

#### October 2023

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GCC, P.O. Box 973 Villa Rica, GA 30180

#### **President's Corner**

Ok members. We have got one left, and that is our Super Cruise. If we all pull together, we can make it great!

Members, try to pick up something worth \$25.00. Gift cards or anything from a parts store, hardware store, etc. would be great. If you cannot get any one to donate, or don't feel comfortable asking, and you wish to donate to our Prize Tree, just bring \$25.00 or more in <u>cash</u>. If you have anything car related at your house that you want to get rid of, bring it to the Super Cruise. We may be able to use it on our silent auction table. Please take the time to advise the shoppers what they're looking at, what it fits, etc. We'll go over this a little more at the meeting.

Please keep Nick in your prayers. He is going to have knee replacement surgery on October 3<sup>rd</sup>. I doubt if he will make the meeting! We hope everything goes well and he has a speedy recovery.

At the upcoming meeting we will see what Domel Harris, Nominating Committee Chairman, has come up with for our 2024 officers. I hope to see a lot of you there. October 3, dinner is at 6:00 and the meeting is at 7:00 at The Olive Tree. Just a reminder, we have a little over 3 weeks till the big day, October 21.

Thanks everybody! I hope to see you at the meeting this coming Tuesday.

Danny Davis

#### Vice President

Hey Golden City Cruisers,

Hope y'all are doing well. I hate that we were washed out this past month. So, let's get ready for the Super Cruise-In, October 21<sup>st</sup>.

Do you remember the Shows we used to have? We had committees putting together all the logistics. We sold raffle tickets for months! And the day of the show, members were put into teams to judge the cars, which took at least 3-4 hours. Another team was busy tallying the results. Other teams were working the crowd with 50/50 tickets. There was a LOT to do.

Today, after several times of doing the Super Cruise-In, Danny has almost single-handedly organized the event. We're not judging cars anymore, so is there not a lot required of the members anymore? Wrong! To make this a success we still need nice door prizes, and we need good Prize Tree items. (Like Danny said, we can use cash if you don't have the time to pick up something). We'll have an auction table for anything you have that is in your way! Bring it out and convert it to charity cash! Lastly, we need YOU to come out and help make this a success!

I'm looking forward to seeing everybody at the next meeting or on the 21<sup>st</sup>. Take care and keep cruising cruisers.

Bryant Deal

#### Sponsorship Report

Danny Davis TruckingDanny
Mayfield Body ShopDanny
West Ga. Truck AccDanny
DKS Roofing Danny
McCord Heat & Air Danny
West Ga. ShopperBilly
2 Sew For You (unassigned)

Wow this has been a fast year. Aside from the weather issue in September, we have had a great year. Our sponsors have remained faithful. I would like to encourage all our new members to seek one new sponsor. This would increase our giving to the local charities.

Things at the Ford Barn are normal, I think. The new Mustang is now road ready. This thing is quick. A 5.0 (SSP) engine, 3.73 rear, AOD transmission, GT40 heads, plus! Would that the '65 I purchased back then had this running gear. Oh well, yesterday was fun, wouldn't you say?

P.S. - SSP=Special Service Production, aka State Trooper issue.

Don Edwards

#### Treasurer's Report

Attached to this newsletter is the financial statement as of September 2023. If you have any questions, please let me know.

Raylene Carroll

#### Secretarial Report

The minutes of the September 2023 meeting are attached to this newsletter. Thanks to Lynn Ware for stepping in for me in my absence. Please let me know if you have any questions.

Jimmy Derrick

#### **Activity Committee**"

Thank You" to all Golden City Cruisers that participated in The Villa Rica Gold Rush Parade. I appreciated everyone that was there, and so does the city of Villa Rica. We had more than enough cars to transport the local officials, and it being an election year, they were very grateful. The City of Villa Rica is our largest sponsor, and we continue to maintain a good relationship with the city officials.

