

CRUZ NEWS

September 2022

The Official Newsletter of the
Southern Cruzers



**MOTHER NATURE, YOU TRIED TO THWART US
WITH YOUR RAIN,**



BUT WE HAD A GOOD SHOW, ANYWAY!



Cruzer Merchandise

License Plate Plaques - \$20.00
Ron Willson 952-892-6081

Club Window Stickers
Jim Neher 952-435-3180

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CRUZ NEWS INFO

The Cruz News is published monthly by the Southern Cruzers Car Club of Minnesota for the distribution to its members. The views expressed are those of the editor & members supplying articles & do not necessarily reflect the official position of the Southern Cruzers Car Club as a whole. **Deadline:** The Cruz News is usually published on the website during the last week of the month for the next month. Items to be published should be received no later than the 20th of the month. Photographs may be color or black and white and must be accompanied with a description and photographer's name. Every effort will be made to return submitted photos. Photos and/or articles can be e-mailed. Note: not all articles and pictures may be used due to space limitations.

SHOW OFF YOUR CAR HOW?

If you contribute an article that is used, a small picture of your car may be published with it. If your car is not on the website, then I don't have a picture of it. (Pics will be used if room allows.)

Mail articles and photos to:

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Burnsville, MN 55337

MEETING & CRUISE INFO

***MONTHLY MEETING ***

Thursday, September 8, 2022, 7 p.m.
Apple Valley Legion Post 1776
14521 Grenada Drive, Apple Valley, MN



Cover image taken, by the editor,
between rain showers

Southern Cruzers platinum "Summer Spectacular" sponsor



*** CHECK OUT THE CRUZERS' WEBSITES ***

There is an Application Form on the MAIN website. If someone wants to join, they can just print it, fill it out, & mail it in with their check.

Please note: These websites, currently, are being revised.

Main site: www.SouthernCruzers.com

Event Site: www.TheSummerSpectacular.com

UPCOMING CLUB EVENTS

LADIES' NIGHT OUT: Thursday, Sept 1, 4:00 p.m., Apple Valley Legion Post 1776, 14521 Grenada Drive. If you have questions, contact Karen Keenan @ 952-758-9754.

APPLE GROUP NORTHFIELD CAR SHOW: Sat., Sept 3. At 9 a.m., we will meet in Farmington at the corner of Hwy 3 & Hwy 50 (strip mall) and cruise as a group to the show. Questions? Call Steve Brehm at 952-457-1333

CLUB MEETING: Thursday, Sept. 8, 7 p.m., Apple Valley Legion Post 1776, 14521 Grenada Drive

THE GLEN IN HOPKINS MINI-SHOW: Wed., Sept.14, 2 p.m.,1011 Feltl Court, Hopkins, MN, Ron@ 952-892-6081

OTHER SHOWS AND EVENTS

LABOR DAY CAR SHOW: Mon., Sept. 5, 9 - 3 p.m., 17205 Forest Blvd. N., Hugo, MN, Jerry, 651-343-1730

BURNSVILLE FIRE MUSTER CAR SHOW: Thurs., Sept. 8, 5 - 8 p.m., Heart of the City parking, Burnsville, MN

EMANUEL CAR SHOW/CHILI FEED: Fri., Sept. 9, 6 p.m. - Dusk, Emanuel Lutheran, Inver Grove Heights, MN

DEFEAT OF JESSE JAMES CAR SHOW: Sat., Sept. 10, 9 - 3 p.m., Riverside Park on Hwy 3, Northfield, MN

SGT. PEPPERS CAR SHOW: Sat., Sept. 10, 9 - 3 p.m., Sgt. Peppers Grille, 930 Helena Ave. N., Oakdale, MN

SKANDIA TACO DAZE: Sat., Sept. 10, Reg.@ 9:30 a.m., Skandia Community Center, Skandia, MN

INVER GROVE HEIGHTS CAR SHOW: Sun., Sept 11, 9 - 3 p.m., 65th & Cahill, Inver Grove Heights, MN

APPLE FORD CAR SHOW: Sun., Sept 11, 9 - 1 p.m., Apple Ford Shakopee, 1624 Weston Ct., 612-850-9134

FLEET FARM CAR SHOW: Sun., Sept 11, 10 - 2 p.m., 8400 Lakeland Ave. No., Brooklyn Park, MN

SHAKOPEE AMERICAN LEGION CAR & CRAFT SHOW: Sun. Sept 11, 9 - 3 p.m., Tahpah Park, 1490 Adams St., Savage, MN; Galen (cars) 612-802-3723; Troy (crafts) 512-892-4271

NICKLE DICKLE CAR SHOW: Sat., Sept. 17, 8 - 4 p.m., Elm St. & 1st St., Waconia, MN, 952-442-5812

