

FAIRBANKS

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Antique Automobile Club of America

SUMMERTIME

FUNTIME EVENTS

By Sherry Camarata

The Events Committee has finalized the summer's activities and is starting a new tradition. This year you will be asked to initial an attendance sheet when you participate in VLNAAC's outings. At the end of the year, we will be giving out prizes for your participation. So, come out and enjoy your cars, your friends and a beautiful summer!

June 1st Wed. 6:30 pm
OFFICIAL KICK OFF! PIONEER PARK

Wednesday Night Run Around. Willy has mapped out a route but your suggestions are invited! Call Willy, 456-2261 or 388-8252

June 4th Sat. 9 am - 3 pm (?)
4th ANNUAL POKER, PIONEER PARK

Fun and excitement! A game of chance on the way to Chena Hot Springs for a picnic. Let Wilma know you will be coming and she will assign you a dish to share. Bring your own dishes, cups, utensils, and drinks and the club will provide the main dish (chicken, hamburger, hot dogs, mystery meat?!?!?!).
456-2261 or 388-8252

June 19th Sun. 11 am - 4 pm
**4th ANNUAL FATHER'S DAY SHOW N' SHINE
SOURDOUGH FUEL ON VAN HORN ROAD**

Open to the public. Come on over to show your car for an hour or all day! Please fill out

an application by Wed., June 15th, letting us know what vehicle you'll bring An application is inserted in the this newsletter. Or you can get one at the June meeting, club events, from any officer or Sherry Camarata. 488-4293.

June 21st Tues. 10 am - mid-night
**SUMMER SOLSTICE SHOW N' SHINE &
ROOT BEER STAND
2nd AVE BETWEEN LACY AND NOBLE**

Park your vehicles between 10 am and noon and enjoy the festivities. An Application is inserted in the June newsletter. Or you can get one at the June meeting, club events, from any officer or Sherry Camarata. 488-4293.
Root Beer Stand **VOLUNTEERS NEEDED!** See Wilma Vinton 456-2261 or 388-8252

**June 24-25-26 Fri Afternoon, Sat All Day,
Sun until the Afternoon**
**RACING LIONS WEEK-END VEHICLE SHOW
FAIRGROUNDS, COLLEGE ROAD**

Everything, from remote control vehicles to large engines and in between. Top Fuel Cars and Cackle Fest. Food vendors, clowns, and who knows? Fun and festivities for the family all week-end!! Indoor drive-in movie and dance, Saturday night. Exhibit your car inside all weekend, or outside for as long you you'd like.

Contact Mike Brooks, Racing Lions. 452-3833

**June 25 and 26th - Sat. mid-morning
and Sun. morning**

**VALLEY CRUISER'S MIDNIGHT SUN
CAR CLUB CRUISE to FAIRBANKS**

Cruisers will join us for a picnic at Pioneer Park or ??? They have 20 cars so far driving up and want to get together to "talk cars". More information at the June meeting.

June 29th to July 4th (or 5th or 6th)

DAWSON CITY CANADA DAY PARADE

Parade is July 1st, then on to Eagle (with Squeaky) or Skagway (with Mark) for the 4th of July excitement. Leaving for Dawson June 29th. Always an enjoyable trip and fun time visiting our neighbors and friends. Usually a surprise or two along the way! Come on, have a great time and relax, enjoy and have fun. Contact Squeaky 474-4966

July 4th Mon. 11 am P

NORTH POLE 4TH OF JULY PARADE

Line up along St. Nicholas Drive about 11 am. Parade starts at noon. Fair and festivities after the parade. Contact Sherry Camarata 488-4293

**July 9th Sat. 4pm or
earlier please!**

**DOMKE'S PICNIC AND MEETING
DOMKE'S YARD (where else?)**

Bring your own lawn chair or you'll sit on the grass! And a pot luck dish to share. The club will supply the main dish. "Come early and stay late" Rudy and Ruth say! Play crochet, watch the garden grow, sit back and relax with good friends. Contact Rudy or Ruth at 488-6970

July 20th Wed. TBA

**GOLDEN DAZE SHOW N' SHINE
PIONEER PARK**

Kick off Golden Daze Week inside Pioneer Park. Park cars between 3 & 4 pm. Join all the festivities! More information as the events get closer.

