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Heart of America Chapter of the Oldsmobile Club of America

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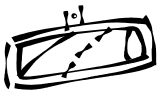
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## **President's Message**

Where did the summer go? Cruise nights, picnic, and shows. It sure flew by...



### **In the rearview mirror...**

Because of some complications, it has been a while since we have had a newsletter, but that doesn't mean things haven't been happening. We had the BOPC picnic in June. The weather was great and we had lots of fun. It was good to see the members of the other clubs too. In August, we had a club cruise night at Winstead's on Metcalf. That was good for all the members on the Kansas side.

Also in August, Blue Springs First Baptist church held their annual car show. With a rainy morning and clouds until noon, the turnout was lighter than last year. Hopefully, it will be sunny next year.

In September we were going to have the BOPC Cruise to Warrensburg, but it seemed that with Lotspeich's schedule, college football season at UCM and the different clubs' schedules there just didn't turn out to be a good weekend for it. Maybe it will work out next year.

### **In the high beams...**

The next BIG event is the club Christmas party. I know the leaves are just turning, but we have to plan ahead! So, put it on your calendar now and we will see you there. The date is Dec. 6<sup>th</sup>. Election of officers for VP and secretary will be this year. If

you would like to be an officer or would like to nominate someone please contact me with that info.

Around the beginning of '09, we will be having a calendar planning meeting to plan events for the upcoming year. Come to the meeting and put what you would like to do on the 2009 calendar of events!

As Always,  
Happy Oldsmobiling!!!  
Keith

## **Upcoming Events**

### **Christmas Party – Dec. 6<sup>th</sup> at 6:00pm**

The annual Christmas Party will be at V's Italiano Ristorante in Independence. Be sure and mark it on your calendar, so you don't miss out!

This year we will be having an Italian-themed buffet with Baked Lasagna, Cannelloni Florentine and topped off with their home-made Italian rum cake.

Tickets are \$13 and Virginia needs your reservations no later than Nov. 24<sup>th</sup>.

For more information and the reservation form, turn to page 6.

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## Treasurer's Report

Our BOC picnic was a great success. Yes, the Buick, Oldsmobile and Cadillac got together. The Cadillac club provided the hamburgers, buns, cheese, onions and condiments. I am telling you this to inform you that the Buick club gave us fifty dollars, which helped pay for the shelter house. Our club was responsible for a little over one hundred dollars.

We have no other money coming into our club. No new members and no new ads and no donations.

Treasurer, Virginia Goosey

## Corresponding Secretary

I sent a card to Mark Moxley in June as he and his wife Michelle were at a car show and Mark had a stroke and was in the hospital for a week. I heard that Michelle did a great job of driving their Toronado home. Mark is doing well now. Our club thanks the car show people for helping Mark and Michelle. Glad you are feeling better now, Mark.

UPDATE – I sent Mark Moxley another card as he was back in the hospital because of some problems with his medicine and missed out July 12<sup>th</sup> on the Worlds of Fun car show. Maybe he can make it another time. Once again, you take care Mark.

A thought for today: *People will forget what you said, People will forget what you did, But people will never forget how you made them feel.*

Corresponding Secretary,  
Virginia Goosey

## Membership Report

Greetings folks: I showed my Jetstar1 at the Ararat Shrine car show back in July and had a nice visit with fellow member Patrick O'Brien. Pat was showing off his very classy blue 1972 Cutlass convertible. He bought it brand new. Recently, Karen (wife) and I attended the huge Ottawa, KS "Over the Road Gang" car show 9/21 & 22. It is a very well organized venue with almost 1,500 cars displayed. The only show, they say, that closes a major US highway (US 59) & allows cars to cruise the "gut" all night long. It was jammed with thousands people & cars and Karen remarked it reminded her of New Years Eve in Times Square NY. We are able to attend only some events this year but it sure is nice when we see folks we know. Be looking for the '09 renewals inside your Rocket Review later on. Well time to go.

