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Studebaker Drivers Club

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# 2016



The Golden Hawk

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## From the Editor's Pen.....

2016 is the 60th anniversary of the introduction of the Hawk and Studebaker did some creative advertising as seen in the ad on the front cover. It tells the potential car buyer a sporty performance car can be a family car, too. The '56 Hawks are beautiful, as well, and a few of our chapter members have one. Be sure to watch for them at this year's events and meetings.

Upcoming events in the next three months will require the help and participation of our membership to be successful. One event the chapter has scheduled is an all-makes car show and there are many ways you can help. See page 7 for a list of jobs available and call Ed or Linda to volunteer.

As is noted in the adjacent column, 2016 Chapter dues are due and it is hoped each and everyone of you will renew. We learned two of our member families have moved away. Richard and Lynn Phegley are now living in Coto De Caza, Calif. and Mark Beavin and Judi Binderman have moved to Clovis, Calif. We wish both couples the best and will miss having them in our chapter family.

Plan to join in the activities planned for the 16th at the Martin Auto Museum. *Chris*

## 2016 CHAPTER DUES ARE DUE!

It's the time again to renew your Chapter dues for another year. Please be sure to send the membership application with your dues so the most current information is available for the roster and our contact lists.

If you have fallen behind on your SDC dues you can include them with your Chapter dues. For insurance purposes, it is required you be a member of the national club to be a member of the chapter.

You can choose to have the newsletter delivered to your mail box or to have it delivered electronically. You will have it faster and in full color as well as have additional content from time to time when you choose to receive your newsletter via email. You also save \$3.00 on your dues. Please consider having your newsletter delivered via email when you renew. Thank you.

Contact Chris at [ccollinsaz@cox.net](mailto:ccollinsaz@cox.net) for an updated roster or to order a Chapter name badge. Name badges are \$5.00 for pin back or \$6.00 for magnet back.

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## From the President ...



There was a time when Studebaker ruled the World. They were the best wagon maker. They were the leader in style and economy and they were the first in many improvements that others copied. This may have been before you were here to remember but then not too many of us are over 150 years old. In those ancient faraway Studebaker years risks were taken with little fear. Even in our earlier years we seemed fearless as we played in the creek and rode our bike with no helmet. We climbed trees and roamed the neighborhood until the street lights came on fearless of predators.

As we get older there are many things from these olden times that one never forgets like sitting in a school classroom and putting glue all over your hands then peeling it off when it dries or passing notes that were written on paper instead of through the cell phone. Do you remember how to manually score your bowling? Have you ever had a watermelon spitting contest? Have you tried to have one today with these new seedless melons? These are things that we can commit to memory but we need to also remember that the hobby many of us love needs to be committed to others memory if it is to survive.

Remember driving a Studebaker back in the olden days? Every one of us has our own story of our introduction to Studebaker. Was it the first car you drove or the first date you went on and could it have been the first car you bought or worked on even the first crash you had. It was unforgettable. Now we would like to make some more memories with your Studebaker by introducing it to others and help them to recall the time when Studebaker Ruled the World.

I know you don't get out with your Studebaker as much as you use to because it is getting older (by the way you are getting older also) but there is a whole new generation that needs to know Studebaker. Remember what it was like to find a real prize in a box of Cracker Jacks or going to a drive-in movie and then fogging the windows. Bring back the time when school started with the "Pledge". Bring back the time when each Summer was endless and each Saturday went on and on forever. Bring back these times by bringing out the Studebaker for others to see and compare.

We do a lot of Studebaker only shows so now we'll invite others to see what they are missing by not owning a Champion, Commander, Bullet Nose, Hawk or Cruiser and tell them that Studebaker was the first to introduce modern American family sports car styling. The future of our Studebaker hobby is left to those that have not yet been introduced to the Studebaker family.

Show them Studebakers radical styling like all around glass and tell them about the hill holder or the first major production use of curved windshields.

Watching the Hallmark Channel on TV this time of year shows just how love can occur when it is least expected and how strong a family unit can be. They say you can't buy happiness but as we are all part of a family called

Studebaker we know you can buy a Studebaker and that is about as close to buying true happiness that we can experience. Let's expose our lovely autos to the new unsuspecting crowd in hopes that they will be mesmerized enough to continue the Studebaker marque for the next few generations.

