



Dixie Vintage Antique Automobile Club Newsletter

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September 2018 Hoover, Alabama



Hoover **Krispy Kreme** hosts **Dixie Vintage Auto Club's** first Saturday Cruise-In each month.

Dixie Vintage Events

Saturday, Sept. 1st.

Krispy Kreme Cruise-in

8:AM - Noon, Hwy 31, Hoover, AL

Jim Black, 205-527-9346

Monday, Sept. 10th.
6PM Dixie Vintage Business Meeting
Customs Café'
1845 Mtgy Highway So. Hoover, AL
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The pictures to the right and below are from a recent Alabaster 1st Saturday Night Cruise-In. Check out the name above the bumper on the red car.

The 3rd Saturday Krispy Kreme Cruise-In is scheduled to start in October and run through May. As always the 1st Saturday Krispy Kreme continues year round.

We are rapidly approaching the end of summer. During the cooler months of September and October it is hoped that everyone can get out and enjoy a Saturday evening of car shows. However, football games become a priority during this time for many of us.

Birmingham Area Cruise-in Schedule for 2018

Visit www.DVAAC.com for details











New Process for Ordering Name Tags

Dixie Vintage President Jim Black has streamlined the process for ordering name tags. This new process will expedite the delivery of your nametag to your home. The order form will be available in the tent at Krispy Kreme Cruise-ins. The member needing a name tag will complete the order form and mail it with payment to Crown Trophy. The finished name tag will be mailed to you.

We encourage each of our members to own and wear a Dixie Vintage Car Club name tag. We really do want to get to know you. The cost of the name tag is \$10.00.



Newsletter Editor

Do you have a classic car story?

Are you working on a restoration project?

Please let us know. Pat or John Krauser Cell: 205-276-4423 or Email: jekbest@aol.com

New Car Members

Bailey, Jason & Karen Hoover, AL 35226 1968 Chevrolet C-10 Pickup 1984 Mazda RX-7

Hepp, Russell & Lisbeth Homewood, AL 35209 1929 Ford Coupe 1953 Chevrolet 2 door 1959 Chevrolet El Camino

Laseter, Bill Birmingham, AL 35235 1996 Chevrolet Corvette

Dixie Vintage Antique

Automobile Club

The Dixie Vintage Antique Automobile Club Newsletter is published monthly by Dixie Vintage Antique Automobile Club, Inc., a non-profit Alabama Corporation. The purpose of this Club is to promote interest in restoring and preserving antique, classic, and special interest old cars; and to provide a social club for members and their families of mutual interest to all. Monthly meetings and activities are conducted in a variety of locations. We encourage membership from other automobile clubs and orphan marquees.

The only requirement to become a member of Dixie Vintage Antique Automobile Club, Inc. is an interest in the history and preservation of automobiles.

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Dixie Vintage member Ralph Neely provided this information for our news letter.

In May the Mercedes Benz Club of America (MBCA) held StarFest2018, their largest national event of the year in Birmingham. The week-long event with over 300 participants and approximately 150 Mercedes-Benz cars included road rallies, track days at Barber and Talladega, Safe Driver Safe Family training as well as off road excursions in the Talladega National Forrest.

Technical sessions and factory tours were held at the MBUSI factory in Vance in addition to a judged Concours at the MBUSI Brand Emersion Center. Numerous social events were held throughout the week. The oldest participating vehicle was a 1913 Benz from Canada.

The event was hosted by the Alabama Section of MBCA and was co-chaired by Dr. Jim Roberts and Dr. Mason Beale of Birmingham, both national directors of MBCA.

Dixie Vintage member Ralph Neely was also a member of the event organizing committee and participated with his 1969 Mercedes Benz 280SL winning first prize in class at the Concours. Ralph Neely's 1969 Mercedes-Benz 280SL

1913 Benz at Talladega



General view at Concours, MBUSI Brand Immersion Center



Ralph Neely's 1969 Mercedes-Benz 280SL





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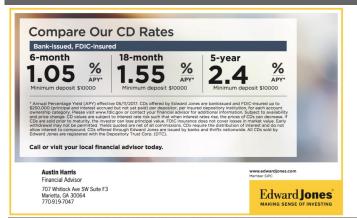


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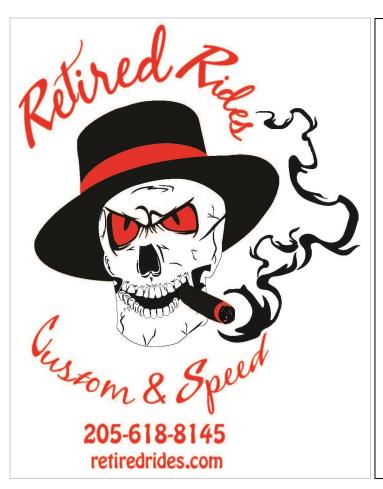








The Dixie Vintage Club attended National Night out in Hoover the first week of August.



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