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# Cruise 'N'ews February 2018

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About our club:

*Hamblen county car club organized in the summer of 2002. We are a non-profit corporation dedicated to the promotion of a safe, family-oriented enjoyment of Classic and Custom cars and trucks through club camaraderie, monthly meetings and scheduled special events. HCCC meets on the third Tuesday of each month, except December, at Golden Corral in Morrystown. Come at 6:00PM for dinner and our meeting starts at 7:00PM. Club membership is open to persons age 16 or older who are interested in the restoration and maintenance of classic cars and trucks. Dues are \$25.00 annually, payable on Sept 1<sup>st</sup>. Cruise "N"ews is the official publication of the HCCC and is printed and distributed electronically monthly. All news articles, photographs, and items of interest are welcome for consideration for publication, subject to editing. Submission deadline is the first Tuesday of each month. If you would like to receive a newsletter by mail or email, please let me know.*

Thank you,  
Evie Valentine

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## FUN RUN!!!!!!

Jean Malott has planned a Valentine's dinner for members at the **Little Dutch Restaurant** on Monday, February 12 at 6:00 pm. Order off the menu, and one lucky member will get a free meal.

There will also be some surprise giveaways. Those members wanting to attend were asked to sign-up or let Jean (423-231-2626) or Deedra (423-327-1125) know by February 9<sup>th</sup>



**THANK  
YOU  
TED AND  
PAUL**



### SICK AND SYMPATHY

Albert Combs Eye issue

Tim Goins

Gwen and Ted's loss

Jean's Malott's loss

Ann Walker cancer

Keith Phildius' loss

Lawrence McCullough

Merle Myers

Diane Sawyer's Sister

Everyone who has or had  
the flu

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## Hamblen County Car Club Minutes

January 16, 2018

The Hamblen County Car Club was called to order Tuesday, January 16, 2018 at the Golden Corral by President, Gene Honeycutt. Twenty-eight (28) members attended the meeting. Don McGinnis offered the opening prayer and mentioned concerns for several members and their families as well as our country.

Mr. Honeycutt presented a plaque and an American flag to show appreciation to Paul McClain and Ted Kalagian for the magazine distribution and for a "can do" attitude, respectively.

November minutes were approved by a motion from Billy Seals and seconded by Don McGinnis.

Janice Hawkins gave the treasurer's report. October ending balance was \$20,812.01; November ending balance was \$22,111.92 and December ending balance is \$19,259. She said we already have more than \$2,000 dollars revenue (after expenses have been paid) for the Winter Angel Car Show. Report was accepted after a motion by Ted Kalagian and a second by Billy Seals. Motion carried.

**President's Remarks:** Gene Honeycutt mentioned new business to be discussed at the February meeting including a possible Christmas for Kingswood Home for Children, beginning the cruise-ins in April, shirts for members only, and an invitation from Freddy's. He asked members their thoughts about a contribution to Centenary Methodist Church for providing the place for our Christmas dinner. Betty Leolich made a motion to contribute \$100. Guy Leolich voiced a second. Motion carried.

**Fun Run Coordinator:** Deedra Zieba told the members that Jean Malott has planned a Valentine's dinner for members at the Little Dutch on Monday, February 12 at 6:00 pm. Those members wanting to attend were asked to sign-up or let Jean or Deedra know by February 9<sup>th</sup>.

**Winter Angel Car Show:** Guy Leolich, vice president, reported the event is looking good. We are already in the green financially, weather should be okay, and everything is almost ready. Albert Combs said several vendors are ready and others may show up. Other highlights are: Roger Porter and his group will sing gospel music Friday night; "Elvis" will be there; Model cars, Motorcycles, Tractors, and Special Vehicles from Ford and East Tennessee Nissan will be there. Best Western has a good rate on a block of rooms for those coming from out of town. WJDT will do a remote from 12:00 to 3:00 pm on Saturday. Guy passed a sign-up sheet to members for additional volunteer help. Members wanting to help fill "goody bags" will meet at Ted Kalagain's house on Wednesday, January 17. Those who pre-registered get a tee shirt in their bag. Shirts will also be available for purchase.

