



# Vintage Times

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## Upcoming Meetings

The June General Meeting will be on **Sunday, June 25th**. Please see the announcement on page 3 for details.

Hello TCVCC Members and Friends!!

Summer is here! Time to get the old car out for a drive before winter returns. Oh, wait, we don't have to worry about that here. Isn't it great that we get to enjoy our cars all year round? Yes, it's true that driving an old car without AC down



here can be a bit tedious, but at least you don't have to shovel it off before driving it. It would appear that a few of our snowbird friends have returned back up north. It was great seeing them over the winter and hope to see them again soon.

After an exciting Cracker Tour, Larry and I headed across the pond to spend a couple of weeks in Scotland. Let me tell you, it was cold. And wet, and windy. But we had a wonderful time and even saw a couple of classic cars. Unfortunately, the people driving them were not around to talk with. Would have been fun to talk shop with some Scots. We made up for it by sampling the local food and drink. We even went looking for the Loch Ness Monster but sadly, couldn't find her.

In this issue you will find a great story about Russ Caterinicchio's awesome win at the South Fork High School show back in March.

Check out the show listings while you're at it. There is no shortage of things to do this month.

On a more somber note, we have lost a few more members and family members recently. Included on the last page is the obituary for long time member, Kril Jackson, who passed away earlier this week. Kril was active in the club for many years and served as president a couple of times. His wife, Pearl, has also been an active member, being involved in many aspects of the club, including newsletter editor.

Please keep the families and friends of all who passed in your thoughts and prayers.

Until next month, get out and drive!

See you on the road! *Sally*

# Secretary's Report

## Treasure Coast Vintage Car Club General Membership Meeting , May 21, 2023

The general meeting was hosted by Ann and Bob Ridle. Their planned outing to the Indian River State College's Auto Tech Dept. proved to be very interesting to the 27 members attending. Brian Shaw was the head teacher and takes guys who don't know one wrench from another to the person you may find working on your car at your favorite repair shop.

Our meeting was called to order in their meeting room at 10:57 AM.

First VP Bob Ridle ran the meeting in the absence of President Sally Franklin.

We had one guest Andrew Chanliongco.

Jo Ann informed the Minutes would be in the newsletter.

Treasurer Barb Joyce informed us The Bank has plenty of our money.

Ann Ridle says we now have 96 members.

The newsletter will have Sally's report when she gets it printed when she gets home.

According to Bob Ridle the website is doing great and urged all members to check it out frequently to keep up with the goings on of TCVCC.

Tanya Colletta reminded the members she has license plate holders, Window shields and some other assorted stuff in our club stores.

Jay had no Legislative information concerning our old cars at this time.

It was reported that Alice Beatie recently passed away. She and husband Chuck had been long time members of TCVCC. Sunshine, Marie Flaherty will be asked to send a card to Chuck and family.

No report on Sargent At Arms.

The report was that the recent Cracker Tour put on by Amy and Dave Brown was a great weekend of Fun, Food, Drink and Friendship.

Cool Car Show still in limbo. Club Med is the most promising place to hold it if and when it comes to fruition. Sally will be holding a meeting in the near future.

There was no Old Business.

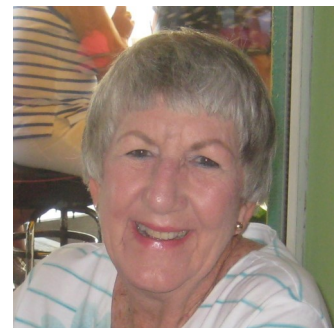
Under New Business 1st VP Bob Ridle presented Brian Shaw with a donation from the club of \$150.00 to help support his efforts at the College.

Denny Dahle pointed out that Scott Bean's 1969 AMX had photo coverage at the Miami Winter Nationals in January in the May/June issue of Antique Automobile. Nice going Scott.

The June meetings will be hosted by Linda Bollman with a cruise to an as yet to be determined location. See the Newsletter and RSVP accordingly.