How can you help you ask? Bring out that Studebaker and ask your friends to join us in March with their Chevys, Fords, Plymouths, Buicks, Hudsons, and whatever is older than 1970. How will this help to recall old memories? Let them compare the unique styling of the Studebaker line-up to what they see everyday going down the road and find out what they know about those olden times.

How else can you help? Give us ideas that we can use to spread the Studebaker Story. What would you put on an info board? Help us plan the day. Help us park the vehicles and set the scene and surroundings. Bring a valve cover to race. Bring us stuff for a goodie bag like a tooth brush from your dentist or menu from your favorite restaurant or maybe some of those old unwanted *Turning Wheels* or *ECHOs*, or maybe coupons from wherever.

We look forward to having the best showing of Studebaker ever and with your help we will get there. Save the date, March 19, and join us then. As a side note, if you drive your Studebaker the registration is free.

**Ed**



### WELCOME NEW MEMBER

Frank Williams  
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 1962 Lark 6 cyl, 1954 1/2T Pickup



### Wishing You Well

Guy Hammer  
 Rosalie Torske  
 Brian Millette  
 Malcolm Stinson



**Visit the Chapter web site to read about members Studebakers in the Member Cars Gallery and then submit your story.**



# GCSC Holiday Christmas Party By Linda Smith

Another year gone and another successful holiday party behind us. The party was held December 5th at the Lakeview United Methodist Church in Sun City. We had a grand time with lots of members and guests, lots of turkey, ham, dressing, potatoes, gravy and more side dishes and desserts. We all seemed to get enough to eat, probably too much!! Thank you so much to Peggy Eastburn for her cooking and providing us each year with the best Christmas dinners ever.



Our white elephant gift exchange was another awesome time- nobody wanted to trade their gifts so I guess you could call it a success.

Ed Smith, President announced the 2016 Officers and Board members. We have a new board member for the new year: Tim Watson, but we're sorry to say goodbye to Dennis Lynde who has served for several years. We want to thank him for his dedicated service. Well, it looks like



Ed and I will be around for another year...how do you say no!!! Board members that remain are: Claudia Robinette and Larry Vahe. John Rodhouse will continue to be our chapter Treasurer for another year.

We then handed out Certificates to the Greatest Studebaker people mentioned throughout the year in our newsletter. I presented our gracious Table Hosts a certificate, too. Thank you for volunteering - you and your table settings help make this Holiday



Party a success!!! Thank you, Ken Michael, for helping me handout this great certificates. We also gave out our new 2016 Grand Canyon State Chapter calendar.

Ed announced our Members of the Year- Steve and Paulette Fein who were shocked and very surprised. They were presented with a Clock with a picture of their 1966 Cruiser, a gift for Paulette and, new this year, they received the best gift - their chapter dues paid for 2016.

Our annual auction was next on our agenda and Richard Dormois did a fine job. We had some great items to bid on and everyone seemed to enjoy themselves, especially Scott Grainger - he and Bonnie Lee left with lots of items!!

Our chapter members drove 13 Studebakers and there were 89 in attendance. Thanks to Steve Fein for the great pictures. Enjoy them on our Facebook page and we'll see you at our next GCSC Chapter event.

Happy New Year to all.