Lucky winners of the free dinners from Golden Corral were Paul McClain and Jim Brown.

Don McGinnis made the motion to adjourn. Jack Hawkins made the second. Meeting adjourned.

Respectfully submitted by Judy Hopkins, Secretary



## February Newsletter Input

February is here and that means Cruise-In time is a comin'. Also means that we are going to have a bang-up time at The Little Dutch Restaurant on Feb 12<sup>th</sup> to celebrate Valentine's Day. Jean Malott has worked real hard on this and I hope we have a good turnout. She has several real neat things to do and the food is always great there. Don't forget and see you at 6 on the 12<sup>th</sup>.

As for news December and January have been very hard on some of our members. Several have had this old flu bug that is going around, and we have several who have suffered losses. Keith Phildius lost his wife; Jean Malott lost her Brother-in-Law; and Gwen Kalagian lost her Mother. Diane Sawyer's Sister has had quite a hard time as well with some heart and lung issues. Talked to Lawrence McCullough the other day and he is doing better. Also, Richard has begun his treatments and is expected to make a full recovery. I am hearing that Merle Myers is also having some problems but haven't checked into that yet. Lawrence, Richard, and Merle are life members in our club. Please keep these in your thoughts and prayers along with all those who are sick and shut in.

The Winter Angel Show went very well. We will be getting a full report at our meeting on the 20<sup>th</sup> as to just how good we did. Several people have made the recommendation that we start doing more during the Christmas Holiday Season for Kingswood. We will be talking about this at the meeting. It has been noted that the children really enjoyed the ride down Main Street with us in the Christmas Parade. They also enjoyed us coming over last summer and riding them around in our vehicles. We will also be discussing a couple of local businesses who want us to cruise in and the possibility of starting our cruise-ins in April instead of May. Several people have suggested that we do this. Please try to make this meeting if you can. We can only hear your ideas if you are there to express them.

*Gene*





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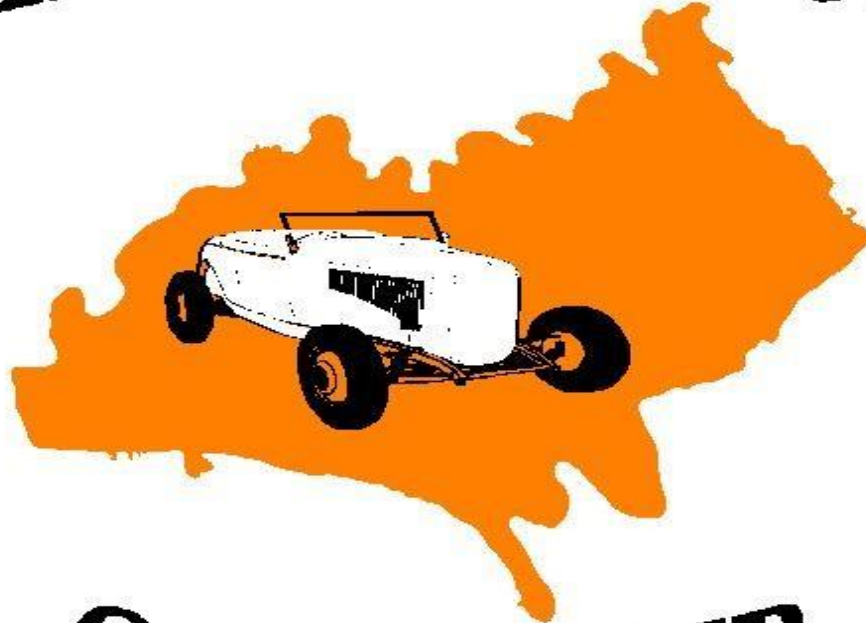
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