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From The President-

DEAR FRIENDS,

EVEN THOUGH I WOULD HAVE LIKED A LARGER TURNOUT AT OUR MEETING WE WERE STILL ABLE TO COVER A LOT OF SUBJECTS.

FOREMOST WAS THE PREPARATION FOR OUR ANNUAL CHRISTMAS PARTY & BANQUET. ALTHO THE COST IS UP SLIGHTLY FROM PREVIOUS YEARS IT IS STILL AN EXCELLENT VALUE, CONSIDERING WE GET TO ENJOY APPROXIMATELY 4 HOURS OF QUALITY TIME WITH OUR FELLOW CLUB MEMBERS. PRICELESS!!

LAST YEAR 99% OF THE MEMBERSHIP PAID THEIR ANNUAL DUES OF \$18.00 ALONG WITH THEIR CHECK FOR THE BANQUET. THIS ALLOWED THE CLUB TO GET THE ANNUAL BUDGET IN, IN A TIMELY FASHION. LET'S TRY TO DUPLICATE THAT THIS YEAR.

THE NATIONAL OFFICER ELECTIONS WILL BE HELD THIS YEAR. I'M SURE THE INFORMATION WILL BE IN THE NEXT BULLETIN. MAKE IT A POINT TO PARTICIPATE IN THIS PROCESS. ALSO IT IS THE ELECTION YEAR FOR OUR LOCAL REGION. YOUR CLUB OFFICERS HAVE SERVED LONG & FAITHFULLY. I FEEL THAT IT IS TIME FOR FRESH LEADERSHIP. PLEASE CONSIDER VOLUNTEERING FOR ONE OF THESE OFFICES: PRESIDENT, VICE-PRESIDENT & SECRETARY. I WON'T BE AT THE OCTOBER MEETING BUT BY THE NOVEMBER 11 MEETING WE NEED TO HAVE A SLATE OF OFFICERS READY TO BE INSTALLED IN DECEMBER.

PLEASE CONTACT ME AT HOME MORNING, NOON, OR NIGHT. 913-341-3130.

KEEP IN MIND THAT SEVERAL REGIONS HAVE LADIES HOLDING OFFICE AS PRESIDENT AND OTHER OFFICES. THIS GIVES US A LARGER FIELD OF POSSIBILITIES.

Bill

The Christmas Party

The annual party will be held again this year at Finnigans in NKC. on Dec. 8th. Bob Yates reported that the restaurant has been sold, and with any new management there is change. So Bob had to spend some time negotiating. We will still have the private room and the same menu as last year, but this year the price will be \$30.00 per person. That is confirmed for 30 people, so please plan to be there if possible. The money has to be paid no later than the November club meeting, or send it to Jim Holloway, 1003 Dewey, Grandview, MO 64030. A check for \$78.00 will cover the Christmas Dinner/Party and club membership for 2008, per couple.

Virginia Penrod will have the program, and the usual white elephant exchange.

If you know anyone that has or wants a 1955 Plymouth 4-dr car, Mike Schaefer has the cars that belonged to Russ Long, he needs to get them out of his yard. Neither of them run, they both have titles. For information call Karen Long 913-962-0727 or Mike Schaefer 816-781-7117.

>Subject: Road Rage

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>A man was being tailgated by a stressed out woman on a busy boulevard.

>Suddenly, the light turned yellow, just in front of him. He did the right

>thing, stopping at the crosswalk, even though he could have beaten the red

>light by accelerating through the intersection.

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>The tailgating woman was furious and honked her horn, screaming in

>frustration as she missed her chance to get through the intersection,

>dropping her cell phone and makeup. As she was still in mid-rant, she heard

>a tap on her window and looked up into the face of a very serious police

>officer. The officer ordered her to exit her car with her hands up. He

>took

>her to the police station where she was searched, finger printed,

>photographed, and placed in a holding cell.

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>After a couple of hours, a policeman approached the cell and opened the

>door. She was escorted back to the booking desk where the arresting officer

>was waiting with her personal effects. He said, "I'm very sorry for this

>mistake. You see, I pulled up behind your car while you were blowing your

>horn, flipping off the guy in front of you, and cussing a blue streak at

>him. I noticed the 'What Would Jesus Do' bumper sticker, the 'Choose Life'

