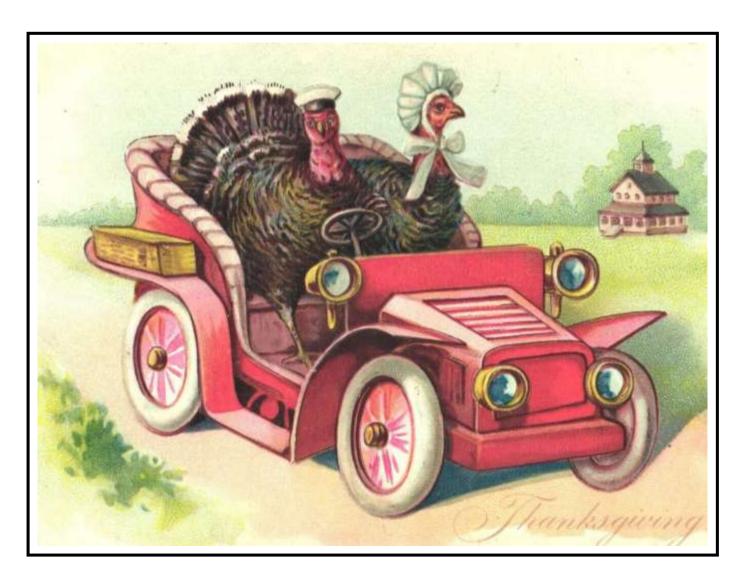


Antique Automobile Club of America 🧬 North Alabama Region





Happy Thanksgiving



Jeff Slagle President

Greetings to you all, and I hope everyone is getting ready for a great Thanksgiving holiday.

In the past few weeks there was at least 5 events that NAR members participated. Some of the events included: The Bob Jones Band Car Show, The Huntsville Veterans Day Parade, The Athens Veterans Day Parade, The Horsepower Therapy Show (Campus 805) and The Elite Car Club Car Show (Mastin Lake Road).

I, again, would like to address how thankful I am for your continued support, attendance, and overcoming challenges to support the events.

Although not every event was listed which NAR participated, as you can see, there are still numerous activities for anyone to get out and enjoy the day and fellowship.

Next, it is hard to believe that Thanksgiving is so close. I would like to tell you that Thanksgiving is probably my most favorite holiday. Thanksgiving is not like other holidays, in that it isn't all about gifts, fireworks, or games. Thanksgiving is about being with family, giving thanks, celebrating blessings, and being grateful for what is already good.

During the Thanksgiving holiday, I would like to challenge each of you for just one thing... My challenge to you is to take some time to really think about everyone that you are blessed to have in your life; and how rich your life is because of those folks.

I am looking forward to seeing everyone at our monthly meeting, and if not, I hope you and your family have a blessed and joyful Thanksgiving holiday.





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October 27, 2022 / NAR Meeting Minutes

- Meeting called to order by NAR President, Jeff Slagle
- Meeting opened with the Pledge of allegiance
- 33 Members were present
- Jeff asked if everyone received his email regarding his updating of the NAR roster list.
- The Caneer's did a wonderful job providing snacks for the meeting.

Old Business

- Secretary minutes to the September meeting were published in the Spokes Folks newsletter
- Jim True presented the Treasury report
- Discussion regarding the club website status was pushed back to the end of meeting
- Facebook and Online Rosters were discussed with no decisions for each being made
- Prayer was given for any club member currently having an illness
- Sympathies were given for the families of Luci Bentley and Charlie Baucum
- A donation for Luci Bentley was sent to the AACA Library
- A motion was passed to send a donation in Charlie Baucum's name to the AACA Library
- Happy Birthday and Anniversary to our September and October blub members

New Business

- No visitors at meeting
- New member attending meeting is Cecil Newberry. Cecil drives a Chevrolet Chevelle
- NAR accepted six new applications for memberships at this years car show. NAR has had fourteen new members to the club in 2022

Cars Bought

Jeff Slagle bought a VW-104 electric car, which has been in the repair shop since purchased