Attending were: Mike & Mary Barany, 1956 Golden Hawk & 1979 Avanti; Neil & Ruth Bell, 1960 Hawk; Jim & Pat Boehnlein; Jon Carter; Jim Clever; Chuck & Chris Collins; Richard Dormois; Bill & Peggy Eastburn; Michell Eastburn; Chris & Rachel Eastburn & their girls, 1963 Lark; Steve & Paulette Fein, 1966 Cruiser, and their six family members; Scott Grainger & Bonnie Lee; Charley & Judy Haverstick, 1958 Golden Hawk; Gary & Sandie Keating; David & Terry Ker; Mike & Sue King, 1957 Silver Hawk; Dan & Corlean Kuhl, 1963 Avanti; Denny Lockmon & Maryann Lemley, 1964 Avanti; Dennis Lynde & Linda Saar; Kevin, Anita & Sara MacFadden; Norman & Janice Marineau; Don & Marlene McCain, 1953 Champion; Ken Michael & Bobi Beveridge, 1963 Cruiser; Brian & Aleta Millette; Tim & Joen Painter; Walter & Nicki Ready; Al & Anna Riedel; Claudia Robinette; John & Kim Rodhouse; Bruce Sandburg; Paul & Phyllis Setaro, 1962 GT Hawk; Delores Shurtz; Bill & Cheryl Simmons; Ed, Linda & Deloras Smith; Chuck & Louise Stanford; Larry & Pat Swanson; Larry & Carol Vahe; Frank & Elizabeth van Doorn, 1941 Champion; John & Evelyn Verrill; Sherry Watson; Tim Watson; Ken & Arlene West, 1963 Daytona; Bruce & Maggie Wheeler; Ted & Jan Widhalm.

Volunteering to host tables were Chris Collins, Richard Dormois, Michell Eastburn, Steve & Paulette Fein, Terry Ker, Cheryl Simmons, Linda Smith (3), Pat Swanson, Sherry Watson and Ken & Arlene West.

For photos of Chapter events visit

<https://www.facebook.com/Studebakers-Grand-Canyon-State-Chapter-189897701040009/>

