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Presidents Message

It's time to get those cars out of moth balls. Some of you have already uncovered them and used them for church on Easter Sunday. Some of you have just cruised around the block. Isn't it a great feeling to hop in your Falcon, roll down the windows and take it for it's first ride of the season? It's only a feeling us car nuts can relate to. You just can't explain it to anyone.

The first big meet of the year is the Carlisle All Ford Show. It's one of the best places to shop for parts for your Falcon. Nothing but FORD PARTS seen in this flea market. It's also a good place to relax and check out all those Fords. Don't forget, we need to pre-register 20 Falcons for Carlisle Productions to supply a 20 x 20 tent for the Keystone Chapter. Get your registrations in ASAP.

We have lots of meets planned for the year. Check out the Schedule of Events in this newsletter. Two new meets for the year are the Wellsboro, PA. trip and the Keller Brother's Ford meet in Lititz, Pa. Both of these are scheduled for the Fall. So you have lots of time to make plans.

Please notify our Editor if you know of any other meets we can attend as a club. Not everyone can make it to every meet on the schedule, but I'm sure there are members that would like to attend meets in your area. We just need to know about them.

It's not too late to make plans to attend the National FCA Meet in Charlotte, NC. There are lots of tours scheduled for this National Meet.

They have over 100 Falcons registered at this time. It's going to be a show to remember. We would like to have a short meeting on Saturday, July 17th, at 1:00 in the parking lot of the Holiday Inn in Charlotte, NC. We want to get a group picture of all Keystone Chapter Members attending the National Meet.

From, Bruce Wolfe

Dues are \$10.00 annually. Memberships expire with the Macungie meet in August. The Keystone News will be published with the information from the members in the months of January, April, June, July, August and October. All items for publication should be sent to the Editor.

Editors Message

Hello, Winter is out and spring is here. I cant wait for our first club meet. This will be at the All Ford Show in Carlisle June 4-,5,&6 , 1999. I finally have my car running now. I still have a ways to go. But I will be ready for the first meet. Our Family Heritage Dinner had both good food and fellowship. We were told more information about the National Convention. They already have 101 Falcons registered as of the first week of April. 190 Banquet tickets are sold. For the Hotel rooms they have: 44 for the 14th, 96for the 15th, 116 for the 16th and 104 for the 17th. If front desk says they can't help you with block rooms, ask for reservations and they will confirm the rate for the Falcon club. They will be extending their blocked rooms In the future .The Hotel phone # is 1-800-847-7829.The North Carolina Chapter still needs more sponsors for class awards, door prizes and goodie bag items. Later in this news letter we will have more info on the National Convention.

There is a Plating Company which is right across the street from my House. They are setting up this month for chrome Plating small items. I will have to try them out.

The membership directories are out now. We will be giving these out at our chapter functions. At the Carlisle meet we will finalize the pictures for the calendar that we would like to order. So bring those pictures out. We would like to order at least 25 calendars.

From, Todd Spencer

BIG THANKS

Thank you for donating the Dinner Gifts at our Chapter Banquet.

Norman L. Keller - Change Purses

Jeff Weid & Renee Halter - Pot Holders

Roy Hunsberger - Card I.D. Holders

Keller Brothers. FORD. Dealer - Key Chains

SECRETARY REPORT

Keystone Chapter Dinner at Family Heritage, There were 42 people in attendance, Everyone had an enjoyable meal. After the meal a general meeting was held. We had a summary of 1998 events, Treasurer report was given. Also discussed 1999 calendar of events. We to have a eventful year planned . The dues are now \$ 10.00 a year. This is to help with rising costs. After the meeting everyone stayed around chatting about old times and winter projects. Hope to see you all at meets this year

From, Jeff Wied.

TREASURES REPORT

BALANCE OF 12/4/98	\$ 1,793.41
Income :	
Dues - \$ 185.00	
Dinners - \$651.00	
Total Income	<u>\$ 836.00</u>
Sub-total	<u>\$2,629.41</u>

Expenses :

North Carolina National

Trophy Sponsor	\$ 150.00
Statement adjustment	\$ 30.00

Total Expenses	<u>\$ 180.00</u>
Balance of 4 / 10 / 99	<u>\$2,449.41</u>

KEYSTONE CHAPTER SCHEDULE OF EVENTS

June 4,5,6, 1999 (Fri , Sat, Sun.) CARLISLE ALL FORD NATIONALS

Carlisle , Pa. Web Site <http://www.carpro.com>

Call Carlisle Productions at 717-243-7855

June 27,1999 (Sunday) KNOEBELS GROVE AMUSEMENT PARK

Elysburg, Pa. Amusement park information call 717-672-2572

Camping 672-9555

Meet at tent #6 at 9:30 A.M. Bring a Lunch or buy there.