Cars Sold

Robbie Henske sold a 1972 Chevrolet Nova

Cars For Sale

- Model B Ford David Hoha
- 1966 MGB Peter Catanese
- 1955 MGA Chuck Knapp

Projects

- Harold Caneer Kurtis Kraft needs wiring
- Ed Hanish To many to list
- Al Birk Corvair
- Greg Stefanovic 1928 Studabaker

NAR Club Information

Member Milestones

Birthdays

Nov 10 Jim True Nov 13 Joan Birks Nov 18 Don Bisson Nov 18 Dan Moore Nov 20 Robbie Henslee Nov 24 Kelly Howard Nov 26 Randy Owen Nov 28 Drea Slagle Nov 29 Mike Mahan

Anniversaries

Nov 12	John and Peggy Richard / 62 in 2022
Nov 16	David and Natalie Hoha
Nov 22	Terry and Shannon Johnson / 25 in 2022



Welcome to Our Newest NAR Members

John Shumpert
Allen and Vicky Spencer
Wray and Mary Goode
Billy Claunch
Cecil and Julia Newberry
Dave and Dena Robertson



Many of you old-time NAR members will remember Charlie and Patty Baucum and remember celebrating his 80th birthday at their house in 2011, plus other activities with them through the years.

Charlie passed away Monday, October 24, 2022. For those wishing to send a card, Patty's address is 389 Countess Road, NE, Huntsville, AL 35810-3619.







Obituary

Funeral services for Charles Baucum age 90 of Huntsville will be conducted Friday, October 28 at 2:00 p.m. at Hazel Green Funeral Home with Bro. David Hutto officiating and burial will follow in Huntsville Memory Gardens. Mr. Baucum passed away Monday evening, October 24 at his residence.

He is survived by his wife, Patty Weaver Baucum, his children, Teresa Baucum Ivey, Michael W. Baucum (Debbie), Patricia (Trish) Baucum Bailey (Gary), his grandchildren, Rachel Ivey, Amanda Baucum Coleman (Alex), Adam Baucum (Breanna), Andrew Baucum, Taylor Bailey (Holly), Austin Bailey and Jason Bailey, five great grandchildren, two sisters, Faye Foster and Sue Williams and a host of loving family members and friends.

10/12/1962

ANTIQUE AUTOMOBILE CLUB OF AMERICA

APPLICATION F	OR RECIONAL CHARTER Seat. 22, 1962
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To the National Board of Directors	an)
Wontsville, Alc.	members of AACA having met at on Sent. 17, 1962
do hereby submit this application Region of AACA to be known as the	to the National Board of Directors for a new North Alchers
	l be located at Liuntsville, Alabama
At this first meeting the fol first year after the issuance of a	lowing officers were elected to serve for the Charter by the National Board of Directors:
Director Philip Woodbury	address Rt. 4 , Payetteville, Alm.
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Secretary Prant Barnett	address <u>Nuntaville</u> Ale.
Treasurer Frank Barnett	address Kentsville, Als.
(These last two officers may	be combined in one person if desired.)
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HISTORY OF THE NORTH ALABAMA REGION

The North Alabama Region dates its origin from the 'HUNTSVILLE ANTIQUE AUTOMOBILE CLUB' which was organized in December 1961. In 1962 the advantages of affiliation with a national club was recognized and a petition for charter was submitted to the Antique Automobile Club of America. The charter was granted on October 12, 1962 and officially presented by Edgar Rohr as his first official act as national President on February 25, 1963. The North Alabama Region thus became the first antique automobile organization in the state of Alabama to become nationally affiliated.

The Region started with 17 members and within a few short years, expanded to over 100 members who consequently reorganized into more localized chapters in Decatur (Alabama), Florence (Alabama) and Cowan (Tennessee). These chapters subsequently received their own charters as the 'TENNESSEE VALLEY REGION', 'MUSCLE SHOALS REGION' and 'TIMS FORD REGION'. The North Alabama Region is proud to have been an instrumental part of the growth of the Antique Automobile Club of America as the nucleus of these clubs.