I am sure it has been mentioned elsewhere in this newsletter but I have to say it again, for those folks who couldn't make it, Karen & I (in our '65 Jetstar1) enjoyed a wonderful time at the annual BOPC picnic. The facility is very family friendly. All the burgers, dogs & trimmings were good and especially those delicious deserts. Thanks ladies! It would not have happened if it weren't for the efforts of the Goosey family, again. Poor Ken Goosey, looks like he had to carry all his cooking equipment over 100 yards each way just from the parking lot. Thanks again Chef Ken and his able assistants Keith & Virginia.

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**Anniversaries**

Buzz & Charlotte Houston	7/2
Tom & Mary Zeff	7/8
Jerry & Caryl Wilson	7/15
William & Diane Cunningham	7/20
Jack & Jean Collins	7/29
Wade & Susan Willard	8/3
David & Dalene DeLong	8/7
Keith & Michelle Goosey	8/7
Michael & Kathryn Mansell	8/7
Marlin & Pat Cooper	8/12
Ed & Sandy Hampton	8/21
John & Mary Lee Wendel	8/22
Pam & Mike Robinson	8/30
Bob & Shirley Thiry	9/10
Paul & Patty Daugherty	9/14
Randy & Debbie Calegari	9/21
Kirk & Carol Goosey	9/21
Larry & Barbara Marsh	9/29
Tom & Helen Simpson	10/19
Mark & Michelle Moxley	10/26
Willard & Denice Cauffield	10/26

**Birthdays**

Charlotte Houston	7/1
Linda Hartman	7/1
Joe McBride	7/10
Diane Cunningham	7/11
Gary Hartman	7/16
Michael Mansell	7/19
Tom Zeff	7/21
Randy Kietzman	7/23
Denice Cauffield	7/28
Glen Newman	7/31
Rusty Patterson	8/4
Pat Cooper	8/4
Mike Robinson	8/11
Barbara Marsh	8/11
Gregory Cianciolo	8/12
Mark Moxley	8/12
Carol Goosey	8/15
Alan Adams	8/15
Darrell Holland	8/17
Connie Burress	8/17
Russell Small	8/23
Bob Thiry	8/26
Ed Hampton	9/6
Bruce Clippinger	9/8
William Cunningham	9/20
Mark Corey	9/20
Michelle Goosey	9/23
Tom Simpson	9/25
Jean O'Brien	9/30
Buzz Houston	10/3
Bob Rainwater	10/22
Janis Holland	10/25

*Birthday Trivia*

- More people celebrate their birthdays in August than in any other month (about 9% of all people). The two other months that rate high for birthdays are July and September.
- A recent survey suggests that more people are born on October 5 in the United States than any other day. October 5 holds a not-so-surprising significance, as conception would have fallen on New Year's Eve.

## 2008 Calendar of Events

The following events are scheduled:

- Nov 11 – Veteran’s Day
- Nov 27 -- Thanksgiving
- Dec 6 – Christmas Party at V’s
- Dec 25 – Christmas
- Jan 1 – New Year’s Day
- Jan ?? – Calendar Planning Meeting



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[www.hoac-oca.com](http://www.hoac-oca.com)

## Membership Report – cont.

I got to visit with a new member, John Roesle. Nice guy and hopes to have his ride ready next time, he says. The Cadillac folks were very friendly and well represented. Just beautiful Caddys all lined up too. I learned about a neat cruise from their president Mrs. Marsha Redman. Marsha handed out flyers about a car show at Worlds of Fun in July. Family members get in free (limit 3). I would think you folks with young kids would get excited.

Virginia and I finally got together and discussed the membership job duties in more detail and our club future in general. It looks like we will have a great year and there still is lots of fun to come.

While I know it is only July and a little early, we will be in the process of organizing the 2009 membership forms. Look for them enclosed in your future newsletters.

Until next time, Happy Journeys.