Keystone Chapter contact Rick & Lisa Adams 717-362-9236

July 15,16,17, 1999 (thu,Fri,Sat.) FCA NATIONAL CONVENTION

Charlotte , NC.

August 8, 1999 (Sun.) Das Awkscht Fesch - Macungie, Pa

(near Allentown) Large antique car show, Flea Market & Car Corral.

Pre-registration Only by July 1st. Sunday is car club day. Over 50

Falcons on display. Keystone Chapter Dues are Due at the Meet.

(\$8.00 before or at this meet, \$ 10.00 after) Keystone Chapter

Contact-Ed Snyder 215-257-2422. This is our Annual Meeting Time.

August 15, 1999 (Sun.) 23 Annual Coopersburg Meet-

Coopersburg, Pa. 10:00 AM. to 4 PM. 2 Falcon Classes.

Keystone Chapter Contact - Ed Snyder 215-257-2422

September 11 & 12, 1999 (Sat & Sun) Wellsboro, Pa Trip

Travel from Allentown, Pa to Wellsboro, Pa on Saturday Morning.

Visit Antique shops and "Pa Grand Canyon". Drive home Sunday.

Hotels rooms will be blocked. Wellsboro Chamber of Commerce 717-724-1926

Keystone Chapter Contact- Bruce & Pam Wolfe 717-469-7252

September 25th (Sat.) Keller Brother's FORD- Lititz,Pa.

Dan Keller of Keller Bros. Ford has invited the Keystone Chapter to a day of rest and relaxation. Only FALCON or FORD spoken here. Dan has a 1963 convertible and the parts department uses a 1965 Sedan Delivery to deliver parts. Dan is also giving every Falcon owner a gift

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for attending this meet. Keystone Contact- Bruce Wolfe

This will be from 9:00 AM. To 3:00 PM.

Other Shows In The Area

July 24th (sat) 6th Annual Mid Maryland Ford Club/Frederick Motor Co in Walkersville, MD.

This is the Mason Dixon Chapter Pionic which is held here.

Please call Carl Cline at (301)-733-6740 Applications with this newsletter. The classes are as follows :

(K) 1960-1970 Sedan , (L)1963-1965 Hardtop, (M)1963-1965 Convertible, (N) Open Utility, (O) Open Modified.

August 20th-21st (Fri & Sat) 6th Annual Northeast Regional Meet Will be held at a new location- the Hartford/Farmington Marriott Hotel. Contact Ray Chevalier at (401)-934-2105

FOR SALE

1966 Falcon Futura, 4dr, 200. 6 cyl., auto, blue on blue, Current Pa. Antique Tags, \$800.00 Contact: Rick Adams 717-362-9236

1963 Falcon Convertible, Red with nice black top and refurbished interior. Runs good, has rebuilt 1967 engine, 200 cu. 3 speed on column. Spinner wheels and original am. Radio. Some body rust but looks good. Frame needs work. Asking \$ 1,000 or best offer. I'm motivated to sell. Call Mike at 215-985-5855 or email to mflanagan@bresslergroup.com.

PARTS: 64-65 HT console, med. blue \$100. 63 HT Console, turquoise \$ 70, 64-65 headlight buckets assm, \$ 25 each, Nice 65 grille, \$175, 64 futura panel, \$ 80, 170 clutch/flywheel assm., w/1000 miles, \$ 45, rust free Lf fender 65 futura, \$ 100, repro. 64-65 console body, Ht , \$99, Repro 62-63 fender ornaments, \$124 pr., Repro 63-64 futura armrests, red, \$44 each , 63-65 conv. Bucket seat shields, \$ 55 pr. See us at Spring English town spaces RK-27,28 and Carlisle All Ford Show spaces L-140,141. KP Automotive Inc., (215)-699-2456 evenings and weekends. E-mail KP.Auto@Aol.com.