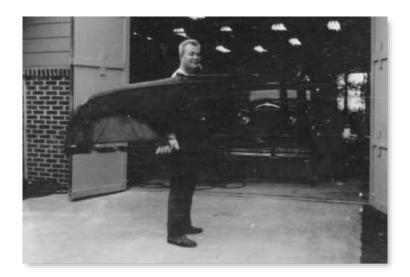
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1962	Director Philip Woodbury	Asst. Director Ernest Cross	Secretary Frank Barnett	Treasurer Frank Barnett	Reporter	
1963 1964 1965						
1966 1967 1968	Bill Ashby	Bill Hayle	Bud Congdon	Ken Barry	Bill Spriggs	
1969 1970	Phillip E Gambrell	Edward Gannaway	Richard Blazich	Bernard G Gier	Eugene George	
1971	Don Pryor	Dan Shady	Bob Thurstone	Ed Baltz	Ernest Cross	
1972 1973	Thomas C. Holley Dan Shady President	Robert L. Thurstone Bill Constable Vice-President	Dwain Coble Bill Penny, Jr	Chris Ellingsen James Bearver	Ernest Cross Ernie Cross	
1974	Bill Constable	Carl J. Berry	Ronald F. Dion	Doyal Hyatt	Bob Edgeton	
1975	Ronald F. Dion	George D. Hodge	Dave Marty	Bob Edgeton	Kem Robertson	
1976	George D. Hodge	Alvin L Parrot	Kem B. Robertson III	Carl J. Berry	secretary	
1977	George Fore Jr.	George D. Hodge	Ben R. Stevens	Carl J. Berry	secretary	
1978 1979	Edward W. Gannaway Kem Robertson III	Alvin L Parrot George Lance	Lou R. Duckwall Lou R. Duckwall	Carl J. Berry Carl J. Berry	secretary	
1980	George A. Lance	Nolen F. Poarch	Harry Moody	Carl J. Berry	president	
1980	George A. Lance	Ron Barnett	Harry Moody	Carr J. Berry	Editor	
1981	George A. Lance	Ronald Barnett	Robert W. Ralston	Suzy Leopard	NA	
1982	George A. Lance	Lou R. Duckwall	Robert W. Ralston	Gene P. King	NA	
1983	George A. Lance	Lou R. Duckwall	Robert W. Ralston	A.L. Lankford	NA	
1984	Ronald Barnett	George A. Lance	Ronald F. Dion	A.L. Lankford	Sally Barnett	
1985	Ronald Barnett	Robert Bentley	Ronald F. Dion	Charles D. Weinke	Sally Barnett	
1986 1987	Robert Bentley Robert Bentley	Timothy E. Snitger John Carder	Harold H Holt Cindy Sims	Charles D. Weinke George A Lance	Sally Barnett Sally Barnett	
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1990	Robert L. Thurstone	Max D. Murray	Cindy A. Tygielski	E. Wayne Scites	E. Wayne Scites	
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1992	Cindy A. Tygielski	Robert Bentley	Donald R. Kleis	Donald R. Kleis	E. Wayne Scites	
1993	Charles R. Hickey	William E. Steinburn	Betty Larrabee	Robert Bentley	Donald R. Kleis	
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1996	Charles Robert Hill Robert Bentley	Robert Bentley Nell Owen	Maudine Barron	Terry Ridgley	Donald R. and Carole Kleis	
1997	Joseph L. Sims Bob Larrabee	Bob Larrabee Ed Hanish	Betty Larrabee	Terry Ridgley	Randy and Nell Owen	
1998	Ron Dion	Pob Pontlov	George Snellen	Don Kleis	David Walker	Webmaster Nell Owen
1999	Ron Dion	Bob Bentley Bob Bentley	George Snellen	Don Kleis	David Walker	Nell Owen
2000	George Snellen	Jim Mullins	George Snellen	Don Kleis	David Walker	Nell Owen
2001	George Snellen	Jim Mullins	Rob Sutherland	Don Kleis	Nell Owen	Nell Owen
2002	Don Kleis	Becky Pickle	Ron Dion	Sally Barnett	Jan Reed	Nell Owen
2003	Don Kleis	Doyal Hyatt	George Snellen	Sally Barnett	Marcia Snellen	Nell Owen
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2008	Ed Hanish	Gregg Smith	Isabel Abiseid	Ron Adams	Marcia Snellen	Doug Swartz
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2017	Jim True	Pete Shreeves	Mary Walton	Nell Owen	Marcia Snellen	Doug Swartz
2018	Pete Shreeves	Mike Skelly	Mary Walton	Doug Cooper	Marcia Snellen	Doug Swartz
2019	Nell Owen	Doug Cooper	Mary Walton	Wayne Scites	Marcia Snellen	Robert Scites
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Spoke Folks Man or Spoke Folks Myth?