## GRAND CANYON STATE CHAPTER UPCOMING EVENTS

- JANUARY 10** GCSC BOARD AND OFFICERS WILL MEET TO PLAN UPCOMING EVENTS AND MEETINGS AT ED AND LINDA SMITH HOME, 3501 N. 145th AVE., GOODYEAR, AZ 85395. BOARD MEMBERS CAN CALL IN TO THE MEETING, IF DESIRED. 602-290-1045 OR 602-618-7691. ALL MEMBERS ARE WELCOME TO ATTEND THE MEETING. FOR MORE INFO CALL ONE OF THE NUMBERS ABOVE. THE MEETING BEGINS AT 3:00 PM.
- JANUARY 16** GCSC WINTER GATHERING AT MARTIN AUTO MUSEUM FROM 10AM - 3PM. CAR SHOW WITH PEOPLE'S CHOICE JUDGING & AWARDS, SWAP MEET, LUNCH AT NOON, SELF TOURS OF MUSEUM. INFO: SEE PAGE 6 OR CONTACT LINDA AT 602-618-7691 OR [lindagsmith@cox.net](mailto:lindagsmith@cox.net) RSVP TO LINDA FOR LUNCH BY JANUARY 12.
- JANUARY 17** SOUTHERN ARIZONA CHAPTER ANNUAL BANQUET AND AUCTION AT TANQUE VERDE GUEST RANCH, TUCSON FROM 10:30AM TO 3:00PM. LUNCH AT 11:30AM. \$28.00 PER ADULT, CHILDREN \$14.00, UNDER 2 FREE. RSVP CHUCK AT 520-888-1563 SEE PG 6.
- FEBRUARY 6** MOTORING THRU TIME FOR ANTIQUE/CLASSIC VEHICLES 1900-1960s FROM 10AM - 4PM AT HERITAGE SQUARE, DOWNTOWN PHOENIX. NO FEE BUT REGISTRATION AND PRE-APPROVAL REQUIRED. VISIT <https://www.facebook.com/Motoring-Thru-Time-290954367621827/> FOR INFORMATION AND APPLICATION OR SEE PG. 13 THIS ISSUE.
- FEBRUARY 13** 68TH ANNUAL GOLD RUSH DAYS PARADE IN WICKENBURG. SEE PAGE 7 FOR DETAILS FOR THE CARAVAN TO THE STAGING AREA. CHAPTER WILL HAVE MEMBERSHIP MEETING AFTER PARADE AT 5 & DINER, 11340 W BELL RD., SURPRISE. IF YOU CANNOT ATTEND THE PARADE, JOIN IN FOR LUNCH AT 1:00 PM. YOU CAN SIGN UP FOR PARADE AT JANUARY MEETING OR CONTACT LINDA AT 602-618-7691 / [lindagsmith@cox.net](mailto:lindagsmith@cox.net)
- MARCH 12** ALL ARIZONA STUDEBAKER GATHERING HOSTED BY SOUTHERN ARIZONA CHAPTER AT FOOTHILLS MALL, INA & LA CHOLLA RDS, TUCSON FROM 10AM - 3PM. CAR SHOW WITH PEOPLE'S CHOICE AWARDS, RAFFLE. SHOW IS ON WEST SIDE NEAR FOOD COURT. MORE INFO: CHUCK AT 520-888-1563 / [CSTANFORD2@COX.NET](mailto:CSTANFORD2@COX.NET) GCSC MEMBERS CAN CARAVAN TO EVENT. SEE PAGE 7 FOR DETAILS.
- MARCH 19** ALL MAKES MARCH MADNESS CAR SHOW HOSTED BY GCSC AT SOUTH MOUNTAIN PARK FEATURING PRE-70S VEHICLES. VOLUNTEERS ARE NEEDED TO ASSIST WITH THE EVENT. PLEASE ATTEND THE CHAPTER'S JANUARY AND FEBRUARY MEETINGS FOR UPDATES ABOUT THE EVENT AND TO SIGN UP TO HELP MAKE THIS A SUCCESSFUL EVENT. CONTACT ED AT 602-290-1045 / [edcollects@cox.net](mailto:edcollects@cox.net)
- MARCH 20** LOS ANGELES CHAPTER WINTER MEET AT MURPHY AUTO MUSEUM, OXNARD, CALIF. 9AM-3PM \$10.00 ADMISSION FOR SHOW AND MUSEUM ADMISSION. PACKARD EXHIBIT IN MUSEUM. INFO & REGISTRATION AT <http://www.studebakersla.com>
- MAY 19-21** PACIFIC SOUTHWEST ZONE MEET HOSTED BY THE SAGEBRUSH CHAPTER WILL BE HELD AT THE ATLANTIS HOTEL IN RENO, NEV. CALL 775-825-4700 OR 800-723-6500 TO MAKE RESERVATIONS. MENTION SDC FOR BEST RATE. AGENDA INCLUDES CON-COURS, SWAP MEET AND DRIVING TOUR(S). INFO: JOE AT 775-882-1178
- MAY 29** 42nd ANNUAL LA PALMA CAR SHOW & PARTS EXCHANGE AT LA PALMA PARK, ANAHEIM, CALIF. 8AM-3PM. INFO: JIM AT 949-280-4952
- JUNE 26 - JULY 2** 52ND INTERNATIONAL SDC MEET HOSTED BY OCEAN BAY CHAPTER IN WARWICK, RI HOST HOTEL: CROWNE PLAZA, [WWW.CROWNEHOTELWARWICK.COM](http://WWW.CROWNEHOTELWARWICK.COM) / 401-732-6000 MEET INFO: JANE AT 508-512-7991. REGISTER BY JANUARY 31 FOR \$35.00 FEE. SEE *TURNING WHEELS* FOR REGISTRATION FORM.

## UPCOMING EVENTS

### JANUARY 16 WINTER GATHERING

The Chapter will host its annual winter gathering and meeting on Saturday, January 16th at the Martin Auto Museum, 17541 N. Black Canyon Hwy (I-17) from 10am - 3pm. Lunch will be catered by Porkopolis and served at noon. It will feature all-you-can-eat barbeque brisket, cole slaw, beans and rolls, all for \$15.00 per person and \$5.00 per child 5-12 years. The chapter will provide drinks and dessert. The buffet will be set up in another room so there will be more space for everyone in the main room. **Please make reservations with Linda by January 12th. Her contact information is lindagsmith@cox.net or 602-618-7691.**

A car show with people's choice voting will be held in the parking lot and we hope you will drive your Studebaker. Members can also sell Studebaker items from their trunk or truck bed/tail gate. **Award sponsors are being solicited and if you wish to be a sponsor at \$25.00 per award, you can contact Linda to let her know.** A check can be mailed to the treasurer at his address on page 2. And, there will be plenty of door prizes.

A self tour of the museum is a good idea even if you have been there before because new vehicles are introduced regularly.