The planned 4 Club Picnic scheduled for November 4<sup>th</sup> has been cancelled. If my memory serves me correctly, we started participating in the 4 Club Picnic 5 years ago. At that time, the 4 Club picnic consisted of the Cheaha Car Club, Ga/Al AACA, West Ga AACA, and The Golden City Cruisers. Now, the 4 Club Picnic consists of the Ga/Al AACA and The Golden City Cruisers, and it is no longer the 4 Club Picnic that we originally enjoyed. The GCC Board has reviewed the changes to the original picnic, the cost and the logistics, and decided we will not participate this year. We'll see what future years hold.

The Ga/Ala Region AACA Club is having their Annual Car Show on Saturday, October 14<sup>th</sup>, from 10:00 am until 2:00 pm. The location is 1739 New Franklin Road/ Highway 27 in LaGrange. Entry fee at the gate is \$25.

The proceeds go to selected charities. Their car show last year was a huge success, and this one should be also. See attached flyer.

If you are looking for something closer to home, the Stripling Chapel United Methodist Church is having their first ever car show. The car show is on October 14<sup>th</sup>, from 10:00 am until 2:00 pm. Entry fee is \$15, and that includes a free hot dog, chips, and a beverage. At 10:30 am, there will be a flag raising. There will be a 50/50 drawing and 2 trophies presented, a Pastor's Choice and People's Choice. Proceeds will be used to help the church.

Stripling Chapel United Methodist Church is located at 1830 Highway 27 South, Carrollton, Ga. (intersection of Stripling Chapel Road and Highway 27) See attached flyer.

Looks like a fun October.

Rick Horne / Billy Glover

#### **Our Sincere Condolences**

Our condolences go to Marlene Plancon, Jake Plancon, and their families in the death of Bill Plancon. Bill (Guido as he was fondly known) was a founding member of the Golden City Cruisers. Bill loved cars and trucks, and his office was filled with pictures from his early youth to his late youth, long after he had retired. You see, Bill didn't believe in getting old. It's a lesson we could all learn.



Bill and Marlene were married 17 years and became very active members of our club until relocating to Calhoun, Georgia, Marlene's hometown, about 6 years ago. Several of our members and past members attended the funeral in Calhoun.

#### October Birthdays & Anniversaries



#### **Happy Birthday to:**

Virginia Busby	10/19
Victor Carroll	10/2
Charles Norris	10/5
Paul Sanford	10/8
Mary Thornton	10/28
Margot Washington	10/16

#### **Happy Anniversary to:**

Adam & Kelly Crowley	10/22
Rick & Liz Horne	10/29
Steve & Candi Starnes	10/1

#### **Our Next Meeting**

Our October meeting will be held on Tuesday, October 3<sup>rd</sup> at the Olive Tree Restaurant in Villa Rica. If you plan on eating, please be there by 6pm. Our meeting will begin at 7pm.



#### Area Car Events:

#### **Car Shows:**

Sept 30, Powder Springs – Southern Wheels Unlimited Car Club's 2<sup>nd</sup> Annual Toys for Tots Car Show at Lost Mt. Park, 4845 Dallas Hwy, 9am-3pm. Info: 770-722-3542

Oct 1-8, Biloxi, MS – 27<sup>th</sup> Annual Cruisin' the Coast, Info:228-385-3847, or cruisinthecoast.com

Oct 6-7, Orange Beach, FL – Fall Bama Coast Cruisin' & Orange Beach Freedom Fest at The Wharf, 23101 Canal Rd. You must pre-register. Info: 205-655-4930, or bamacoastcruisin.com

Oct 7, Austell – 7<sup>th</sup> Annual "A Look Into Time" Car, Truck, and Bike Show at Presbyterian Village, 2000 East-West Connector, 10am-2pm. Info: 404-403-7665

Oct 7, Marietta – 5<sup>th</sup> Annual Wings & Whitewalls at the Aviation History & Technology Center, 555 Perrin Rd SE, 10am-3pm. Info: 770-919-5700

Oct 7, Powder Springs – Push Rods Car Club's 16<sup>th</sup> Annual Car Show & Swap Meet, 1<sup>st</sup> Baptist Church of Powder Springs, 4330 North Ave, 9am-3pm. Info: 770-324-3759