1ST ANNUAL CAR SHOW: Sat., Sept. 17, 9 - 3 p.m., 1195 W Circle Dr. SW, Rochester, MN, 507-421-3052

ST. JEROME CAR SHOW: Sat., Sept. 17, 12 - 3 p.m., (gates@ 9 a.m.) 380 E. Roselawn Ave., Maplewood, MN

ROCHESTER FALL CRUISE: Sun., Sept. 18, 10 a.m. start, 1195 W Circle Dr. SW, Rochester, MN

ST. PETER CAR SHOW/SWAP MEET: Sun., Sept. 18, 6 - 3 p.m., Nicollet Co. Fairgrounds, St. Peter, MN

NORTHERN LIGHTS CAR SHOW: Sun., Sept. 18, 9 - 3 p.m., Blacksmith Lounge, Hugo, MN, 651-769-3660

ROBT. BROWN CAR SHOW: Sun., Sept. 18, 11 - 3 p.m., Fleming Field Airport, So. St. Paul, MN, 651-402-6004

STUDEBAKER FALL SWAP MEET: Sat., Sept. 24, gates open@ 8 a.m., 736 Rodeo Dr., Hudson, WI

ON THE ROAD AGAIN CAR SHOW: Sat., Oct.1, 9 - 3 p.m., 12th Ave. & Southview Blvd., So. St. Paul, MN

ROADSTERS SWAP MEET: Sun., Oct 2, gates open at 6 a.m., MN State Fairgrounds, North End, St. Paul, MN

EDITOR'S NOTE: Just a reminder: This listing is in no way a complete one. I just list the events closer to home that may be of interest to our readers, or are favorites with our members. For a more comprehensive list, go to Events with Cars.com, or find the latest issue of the MSRA Linechaser.

CRUISE NIGHTS

CULVERS EAGAN: Every Monday, 5 - 8 p.m., Till the snow flies

HENDERSON ROLL IN: Every Tues., May 31 - Sept. 27, 5 - 8 p.m., Henderson, MN

CULVERS SAVAGE: 3rd.Tues. of mo., 5 - 8 p.m. 9/20, Terry (612-716-1415)

MONTGOMERY ROLL IN: 3rd. Tues. of month, 4 - 7 p.m., 9/20, Montgomery, MN

SUMMER RODS CRUIZ'IN: Every Tues., 6 - 9 p.m., Holy Emmanuel, 201 E. 104th, Bloomington, MN

BUCK HILL CRUISE NIGHT: Every Wednesday night, 5 - 8 p.m.

MUSCLE CAR ROLL-IN: Every other Thurs., 5 - 8 p.m., Racks Sports Bar, 2400 Cliff Rd. E., Burnsville, MN

SMOKE SIGNALS ROLL-IN: Every Thurs., 4 - 7 p.m., June 2 - Sept. 29, 16907 Hwy 13 So., Prior Lake, MN

HISTORIC HASTINGS: Sunday, September 18, 11 - 4 p.m., (Last one for the season?)



DUANE'S WORLD



I don't know what happened to our summer, but as I look at the calendar, it has gone by in a flash, and the fall season will be knocking on our door. I think a lot of the summer was spent waiting for rain that never seemed to materialize. When, on radar, it looked like we would get hit with a nice rain fall, it always seemed to split off and go to our north and south. Someone told me that the city heat island causes the rain fronts to do that. Who knows? That person could be right in their assumption. The little rain we did get has helped green up our lawn, but I'm afraid that some brown areas will not come back. I just read in the paper that nice green lawns may become a thing of the past with water restrictions preventing us from giving our grass a nice drink. In the future, it sounds like our yards may look like the typical yard in Lonesome Burro, Arizona. Just have to wait and see.

Speaking of the future, as I compose this article, our big car show, the Summer Spectacular, is just a week away, and by the time you read this, the TSS will be over, and I'm hoping all goes well with a good turnout!

As I have done many times before, I fast forward a few days, and TSS 2022 is history. I won't go into any detail at this time, but all in all, we had a good show despite Mother Nature's idea of a joke, dropping rain showers on us at midday. Personally, I think Buck Hill turned out to be a good decision in carrying our car show into the future! Thanks to Steve Brehm & Craig Duntley for working hard to make this happen, and thanks to our dedicated members who showed up to do what they do so well! Another positive from the show is that 3 or 4 people at the show indicated they are interested in joining the club! More on our show will be forthcoming. We will be evaluating the 2022 TSS and discussing how to proceed from here.

September is upon us, and, in my opinion, the best weather for cruising is coming up! Reminders have been sent out via email of the upcoming events: including mini-shows in Apple Valley & Hopkins, and a cruise down to Apple Auto in Northfield for their show and free lunch! **Did I have you at free lunch?** See page three for details.

