



Swamp Fox Region

CELEBRATING OUR 42nd YEAR AS AN ACTIVE CLUB

NEXT MEETING

Western Sizzlin Steakhouse
2688 David McLeod Blvd.
Florence, SC
Monday
March 13, 2023
6PM Dinner/Meeting



HAPPY BIRTHDAY TO:

Bootsie Griggs 3-14
Bjorn Sirum 3-16
Patrick Casey 3-20

WELCOME NEW MEMBERS

2023 CLUB OFFICERS

Chairman Al Robinson
President Tom Spence
Vice Pres. Cheryl Floyd
Secretary/ Susan Pace
Treasurer.

CLUB WEBSITE:

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March 1, 2023



Tom Talks

It's March and spring is here! Car club activities are happening again including our show on Saturday the 25th! We need all members to attend and drive their rides so we can get a new picture for our website.

Be there by 11 am to set up and help guide cars to the correct spot. We will have water and the club pays for lunch. Two different food options exist and of course Local Motive has their specialty available! Talk it up amongst your social groups as it should be a fun Saturday!

Be sure to attend the club meeting as information on our next show will be shared and road trip options will be discussed. Put the pedal to the metal 'cause old cars don't drive themselves!

Tom



COB Comments

It is March already, and finally the weather is good enough to start getting our cars limbered up and ready to exercise them!! Be sure to check everything out in detail before you hit the streets. Put about 4 gal. of ethanol free out of a gas can in the car's tank, good way to see that the gas gage is working. Also, it's a good way to know you won't run out (I have run that experiment)!!

Check to make sure none of your wheel cylinders have started to leak while the car has been sitting over the winter. It's also a good idea to check the master cylinder fluid level. Make sure your radiator level is above the core at least 1 inch and check the oil level. Give the battery a good 24-hour charge and check each cell with your hydrometer to verify that the charge levels are about the same across the cells. Works only on non-sealed batteries!! This, by the way, is a good way to pick up a potential dead cell in the near future. Once the car is cranked up and warmed up for 15 to 20 minutes, check the transmission fluid level.

Air up the tires and you are ready to roll. I also like to look things over for leaks after the 1st outing, I have picked up a couple of water pump leaks over the years by doing this. You should now be ready for touring and CAR SHOWS!!

Put Sat. March 25 on your calendar for our 1st show of the season at the Local Motive Craft Brewery out behind Naturally Outdoors and Phil's Bike Shop on West Palmetto. It should be a lot of fun and a way to get our 2023 Club activities off to a good start!!

And as always, remember that LIFE IS TOO SHORT TO DRIVE BORING CARS!!!

Al Robinson



Future Car Shows and Events of Interest

March 4, 2023 (Sat)

Cars & Coffee Kelleytown Baptist Church, 8am to 11am

2609 Kelleytown Rd. Hartsville, SC

March 11, 2023 (Sat)

Cars & Coffee Highland Park UMC, 9am to 11am

1300 Second Loop Rd. Florence, SC

March 16-18, 2023 (Thu, Fri, Sat.)

Run To The Sun, 9am to 5pm

2501 North Kings Hwy. Myrtle Beach, SC (old Myrtle Square Mall)

March 25, 2023 (Sat)

Top 30 Car Show, Local Motive Brewing Company, 12pm to 4:30pm – Swamp Fox Car Club

2519C West Palmetto St. Florence, SC

April 1, 2023 (Sat)

Cars & Coffee Kelleytown Baptist Church, 8am to 11am

2609 Kelleytown Rd. Hartsville, SC

April 8, 2023 (Sat)

Cars & Coffee Highland Park UMC, 9am to 11am

1300 Second Loop Rd. Florence, SC

April 13-15, 2023

>> AACA SE Spring Nationals, Charlotte Auto Fair <<

Charlotte, NC - Hornets Nest Region

May 6, 2023 (Sat)

Cars & Coffee Kelleytown Baptist Church, 8am to 11am

2609 Kelleytown Rd. Hartsville, SC

May 13, 2023 (Sat)

Cars & Coffee Highland Park UMC, 9am to 11am

1300 Second Loop Rd. Florence, SC

May 13, 2023 (Sat)

Piney Grove Church Spring Car Show, 9am to 2pm

2808 West John Paul Jones Rd. Effingham, SC 29541

June 10, 2023 (Sat)

Pee Dee FCA Car Show and More

1111 South Fifth St. Hartsville, SC 29550

August 10-12, 2023

> AACA Annual Grand Nationals <

Bettendorf, IA

THE 34TH ANNUAL
RUNNING
TO THE
SUN



2023 MARCH 16-17-18

Local Motive Top 30 Car Show

Craft Beer



Live Music

March 25, 2023

2519 W. Palmetto Street, Florence, SC 29501

12:00-4:30 pm

\$20 entry fee. All cars, trucks and bikes welcome.

Dash plaques to first 50 to register.

Trophies awarded to top 30.

Various food options available.

Tents, chairs and families welcome!

Questions: 843-773-0189



June 10th 2023

6th Annual

Pee Dee FCA Car Show and More



*** 1111 South 5th Street Hartsville SC 29550 ***

\$20.00 Entry Fee Includes:

- * Theme 3"x4" Dash Plaque*
- * Goodie Bag with Sponsors Goodies*
- * Car Show Booklet * Door Prize Tix*
- * 1st, 2nd, 3rd, Trophies plus Top Awards*
- * Free FCA Hat if Pre-Registered by May 15th *

\$100.00 - Vendors And SWAP Meet

- * Shaved Ice * Ice Cream * Car Parts *
- * Hot Dogs * Boiled Peanuts *
- * Burnout Competition * Jewelry *
- * GM Performance Parts *
- * Oldies but Goodies Music and Car *

To Pre-Register or Questions about the Show Please Call or Email



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Burn Out Competition



New Record 280 Entries

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Best of Show 2022 - '51 Chevy

Don't Miss Our Incredible Car, Truck, & Tractor Show with Burnout Competition

FCA

Vender and Swap Spots Available

FCA