Oct 14, Carrollton – Stripling Chapel UMC Retro Car Show & Fall Festival, 1830 Hwy 27 South, 10am-2pm. Info: 404-992-1165 – **See Flyer Attached** 

Oct 14, LaGrange – 41<sup>st</sup> Annual Georgia-Alabama Antique Auto Meet at Forestry 21, 1739 New Franklin Rd, 9am-2pm. Info: 706-527-0668. **See Flyer Attached** 

Oct 21, Villa Rica – Golden City Cruisers 21<sup>st</sup> Annual Open Charity Super Cruise-In, 10am-3pm. See flyer attached. Be there early to set up! Details coming.

Oct 28, Anniston, Al – Fraternal Order of Police Car Show at the Calhoun County Agri Center, 4500 Bynum Leatherwood Rd, 9am-3pm Central. Info: 256-283-4617

Oct 28, Roopville – West Ga Chapter ATHS 7<sup>th</sup> Annual Truck Show at Heard County Concrete, 17302 Hwy 27, 10am-4pm. Info:770-328-1612

Nov 11, Cartersville – "The Connection" an Open Class Car Show to Benefit The Savoy Museum, 3 Savoy Ln. Pre-Registration required. Info: <a href="https://savoymuseum.org/events/the-connection-car-show-fall-2023/">https://savoymuseum.org/events/the-connection-car-show-fall-2023/</a>

#### **Cruise Ins (Double check since some are ending)**

1<sup>st</sup>, 3<sup>rd</sup>, 5<sup>th</sup> Friday, Powder Springs – Zaxby's 4410 Brownsville Rd. Info: 770-943-2634.

1<sup>st</sup> Saturday, Marietta - Piedmont Church, 570 Piedmont Rd, 8am-2pm. Info: 404-202-0070.

1<sup>st</sup> Saturday, Dallas – American Legion Post 111, 2587 Scoggins Rd, 2pm-5pm. Info: 770-893-8729.

1<sup>st</sup> Sunday, Kennesaw – "Caffeine and Octane" at Town Center Mall, 400 Earnest Barrett Pkwy, 7 – 11am. Info: 404-713-9225 or www.caffeineandoctane.com

2<sup>nd</sup> Saturday, Rockmart - Knucklehead Café, 217 W Elm St. Info: 770-880-6225.

2<sup>nd</sup> Saturday, Newnan – The Original Hotdog Factory, 214 Bullsboro Dr. Info: 678-633-8566.

3<sup>rd</sup> Saturday, Villa Rica – Golden City Cruisers Downtown Cruise-in; members set-up at 3:30pm. Event is 5pm – 7:30pm.

4th Saturday, Dallas - New Courthouse, 240 Constitution Blvd. 3-7pm. Info: 404-401-5653 or <a href="http://www.georgiaclassicrides.com">http://www.georgiaclassicrides.com</a>

4<sup>th</sup> Saturday, Bowdon – Smokin' Pig, 409 W. College St. Info: 770-855-6998

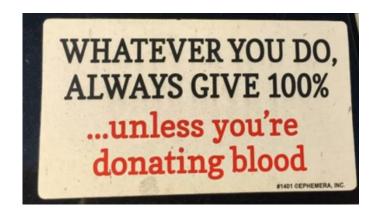
Last Sunday, Newnan – Rides & Coffee at Detail Garage, 172 Bullsboro Dr, 10am – 1pm. Info:470-818-0164

#### Compiled by Nick Ware

(For further details on these shows and more, refer to "Ragtops and Runningboards", or refer to websites like <a href="http://southeastwheelsevents.com/">http://southeastwheelsevents.com/</a> or check out the Facebook page "Georgia Cruise-Ins and Car Shows"







