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February 2019

## 2019 Event Dates

Feb. 23	Trackside Restaurant, Paris (Charlie and Carolyn Simpson)
Mar. 23	Beehive Tavern & Baker-Bird Winery, Augusta (Brad and Reda Leasor & Ray and Mary Anne Szeluga)
Apr. TBA	Marcella's Restaurant, Mt. Vernon (Wayne Wesley and Joe Vice)
May 18	Ward Hall, Georgetown (Jack and Linda Kubik)
June 8	Picnic and Membership Meeting, Clay City (Henry and Sandy Pettit)
June 22	Brian Tipton's Historic House, Richmond (David and Barbara Estes)
July 20	Concours d'Elegance at Keeneland 7:30 a.m. Breakfast, Backside Track Kitchen 9 a.m. Set-up Noon, Ladies Luncheon (Carolyn Simpson)
July 28 (?)	Music Jam (Sunday 1-8 p.m.), Manton Joint tour with the Model A Club (Jack and Linda Kubik)
Aug. TBA	Jewells on Main, Warsaw (Phil Schneider and Lo Arnold)
Sept. TBA	Ohio Amish Country (two overnights) Seville, Ohio (Charlie and Carolyn Simpson & Billie and Judy Bates)
Oct. 12 or 19	Bluegrass Stockyards (Breakfast), Lexington Old Friends, Georgetown (Brant and Lauren Allen)
Nov. TBA	TBA (Jack Garabedian and Janet Hoover)
Dec. 7	Holiday Dinner, Auction, Membership Meeting Spring Valley Country Club (Debbie Gresham)

## January 19, Bingo and Potluck

By Janet Hoover

AACA members who braved the rain and turned out for the annual Bingo and Potluck event were rewarded with lots of fun and great food...and a lucky few went home with extra cash in their pockets.

We were at a new venue – thanks to Tom and Joanne Blanck (former AACA members), who secured the Rabbit Run Clubhouse for the club's use. It's a great facility, and we all enjoyed being there.



*Bingo winners were (l-r) Ray Szeluga, Brant Allen, Mary Anne Szeluga, Joanne Blanck, Jack Kubik, Herman Butler, Linda Kubik and Bob Kirk. Virgil Cole also won but is not pictured.*



*Joanne and Tom Blanck received a \$20 Kroger gift card as a token of appreciation.*

## 2018 Financial Statement

By Linda Kubik

<b>Account Balances as of 12/31/18</b>	
Checking	\$2,903.17
Savings	\$1,314.07
(.35%) CD Balance	\$5,893.23
<b>Total Assets</b>	<b>\$10,110.47</b>
<b>Income</b>	
<b>Amount</b>	
National Dues	\$1,125.00
Local Dues	\$665.00
Shirts & Caps	\$58.00
Pins	\$0.00
Holiday Dinner	\$1,380.00
Auction	\$494.50
Bingo	\$25.00
Interest	\$0.66
National Refund	\$0.00
Printing Refund	\$0.00
Donations	\$0.00
<b>Total Income</b>	<b>\$3,748.16</b>
<b>Expense</b>	
<b>Amount</b>	
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Printing	\$279.01
Postage	\$279.60
Labels	\$28.43
Holiday Dinner	\$1,950.00
National Dues	\$920.00
Bank Charges	\$39.00
Memorials	\$50.00
Get Well	\$0.00
Bingo	\$150.00
Picnic	\$92.37
Pins	\$0.00
Refund	\$0.00
Membership Committee	\$0.00
Office Supplies	\$0.00
Website	\$0.00
Gifts	\$290.00
<b>Total Expenses</b>	<b>\$4,078.41</b>
<b>2018 Profit or Loss</b>	<b>-\$330.25</b>

## Last Call for 2019 Membership Renewals

By Linda Kubik

I am required to have the club's 2019 roster to the national headquarters in the first week of March. If you don't have your renewal to me by February 28, the March newsletter will be your last one.

National club dues are now \$40 per year and the local dues are \$15 (single) or \$20 (couple). I can process both memberships, or just the local dues, whichever you prefer. If you choose to mail both memberships to me, a single check for the total is fine.

Send to:

Bluegrass Region AACA  
Linda Kubik  
3889 Foleys Trail  
Lexington, KY 40514

Thanks for your prompt response to this request!

