
LOL	Little Old Lady
BTW	Bring the Wheelchair
TTYL	Talk to you Louder
BRT	Bring your teeth
LMDO	Laughing my dentures out
WAITO	Who am I talking to?
OMSG	Oh My Sorry Gas
GGPBL	Gotta Go pacemaker batteries low
ROTFACGU	Rolling on the floor and can't get up



Thoughts & Prayers

Always keep our great country and our military in your prayers.

The Lord is gracious and merciful; slow to anger and abounding in steadfast love.

Psalms 145:8



Classic Chevy Club Dinner Out Night – October 24, 2022



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Springhouse Assisted Living Cruise In – October 15, 2022



Springhouse Assisted Living Cruise In – October 15, 2022



Springhouse Assisted Living Cruise In – October 15, 2022



Steak 'n Shake Cruise In – October 1, 2022



Fall Foliage Tour – October 28 - 30, 2022



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Club Christmas Party – December 9, 2022



CHRISTMAS PARTY

WHEN: December 9, 2022
TIME: 6:00 p.m.
LOCATION: Knights of Columbus Hall
2340 W. Grand St.
Springfield, MO

Please join us for an evening of fun, good food and Christmas cheer. There will be a gift exchange with a \$15 maximum limit and a “wackier the better” theme. Guys – bring a guy’s gift. Gals – bring a gal’s gift.

The cost of the meal this year, which includes tax and tip, will be \$32.00 per person. The club will be paying \$8.00 of that amount leaving each member a cost of \$24.00. This is payable, in advance due to having to make non-refundable reservations with the caterer. Reservations and payment are due no later than November 20th.

The Knights of Columbus Hall is located near the intersection of Grand and Kansas Expressway. It is approximately ¼ mile west of Kansas Expressway on the south side of the road. Look for the Blue Knights sign. The Hall is located next to the KTTS radio station. The entrance is in the front of the building.

Classic Chevy Car Club – About Us

Address for Classic Chevy Club Website

COPY LINK BELOW AND PASTE INTO YOUR INTERNET BROWSER
CLASSICCHEVYCLUBSPRINGFIELDMO.COM

Chevy Car Club Website Mission Statement & More

Mission Statement:



The website centers on the membership, events, and member's cars. We hope that this approach will allow us to grow the club membership, maintain current traditions, and to use technology to assist us with improving communication to current and future members.

Contacts for joining the organization or answering questions about the newsletters or website are listed below

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From the Editor

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The Bowtie Editor is always looking for ways to improve the format and content of the newsletter. Any comments are welcomed. News about past (participants/ trophies) happenings, upcoming car shows, or events are certainly appreciated.

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November 2022 Events

December 2022 Events

Planning Calendar								Event(s)	Location	Date	Comments (* = Flyer Available)																																																																						
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