Please plan to attend this event as it is always well attended not only by GCSC members but also SDC members from other parts of the country who visit during

the winter. It's a great way to meet Studebaker drivers and owners from all corners of the U.S.

### JANUARY 17 SAC BANQUET

The Southern Arizona Chapter's annual banquet and auction will be held at Tanque Verde Guest Ranch, 14301 E. Speedway, Tucson from 10:30am-3pm Sunday, January 17. Come early to kick tires, take photos and just shoot the bull. Lunch is at 11:30am. In addition to the wonderful buffet served at Tanque Verde, there will be awards, door prizes, 50/50 drawing, People's Choice and auction (please bring an auction item) led by Richard Dormois.

Please RSVP to Chuck Stanford at 520-888-1563 or cstanford2@cox.net by January 13. Dinner costs \$28.00 per adult, children \$14.00, under 2 free.

Directions to Tanque Verde are: take I-10 to Speedway Rd. exit and go east until street ends at the resort.

### FEBRUARY 6 MOTORING THRU TIME

This annual show is for Antique/Classic Vehicles 1900-1960s from 10am-4pm at Heritage Square, downtown Phoenix on 7<sup>th</sup> Street. No fee but registration and pre-approval is required.

It's a great show with beautiful cars and trucks and the venue is amazing. See page 13 of the online newsletter for a registration form. Turn in your application now and get approved. Space is limited.

## January 2016

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
Questions? Call Chris at 602-995-5311					1 Happy New Year's Day!	2
3	4	5	6	7	8	9
10 Chapter Board Meeting	11	12 RSVPs Due	13	14	15	16 Winter Meeting
17 SAC Banquet	18 Martin Luther King Jr. Holiday	19	20	21	22	23
24 31	25	26	27	28	29	30

## MORE UPCOMING EVENTS

### FEBRUARY 13 GOLD RUSH DAYS PARADE

The 68<sup>th</sup> Annual Gold Rush Days Parade in Wickenburg will be held Saturday, February, 13th. As usual, we will caravan to Wickenburg for those who want. 1) Meet John Rodhouse at the McDonald's, Grand Avenue & Reems Rd at 7:30am or 2) join up at the Burger King in Wickenburg by 8:45am. We will then drive to our staging area and wait for the parade to begin at 10am. As you know Wickenburg residents are always glad to see our Studebakers in the parade. It brings back memories of when their parents or they drove Studebakers.



After the parade we will drive back to Surprise to the 5 & Diner restaurant, 11340 W. Bell Rd, #125 for lunch at 1pm in their meeting room. We will have a short chapter meeting and will give you another chance to visit with your fellow chapter members. If you don't make it to the parade please join us for lunch anyway.

We will have a sign-up sheet for the parade available at the January 16<sup>th</sup> chapter event at Martin Auto Museum.

### MARCH 12 MARCH MADNESS

The annual Arizona All Studebaker Gathering event will be in Tucson at the Foothills Mall and is hosted by the Southern Arizona Chapter. We will caravan down to Tucson. If interested meet up at the Cracker Barrel restaurant at I-10 & Chandler Blvd by 7:30am. If you want to eat please be done by 7:45 so we can start our journey to Tucson. Great event so let's support our sister chapter.

### MARCH 19 ALL MAKES CAR SHOW

SAVE THIS DATE. Plans are underway for the chapter to host a car show at South Mountain Park in Phoenix featuring pre-70s vehicles of all makes of cars, not only Studebakers.

We need volunteers to help organize and show the other car clubs how to put on an event.

Here are jobs for which you can volunteer:

- Registration
- Parking
- Canopy construction/deconstruction
- Valve cover track put up and take down
- Valve cover judging and race controllers
- Sign making
- 50/50 sales

Contact Ed at 602-290-1045 / edcollects@cox.net to let him know how you can help or sign up at the January meeting.

For information about any of the above events contact Linda at lindagsmith@cox.net or 602-618-7691.