From Gerry Kratz

WHAT HAS THE CAROLINAS HAVE IN STORE FOR YOU. 20TH NATIONAL CONVENTION - CHARLOTTE, N.C.

Wednesday will be set up day for the host club and meeting for the national officers at 7:30 PM and Security from 10:00 PM to 6:00 AM Wednesday thru Sunday same times.

Thursday at 8 AM - 10 AM will be the Officers & Directors meeting, Registration, Club Store, Falcon fun games, wash pit, Hospitality Room, Video Room, and Vendors Parts. Thursday afternoon at about 1:30 PM we will tour over to Dennis Carpenters Reproduction Ford Parts to tour his business at 2 PM. We will wait in his car museum which has a P.A. System and air conditioning. They will announce groups of 15-20 people for tours. At 5:30 PM we will go down the road a mile from Dennis' place to drive our falcons on the Lowes Motor Speedway (Charlotte Motor Speedway) for 3 laps around the track, escorted by the track marshall who will ask to have everyone driving to sign a waiver form.

After we cool our tires off from the track we will go back to Dennis Carpenters place for a good old southern cook-out of hamburger, hot dogs and fresh ice cream.

We would appreciate if all people wanting to attend the cook-out to phone James Baxter at 704-735-5077 or mail to 1192 Mirror Lake Rd, Lincolnton, NC 28092 or e-mail to ncfalcon@tntie.com. We need this in order to know how much food to get for the cook-out.

Friday we will leave to go visit Roush Racing at 10 AM in Mooresville, NC, Race City USA, which is in an industrial park of Racing (about 40 shops and racing museum across the street from Roush). At 1 PM we will go over to the Famous Holman and Moody Shop, home of Holman Automotives where Lee Holman will give a tour of the shop to be. The Airport has purchased the property to put in a run way. So the home of the famous shops will be history before too long. This will be the last tour of the shops. The listed tours above and cook out will be free of cost.

Saturday will be devoted to the car show. We will vote that day from 11:30 AM - 1:30 PM, Annual Business Meeting at 2 PM - 4 PM, Banquet at 7 PM with guest speaker Lee Holman. We will have at the show the Daddy Warbucks car, Tim Sands 48 Ford stock car, Challenger 1 & 3, a video room to watch racing tapes of rally falcons and Drag Racing, old Photos of Rally falcons being built. We will have leased vans for ladies and gentlemen to go about town exploring or shopping driven by a driver who will know areas of interest. Plenty of trailer parking for cars being hauled in and vendors selling parts. The hotel has a van to pick up registered guest from the airport nearby.

So if you haven't made plans yet for the 20th National Convention, what ya waiting for? Make tracks to Charlotte. Looking forward to seeing you all, Carolinas Chapter.



CARLISLE SHOW

This year there will be a class added to our falcon show field.
(THE MODIFIEDS)

Carl Henderson has been after Carlisle Productions to put the Modifieds in with the rest of the Falcon line up. They finally said YES. They will have their own class and awards. Carlisle would like to see at least 10 Falcons in this class. So spread the word! We have many people in our club that have these custom cars, so let's see them in the line up. The give- away car this year is a Mercury Monterey 2dr Hardtop that will be given away on Sunday at 4 p.m. There are rooms blocked for the Falcon Club at Days Inn (717-258-4147) and the Rodeway Inn (717-249-2800) .Sounds Like It's going to be a exciting time.



" MY CLASSIC CAR"

TNN Show on cable has the 1998 FCA National Convention in Colorado on the air. Bruce Wolfe said he had seen part of the show and he said it looked great. You can still catch it on June 19 & 20, Sept.18 & 19th , and Dec. 18 & 19.

From The Wisser Family

I would like to thank everyone for the get well cards, telephone calls and prayers extended to me during my recent illness and surgery. It really helped to speed up my recovery.