He's variously known as *Spoke Folks Man*, or *Jalopy Man*, or (yawn) the *NAR Logo*. He has graced the cover or back page of our newsletter for upwards of 30 years, as well as club apparel, posters and other correspondence. But did you ever wonder where he came from? It might surprise you to know that he is based on a real person and a real car. I have been able to trace part of his history, then and now, with almost nothing in between.

The following two pictures are from 1973, and show NAR charter member George D. Case, at the ripe young age of 49. That's the body of a 1928 Ford Model A roadster (trunk version, not rumble seat) he's holding. The second photo shows the cowl attached, but still some rust waiting to be repaired. Presumably the back of that 1930 Model A DeLuxe Phaeton peeking out of the shop is the same one as in the first photo. Hopefully the front wheels were chocked so it wouldn't roll over that drop-off! By the way, the tag on that Phaeton, #724, was issued to George on October 30, 1967! That was just a year after the Alabama Antique Vehicle tag program got its start.





We know that George lived a long and active life with antique cars and car people, but what of that body shell? He never really did much more with it.





Let's skip ahead about 30 years, and we see the same body, rust damage repaired, surrounded by lots of activity.





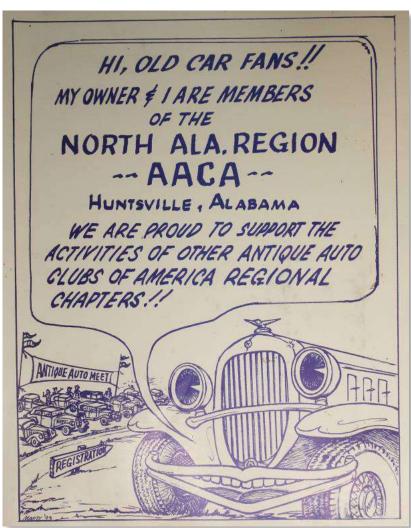
Skipping ahead a little farther (to just three weeks ago) we see how it has fared. It's now a street rod in progress, or perhaps a bit of a rat rod. Sometime before his passing, George sold the body to Mr. Eric Harmes of Giles County, Tennessee. Ed Hanish delivered the body to Eric, who immediately set to work on it, with the results you see here. The sheet-metal panels are straight as an arrow. That's a 1957 DeSoto Hemi up front. Eric was a bit reticent about posing for a picture with the car, hopefully you'll get to meet him in person at our Anniversary celebration.





What about the graphic itself? I don't have any objective proof, but all the evidence points to the artist as being William David "Dave" Marty, another long-time and active NAR member who passed away in 2009. Dave had a long career as a graphic artist, and frequently lent his talents for show graphics and the like. His last creation for NAR was this poster, created by Dave in response to discussions at a monthly meeting about needing something for NAR members to display with their cars to show their club affiliation.





Sally Barnett said that she and Ron found the logo on "old" club correspondence when they started publishing Spoke Folks in 1983, liked it, and made it a featured part of their work, so we don't really know when it was created, the evidence suggests somewhere between 1973 and 1983. I have seen many, many other car-club and newsletter logos, and I think ours is among the snappiest and most original of any of them!

Here's to you, George and Dave, I am proud to have known you both.