There being no further business before the general membership, a motion was made to adjourn and we did. Time 11:30 AM.

Respectfully Submitted. *Jo Ann Smith Secretary*



# Upcoming National Events, General Meeting Notice

## ACA National & Regional Events

June 24-28, 2023, Eastern Divisional Tour, Denver, PA. Registrations opens April 24 and closes May 24. Click here for [BROCHURE](#).

July 16-22, 2023 ,Founders Tour, London Ontario, Canada. Click here for [BROCHURE](#).

July 6-8, 2023, Central Spring Nationals, Waterloo, IN. Registration deadline June 21. Click here for [BROCHURE](#).

July 26-29, 2023, Special Eastern Spring Nationals, Hamilton, NY. Registration deadline June 28. Click here for [BROCHURE](#).

August 16-19, 2023, Vintage Tour, Presque Isle, Maine. Registration deadline June 15. For information, contact the Tour Coordinator: Craig Green, 207-768-1033 cell, 207-762-6500 office, [Craig@crgins.net](mailto:Craig@crgins.net)

## Sunday, June 25th General Meeting Notice

**Our June General Meeting will a scenic cruise to Fort Pierce for lunch at Angelina's. Hosted by Linda Bollman.**

We will meet at the Jensen Beach Post Office, 2301 NE Savannah Rd, at 10 AM for a 10:15 departure. After a cruise up Indian River Drive we will cut over to A1A and motor on to Angelina's Ristorante, 1126 Colonades Drive in Fort Pierce.



Conveniently located next to Angelina's is the Cream Republic Ice Cream shop. Just sayin'.

Please RSVP to Linda at 772-940-9727 or [lindab4919@yahoo.com](mailto:lindab4919@yahoo.com) by June 22.

See you there!

# Sunshine & Happenings

## SUNSHINE REPORT

A card was sent to Chuck Beatty on the death of his wife, Alice. A card was sent to Tanya Colletta on the death of her stepfather. Please pass on information to Marie Flaherty: email: mariec21@earthlinknet, phone 772-692-2105. Let me know so we can

## CARS FOR SALE!

Larry Ankrom tells me he has a friend looking to sell a 1949 Ford Deluxe 2 door stock car, with the original V8 engine, white wall tires, and it runs good. It has been in storage and they are accepting offers. Contact Larry at 772-287-3415.

Bob and Lou Lambert are selling their 1974 Triumph TR 6 and Vinnie Cashin is helping with the sale. This is a 1974 Triumph TR 6, maroon exterior with an excellent black top and interior and new tires. It has been garaged kept. The car was completely rebuilt approximately 10 years ago. The odometer reads 90,000 Kilometers, or 56,000 miles. This car has been shown extensively and has won many awards. The car is running well and in excellent condition. The car is currently on Hemmings Auction site, [click here to visit](#).

To see the car or if you have any questions, please contact Vinnie at 203-627-5057, or email at ctpilot1647@gmail.com.

For Sale 1990 Buick Reatta convertible. In very good condition. Call or text for info, 772 940-9727. Linda Bollman

## Club Merchandise

We have lots of stuff available for purchase from our Club Stores. Here is a list of items available at this time.

Sun Visor \$10	License Plate Frames	\$0
Tote Bag \$0	TCVCC License Plate	\$0
Men's Shirts, L, XL, XXL, XXXL		\$30
Women's Shirts, XS, S, M, L, XL, XXL, XXXL		\$25

If you are interested in any of the items, please contact Tanya Colletta at (951) 741-8966 or trcolletta@yahoo.com.