#### Tesla's Cybertruck

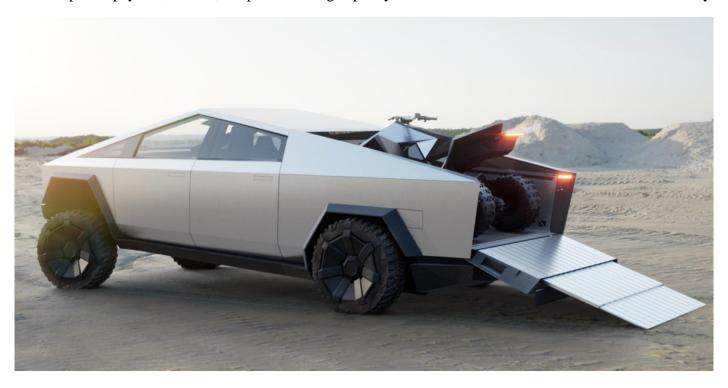
Have you seen the Tesla Cybertruck? Well, maybe that is because it isn't out yet. But that doesn't stop you from placing your order now! Because it says Tesla, it stands a good chance to be popular. But take a look. It doesn't look like a truck at all. Looks more like a DeLorean!



Maybe it will be the next Pontiac Aztek? But with a 0-60 time of 2.9 seconds, it's a bit quicker!



The 3500 pound payload, and 14,000 pound towing capacity will rival most full sized trucks on the road today!



The range? According to Tesla, it is claimed to be "up to" 500 miles. Don't try this while towing 14,000 pounds though! It's fun to look at, don't you think?



# Stated Amount vs. Agreed Value Car Insurance...Are They the Same?

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ByEmily Cahill

#### **Quick Answer**

Stated amount and agreed value car insurance policies both establish vehicle value by agreement between the insurer and the owner, but there are some striking differences.

Stated amount and agreed value car insurance policies let owners come to an agreement with an insurance company about the value of their vehicle—but they're not the same thing.

These policies may help owners secure <u>lower insurance costs</u> or higher valuation for customized parts. They generally apply to unique vehicles and may be more difficult to find from traditional car insurance carriers.

#### What Is Stated Amount Insurance?

Stated amount insurance—also known as stated value—reflects the value you believe your vehicle to be worth. This may be the value you are willing to accept in an accident in exchange for <u>lower premiums</u>. You may need to provide documentation to support your stated value.

Stated amount insurance may be the best way to value commercial vehicles. These vehicles often have special modifications, such as refrigeration systems or plows, attached.

Stated amount insurance takes into consideration features such as:

- Condition
- Mileage
- Modified or specialized equipment
- Upgrades

• Rebuilt parts such as a new engine

Another important component of insurance valuation to understand is actual cash value. Actual cash value is what the vehicle is worth at the time of an accident. The insurance company may compare the stated amount and the actual cash value, paying out for the lower value only. Part of the goal of stated amount insurance is to lower the cost of premiums by lowering your expectation of the value of your vehicle. Therefore, it's important to get your stated amount value accurate. This way you don't overpay your premiums only to receive a lower actual cash value payout.

#### When Should You Consider Stated Amount Car Insurance?

You may want to consider stated amount insurance when:

- You want to tell the insurance company what your vehicle is worth.
- You have a commercial vehicle with specialized parts.
- You want to lower your commercial vehicle insurance costs by insuring an accurate stated amount value only.

#### What Is Agreed Value Insurance?

Agreed value—also known as guaranteed value—is a car insurance policy that establishes the <u>value</u> of a <u>vehicle</u> cooperatively between the insurer and owner. It is typically used for <u>classic or antique</u> vehicles.

To reach an agreed-upon value, the insurer and owner will consider the following proof of the value:

- Appraisals
- Photos
- Documentation, such as part upgrade receipts

The value agreed upon by the insurer and owner is guaranteed if the <u>vehicle is totaled</u>. There is no depreciation of value under this kind of policy.

#### When Should You Consider Agreed Value Insurance?

You may want to consider agreed value insurance when:

- You have a classic, collector or antique car.
- Your car is appreciating in value.
- You want to ensure your vehicle will be properly valued in case of an accident.

## What's the Difference Between Stated Amount and Agreed Value Car Insurance?

Both stated amount and agreed value policies are types of insurance where customers get a say in the value of their vehicle. These values may be based on changes owners have made to the vehicle or unique, valuable features.

