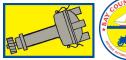
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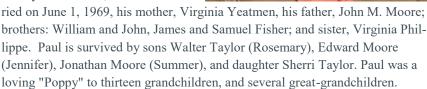
REMEMBERING PAUL MOORE

The Bay Country Region lost a long-time member and friend, Paul (Pop) Edward Moore, born June 9, 1941, who passed away on Friday December 18, 2020. Paul was a loved father, grandfather, great-grandfather, uncle, and friend. He was the founder of P.E. Moore and Sons Construction, and he took great pride in working with his sons and grandsons in this 3rd-generation-run company. He was particularly proud of the family's efforts to revitalize downtown Trappe, especially in constructing the Moore Building in 2008. Paul was a Charter member of the Bay Country Region. He took great enjoyment in his antique cars, trucks, and tractors.

A 35-year member of the Trappe Lions Club, a Past President, and a recipient of the Melvin Jones Award, Paul took great pride in recruiting new members, including his



two sons, Eddie and Jonathan, as well as his grandson, Brad.
Paul was also a member of The Easton Church of God. He was preceded in death by the love of his life, Shelby Jean Moore, whom he mar-



Paul's service were held on December 23, 2020, and burial was at White Marsh Cemetery, Trappe MD. (More on Page 5)





GEARHEAD GARAGE TOURS

by Ken

In the last issue I featured the **Heritage** Museum and Gardens, in Sandwich, Massachusetts, and their wonderful collection of antique autos, housed on two levels in a round Shaker barn. Several times a year they host a Gearhead Garage Tour, where we can see additional cars, not currently on display. Some are even moved outside and driven around. When we attended a tour in July, I especially enjoyed seeing the 1936 Cord 810 Westchester cruising around the lot. It's the ultimate Mafia Staff Car. They also got out their 1912 Packard 1-48 Victoria. Later, they fired up their 1912 Mercer Raceabout, a car capable of exceeding 90 mph, and running all day at 70 mph, that in 1912!

In October, we returned to The Cape for another tour. This time, I got to see a 1910 Cadillac Model 30 Roadster driven around. The volunteers also fired up a 1927 Lincoln Sport Touring Car. Second to Gary Cooper's Dusie, in the last issue, it's my favorite.

Note that in all the views of the engines shown here, the fans are blurred because the engines actually are running.













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OCTOBER'S GEARHEAD GARAGE TOUR













Here are the cars we saw in October, the 1910 Cadillac Model 30 Roadster and the 1927 Lincoln Sport Touring. The Cadillac has a 4-cylinder engine of 286 cu. in. and generates 33 horseporer. It cost \$48,000 in today's dollars, the doner bought it in 1945 for \$175.

The Lincoln has a flathead V-8 of 385 ci. in. and generates 90 horsepower. It cost \$67,000 in today's dollars, and featured an early version of a tilt steering wheel, referred to as a "fat man's wheel".

Note that both are running, and the Cadillac is being driven. How cool is that! Of course, both were driven back to the garage!



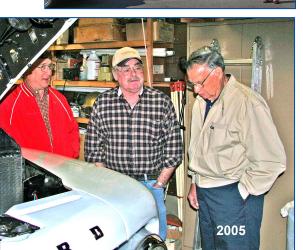
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THE PRESIDENT'S MESSAGE

To Bay Country Region Club Members:

This year is starting with the same issues that plagued us at the end of 2020. The Board Meeting and General Membership Meeting were cancelled for January. We will meet, via Zoom, for both board and general meetings, in February. The Board Meeting will be on Tuesday, February 2nd at 1:00 pm, and General Membership Meeting will be on Wednesday, February 17th at 6:30 pm. Craig Duerling is hosting the meetings via Zoom and will send out the invite. I splurged and bought a camera so I can join the meeting with video and audio. Betty swears she will drag me into the 21st Century, one way or another.