## CELEBRATE!



### January Birthdays

1	Delores Shurtz	12	Judy Barker
2	Anna Riedel	12	Hugh McDowell
3	Phyllis Setaro	13	Ron Crowe
3	Willie Shearhart	28	Bill Simmons
4	Don Robertston	29	Carl Thompson
5	Nora Gooch	30	Jerry Steinmetz
6	Lenka Hospodka	30	Evelyn Verrill
7	Frank van Doorn	31	Sherry Watson
11	Rod Van Hess	27	Phil Arrington
		28	John Akin

### January Anniversaries

1	Alan & Jere Tudor
2	Mike & Charlotte Maddux
5	Tim & Joen Painter
8	Charley & Judy Haverstick
9	Gary & Bea Graham
19	Ed & Linda Smith
25	Fred & Nora Gooch
26	Sam & Toby Haberman
31	Chris & Rachel Eastburn



### Children's Birthdays

January 13 Gwen Eastburn  
(daughter of Will & Maryanne)

## Letter to Editor .....

Dear Chris,

This is to inform you and Ed Smith that Lynn and I have relocated to Coto De Caza, Calif. (It's in back of Mission Viejo up in the hills) We will still belong to the national SDC but not any chapter.

Thank you to you and all the club members for being so hospitable to us while we ere in Phoenix for 6 years. You have a well run chapter and a variety of events to offer members. Ed Smith made 2 pick ups at our house of old SDC issues going back to 1983.

Thank you for everything.

Regards,  
Richard & Lynn Phegley

If you wish to keep in touch with the Phegleys, their address is 49 Long View Rd., Coto De Caza, CA 92679

Richard plans to attend the La Palma meet in May so be sure to watch for him.



## Cars and Cigars Car Show

Submitted by Neil Bell

**E**ight beautiful Studes strutted their stuff at the 12th Annual Oliver Smith Jeweler Cars and Cigars Sunday, December 20th amidst the high end exotic and rare Ferraris, Lamborghinis, McLarens, Aston Martins, Porsches and Jaguars and were warmly received.

Enjoying the complimentary adult beverages, barbeque lunch and fine cigars were

Neil Bell 1960 Hawk

Denny Lockmon 1964 R1 Daytona Convertible

Frank & Elizabeth van Doorn 1941 Champion R1 Street Rod

Mike & Mary Barany 1956 Golden Hawk

Dan Kuhl 1963 Avanti R2

Paul & Phyllis Setaro 1962 GT Hawk

Tim & Joen Painter 1953 Commander Starlight (custom)

Pam Contes & Scott Cawley 1960 Hawk

This free show is held the last Sunday before Christmas every year and is an opportunity to not only show how well our beautiful Studebakers fit in with this crowd, but to see some cars that you are not likely see up close anywhere else. Of note: \$18M 1961 Ferrari 250 GT California Spider - 1 of 50 built, the LaFerrari 949HP Ferrari Hybrid, Aston Martin DB4, Jaguar XKSS, 1951 Bristol, Lamborghini SUV, most of the current various models of Ferraris, Lamborghinis and Porsches - all in one place.



### STUDEBAKER PARTS FOR SALE

**1957-58 Golden Hawk & '57 Packard V8 intake manifold** complete w/2 bbl carb & enclosure box for super-charger \$125. 1960-62 auto trans from V8 car, worked when pulled \$50. 1955 truck hood \$75. 1959 Lark front fenders \$75 ea or \$100 pr. 1960s rear seat floor mat w/ S in center \$45. 1920s tail/stop/turn & license lite-new wiring & bulbs in all 4 sockets-stainless buffed includes bracket made by Teleoptic in Racine, Wis., interior of body is lined w/mirrors for better reflection \$45. 1963-64 factory under dash ac unit \$225. Two 1938 cathedral head lites complete-outer lenses have small chips at bottom-\$595 pr. 1961 nos rear fenders \$100, Edmunds custom intake manifold for 2-2 bbl carbs fits Commander 6 engine-manifold only \$525. 1955 224 v8 crank needs turning \$20. NOS 259 V8 crankshaft in factory box \$125. All prices (except Edmunds) open to reasonable offers. Possible delivery to Phx area for gas. Fred 520-883-7418 / nora.gooch@yahoo.com Pics available.

*Studebaker*

### STUART'S FIRST CAR

**R**ecently, Stuart Tritt had a bit of déjà vu while visiting eBay. He sent the photo below along with the following note.