Bill Wisser

Web site & Newsletter

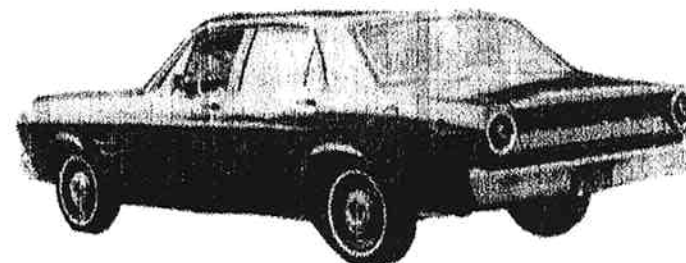
Our new web site is finally on the air ! It has the latest news about our Keystone Chapter up dates and new articles about Falcons that are in our club . If you are on the web it ba-hoovs-ya to visit. If you have any suggestions on Articles that can be put on the Web site please contact our new Internet Director at haring@fedora.net This is Don Harings personal web address. Our Keystone Chapter address is

<http://fedora.net/falconkey>

SHOP TALK

What subjects would you like to discuss in our " Shop Talk" segments this year ? . These discussions are held after a club meeting at selected meets throughout the year . We have discussed Six cylinder Engines & Sprints in the past . Call or write one of the officers with your suggestions. If you feel that you would like to do a topic your self , just drop us a note.

1967 FALCON



ANY ASSOCIATED ORGANIZATIONS OF ANY INJURY, DAMAGE OR LOSS OF PROPERTY CONNECTED TO EVENT.



Mail to:
Certificate All-Ford Nationals, 1000 Bryn Mawr Rd., Carlisle, PA 17013-1588
or your club official

PA FAIRGROUNDS

CARLISLE

June 4, 5 & 6, 1999

ALL-FORD --Nationals--

Club Name: Falcon Club of America - Keystone Chapter

Form must be received on or before January 31, 1999.

Club pre-registration form. \$20 allows two adults into the show all 3 days.

Name: _____ Phone (____) _____
Address: _____
City: _____ State: _____ Zip Code: _____
Year: _____ Make: _____ Model: _____

OFFICIAL USE ONLY		
F.S.	_____	_____
S.	_____	_____
S.S.	_____	_____

SUNDAY, AUGUST 8, 1999
PRE-REGISTRATION FORM ONLY
Post Mark Deadline: July 1, 1999
NEED NOT BE A CLUB MEMBER
(TYPE OR BLOCK PRINT, PLEASE)

USE GATE #1 ONLY

NEW ADDRESS: YES ☐ NO ☐

NAME _____ MAKE _____
STREET _____ MODEL _____
TOWN _____ BODY STYLE _____
STATE _____ ZIP _____ + 4 _____ YEAR _____
PHONE/AREA CODE(____) _____ CLASS NUMBER _____

Make checks or money order only, payable to: Das Antriebschiff Feucht
Mail to: Box 127, Macungie, PA 18062

Sun. Pre-Registration thru Jan. 1, 1999: \$10.00 per car _____ No Refunds
Sun. Pre-Registration Jan. 2 thru July 1, 1999: \$13.00 per car _____ No Refunds

Please duplicate this form for additional vehicles.

WHICH MARQUE ARE YOU ENTERING - BY NUMBER

No Street Rods - No Street Machines - Custom/modified
CHECK PAGE 4 FOR INFORMATION Limited to 1300 Entries

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|-------------------------|------------------------|------------------------------------|--------------------------------|
| 1 - Chrysler Products | 8 - Buick's | 15 - Chev. Norwalk, Pontiac Safari | 22 - Checker |
| 2 - Vintage Chevrolet's | 9 - Cadillac & LaSalle | 16 - Auburn, Cord, Duesenberg | 23 - Nat. Woodie Club |
| 3 - Pontiac & Oakland | 10 - Early Ford V-8 | 17 - Shelby Mustang | 24 - Oldsmobile |
| 4 - Corvetta's | 11 - Model A Ford | 18 - Franklin | 25 - Ford Falcon |
| 5 - Studebaker, Avanti | 12 - Thunderbirds | 19 - Hudson | 26 - Kaiser, Frazer & Henry J. |
| 6 - Corvairs | 13 - Willys | 20 - Dodge & Graham | 27 - Packard |
| 7 - Metropolitan's | 14 - Nash & Rambler | 21 - Edel | 28 - |
| | | | 30 - All 1915 & Earlier Cars |

NO DAY OF SHOW REGISTRATION

All units registered must be on showfield to receive Participation Award.

FOR CONFIRMATION. PLEASE SUPPLY SELF-ADDRESSED, STAMPED ENVELOPE WITH REGISTRATION