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The Keystone Chapter of the **Falcon** Club of America was formed in 1988 to serve the geographical area consisting of Eastern Pennsylvania, Northern New Jersey and Southern New York.

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DUES are \$5.00 annually. Memberships expire with the Macungie meet in August. The Keystone Chapter Newsletter will be published with information from and for its members in the months of January, April, June, July, August and October. All items to be published should be sent to the editor.

PRESIDENT'S MESSAGE:

We had a beautiful day for our last club meet for the season at Shickshinny. The foliage of the trees was at its peak. We started with a picnic style lunch: hamburgers, hot dogs, sausage and peppers with salads and desserts. It was a great meal.

After lunch, we had a meeting to continue the preparation for the 1994 National Convention. Later, we drove our **Falcons** to the scenic lookout point, after which it was back to Chet and Becky's to start up the grill again for more food. We all had an enjoyable day, and we all thank Chet and Becky for having our club at their house.

A list of chairpersons for our National Convention committees is included in this newsletter. Please contact a chairperson and volunteer your services in conjunction with some committee work to make the National a success.

I hope you had a nice Thanksgiving, Christmas and New Years with your family and friends. See you at the dinner in March and at our meets.

Ed Snyder, President

VICE-PRESIDENT'S MESSAGE:

I hope everyone had a Merry Christmas and Happy New Year. Linda and I would like to thank Chet and Becky Wisneski for the good time we had at the last meet held in October. Now with the National only six months away; we will need help from all the members to make it a success. The annual Keystone Chapter dinner will be at Meyers' restaurant on March 19th. Hope to see everyone there.

Bill Wisser, Vice-President

TREASURER'S REPORT:

As of 12/31/93, the chapter has 6 new members, but lost 22 members through non-renewal, giving a total of 106 paid members.

Balance on hand (9/4/93) \$1249.12

Income:

New members	30.00
Renewals	100.00
50/50 Raffle	22.00
Regional Profit	254.23

	406.23

Expenses:

October newsletter	45.71
Fall Picnic	113.55
Annual Dinner Deposit	80.00

	239.26

Balance on hand (12/31/93) \$1416.09

Linda Wisser, Treasurer

NEW MEMBERS:

Tom Baldwin
RR #1 Box 231-C
Hunlock Creek PA 18621

Scott M. Bergman
RR #1 Box 109D
Mullica Hill NJ 08062

James Bowe
1900 Highland Avenue
Deptford NJ 08096

Kevin J. Gabel
7 Lilac Place
Randolph NJ 07865-1505

Rick Mager
6359 Craig Avenue
Bensalem PA 19020

Richard J. O'Donnell
132 Post Avenue
Lyndhurst NJ 07071

50/50 Winners:

\$10 Linda Wisser
6 Sam Bann
6 Stan Varner

EDITOR'S MESSAGE:

This mailing contains in addition to the January newsletter, and the annual chapter membership list, a leaflet advertising the upcoming National Convention sponsored by the Keystone chapter. Copies of this leaflet are being mailed to all chapter presidents.

We will also have a NATIONAL NEWS column in each newsletter. Come to our dinner and meets and offer your suggestions and assistance to make the 1994 national Convention a memorable event.

Frank Servas, Editor

KEYSTONE CHAPTER NEWS:

Saturday, March 19. Keystone Chapter Dinner to be held in Quakertown, PA. This will be our sixth annual chapter dinner. The menu will consist of Dutchess Soup and Tossed Salad, Roast Beef and Roast Turkey, fluffy Whipped Potatoes, Green Beans Almondine, Honey Glazed Carrots, fresh Apple Tart or Strawberry Cheesecake, Coffee, Tea or Milk. The meal will be served family style (all you can eat). The price (including tax and gratuity) is \$16.50.

Linda Wisser must know not later than March 12 the exact number who will attend. Please send your reservation to Linda with a check payable to the Keystone Chapter.

The dinner will be held at Meyers' Family Restaurant on Route 309 in Quakertown. From Route 78, take 309 South. From the Turnpike, take route 309 North. Meyers' is on the East side of Route 309 in Quakertown. Plan to arrive around 5:00 p.m. The meal will be served at 5:30 p.m. Planning for our chapter activities and the National Convention will take place after the dinner. The professional video tape of our Valley Forge Regional will be shown in part. Please call Linda if there are any questions.

NATIONAL NEWS:

The enclosed leaflet describing the National Convention mentions many of the activities that will take place. Also look for Ed's message submitted to the Falcon Bulletin for February publication.

This column will mention needs for the National. One important function will be the security provided during the evening and early morning hours (in 2 hour shifts) Wednesday through Saturday nights. Those interested please inform committee chairman Brian Mowen.

A reminder to send your favorite recipes to Linda Wisser no later than February 1st. The cookbook, containing our members' favorite recipes, is planned to be ready for our National Convention. Linda needs time to organize the cookbook and have it printed. Forms to be used for recipes were sent in a previous mailing. Contact Linda for additional copies.