Betty has prepared a Treasurer's Report that reflects our year-end financial situation. The club had a small loss, which is in line with our financial policy. The loss would be \$275 smaller if the VFW had issued the refund for the dinner before year end.

I am putting the issue of the 2021 dinner on the February agenda. Think about whether you want to do the dinner, where to have it, and any special things you would like at the event.

Lou Doll reports that dues are coming in slowly. She is concerned that everyone has forgotten about dues since there has been no club activity. If you are waiting for the AACA membership card- **Don't.** Send your dues and renewal form in with a note that you sent the national dues in. Between the AACA being slow to process the renewals, and the really slooow mail service, it may be sometime before you get the card.

Please get your dues in to Lou now! If you have already mailed them, or are about to mail your dues, contact Lou at her new email address, loudoll77@gmail.com, to verify the mailing, so she can put you on the roster.

We lost another long time member in December. Paul Moore passed away on December 18, 2020. He was Vice President in 1991 and 1992. He regularly attended the general membership meetings and club events and was a strong supporter of our club. We meant enough to him that his membership was mentioned in his obituary. We will miss him. Ken has prepared a tribute to him.

My challenge now is to figure out how to keep club members engaged and respect safe social distancing conditions. Lee managed to put together a virtual membership meeting last October. We will meet virtually in February, and I expect for several months thereafter. We usually have a "Dust'em Off Tour" in the spring, and I hope someone will come forward with a plan to do it and be COVID safe. Charles Emery is still planning the Eastern Divisional Tour, set for June 2-5. Unless the COVID situation improves greatly I expect it to be cancelled, but we must continue planning until we know it is called off. We can start tentative plans for a summer picnic and hope the pandemic eases enough for us to have it safely.

Meanwhile I call on our members to come up with creative ways for us to get together in a socially safe manner. Another organization I belong to held a virtual volunteer recognition lunch. Everyone picked up a catered lunch from a chosen location, went home, and then met, via Zoom, while eating. Last fall we did a bring-your-own lunch, went to a state park, and ate at a safe distance, while seated at park benches. Obviously, we need warmer weather to hold an outdoor activity, so such events must

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Car Literature for sale, from a long time collector's widow (AACA Member). Sales brochures and ads for most years, makes, and models, including prototypes. There are also a few dealer albums and showroom posters. To find out if we have what you are looking for, please email Bay Country Member Michael G. Murray at mgm27153@aol.com.or call (410) 726-3553, and leave a message.

KENT ISLAND CRUISERS

- **41 Ford** Super Deluxe Coupe, Flathead V8 with goodies, Running Driving, \$25,000.
- **51 Ford** Custom Tudor, Flathead V8 with goodies, \$25,000.
- **56 Thunderbird**, solid project, both tops, cont. kit shaved, manual trans, stuck motor from sitting \$10k
- **14' Tandem Axle Flat bed trailer** w/removeable sides, \$1500. **68-ish VW Engine,** apart, \$100.
- LOTS of Small Block Chevy Pulleys, Brackets, Valve Covers, oil pans etc.

Model A Engine Engine Display Stand \$100.

Tow Dolly, Needs some help, \$350.

Bob: <u>bchevy7@yahoo.com</u> 443-496-2887

JAMES HARVEY, 1944-2020

Former member Jim passed away on Monday, November 23, 2020 at his home, leaving his loving wife of 52 years, Nan-

cy, twin daughters Carrie and Kristen, their husbands, and two grandchildren. The Harveys left the Club after they sold their Mercedes. A native of Ithaca, New York, Jim retired to Cambridge with Nancy.

Jim enjoyed sailing, singing, and music, as well as camping and tennis. He was a past member of the Chorus of Dorchester, played French Horn in the Mid-Shore Community Band, belonged to the



Cambridge Sail and Power Squadron, St. Paul's United Methodist Church choir, and the Thursday Bridge Club. Jim loved making people laugh and bringing joy to others. He will be missed.

be held in late spring or summer. It is time for the inventive, creative minds in the club to come up with COVID safe events!