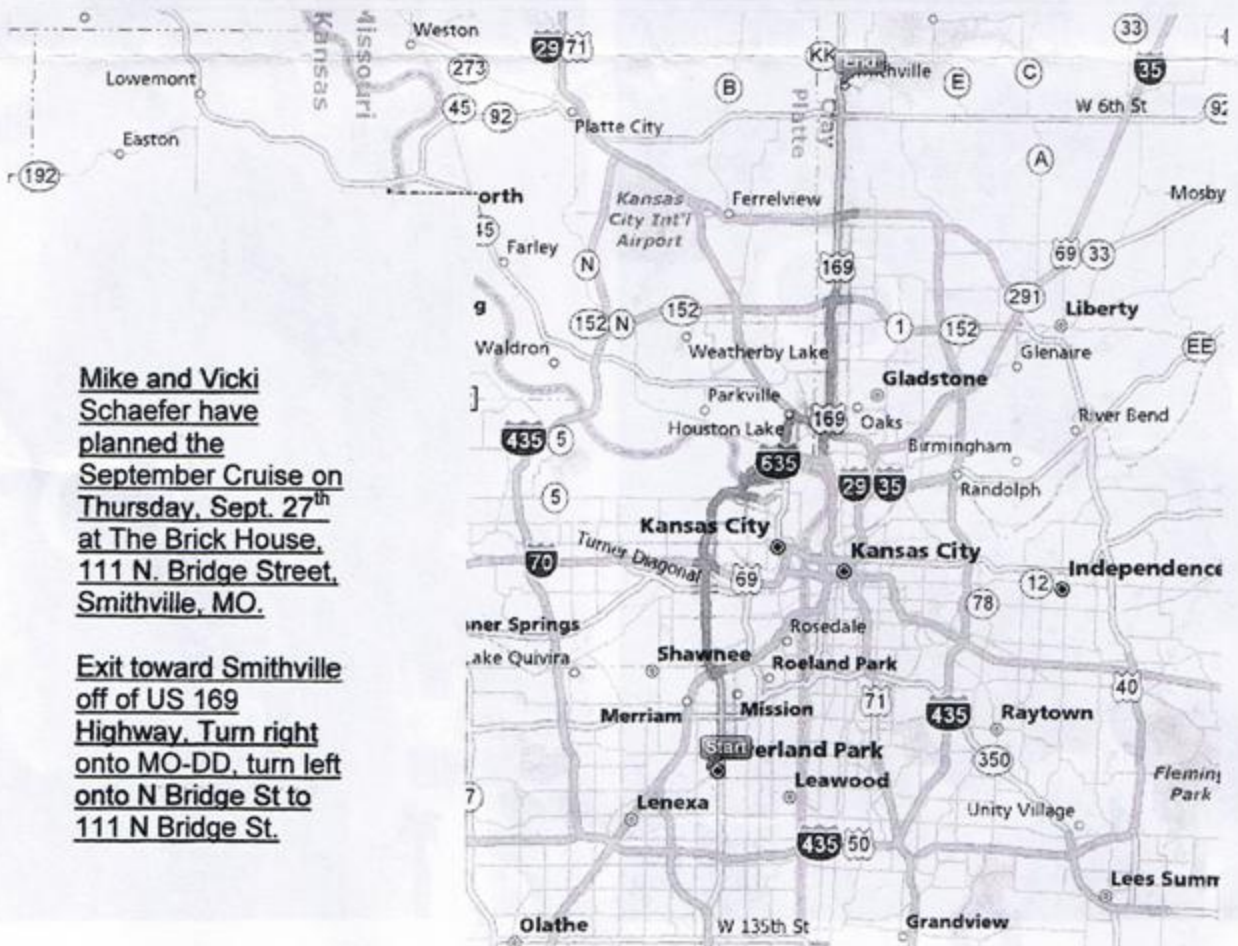
>License plate holder, the 'Follow Me to Sunday-School' bumper sticker, and

>the chrome-plated Christian fish emblem on the trunk; naturally...I assumed

>you had stolen the car."

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>Priceless.



Mike and Vicki Schaefer have planned the September Cruise on Thursday, Sept. 27th at The Brick House, 111 N. Bridge Street, Smithville, MO.

Exit toward Smithville off of US 169 Highway. Turn right onto MO-DD, turn left onto N Bridge St to 111 N Bridge St.

Birthdays

Oct 2 Karen Zammar
Oct 9 Russell Jenkins
Oct 10 Matt Brisban
Oct 20 Donna Holloway
Oct 22 Mary Jane Means
Oct 22 Milo Daub
Oct 27 Betty Bergren
Oct 30 Doris Elwood

Anniversary

Oct 6 Glenn & Mary Jane Means

Car Shows

Sept 15-16 Ol' Marias River Run,
1972 or older vehicles only; Forest
Park, Ottawa, KS.

August 23rd Cruise

The following enjoyed the Zarda Bar-B-Q Lunch hosted by Bill and Winona: George & Karen Zammer, Kenneth & Joyce Reed, Leroy & Virginia Penrod, Karen Long, Jim & Jo Ellen Holloway, Jerry & Doris Elwood and The Krenzlers.

Welcome New Members

Larry and Susan Tracy from Blue Springs, MO have joined our Plymouth Family. They have a 1965 Fury 111 2-door Hardtop. We look forward to meeting them and hope they will be able to attend the club activities.

Club Calendar

Sept 19-23 National Plymouth Meet
at Concord, North Carolina.

Sept. 27 Cruise Lunch in Smithville.

Oct. 14 Monthly Club Meeting at the
Trailside Center, 9901 Holmes, 2:00.

Nov 11 Monthly Club Meeting

Dec. 8 Christmas Party at
Finnegans, North KC. (No monthly
meeting or newsletter.)

Meeting Notes

September 9, 2007. The following attended: Gene & Brenda Bellet; Matt Brisban; Jerry & Doris Elwood; Ron Holloway; Jim & Jo Ellen Holloway, Bill & Winona Krenzer; Glenn & Mary Jane Means; Leroy & Virginia Penrod; Mike Schaefer; Mike Welsh; Don & Gerry Wood; Bob Yates; and George Zammar. The secretary and treasurer reports were read and approved. The trip to Branson was cancelled at this time. Leroy Penrod won the 50-50 pot. Glenn Means mentioned the Hurst Cruise on Sept 20-23. Glenn also has plaque cards for your car and knows of an embroiderer where you can get caps, shirts, jackets, etc. with the club logo on them. Call Glenn if you need any of this info. Mike Schaefer brought some of his car book collection to show. He has collected all of the National Bulletins since becoming a member in 1968. He encouraged everyone, "Never stop your quest for knowledge."