Saw my first car I had on eBay last night. I bought it in 1966 for \$325.00. I lost track of it after 1984, it still looks good. Not much has changed since I had it. Made its way to Austin, Texas.





# Members of the Year - 2015

## Steve and Paulette Fein



It is said a picture is worth a thousand words. What event could be remembered eternally if you did not have some visual stimuli to help? Pictures nowadays can last forever and they stimulate sleeping parts of the old brain. If you look at the job Steve Fein does with his photos – we could talk about them for years to come. The countless pictures he took at the Zone meet were great and we asked him to do some special shots for the power point presentations – they turned out awesome. He is always at an event with camera in hand and ready to catch that lasting memory.

They love to travel, take cruises and Paulette says Steve talks about Studebaker even on the water!! Steve joined a group on ship so he can promote Studebakers.

Both Steve and Paulette volunteer their help whenever needed. Keep shooting those great shots and thanks for being Canyon State Chapter members.

They are honored because they are Great Studebaker People.

## PENNIES FOR VETERANS

By Linda Smith

Ed and I presented the jug of pennies\* collected from GCSC members and friends to Military Assistance Mission, (MAM) at 1764 N. 25<sup>th</sup> Avenue, Phoenix. They were very grateful and appreciative and very interested in our Studebaker chapter. The Executive Director, Margy Bons, said she remembers her parents driving Studebakers. We invited them to our winter event, January 16<sup>th</sup> at Martin Auto Museum.

We told them how we raised the money – pennies for the length of the member's Studebaker.

MAM's mission is to provide financial and morale aid to our current Arizona active duty military, their families and wounded warriors regardless of overseas deployment status. They serve regardless of deployment status. An enlisted service member with a rank of E6 or below will qualify for assistance. The service member must be active duty, reservists or National Guard.

MAM states it was started as a way to continue supporting those that support us. "While on the home front or in a foreign country, we must be there when the need arises for our warriors and their families. We realized that our lowest paid ranking military struggle to pay their bills. Their mission should not be interrupted if the car breaks down. Their focus should always be on their jobs. Their lives and ours depend on that focus. It is our mission, as we enjoy all that America has to offer, to make sure our warriors can continue without distractions of emergency financial situations."



In the picture are: Wryan Woods, Director of Operations, Ed Smith and Margy Bons, Executive Director

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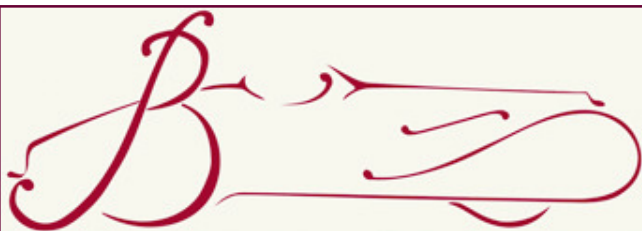
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- 1957 4 door
- 1955 1 ton, has an over head 6 cyl. engine dully
- 1962 T cab P U, no engine or transmission
- 1963 2 door hard top 289
- 1956 4 door President, no engine or transmission
- 1964 hard top 289
- 1961 4 door
- 1964 hard top, body, frame, rear axle
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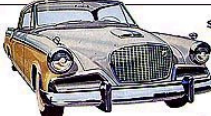
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- 16 Winter Meeting at Martin Auto Museum.
- 17 SAC Banquet, Tucson

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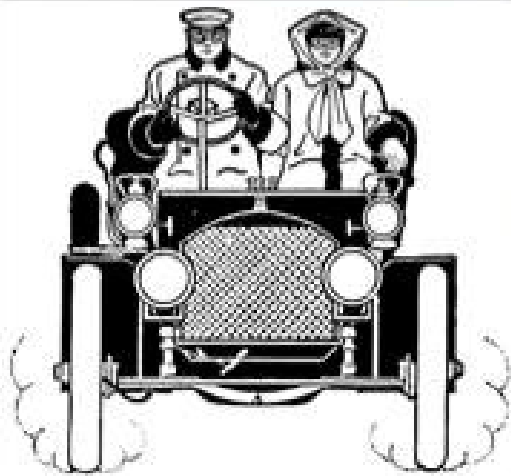
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