Membership Chairman  
 David Utermoehlen

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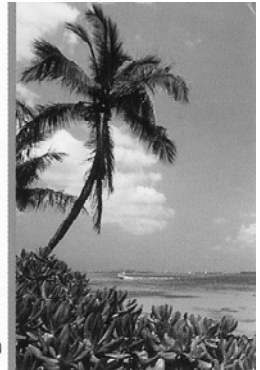
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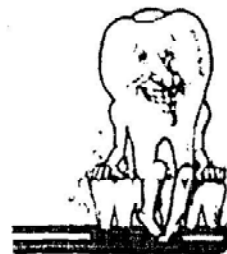
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## Christmas Party

Our club Christmas Party will be here sooner than you realize, December 6<sup>th</sup> to be exact. I know this is early, but PLEASE think about it and SAVE your reservation form. As soon as you can make up your mind to attend, you can send me your check and reservations. If you can't send your check, but know you plan to come, please give me a call as soon as possible. I have reserved the complete downstairs at V's, but we need at least 55 reservations; otherwise we will have to give up one of the rooms.

The menu for this year is as follows:

- Baked Lasagna
- Baked Chicken
- Cannelloni Florentine
- Antipasto Tray
- Tossed salad
- Hot Garlic Toast
- Broccoli Normandy
- V's Homemade Italian Rum Cake
- Coffee, tea or soft-drinks included

For those of you that are new in the club, this is an all you can eat buffet.


As in the past, we will have a gift exchange. You don't need to put names on the packages unless you would like to put boy or girl on it. We will do a "Yankee Swap", so if you bring a gift, you'll get a gift.

Social hour will be 6 to 7pm and we will have some snacks before dinner. This is our LAST EVENT for 2008, so come out and have a good time, talk about cars, eat good food and vote your opinion. Remember, this is your club! If anyone can donate some door prizes or know where we can get some door prizes for the Christmas Party, let me know. I will be begging before November 1<sup>st</sup>.

PS – Money for Christmas Party due Nov. 24<sup>th</sup>.


Remember if you say you are coming and don't show up, you are still responsible to pay for your dinner unless you call 8 days before the party. This is only fair to the other club members.

Virginia Goosey  
816-540-3414



### Christmas Party Reservation Form

DEADLINE FOR RESERVATIONS – NOVEMBER 24, 2008  
PARTY DATE – DECEMBER 6, 2008



Name \_\_\_\_\_ Phone \_\_\_\_\_

Adults \_\_\_\_\_ x \$13.00 = \_\_\_\_\_

Children \_\_\_\_\_ x \$7.00 = \_\_\_\_\_  
(6 to 12 years old)

Children \_\_\_\_\_ x \$3.50 = \_\_\_\_\_  
(5 and under)

Total \_\_\_\_\_

Happy Hour 6 pm – 7 pm with snacks and cash bar.  
Dinner – 7 pm.

Make checks payable to HOAC and mail to: Virginia Goosey, 19104 Autumn Ln, Pleasant Hill, MO 64080

## Story

In the spring and summer of 2004, a number of our club members were asked if they would be willing to put their cars in a movie in the Kansas City area. They would get paid for using their cars in the movie.

Ken and Virginia Goosey were also paid as extra's in the movie. You can see them in the background by the windows of Waid's restaurant on Southwest Blvd, of Kansas City Kansas. They are also in a stunt scene, Virginia wearing a lavender top that they wanted her to wear, in Old Town Lenexa in Kansas. They are also in the bleachers watching a baseball game in Blue Springs.

Ken and Virginia's 1978 "98", 1983 "98" and their gray two-tone Chevy Suburban were in the movie. Keith also had his 1973 4-door Cutlass Supreme, 1987 Cutlass Salon, 1975 H/O and 1986 Chevy Caprice in the movie. Alan Adams had his 1976 Cutlass and 1973 Delta "88" in the movie.

The name of movie is called "Full Count". This was a true story that happened during the 1980's

in Lenexa, Kansas. Language is not the best, but true to life.

If I missed anyone else's car, I'm sorry.

Virginia Goosey

### "Full Count"

**Rated:** Not Rated

**Runtime:** 90 mins

**Genre:** Dramas

**Directors:** Jason Wiles

**Starring:** William Baldwin, Chris Klein, Jason Ritter, Michael Rooker



**Synopsis:** They were known as the Dream Team - five friends as close as brothers who had chalked up years of sports victories & shared experiences. But in the final summer before leaving their hometown and heading off to college these lifelong friends will grow even closer as they band together to right an enigmatic wrong and redeem the reputation of one of their own even at the risk of sacrificing their individual futures. Against the backdrop of a fateful softball game old scores will be settled and boys will learn what it means to be men.