**July 20th Wed. early evening thru
the night**

NORTH TO ALASKA CARavan

Group arrives in Fairbanks. VLNAAC will provide security for guest's vehicles at the Aspen Hotel.

July 21st Thurs. 5 pm (?)

SALMON BAKE PARTY

At Alaska Salmon Bake (imagine that!) with the CARavan people. Date & time is subject to change based on maintaining their itinerary. We'll be flexible and roll with the wheels!

July 23rd Sat. 9 am

GOLEDN DAZE PARADE

The highlight of the summer for most Fairbanks people! We need a person to represent the club at Chamber meetings and to help line up cars Saturday morning. Sherry Camarata 488-4293 or email pscamarata@acsalaska.net.

**August 12, 13 & 14 Fri. evening,
Sat all day and Sun morning**

**ANCHORAGE AUTO MUSHERS
JOINT MEET**

Picnic Fri. evening. Sat. Cruise, Car Games and Banquet. Sun. morning meet for breakfast before they go home. More information to be announced.

**August 26 - 28th Fri mid-morning,
Sat all day, Sun afternoon**

**2nd ANNUAL VLNAAC CAR SHOW
CARLSON CENTER -**

Set up, 11 am, Friday at the Carlson Center. VLNAAC event of the year! Our chance to show off OUR vehicles to the community. People ooh! and aah! when they see the cars and can't wait for another "look-see" this year. It's really a privilege to share our hobby with others. It brings back so many memories for people. A great chance to share them! Get ready for the almost end of year event.

More later on other events!

**GET READY / GET SET / GO!
ENJOY THE SUMMER
FUN EVENTS!!**

FROM THE PRESIDENT

By Willy Vinton

Well here it is with the start of summer upon us with a very busy schedule!

Recently we held some sessions at my garage on rebuilding engines - a Model T and a Model A. All went well with lots of folks participating, watching and observing. I think everyone came away with a little more understanding and knowledge of Babbitt bearings and the time it takes to set them up. Particularly, when you change one thing it will affect others in the chain, such as new valves and adjustable lifters. I look forward to seeing both of these engines back in operation in the future with Ron Dane's model T and Mark Cosson's Aatruck added to the club roster of vehicles.

I truly enjoyed the time spent and the camaraderie of the group. I think that these kind of sessions are a great benefit and look forward to more of them in the future. So if you have some particular subject you would like to demonstrate or learn about, lets discuss it. Maybe we can get it done after the summer is over and the snow has returned!

A big congratulation goes to Ron Allen on the completion of his TR4. It looks great and is a very welcome addition to VLNAAC! I am waiting to see Squeakie's Honda and Bill Chace's Plymouth (being redone after his accident)

The last couple of Wednesdays brought out some interest and cars for a dusting off and shakedown run in preparation for the summer Run

Arounds. It was great to see that a few tourists have shown up! (I have to wonder what the fuel prices will do to the number of visitors coming up to Fairbanks.)

Let's get the cars out and dusted off for some fun this summer!



**BIRTHDAYS
AND
ANNIVERSARIES**

June Birthdays

Willy Vinton	8 th
Tena Yurkovich	11 th
Virginia Clayton	13 th
Veronica Meyers	18 th
John Blankenship	22 nd
Nila Lyle	27 th

June Anniversaries

Bernie & Judy Saupe	2 nd
Ron & Shirley Franklin	2 nd
Robbie & Doris Casey	7 th
John & Betty Bory	9 th
Ron & Karine Dane	9 th
Corbett & Christine Upton	14 th
Greg & Eloise Osland	14 th
Bill & Joyce Chace	18 th
Dan & LaVonne Gullickson	18 th
Jeff & Lori Simpson	23 rd
James & Karen Eddy	28 th

CLASSIFIED ADS????

Please see the website for classified ads this month: www.aaca.org/fairbanks.

A member is looking for some information on body repair shops in Fairbanks for a 1966 Amphicar – a boat car! Contact Willy Vinton if you can help at 456-2261.

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Next Meeting-Thurs

June 9th 6pm-Dinner 7pm-Meeting
China One
 414 3rd St, FBKS
 (In Eagle Plaza Mall)

Newsletter Deadline

All materials for the newsletter must be in by the 25th of the month for the following month.

Email Wilma@ntc.fairbanks.ak.us or
 Mail to return address on this newsletter

Have a story about how you got your car? A favorite trip? A real repair hassle? Send it in!

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