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# Upcoming Events

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## EVENTS FOR June 2023 (Courtesy of Jim Serra)

### EVENTS FOR THIS MONTH ONLY

Southeast Classics breakfast cruise-in Sunday June 11th 9:00-11:00 at the Jupiter Moose Lodge 185 e. Indiantown rd, Jupiter. (located behind Duffy's east)

All years, makes & models welcome. No registration fee, just show up, have great food and meet more car people and see their awesome rides. Enjoy shady parking in an open uncrowded parking area. (Maryann - maarnone@aol.com)

### -THERE ARE 2 CAR SHOWS SCHEDULED FOR JUNE 18TH (FATHERS DAY)

The first one is located at the Texas Roadhouse (<https://www.texasroadhouse.com/locations/639-port-stluciefl>) which has a limit of 50 cars and appears to be full at this time.

The second one is located at The Sheridan at Hobe Sound 5785 SE Pinehurst Trail Hobe Sound, 10 am to 1 pm. Free lunch to all cruisers (Brats/Beer/Soft Drinks/Sides) Music/prizes and gift cards. This is a free event but you must register (show is capped at 25 cars) via phone text (772) 285-3320 or via e mail [jimserra117@yahoo.com](mailto:jimserra117@yahoo.com). As of this writing, there are several spots available.

### EVENTS THAT REPEAT MONTHLY

Friday June 2nd 5:30 to 8:30 PM. Brass Monkey Cruise-in. 7781 Lake Worth Road, Lake Worth, FL 33467. Free admission. Hosted by Donnie, Betty and Carlos. Music by DJs Donnie & Carlos. Food discount inside the restaurant for cruisers every day. Info: 561-968-9559 or Carlos 772-528-4247 (1st Friday of the month)

- Saturday, June 3rd, 8:00 AM to 10:30 AM. McKees 37 HQ Cars and Coffee, 7744 Jack James Drive, Stuart, FL 34997. Free admission. Car Care Tech Tips and, product demonstrations by Nick Rutter. Music, tent sales, discounts and factory tours. Coffee, donuts and pastries available for \$3. Sponsored by McKees37. Show info: Nick Rutter 772-828-0866 (Repeats on the 1st Saturday of the month)

- Sunday June 4th, 8:00 AM to 10:00 AM. Googan Coffee Shop Cars and Coffee. 1917 NW Federal Hwy, Stuart, Florida 34994. Bring a classic car and get a Free 12 oz coffee and 20% off of menu items. Plenty of parking. Web site: <https://googancoffee.com> (Repeats on the 1st Sunday of the month) Info: Jim Serra 772-285-3320

- Saturday June 10th Elliott Museum Cars and Coffee 8 am to 10 am FREE event, \$3 buys unlimited coffee/donuts (now featuring Jupiter Donuts) and ice water. Sponsored by McKees37 and the Elliott Museum. (Repeats on the 2nd Saturday of the month) INFO: Jim Serra 772-285-3320

- Sundays June 11th and June 25th , 8:30 AM to 10:30 AM. Valencia Car Car Club Cars and Coffee. Approximate address for your GPS/Phone is 662 SE Becker Road, Port St Lucie, FL 34984. Informal car enthusiast gathering located in the parking lot between Dunkin Donuts and Bonefish Mac Grill. Welcoming all cruisers, not just the club. Contact is Jaime Stern, 516-849-8696 (2nd & 4th Sundays)

- Monday, June 19th, 5:00 PM to 8:00 PM. T/A Truck Stop Car Show. 8909 20th Street, Vero Beach, FL 32996. (I-95 exit 147/Route 60) Hosted by the NoName Car Club. Music by Carlos & Friends. 50/50. Free discount tickets for Vero Beach Travel Center food exchanges available at DJ table. (3rd Monday of the month) Info: Carlos 772-528-4247

- Saturday June 24th, 2:00 PM to 4:00 PM South East Classics Harbourside Show, 129 Soundings Ave, Jupiter, FL 33477. \$10 entry fee. Roll in at 1:00 PM. Trophies, including Participants & Spectators Choice. Open to all years, makes and models. Nice restaurants. Contact is Pete Needre - or call 772-216-9488. [Pete2350@comcast.net](mailto:Pete2350@comcast.net)

# Upcoming Events

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## EVENTS FOR June 2023 (continued...)