### Free Memberships Available to New Members

The National AACA provides a limited number of free national memberships (\$40) to NEW members. The new members would pay only the Bluegrass Region membership (\$15 or \$20). If you know of someone who would like to join and take advantage of this savings, please contact Linda Kubik at 859.338.2196.

### AACA Website Updates

Jack Garabedian has made the following updates and enhancements to the AACA website, [aacabluegrassregion.org](http://aacabluegrassregion.org).

- Pictures and videos are sorted chronologically by year. To see pictures and videos from 2014-2019, scroll over "Pictures & Videos" at the top of the homepage. When "Pictures and Videos" turns orange, click on the orange type. To see pictures from years prior to 2014, click on the year on the drop-down menu.
- 2019 calendar of events has been added.

If anyone has additional suggestions about enhancements, please contact Jack at 859.619.5885.

In addition, Janet Hoover did a cosmetic cleanup of the by-laws to make them easier to read and print from the website. There are no changes in substance. To access the by-laws, go to [aacabluegrassregion.org](http://aacabluegrassregion.org). At the top of the homepage, click on "By-Laws."

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### **PAST PRESIDENT**

Jack Garabedian	859.619.5885
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### **President's Column**

By Charlie Simpson

Winter is here, and it is time to plan our monthly events. I am sorry that Carolyn and I couldn't attend the bingo. I want to thank Joe Vice, Phyllis Cole and Wayne Wesley for handling the bingo and Jack Garabedian for handling the business meeting.

Look at the calendar of tours and you will see we have some new tours along with some places we would like to revisit. We are always looking for new members, so keep eyes and ears alert and let's see if we can sign up some new members and they will hopefully participate in our activities. The nationals have given us five free national memberships for this year. The first five to sign up will only have to pay local dues if they are first-time national AACA members

Remember those who are having health problems.

We hope to see you on the road starting February 23.

### **February 23, Trackside Restaurant, Paris**

By Charlie and Carolyn Simpson

The old train depot in Paris has been renovated and now is the Trackside Restaurant. They have a variety of items on their menu.

Weather permitting, we will meet at the McDonald's at 1950 Stanton Way, Lexington. This is off of Newtown Pike at I-75 near Cracker Barrel. We will meet at 10:30 a.m. Lunch will be between 1 and 1:30 p.m.

Hope to see you there. If you have any questions, call Charlie at 859.321.0376.

### **First Saturday Cars & Coffee (Non-Club Event)**

By Ken Hold

Are you ready for our "warm" February 2 First Saturday Cars & Coffee (FSCC)? We'll be at the Blue Grass Stockyards Regional Marketplace at 4561 Iron Works Pike, Lexington, from 9 -11 a.m. As always, there is no charge for attending. Check out the Marketplace at [www.bgregionalmarketplace.com](http://www.bgregionalmarketplace.com). It's a really good restaurant so you might want to stay for lunch.

Despite a damp cool start for our FSCC January 5 gathering, there was a very good turnout of 130 cars. The largest club attendance was by BMW with around 25 very nice cars. Other attention getters ranged from a VW Thing, a Freightliner COE and a Hummer. In addition several "cool" convertibles were there with the tops down! Come and enjoy a casual time with all our gearhead friends.

To see photos of the event, check out our new First Saturday Cars & Coffee Facebook page. See you at the Marketplace!

## Ah-ooo-gah Garage

### **FOR SALE**

1957 Thunderbird  
Asking \$30,000  
312/4-bbl. V8  
White with red interior, great paint  
Hard top/ soft top convertible  
Runs and drives great  
Rust-free New Mexico car  
Showing 34,000 miles.  
This car belonged to AACA member Phil Shank who passed away.  
Contact: Don Shank, 859.494.3990.



### **FOR SALE**

1952 Studebaker 2R5 ½ Ton Pick-up Truck Frame Off  
Restoration in 2001  
(Has 296 miles since the restoration)  
170 Flathead 6  
Asking \$22,500 or best offer  
Excellent condition, runs and drives well  
Family owned for over 34 years  
Contact: Jack Garabedian, 859.619.5885  
Also see eBay or Craigslist for more info.



### **FOR SALE**

1940 Dodge Brothers Canopy Express Screen Side ½ Ton  
Pick-Up Truck  
Asking \$21,000 or best offer  
Family owned for 50 years  
201 Flathead 6  
Excellent condition, runs and drives well  
Contact: Mark Morton, 859.533.6503  
Also see eBay or Craigslist for more info.



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