Stated amount car insurance lets you name the value of the vehicle you wish to insure. It is ideal for modified vehicles like commercial vans and trucks. You can choose a value that is acceptable to you so you can lower your premiums.

Agreed value car insurance has you work with your insurance company. Together, you agree on a value for the vehicle based on documentation and appraisals. Agreed value car insurance prevents a car that is appreciating due to age or rarity from being undervalued. Proper valuation is important in case of an insurance total loss payout.

#### The Bottom Line

Both stated amount and agreed value insurance policies are for unique vehicles. Stated amount is best for pinning down an acceptable value for your commercial vehicle and thus lowering your

premiums. Agreed value is ideal for establishing a guaranteed value for your collector car that may be appreciating value.

If you decide to purchase a stated amount or agreed value policy, be prepared to work with your insurer. You may need to provide documentation to them to determine the vehicle's value. Keep records such as:

- Service records
- Receipts for modified parts
- Estimates for future expected repair on rare vehicles
- Regularly taken photos of current condition of the vehicle
- Official appraisals

It's important to remember that most insurers do not provide these types of policies. So, if you're considering shopping for one, prepare for a potentially lengthy search.

From the Editor: Many of us use the terms "stated value" and "agreed upon value" interchangeably. The purpose of this article was to introduce the two terms and help eliminate some confusion. However, insurance is a confusing subject, often only clarified when we have a claim. That's NOT the time to figure it out. The Golden City Cruisers members are fortunate to have several excellent insurance agencies as supporters of our club. Reach out to them for your insurance needs, or advice on insuring your specialty cars. Be sure to mention where you heard about them. Nick

#### Golden City Cruisers Car Club Olive Tree Restaurant Villa Rica, Georgia September 16, 2023

Danny Davis called the meeting to order at 7:00PM. The club recited the Pledge of Allegiance.

#### **President's report – Danny Davis**

Danny shared the plaques to honor this year's deceased members that will be given at our Super Cruise.

Super Cruise:

Representatives from our charities will be in attendance to receive our funds. Gail Turner's sister will select the car for her award. Club in need of door prizes and silent auction items. Don Edwards will oversee parking. Registration money will be taken up at the gate with vouchers given to take to the registration table for goody bags and door prize tickets. The cotton candy and Villa Rica nutrition vendors will be in attendance.

#### **Membership matters – Danny Davis**

Danny reviewed September birthdays and anniversaries of members with the membership.

Don Reed home and recovering from back surgery. Gene Duke will be in rehab after his recent illness. Sharon Hearnburg was present at the meeting and doing better. Sharon and Bill Hearnburg were welcomed as our newest members.

#### Vice-president's report – Bryant Deal

Bryant asked for volunteers for cakes to be used at the Cruise-in for the Cake Walk.

#### <u>Secretary's report – Jimmy Derrick</u>

The August meeting minutes was nominated and seconded for approval. Majority voted and approved.

#### <u>Treasurer's report – Raylene Carroll</u>

The August Financial Report was nominated and seconded for approval. Majority voted and approved.

#### **Sponsorship report – Don Edwards**

Sponsorship chair reminded members of sponsors due this month. Also printed in newsletter.

#### Activity report – Billy Glover

Activities committee report given by Billy Glover. He shared framed photos of the group at our recent garage visits. These will be given to our hosts as an additional thank you.

The Villa Rica Gold Dust parade is September 9. Our club is once again providing cars for the city officials and all club members are encouraged to support this as the city gives us a great deal of support.

The 2 Club picnic is scheduled for Nov. We will host with the AACA from LaGrange joining us. Details on food to be worked out soon.

#### **Upcoming Activities:**

September 9 <sup>th</sup>	Mount Holly Church	
September 16 <sup>th</sup>	Golden City Cruisers Cruise-In	5:00PM - 8:00PM
September 24 <sup>th</sup>	Phoenix Recovery Community Car Show	9:00AM - 4:30PM
October 14 <sup>th</sup>	Stripling Chapel Methodist Church	10:00AM - 2:00PM
October 21 <sup>st</sup>	Golden City Cruisers Super Cruise-In	10:00AM - 3:00PM

#### **Unfinished business – general discussion**

None to report.