- Sunday June 18th, The Palm Beach outlets Cars & Coffee (1751 Palm Beach Lakes Blvd., West Palm Beach, FL 33401.)

PLEASE READ AND READ CAREFULLY...

1. FLORIDA HIGHWAY PATROL is now the hired public safety personnel that will be handling our events. They will not allow stupidity to happen within the event or out on the roads. They will be more than happy to ticket, arrest, impound cars...etc... So don't be that guy...trust me... no one wants you there anyways if you're that guy.
2. CARS & COFFEE has gone back to a ticket system. You'll need to purchase a ticket at the link on our website. It will require vehicle information. No info. No ticket.
3. The entry fee has gone up. We have acquired more expenses because of all the drama, and in order to maintain the safety of the event, where it needs to be at, there will be a price increase. It is now \$15 entry per vehicle IF you purchase a ticket in advance...IF you elect not to purchase a ticket ahead of time, the cash price at the gate will be \$20.

## EVENTS THAT REPEAT WEEKLY

Every Monday (starting May 8th) Buffalo Wild Wings located at 3299 NW Federal Hwy (corner of Jensen bch Blvd. behind Bank of America) 5 pm to 7:30 pm. The restaurant will offer dining discounts and complimentary chips/salsa to cruisers. See the manager Stacey for details.

EVERY TUESDAY 5:00 PM to 8:00 PM. Lowes Tuesday Night Car Show by Lew's Crew. 3620 SE Federal Hwy, Stuart, FL 34997. \$3 to display a vehicle. Spectators are free. Oldies music. More info: Lew, 772-708-3790 (Repeats every Tuesday).

EVERY TUESDAY 4:00 PM to 7:00 PM. Elliott Museum Tuesday Night Car Show. 825 NE Ocean Blvd., Stuart, FL 34996. Free for museum members or \$5 to display a vehicle. Spectators are free. Live music. 50/50. Philly Down South food available for purchase at the Tiki Hut. NOW OPEN TO MOTORCYCLES TOO

EVERY WEDNESDAY, 4:30 PM to 6:00 PM. Dairy Queen Car Enthusiast Drop-in. 9019 S U.S. Hwy 1, Port St. Lucie, FL 34952. Informal gathering of car enthusiasts. 20% discount for cruisers. Contact is Ira Fluss, 772-485-7145.

EVERY FRIDAY, 4:30 PM to 6:00 PM. Sonic Drive-In Car Enthusiast drop-in. 3177 NW Federal Hwy, Jensen Beach, FL 34957. Informal gathering of car enthusiasts. . Free sundae with your purchase. Contact is Mike Gelter, 772-485-0162 (Meets every Friday weather permitting)

Don't forget to check out the Treasure Coast Automobile Enthusiasts Facebook page which now has over 480 members. It's a great place to post your car show photos that will be seen by several hundred fellow enthusiasts.

# Member Stories

## TCVCC General Meeting

May 21, 2023

Hosted by Bob and Ann Ridle

On a pleasant Sunday morning in May members of the Treasure Coast Region/AACA assembled in the parking lot of the Wells Fargo Bank off Rt. 1 and Walton Road in Port Saint Lucie for our caravan northward to visit the Auto Tech Department at Indian River State College in Fort Pierce.

Once there, Director Brian Woodrow took members through the facilities and explained the courses used to educate, train, and certify today's Automotive Technicians. With their heavy use of sophisticated computerized systems, today's vehicles are far more complicated and challenging to diagnose and repair, and IRSC's Auto Tech Department gets today's techs ready to handle those issues.



But, as Brian pointed out, many of the service needs of today's vehicles remain essentially the same as cars and trucks from years ago. Diagnosis and repair of axles, bearings, brakes, differentials, CV joints, exhaust systems, even engine rebuilding remains much the same, so these fundamental skills are taught as well.

Students completing the course at IRSC not only have the certifications they'll need for employment, but also an Associate of Applied Science

Degree in Automotive Service Management.