November 6, 2022 / Randy and Nell Owen "Garage Crawl"

There are 20 cars in Randy and Nell Owen's collection. For those who haven't seen their Madison, Alabama garage, their cars are mostly "orphans". Packards, Hudsons, Studebaker, Nash, etc.



















November 11, 2022 / Veterans Day Parade / Huntsville, AL

Thank you to all the members of NAR who are veterans. We have many and we thank you for your service. And thank you to those who braved the wet weather to bring out your cars to support NAR's entry in the Huntsville Veterans Day parade.

NAR AACA won the Huntsville Veterans Day Parade 2022 "Best Other Club/Organization" award.

The Huntsville Veterans Day Parade 2022 can been seen online at the following link – Channel 48 WAFF website at: https://www.waff.com/page/parade/













The NAR Online Mobile Directory, version (3.0.6), is available online.





To download the mobile application follow these steps:

- **1.** Use your Apple or Android mobile application store to download the **Online Member Directory App**.
- 2. On the welcome screen, select ADD NEW DIRECTORY.



3. Enter your mobile code: NARAACA



4. Touch the name of the organization when it appears.

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5. Log in with your *username* and *password*, and select **Remember Me**.

For a quick application overview click here https://support.ctrndirectories.com/knowledge-base/app-overview/

Note: It you do not have, or forgot your login *username* and *password*, please contact Jim True at *j.true@mchsi.com* and he can reset them for you.

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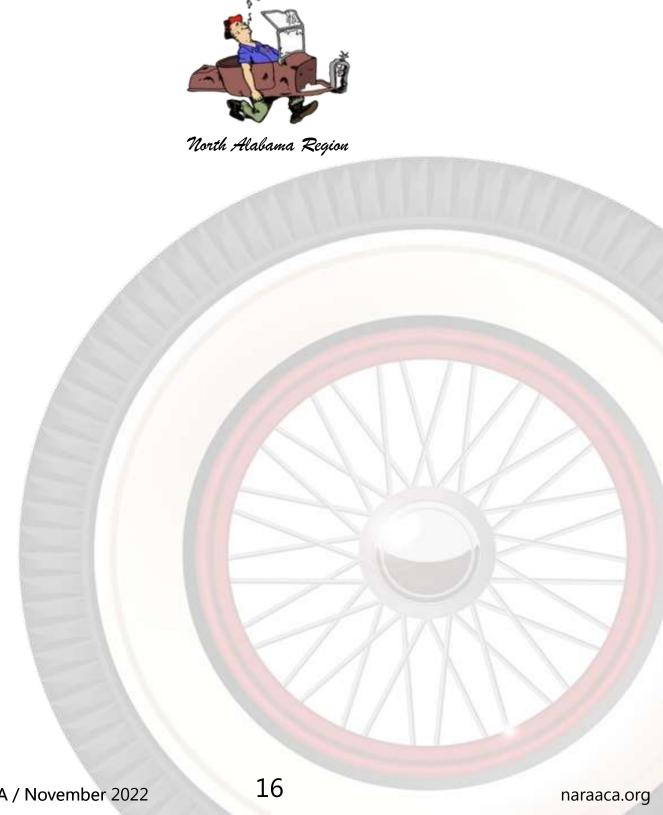
- 1. Your directory is also available on the web at https://naraaca.ctrn.co/
 Note: All administrator edits are done through the web version.
- 2. Downloading the new application will not replace the old one. NAR club members can still use the previous version, or they can delete it and then download the latest 3.0.6 version.
- 3. The app also renamed "Groups" to say "Vehicles".



December

Cars and Coffee / MidCity / 5909 University Dr, Huntsville, AL 35806 / 8:00 a.m. to 10:30 a.m. 3

TBD AACA NAR Meeting / Location TBD / Time TBD



Membership Application

After completing this form, please send a check or money order payable to NAR in the amount of \$20.00 US dollars to:

Jim True / NAR Treasurer 16651 East Limestone Road Harvest, Alabama 35749

or bring it to ou	ır next meeting. See our	Upcoming Events calendar for me	eeting times and locations.
Name/Spouse's	Name:		
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