Editor's note: Don't jump up and run for your road atlas, looking for Lonesome Burro, Arizona. I made that name up! See you out there, somewhere. DB

BOROWSKIS TROPHY AT CLEAR LAKE



For the second year in a row, Denny & Renae Borowski trophied with their 1939 Ford Convertible at the recent car show in Clear Lake, Iowa.

Photo submitted by the Borowskis

YELLOW RIBBON THANK YOU PLAQUE



At our August club meeting, Cruiser member, and Rosemount Yellow Ribbon member, Marv Jansma, gave the club a plaque in appreciation for our donation, last winter, to the Yellow Ribbon Foundation. This plaque will be on display at future club meetings. President Duane Barclay is shown receiving the plaque from Marv Jansma.

Photo by Rose Barclay



MONTHLY MEETING MINUTES –Thursday, August 11, 2022, Taken by Rose Barclay

President: Duane Barclay called the membership meeting of the Southern Cruzers to order at 7:00 p.m. The Pledge of Allegiance was observed.

Secretary's report: A motion was made by Loren Bahls and seconded by Fran Stade to accept the minutes of the July 14, 2022 meeting as printed in the August Cruz News. The motion passed.

Vice President's Report: Steve Brehm reported that he sent out 6 hard copies of the last Cruz News.

Treasurer's report: Dick Lidbom read the treasurer's report. Jerry Forness made a motion to approve the report. The motion was seconded by Steve Brehm, and the motion passed. A call for bills was made. Jim Neher submitted a bill, for \$53.54, for TSS printing. Ron Willson made a motion to pay the bill. It was seconded by Keith Biers, and the motion passed. New income of \$150.00, for preregistered cars for the TSS, was given to Dick Lidbom by Jim Neher. (Twenty-two have preregistered for the TSS.)

Membership Chairperson: Jim Neher reported that club membership is 84 (144 total). The Club has no new members. Jim had up to date Club rosters.

Activities: Ron Willson reported that there are 3 upcoming Club car show events. [1]The Rivers in Burnsville on Saturday, August 13, noon-2:00 p.m. [2] Cassia Health Care in Apple Valley on Tuesday, August 30, 2:00 [3] The Glen in Hopkins, Wednesday, September 14, 2:00

Jim Neher has been asked to run the Dakota County Car Show at the Fairgrounds on Sunday, August 14. Awards will be at 2:00.

Steve Brehm announced the Vettes for Vets Car Show in Savage is August 14, 8:00-1:30; \$20 to enter. Steve Brehm reported that Apple Valley Ford has invited the Club to go to their dealership in Northfield on Saturday, September 3 for a show, with a free lunch. Cruzers would meet at the corner of hwy 3 & hwy 50 in the strip mall in Farmington at 9:00 a.m. (More specific information will be sent out later.)

Events: Karen Keenan reported that Ladies' Night Out is scheduled for Thursday, September 1, at 4:00 p.m., at the Apple Valley American Legion.

Announcements: Duane Barclay reminded members that Club car plaques are available for \$20.00 from Ron Willson. Jerry Forness reported that the Club Facebook page has had 817 likes. Judy Kemper reported that Bill Corson has moved to a memory care facility. Duane Barclay announced that both Craig Duntley and Jerry Forness have been nominated for MSRA car of the year awards.

Old Business: Mark Peterson reported that all board and committee chair photos have been posted on the Club's website. He encourages members to look at the car photos on the Club's website. If their car photo is very small, a new photo would be a good idea.

New Business: As a thank you for the Club's donation, in 2021, to the Rosemount Beyond the Yellow Ribbon, Marvin Jansma presented to the Club a trophy which will be on display at each meeting.

Duane Barclay talked about updating the Club's bylaws. If you would like to see a copy of the bylaws contact Duane. All considerations for changes to the bylaws must be given to a board member by September 8, 2022.

TSS Business: Co-chair Steve Brehm reported that shirts and plaques are done. Shirts will be handed out after the meeting. There are enough volunteers. Workers should arrive at the TSS 7-7:30 a.m. and park in back of the building. There will be coffee, water, cookies, and muffins for the workers. In addition, workers will be given \$5.00 for lunch. (This replaces the ticket that was given in the past.) Steve and Craig Duntley are working on having a special attraction to the TSS Show. No additional information was given.

The next meeting will be at the Apple Valley American Legion Post 1776, on Thursday, September 8, 2022, at 7:00 p.m. Jerry Forness made a motion to adjourn the meeting. It was seconded by Karen Keenan. The motion carried, and the meeting was adjourned.



SOUTHERN CRUZERS CURRENTLY IN THE HOSPITAL, OR CONVALESCING AT HOME



Dottie Hanson is home recuperating from surgery.