## Classifieds

### CARS FOR SALE

**1949 2 dr. fastback** – Good rebuilt “88” V8 engine and trans. Good radio and other items. Needs seats, new glass, bumpers and paint. Must sell due to health problems. L.C. Evans, Jr. 913-845-2400.

**1972 4 dr. hardtop** – Gold & white, 39,000 miles. Bill 816-353-6874.

**1965 Delta 88 4-door sedan** – Belonged to parents and has not been driven for over 16 years. Owned since 1970, always garaged, no rust, paint and cloth interior good condition, power steering, power brakes, AC, AM radio but may not work, 425 cu in w/ 2bbl carb., 82K miles. Car is in too good of a condition to be parted out or sold off to someone that won't appreciate it. Price is negotiable. For more information, call Dave Young at his work number, 913-888-5201 x363, leave message if you get the voice mail.

**1977 Cutlass “S” 4-door sedan** – It has a 350 V8 with auto trans. It has approx. 85,000 original miles. I am the second owner, has fairly new tires, tune up and more. The car is rough, but has a lot of potential. I have too many projects going so I need to sell. Brian Bawden, bkbawden@oct.net, 785-535-2913 (unlisted) leave message if no answer.

### PARTS FOR SALE

**1983 98 Regency Brougham** – Four excellent doors w/ full power, trunk lid, 60/40 6-way power seats (both sides), rear bumper, complete back-up light assembly (both sides). Contact Ken Goosey 816-540-3414.

1970-72 Cutlass parts Upper & lower A-arms –free, rear lower control arms \$20, front sway bar \$20, drum brake set up (no booster) – free \$25 w/ booster, 68-69 455 Toronado intake manifold with inch carb spacer - \$50 Joe McBride, 816-695-8504.

Passenger side upper rear quarter panel chrome molding for a 1968/1969 442/Cutlass convertible, will not fit coupes. Bruce Eagleburger, 816-697-4038.

### PARTS WANTED

**1967 Cutlass** – Positrac rear end, instrument panel, radio, Cutlass & CS badges and air filter canister. Thanks for your help. Kent Fredlund.

### ASSISTANCE REQUESTED

- I bought a 77 Cutlass 19 years ago. It now needs restoration and I need a set of wiring diagrams for this car as well as many restoration items and services. Any help in getting these items or parts will be appreciated. This is not a fast track restoration. I live in North KC, email: Robsta377@aol.com. Thanks.
- Would any Oldsmobile club members be interested in forming a co-op or LLC to purchase an industrial or warehouse property to have some shared garage & shop space, similar to Your Classic Ride? Let me know. I have located a property in Sugar Creek for about \$104,000. Kent Fredlund, kfredlund@kc.rr.com

### MISCELLANEOUS SERVICES

**Engine Block Coffee Tables** – As a hobby, I am currently making coffee and end tables out of engine blocks. Quite a conversation piece in your rec room. Gary (Parnelli) Hartman 816-537-4483 hartgarylinda@comcast.net

**HOAC Club T-Shirts** – We still have club t-shirts if you need a new one, give Virginia Goosey, 816-540-3414 or Sheila Lorange, 816-257-1514. The price is \$12.00 each. Great Christmas gifts!



***Thanks go to Paul Broome for his continued support of our club!  
We really appreciate it!***

\*Remember, he offers 10% discount off parts & mechanical work to club members\*

## **Upcoming Events**

Nov 11 – Veterans Day

Nov 27 – Thanksgiving

Dec 6 – Christmas Party

Dec 25 – Christmas

Jan ? – Calendar Planning Meeting

*For a complete schedule of Kansas City-area events, see the web site of the Associated Car Clubs of Kansas City, at [clubs.hemmings.com/acckc](http://clubs.hemmings.com/acckc).*

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