I am ready to listen to any out-of-the-box ideas. Let me know your thoughts.

Sincerely,

Ed Nabb

UPCOMING EVENTS

FEBRUARY

BCR Board Meeting, 1:00 pm, via ZOOM

17 BCR Monthly Business Meeting, 6:30 pm, via **ZOOM**

MARCH

BCR Board Meeting, 1:00 pm, via ZOOM 17 BCR Monthly Business Meeting, 6:30 pm, via **ZOOM**

APRIL

Classic Motor Museum Cars & Coffee resumes BCR Board Meeting, 1:00 pm, via ZOOM

AACA Annual Meeting 15-17

BCR Monthly Business Meeting, 6:30 pm, via 21 **ZOOM**

THE BAY COUNTRY REGION, AACA

The purpose of the club shall be the preservation, use, and enjoyment of self-propelled antique, classic, and special interest vehicles and related parts, materials, and services. The Board of Directors of the Region shall meet on the first Tuesday of each month, unless otherwise specified. Membership meetings are scheduled for the third Wednesday of each month, except July and August. Meeting announcements will be carried each month in the newsletter. Articles for the newsletter are welcomed and members are encouraged to submit news about personal interest items to the editor by the 20^{th} of each month.

ITEMS FOR THE DISTRIBUTOR should be submitted by the 20th of the month. Submissions from members are greatly appreciated. Tell us about, or show us, your cars (and trucks) and what you are doing with them. If you're planning an event, here's the place to describe it.

Electronic submissions are preferred. Having avoided learning how to type all these years, the Editor doesn't want to have to learn now. On the other hand, photos and illustrations can be scanned, with no typing necessary, so send anything that you would like the member-

How does Ken Get into his picture?

First, he takes this



make this:

And, this is what you saw in the last

issue of The Distributor.

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- find out about activity changes, club emergencies, etc.
- pass along urgent information to all club members Contact Lee Caplan at 919-636-0955 or lcaplan@icloud.com



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Coming up:

February 2 & 17
Board and Members
meetings, via Zoom
April 3
Cars & Coffee resumes at the Classic
Motor Museum

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BIRTHDAYS								
1/19	Norma Huber	2/19	CHARLOTTE MORRIS	3/27	AGNES WILHELM			
1/22	JOE GLIME	3/7	CRAIG DUERLING	4/4	ELLEN MARIE FOSTER			
1/28	JIM NEWCOMB	3/8	SARA BURTON	4/5	FRANK BRADLEY			
2/2	CHARLES REICHARD	3/15	MARIE SCHMIDT	4/13	Lou Doll			
2/3	WALT TRICE	3/21	KIM HATCHER	4/13	NEIL GRANT			
2/8	JEAN BROWN	3/27	MARY STORY	4/19	Nan Duerling			

BCR CLUB NOTES

2021 BCR MEMBERSHIP RENEWAL

It's past time to renew your membership. Please update your information on your renewal form, and send it in, with a check.

If you need another form, contact Editor Ken and he will send it.

Because of the slow mail situation, there is no need to wait for the National office to provide your proof of renewal, Just include a note to me.

Thanks to all who have already paid up!

Lou



BURTON JUNCTION HO MODEL TRAIN DISPLAY Buck Burton's annual train display is open through Febru-

ary, in the Burton garage on Bonhill Drive, in Salisbury. The display will be ready by Saturday, Dec. 26th and will be up through the end of February.

There won't be regular running times but he'll be happy to get them rolling for a special showing for you, and your family and friends. To set up a time please contact Buck Burton:

> cell: 410-251-1121 home: 410-860-8476

email: <u>burtons31981@comcast.net</u>•GROUPS OF NO MORE THAN SIX•MASKS ARE REQUIRED