There may be members we don't know of who have been hospitalized or ill. We wish them a speedy recovery.

Judy Kemper is the club "Sunshine Lady." Please let her know of any member in the hospital, or suffering the loss of an immediate family member. Judy's phone number is: 952-322-5819.



BIRTHDAYS



September 1, Jan Duntley

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September 2, Mary Jo Permuth

September 3, Karen Craigie

September 3, Sandra Weiberg

September 14, Bob Boche

September 14, Dottie Hanson

September 16, Sue Flink

September 18, Ron Donely

September 20, Jim Neher

September 22, Denise Ristow

September 25, J.T. Taylor

September 27, James Kemper



ANNIVERSARIES



Rick & Cathy Mazanec, September 5, 1987, 35 years

Paul & Sue Justen, September 12, ????

Craig & Jan Duntley, September 15, 1973, 49 years

Steven & Patti Brehm, September 19, 1981, 41 years

Ron & Connie Donely, September 28, 1968, 54 years

CONGRATULATIONS TO ALL ON YOUR SPECIAL DAY!

WELCOME TO OUR NEW MEMBERS

No new members to report this month

To date, our membership stands at 84. (144 total)

LADIES' NIGHT OUT IN AUGUST

A nice sized group of Southern Cruzer ladies met on Thursday, August 4, at the American Legion Post in Apple



Valley. In 2022, the ladies will continue to meet the first Thursday of every month at the same venue with the next outing on the first of September at 4:30 p.m.. If you are new to our club and wish to join them, you are welcome to attend!

Photo submitted by Rose Barclay

RIVERS OF BURNSVILLE MINI SHOW

Saturday, August 13, was the start of a busy weekend. A gathering of car folks from a few different clubs met at the Rivers of Burnsville to hang out and enjoy the hospitality provided by the facility. An ice cream truck was on hand with cold treats. Three trophies were awarded by participant voting, along with three trophies awarded by spectator voting. It was reported that several people, just driving by, came in to have a look!



Thank you to Jim Neher for providing these photos and a recap of the show!

DAKOTA COUNTY FAIR CAR SHOW

On day two of a busy weekend, the annual Dakota County Fair car show was held. Forty three cars were on display, and a nice showing of old race cars was plenty to keep spectators busy. The first place winner was a 1959 El Camino, Lynn Peterson took second place with his 1966 Impala, and third place went to a 1970 Plymouth Barracuda. Car show photos & recap provided by Jim Neher. Race car display photos provided by Jim Heiland.





CHECK OUT APPLE AUTO'S WEBSITE TO FIND THE LATEST SPECIALS, OR ACCESS THEIR SITE FROM THE SOUTHERN CRUZER WEBSITE. REMEMBER, IF YOU BUY A CAR, TIRES, PARTS, OR HAVE SERVICING DONE, DON'T FORGET TO TELL THEM YOU ARE A SOUTHERN CRUZER.



Cruzer Calendar, Sept. 2022



Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
				1 LADIES' NIGHT OUT 4:30 P.M. Apple Valley Legion Post 1776	2	3 APPLE GROUP, NORTHFIELD SHOW (SEE PAGE 3 FOR DETAILS)
4	5 CULVER'S EAGAN 5 - 8 P.M.	6 MSRA BOARD MEETING 7 p.m. Hampton Inn I-694 & Lexington Shoreview, MN HENDERSON ROLL-IN	7 BUCK HILL WEEKLY WHEELS 5 - 8 P.M.	8 CLUB MEETING 7 p.m. Apple Valley Legion Post 1776	9	10
11	12 CULVER'S EAGAN 5 - 8 P.M.	13 HENDERSON ROLL-IN 5 - 8 P.M.	14 THE GLEN IN HOP- KINS MINI-SHOW (SEE PAGE 3 FOR DETAILS)	15	16	17
18 HISTORIC HASTINGS, 11-4 P.M.	19 CULVER'S EAGAN 5 - 8 P.M.	20 CULVER'S SAVAGE 5 - 8 P.M. Terry @ 612-716-1415	21 BUCK HILL WEEKLY WHEELS 5 - 8 P.M.	22 AUTUMN BEGINS	23 AUTUMN BEGINS (or is it today? De- pends on what calen- dar you look at)	24
25	26 CULVER'S EAGAN 5 - 8 P.M.	27 HENDERSON ROLL-IN 5 - 8 P.M.	28 BUCK HILL WEEKLY WHEELS 5 - 8 P.M.	29	30 Start shopping for a Halloween costume	

CLUB EVENTS

CONTACT PEOPLE

Karen Keenan (Ladies' Night Out) 952-758-9754
Judy Kemper (Sunshine Lady) 952-322-5819
Terry Stade (Culver's information) 612-716-1415

OTHER EVENTS

CRUISE
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