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Members of the Year  
Carl "Sam" and Jean Nyman



## From Your President

I hope your Holidays were happy and filled with family and maybe a little car talk. The month that we take off flies fast. But the new year is here and we had a great first Board Meeting. Many of you have complained that we haven't been attending local events as a club. Well this year that will change. If you have an event that will give us great exposure and fun, let one of the Board Members know so that we can get it on the schedule. You may be called on to corral the group and lead them into the event once we get to a meeting place, but the time and place will already be set up and ready to go.

In a fall newspaper there was an article about a 1976 Citicar being donated to the UTHS (United Township High School) automotive tech center. I stopped to see what the school class intended to do with it and found that instructor Jamie King was very enthusiastic about restoring the car. Asked what he knew about the Antique Automobile Club of America, of course the answer was nothing. I did a little research and found that the program at UTHS is one of the better programs in the area and they are actually teaching their students how to go into the automotive field upon graduation. I offered him one of my AACA Directors free memberships and he accepted and I am sponsoring him in our region. Both of these had strings attached that he must share the magazine and our functions with his students. We need younger people in our hobby and this might just be a way to do so. The Board agreed that we should foster this union and see where it takes us. All of us have a need for older car mechanics and this may help them to follow our footsteps and enhance our hobby. We will tour their facility on January 19th.

Again we will be displaying 2 cars at the Rod and Custom Auto Show, January 25th, 26th, and 27th. Hours are 1 p.m. to 9 p.m. on Friday, 10 a.m. to 9 p.m. on Saturday, and 10 a.m. to 3 p.m. on Sunday. Friday is Military day, if you have served in the Military Service you get in free.

Hope to see you soon.

Mary B

## MVR Board Meeting

AACA Board Meeting  
Butterworth Center, Moline, Illinois  
January 2, 2019

Present: M. Bartemeyer, F. Bartemeyer, J. Brewer, J. Conrad, A. Ford, G. Gleason, L. Gleason, M. Lousberg, C. Pearson, D. Perry

The meeting was called to order at 6:59 PM by President Mary Bartemeyer.

Minutes of the November board meeting were corrected for the Fall Banquet to read November 17th rather than November 16th. Correction was approved by Dick Perry and seconded by Alan Ford.

Treasurers report was discussed and filed for audit. 82 members have renewed so far. Final date is January 31th for renewals. Notice has been sent to members reminding them renewals are due.

Sunshine: Chris Nelson sympathy card for his mother Jan Nelson, Betty Knollman get well card, Mike Fiedler get well card

Roster: no report

Membership: new member Jamie and Jennifer King

Web Master: Up and running

Historian: No report

Old Business:

Fall Banquet was attended by 55 people  
QCCA Expo Show is January 25, 26, 27. If you have time, stop by and help man our space for a few hours.

New Business:

Collector Car Day is July 12, 2019 and we are planning to work with UTHS High School on this event.

Club needs to attend more local events like cruise-ins, parades, and other events which are open to the public so people know about our club.

We are looking for a new location for the Fall Banquet since our attendance has dropped.

Calendar for 2019

January 19th - details later (**Tour the United Township High School Automotive Tech Center**)

February 23rd - Show and Tell

March - Jim Conrad

April 27th - Dick Perry is working with NFL and the Rock Island Independence Football Game

May

June 16th - Father's Day Breakfast

July - Gleason's

August

September 21 and 22nd Gleason's Fall Tour

October

November - Fall Banquet

Next activity is January 19th— more information to follow.

A motion to adjourn was made by Dick Perry and seconded by Alan Ford. Meeting adjourned at 8:17 PM

Submitted by:

LaVonne Gleason - Secretary

Louise's husband was an AACA member and is selling his cars. Finally am forwarding pictures to you of the 1922 Dodge Touring Car and the 1950 Plymouth Suburban Station Wagon I have for sale. Appreciate any help through you AACA newsletter ! Thank you so much... Happy New Year! Louise M. Lorimer (309) 235-5807



## JANUARY MVR EVENT

January 19 th , 2019

Tour the United Township High School Automotive Tech Center

1275 Avenue of the Cities  
East Moline, IL 61244

Meeting at 10:30 a.m. Bring your requests on what you would like to see them teach their students about your antique car. What type of services do we need in our area? What can we do to enhance their antique automobile education?

Lunch will follow at the Windmill Restaurant, 1190 Avenue of the Cities, East Moline, IL around noon. Order off the menu. Reservation is under Bartemeyer if you are just coming for lunch and we are delayed.

Mary B.

**I am addicted to brake fluid..... But I can stop whenever I want.....**

*J. BREWER*

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Please contact our Clubs Sunshine Chair, Sharon Hoaglund if you know of a member who needs a little cheering up.  
SHARON HOAGLUND  
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