

08/02/26

WACO Family and Friends;

Do not forget to get out there and **VOTE**. You can't complain about it, if you don't vote. 😊

Our next meeting is going to be held on Wednesday 08/05/26 at 6:00 pm at Felipe's out West.

Here are some words from our illustrious leader Mr. Kevin Clark. The next meeting for WACO members will be held on August 5th at Felipe's Mexican Restaurant. In the same back meeting room, we used earlier this year. Order from the menu at 6pm. Enjoy the meal from 6:30 - 7:30 then a meeting from 7:30 - 8:30. Plenty of parking on the north side of the building.

Felipe's Mexican Restaurant
3434 W. Central
316-942-9131

Do not forget to bring your Show-N-Tell item to the next meeting.

Our WACO luncheon on Thursday was good with around 20 members in attendance. The food was good and the BS was even better. I think that it is great when friends get together even if it is for only a couple of hours to eat and BS. I would like to thank you all for attending.

Here are the August birthdays that I have collected. Wish them a Happy Birthday on their special day!

Aug. 5 Cindy H.

Aug. 22 Eugene L.

Aug. 24 Marvin O.

Aug. 31 Gary O.

I also know of a couple of anniversaries this month, so wish them a Happy Anniversary on their special day!

Aug. 3 Steve & Lori

Aug. 4th 53 years Mick & Margaret

Becky Stucky

A quick update on Troy Moore after his triple bypass. He is home and doing much better. Please keep him in your thoughts and prayers.

Our September meeting will be held on 09/02/26 at the Sedgwick County Park pavilion that we have used in the past. This will be a WACO member appreciation meeting with food and a guest speaker provided for our enjoyment. Please plan on attending. More information from Kevin later.

We have a lot of events coming up in September. Below are several of the events that will be fun to attend as a club.

Wichita Burner open house & car show September 16th.

Inland Truck open house and car show Wednesday September 30th.

Pontiac Uprising car show September 25th & 26th. The **37th Annual Pontiac Uprising** will take place **Friday, September 25, 2026 – Saturday, September 26, 2026** at the **Mid America Dragway in Geuda Springs, KS**. Friday will be a test & tune day with a big party and a live band, all makes and models invited. Saturday B.P.O. racing only but all GM cars welcome to come to and enter the Saturday car show.

Here is an event that we should all plan on attending.

Wichita Burner Open House and Car Show

Over the last two years it has been a fun event with FREE food.

Please plan on being there Wednesday, September 16th from 10:30 – 2:30.

One more fun event to look forward to.

Flier attached.



319 S. Lulu Wichita, KS 67211 Phone: 316-264-6816

2026 CUSTOMER APPRECIATION LUNCH & CAR SHOW



WHAT: Customer Appreciation Lunch serving hamburgers and bratwurst

WHEN: Wednesday, September 16th 10:30 AM- 2:30 PM

WHERE: Wichita Burner, Inc. - 319 S Lulu St, Wichita, KS

WHY: We want to say **THANK YOU** for your business!



There is going to be a swap meet again in Hutchinson on October 9th, 10th and 11th. It will be held on the Hutchinson Fairgrounds and all booth spaces will be outside.

I really appreciate it when people send me interesting information on car related items so I can share them with WACO members. **Even bad jokes are good.** 😊

Why were the horses struggling to use the internet?

1. Because they were not able to find any stable connections.
2. **Why did the website bring a ladder?**
3. Because it wanted to reach the top of the search results.
4. **Why did the computer catch a cold?**
 1. It had too many windows open.



Did you know that we have royalty in our club?
King of Kentucky from Derby Kansas.
Richard Bartel & family.



If you would like to see a real nice video on You tube, Steve McConnell from Alma KS told me that there is a video of him and his car at "Menards Chevy Show Episode 1612" to view. It is a

very good video and interview with Steve and his story about the car. He is the first person interviewed on the video.

Don't forget about the **Friday night cruise in** that is happening every Friday night at Central and West Street. Great opportunity to hand out membership applications.

The future of MACC's participation in the Mid-West Chevelle Regional

Nick/Kevin/Kent/David,

The Future of the Chevelle Regional

The MACC Car Show Committee has recommended to the membership that MACC no longer participate in hosting a Mid-West Chevelle Regional. This recommendation was not made lightly. However, based on participation from regional clubs at recent shows, the committee does not see sufficient value in continuing to host a regional event.

Recent Participation from the region

They may mean Wichita only, I am not sure.

- 2023 Regional: 146 total attendees; 5 regional attendees.
- 2025 Regional: 140 total attendees; 5 regional attendees.

Annual All-Chevelle Show

MACC will continue to hold its annual all-Chevelle show, as it has for more than 30 years. All Chevelles are welcome to attend. This change will also give MACC greater flexibility in how the show is planned and conducted.

Regional Club Participation

All regional clubs are welcome to attend MACC's annual event with no obligation to provide monetary support.

If another club in the region decides to hold a regional show, MACC will support the event by encouraging its members to attend. However, MACC will not provide monetary support at this time.

Next Steps

After the October 3, 2026, show, MACC will begin planning the 2027 show and will share details as they become available.

Please feel free to contact me with any questions.

Regards,

Brian Findley

President, MACC

MACC would like to thank each of you for participating in our **annual car show** over the past many years.

This year our Annual show will be Saturday, October 3, 2026, from 8:00 a.m. To 4 p.m. Held at the Nebraska Furniture Mart parking located at 1601 Village West Parkway, Kansas City, Kansas.

Registration this year is online for \$30 from now until August 31, 2026. Starting September 1, 2026, registration will be \$40, this includes the day of the show. Click the following link to go to the registration page. <https://carshowpro.com/event/3079>

If you are coming from out of town, you can find hotels at <https://hotelguides.com/kansas/nebraska-furniture-mart-hotels.html>

T-Shirts will be available on the day of the show - cash or check only.

Awards for the Top 25, Best Paint, Best Interior, Best Engine, and Best of Show will be held at 3:30 p.m.

Should you have any question feel free to contact **Brian Findley at 913.558.1453**

CAR SHOWS: follow one of the following links.

<https://www.audacy.com/keyn/events>

<http://www.mulvanemarauders.com/index2.cfm>

Halstead Old Settlers Car Show 08/08/26 9am – 3pm city park

SWAP MEETS: Please let me know if you hear of more swap meets that I need to list.

CRUISES:

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If it is possible, as far as it depends on you, live at peace with everyone.

You can make a difference.

JOY is a CHOICE

I am – You are, “We the People”.

He who dies with the most Toys, wins!

Today is the most important day of your life.

Think Before You Speak.

Think more, talk less.

Think twice, say nothing.

Think what you like, but don't say it.

There should be a filter between the brain and mouth.

Let it go!

In God we trust.

Say it, forget it.

Write it, regret it.