Chet & Becky Wisneski head the committees on door prizes and T-shirt and trophy sponsorships. Twelve T-Shirt sponsors will have their business cards printed on the back of the special Fifteenth National Falcon Convention T-Shirts. The response has been good, and at press time there may be only 1 or 2 spaces available at a cost of \$150.

We are also soliciting commercial sponsors for each class of trophies. A sponsor for a class will have their name engraved on each of the four trophies in the class, which will be a permanent memory for those who are awarded trophies. The cost of this sponsorship is \$75.

Finally, we also need donations of items for the participant's packets, raffle prizes and door prizes (for both men and women). Forms for this purpose are included with this newsletter. If you know of a possible sponsor or donor, please contact Chet or Becky at (717) 542-4059.

NATIONAL COMMITTEE CHAIRPERSONS:

Banquet:	Nancy Snyder
Chapter Store:	Gerrie Scioscia
Cookbook:	Linda Wisser
Dash Plaques, Wall Plaques:	Ed Snyder
Donations, Door Prizes:	Chet & Becky Wisneski
Financial:	Linda Wisser
Games:	Steve Bortko
Hospitality:	Ginny Servas, Linda Wisser
Ice Cream:	Todd Spencer
Motel Arrangements:	Ed Snyder
Music:	Marin Ennis
Night Watch:	Brian Mowen
Parking Lot:	Bill Wisser
Pasta Party:	Nancy Snyder
Photography:	Phil Warren
Printing:	Frank Servas
Raffle, 50/50:	Jeff Wied
Sound System:	Todd Spencer
T-Shirts, Caps:	Glenn Kuhn
T-Shirt Sponsors:	Chet & Becky Wisneski
Tours:	Bruce & Pam Wolfe
Trophies:	Bill Wisser
Trophy Sponsors:	Chet & Becky Wisneski
Video Taping:	Tony Valenti
Voting:	Pam Wolfe
Welcome Tent:	Glenn Kuhn, Barb Sellers

FIFTH ANNUAL REGIONAL VIDEOTAPE:

An all-new videotape has been produced for our Fifth Annual Eastern Regional Meet. Last year's videotape was well received, and has generated much favorable publicity for our chapter. Price is \$32.95. If ordering by mail, please include \$4.00 postage. (A couple of the Fourth Annual Eastern Regional tapes are still available at \$29.95 + \$4.00 postage.) Please send orders to Ed Snyder.

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CHAPTER STORE:

Keystone Chapter items displaying our logo are available at all of our meets:

T-shirts are available in small, medium, large and extra-large sizes. Cost \$8.00

Caps are adjustable to size. Cost \$5.00

Keystone coffee mugs. Cobalt blue with Keystone logo in white. Cost \$4.00

Chapter jackets must be ordered in advance. Color is burgundy, and jacket will be personalized with your first name:

Small	36-38	
Medium	40-42	
Large	44-46	
Extra Large	48-50	
Extra Extra Large	52-54	Cost \$35.00

Previous Regional Shirts and Caps:

2nd Regional T-shirts.	Cost \$10.00
3rd Regional T-shirts.	Cost \$10.00
3rd Regional Caps.	Cost \$8.00
4th Regional T-shirts.	Cost \$10.00
4th Regional Caps.	Cost \$8.00
5th Regional T-Shirts.	Cost \$10.00
5th Regional Caps.	Cost \$8.00

Inquire about sizes available on T-shirts. Please include \$1 extra per item on mail orders, and send to Ed Snyder.

To order jackets, send order with remittance, sizes and personalization to:

Big A, Inc.
 Glenn L. Kuhn
 Drawer E
 Fayetteville, PA 17222
 (717) 352-2544

Falcons and Owners at Shickshinny 10/16/93

(13 Falcons)

Ed and Nancy Snyder	Perkasie, PA	64 white 4 door wagon
Dennis Greenfield	Hamburg, PA	65 black 4 door Futura sedan
Chet & Becky Wisneski	Shickshinny, PA	65 burgundy Futura convertible
Chet & Becky Wisneski	Shickshinny, PA	64 white Sprint hardtop
Bill & Linda Wisser	Coplay, PA	65 blue Futura hardtop
Rick Adams	Millersburg, PA	66 black 2 door sedan
Sam Bann	Mahanoy City, PA	65 green Futura hardtop
Bruce & Pam Wolfe	Grantville, PA	68 blue 4 door Futura sedan
Rich Hostetter & Paula Seibert	Campbelltown, PA	63 red Futura convertible
Frank & Ginny Servas	Floral Park, NY	65 white 4 door Futura sedan
Chet & Becky Wisneski	Shickshinny, PA	64 black Futura hardtop
Bobby Richardson	Shickshinny, PA	64 black Futura hardtop
Art Seel & Cathie Johnson	Philadelphia, PA	65 blue 2 door deluxe sedan
Bruce and Joan Kichline	Hellertown, PA	92 green Ford Aerostar
John & Anna Myers	Mt Joy, PA	

The Falcon Club of America requires that all members of local chapters also belong to the National. Applications are available from the President or the Secretary and at our meets.