At the conclusion of the tour, and the club's General Meeting, 1st VP Bob Ridle presented Brian Woodrow with a donation from the club of \$150.00 to help support the Auto Tech Department's scholarship fund.

If you want to see more pictures from the general meeting, click [HERE](#).





## Member Stories

### By Russ Caterinicchio

#### TCVCC MEMBER RUSS CATERINICCHIO ACHIEVES “BEST OF SHOW” AT SOUTH FORK HS CAR SHOW

Russ Caterinicchio of Port St. Lucie won “Best of Show” at the First Annual Automotive Academy Car Show held at Martin County School District South Fork High School in Stuart on Saturday, March 25<sup>th</sup>. Russ’s 1993 Mazda RX-7 FD3S-RB Series 6 took top prize among a large field of private and various club member entries.

This two-rotor “Sunburst Yellow” Mazda coupe has been completely restored during the last three years including numerous reliability and performance modifications personally made by Cameron Worth of legendary Pettit Racing in West Palm Beach. (“Cam” Worth is internationally recognized for winning the Rolex 24-Hour GT race by overcoming the Porsche team with his #75 two-rotor RX-7.) The new motor was hand-built (autographed), street-ported, balanced and blueprinted producing 325 brake horsepower for a vehicle weighing less than 2700 pounds. This car is Stage Two track ready. The restoration was finally finished in August when the two seats were completely overhauled by Lane’s Trim Shop in Stuart using imported Italian black Alcantara suede with “Sunflower Yellow” stitching emulating the OEM style and patterns.



Mathematics teacher and coach Sean Gregors and faculty helped to facilitate the event; but the students planned, organized, supervised, and juried the show. The show was a huge success raising funds to help these young men and women continue their careers as certified mechanics and specialized technicians, as well as to encourage an appreciation for classic cars and vintage motoring.

This year’s South Fork High School Car Show was hosted by the Martin County School District Automotive Academy. Under this program, students in grades 9-12 study all aspects of automotive maintenance and light repairs. All students completing this curriculum upon high school graduation immediately earn 12 general education credits at Indian River State College. The Automotive Academy program is industry certified by the National Institute for Automotive Excellence (ASE) and the Florida Automobile Dealers Association (FADA).

## Member Stories continued...



Kril M. Jackson, 86, of Palm City, passed away on Monday, June 5, 2023 in Stuart, FL.

A long time resident of South Florida, Kril was born on November 27, 1936 in Odin, IL to the Rev. Cyril Mervin and Blanche Moore Jackson. He is survived by his wife of 66 years, Pearl Ann Jackson, daughters Kerri Jackson (Terry Gilbert) of Port St. Lucie, FL and Kristina Jackson (Colin Whitworth) of Ottawa, Ontario. Kril is also survived by his brothers, George W. Jackson (Karen) of Pleasant Hill, MO and Joseph Charles Jackson of Dearborn, MI. His memory will also be treasured by granddaughters Lucinda Pearl and Summer Rose Whitworth of Ontario, Canada.

Kril attended Western Illinois University in Macomb, IL and graduated with a B.A. from McKendree College in 1957.

He served in the U.S. Army in Mannheim, Germany during the Cold War.

Since moving from Miami to Palm City in 1989, Kril was an active member of Treasure Coast Vintage Car Club (TCVCC), serving as President in 1997 and 2001. As proud owners of a 1956 Ford Thunderbird, Kril and Pearl enjoyed many outings with their TCVCC friends.

Along with his wife, Kril traveled extensively, visiting 7 continents. Kril enjoyed a long career in Human Resources, retiring from the State of Florida Dept. of Corrections in 2000.

Kril's collection of Sherlock Holmes memorabilia and books was so notable as to be featured in The Miami Herald.

Kril was known for his dry wit, intelligence and compassion for others.

Funeral arrangements are being handled by the Neptune Society. A family service will be held at a later date. Kril will be buried in Illinois.

Donations may be made to Treasure Coast Hospice at [treasurehealth.org](http://treasurehealth.org).