#### New business – general discussion

Danny asked for a volunteer to chair the 2024 nominating committee. Domel Harris agreed to that job.

Don Edwards suggested we consider changing our cruise-in time as most of the cars in attendance are leaving before 7:30. He suggested we start at the same time but give our 50/50 and car/truck of the month at 7:00. The group will consider this after our Super Cruise.

Billy Glover suggested making information cards to take to Streetside Classics for prospective buyers to take when they visit the showrooms. There are some left from a previous project. Nick Ware will contact Streetside as it is his sponsor.

#### Adjourn

The meeting was adjourned at 7:55PM.

Respectfully submitted by Lynn Ware for Jimmy Derrick,

Jimmy Derrick Secretary, Golden City Cruisers

#### Golden City Cruisers Treasurer's Report September 2023

DATE	CASH/CHECK #	TRANSACTION DESCRIPTION	DE	POSIT	PAY	MENT	BALANCE
9/1/2023		Balance	\$1	2,490.21			\$12,490.21
9/5/2023	Cash	Anonymous Donation - Hardship Fund	\$	500.00			\$12,990.21
9/5/2023	Cash	Donation - Charity Fund	\$	20.00	\$	-	\$13,010.21
9/9/2023	Debit Card	Tractor Supply - Trash Bags			\$	19.25	\$12,990.96
9/15/2023	Debit Card	WalMart - Tickets & Paper			\$	24.32	\$12,966.64
		Total Cash on Hand	\$	-	\$	-	\$12,966.64
		Less HardShip Fund					\$1,500.00
		Charity Funds					\$1,766.20
		Total Operating					\$9,700.44

#### **NEW LOCATION\*GA/AL REGION AACA**

# A1st Antique Auto Meer







# 50/50 Raffle



Door Prizes!







Saturday, October 14, 2023, 9:00-2:00Registration on the day of show: \$25 Benefiting St Jude Hospital and Circles of Troup County



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Autozone, Villa Rica	Liberty Chevrolet, Villa Rica
Brother's Bar & Steakhouse, Villa RIca	Los Cowboys, Villa Rica
Carroll Food Mart, Villa Rica	Main St. Guns, Gold, & Pawn, Hiram
Carrollton Car Stereo, Carrollton	Mayfield's Body Shop
Cecil Harris Insurance Agency, Carrollton	McCord's HVAC & Refrig., Villa Rica
Danny Davis Trucking, Villa Rica	Morgan Oil Co. Carrollton
DKS Roofing Specialists, Douglasville	My Financial Services, Villa Rica
Don Rich Ford, Villa Rica	O'Reilly Auto Parts – Villa Rica
Great Classics 98.9, Carrollton	The Olive Tree, Villa Rica
Haney's Drug Corner, Carrollton	Pro Tech Car Wash, Villa Rica
Hearn Monument, Carrollton	Smith Brothers Supply, Carrollton
Jacky's Landscaping Materials, C'ton	West Georgia Truck Accessories, Carrollton
Johnny's Pizza, Villa Rica	West Georgia Shopper, Carrollton
Kopps Creative Carton Co., Villa Rica	Wing Citi Café, Carrollton
Lafitte Mop Company, Villa Rica	

5/30/23

#### Golden City Cruisers Agenda October 3, 2023

1. Call to Order	Danny Davis
2. Pledge of Allegiance	
3. Membership Matters	
a) Anyone sick or in need?	
b) New member applications?	
4. President Report	Danny Davis
a) Needs for Super Cruise from Members	
5. VP Report	Bryant Deal
6. Secretary Report	Jimmy Derrick
7. Treasurer Report	Raylene Carroll
8. Sponsorship Report	Don Edwards
9. Activity Report	Billy Glover
10. Unfinished Business	Danny Davis
a) Nominating Committee	
11. New Business	
12. Adjourn	
13. 50/50 drawing	

### PLEASE MAKE A COPY OF THIS AGENDA AND BRING IT TO THE MEETING - THANKS