TECHNICAL TIPS:

Send your advice to the editor.

TECHNICAL HELP WANTED:

Send your questions to the editor.

CARS FOR SALE:

Send your ads to the editor.
(include full description- year,
body style, 2 or 4 door, color,
engine, tranny, price, etc.)

CARS WANTED:

PARTS FOR SALE:

Send your ads to the editor.
(Please indicate a price for
each item offered.)

PARTS WANTED:

SERVICES OFFERED:

Hubcap and wheelcover reconditioning, stainless
steel & aluminum trim restoration. Contact Chet
Wisneski, RR #1 Box 9A, Shickshinny PA 18655.

SERVICES RECOMMENDED:

FIFTH ANNUAL REGIONAL MEET FINANCIAL REPORT:

INCOME:

Car Show Registrations	737.00
Swap Meet Spaces	72.00
Pasta Party	257.25
Banquet	1650.00
50/50 Drawing	81.00
Raffle	194.00
Regional Store Items	713.00
Keystone Purchase Regional Items	221.00

Total Income	3925.25

EXPENSES:

Banquet	1637.54
Pasta Party	230.00
Trophies	627.79
Dash Plaques	240.09
Refreshments	65.61
Regional Store Items	653.00
FCA Insurance	100.00
Telephone Calls	3.51
Postage	6.90
Posters	80.00
Supplies	26.58

Total Expenses	3671.02

Net Profit 254.23

Forty-nine persons attended the pasta party, while sixty-six persons attended the banquet, which was served buffet style with a large selection of dishes to choose from. Following the meal, trophies were awarded. Some rain on Saturday morning dampened the event slightly, and apparently some **Falcons** residing nearby were not brought out for the day.

Additional Acknowledgements continued from last newsletter:

Ballots: Paula Seibert, Pam Wolfe

50/50, Raffle: John Russell, Jeff Wied

Guard Duty: Ray Chevalier, Carl Cline, Betty Hunsberger, Roy Hunsberger, John Johnson, Roy Kolb, Glenn Kuhn, Bernie McCombs, Brian Mowen, John Russell, Chris Scioscia, Barb Sellers, Brenda Snyder, Chris Snyder, Todd Spencer, Jeff Wied, Chet Wisneski

Hospitality: Marlene Gearhart, Betty Hunsberger, Chrissy Leonetti, Judy Russell, Gerrie Scioscia, David Servas, Frank Servas, Ginny Servas, Paula Seibert, Nancy Snyder, Becky Wisneski, Linda Wisser

Ice Cream: Marlene & LeRoy Gearhart, Ginny Servas, Nancy Snyder, Todd Spencer, Becky Wisneski

Dinner: Judy Russell, Linda Wisser

Parking of show cars: Roy Kolb, Bill Wisser, Bruce Wolfe

Door Prizes: Bruce Wolfe

Music: Marin Ennis, Todd Spencer

Tour: Todd Spencer

Games: Steve Bortko

SPECIAL THANKS:

For contributions to our Regional Meet

for wash & wax, hats & T-shirt:
Jeff Carstetter, Parts Mgr.
Francis For Fords
Cameron & Paxton Street
Harrisburg PA 17105

for hats:
Homer S. Hetrick, VP
Central Lincoln Mercury
Chambers Hill & Penhar Road
Harrisburg PA 17111

for 2 cases of oil:
Ed Mulvehill
Ridge Auto
1080 Route 113
Souderton PA 18964

for Keep PA beautiful patches:
James Kirkland
Martha Torbey
Penn DOT
1712 Lehigh Street
Allentown PA 18103

for battery cables:
Town & Country Auto
South Richardson Avenue
Lansdale, PA 19446

for combs, pens, key chains, mirrors & sewing kits:
Norman Keller
Pennview Savings Bank
15 Washington Avenue
Souderton PA 18964

for Promo F-150 Pickup trucks:
Ken Walters
Keyser & Miller Sales, Inc.
Souderton PA 18964

for sample packets and car club kits:

Armor All
6 Liberty Drive
Aliso Viejo CA 92656

for parts drawer organizer:

Chris Scioscia

for screwdriver sets and pliers:

Jeff Wied

for pocket screwdrivers and oil change:

Roy Hunsberger

for flashlights, pocket knives, screwdrivers, pens
& thermometers:

Glenn Kuhn

for raffle clock:

Chet Wisneski

for raffle clock movement:

Frank Servas

for doughnuts:

Nancy Snyder

for fruit basket:

Linda Wisser

for candy:

Paula Seibert

for goodies:

Pam Wolfe

for baked goods:

Betty Hunsberger

So many people offered assistance and helped in so many ways that I'm sure some names have been omitted. My apologies to anyone that I have overlooked.