



The Peregrine Press

The Newsletter of the Mason-Dixon Chapter
of the
Falcon Club of America

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The Peregrine Press, named for the Peregrine Falcon, is the bi-monthly newsletter of the Mason-Dixon Chapter of the Falcon Club of America. Our Chapter serves the five-state area of Maryland, Pennsylvania, Delaware, New Jersey, and northern Virginia.

From all of the Officers of the Mason-Dixon Chapter – we would like to wish you a Blessed Easter weekend, and trust that time with your families will be filled with Laughter, Joy, and most of all, with Hope as we recognize what the real meaning of this season is all about.

Spring Picnic Time!!!

Hey everyone! Come one, come all to the famous Mason-Dixon Spring Picnic! It was moved to a later date this year to get beyond the cool weather that we have experienced during the April dates in recent years. After all, who likes to be shivering at a picnic? This year it will be held on **Saturday, May 14th**, at the home of Pat & Diane Varricchio, 4 Kilkea Ct. in Nottingham, MD. *Please be sure to contact Diane to let her know that you are going so they can be sure to have enough food available for the grill.* The Chapter will provide burgers and hot dogs and bottled water. You are welcome to bring beverages of your choice if water is not your thing. Coolers will be available with plenty of ice to chill them down. Don't forget the Mason-Dixon Auction! This is always a good time of fun and laughter for all as we enjoy the afternoon together.



President's Message -

Mason/Dixon Members are invited to a cookout on May 14, 2022 at Pat and Diane Varricchio's house. The address is 4 Kilkea Ct, Nottingham, MD 21236, from 11:00 am until.

This is a very important meeting because Mike and Pilar Garrett will be discussing a migration to the 2022 FCA National in Kingsport, Tennessee. We are fortunate to have a National that is about 445 miles from us and this will be a one-day trip.



Also, at this meeting for those who have 24F batteries, there will be a discussion of how we adapt to the new batteries that do not have a side mount.

The Chapter will provide burgers and dogs cooked by Chef Ed Sickels. You are encouraged to bring your favorite dish and your drink of choice. We will provide bottled water. We will also have Mason/Dixon Auction for those who wish to participate please bring a wrapped gift with a value around \$10.



Please contact Diane Varricchio at 410-804-8247 if you will be attending and what dish you would like to bring.

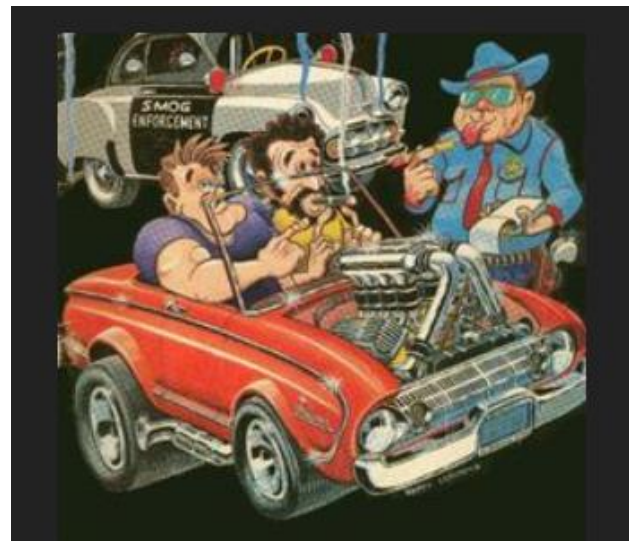
Please drive your Falcons, weather permitting, to this event.

Looking forward to seeing everyone.

Regards,

Pat Varricchio

President, Mason/Dixon Chapter



FCA National Meet July 14-16, 2022

Kruisin' to Kingsport



43rd Falcon Nationals July 14 - 16, 2022 Kingsport, Tennessee

Ladies and Gentlemen, pack up your gear and prep your car(s) for this year's FCA Nationals to be held at Kingsport, TN on July 14 – 16. Yes, Virginia, there WILL be a Migration from the mid-Atlantic Region and it will be headed up by Mike and Pilar Garrett. Details will be announced at the Spring Picnic on May 14th, and we understand this migration is open to all in the Keystone Chapter, New England Chapter, and the Virginia Chapter. There will be join-up points along the way for FCA Members, and interested others, to connect with our group

traveling south to Kingsport. Stay tuned for more details following the Picnic on May 14th! If you are not able to attend the National, but have the time and ability to position yourself somewhere along the route, we need photographers to take pictures of the caravan from wherever you can. If you are going to the National gathering but not driving your Falcon, please consider driving ahead to position yourself on an exit ramp or overpass to capture pictures and video of this event! Once we know the exact route and timing, we'll get it out there for all of you to know.

Details

Start:

July.14

End:

July.16

Cost:

\$28

Event Category:

National

Website:<https://falconclub.com/nationalmeet/register>

Venue

MeadowView Conference Resort & Convention Center

1901 Meadowview Parkway,
Kingsport,, TN, 37660**Phone:**

(423) 578-6600

Website:<https://www.marriott.com/events/s tart.mi?>

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New News! www.....



Have you heard? The Mason-Dixon Chapter now has a web site in addition to its Facebook page! It has been quite a while in getting here, but early in the week following Easter Sunday, you will be able to find our web pages. We will send out a blast announcement once the Under Construction signs have been removed and the paths are clear. This web page will be open for anyone to see, unlike our Facebook page which is only for members of the Mason-Dixon Chapter. Our web page will contain history of the Chapter, photos of past events, listings of upcoming events, and even a members' rides page for pictures and progress reports! This will provide one more tool to help the general public learn about the Falcon Club of America, our local Chapter, and what we are about. We think you will like what you see, and we hope you will contribute to the page with your pictures of your car(s) as well as stories about your builds, or purchases of Falcons in your Nest!

Car show info -

Here is a partial listing of car shows in our area. We are not advertising for any of these, but offer them to you as options in your calendar for late April, May, and June. If you attend any of these, please let us know how the show was. Is it worth taking the group to that show next year? Looking forward to hearing from you!



Romancing the Chrome Car Show April 23. 10-4 RD 5/2 3719 Norrisville Rd. Jarrettsville, MD, 21084 Benefits Jarrettsville Lions Club www.romancingthechrome.org see the ad in this issue for more info

Jacobus Lions Club Spring Car Show April 23, 10-2 RD 4/24 at the Jacobus Pa. Community Park 18 South Main St Jacobus, PA 17407 443-375-0086

treasured Motorcars Spring Car Show & Open House April 30, 9-2 917 E. Tolna Rd. New Freedom, Pa. 17349 410-833-2329 www.treasuredmotorcars.com see the ad in this issue

SAAC Group of MD, Spring Show May 1, 9-2 RD 5/15 at Crouse Ford 11 Antrim Blvd. Taneytown, MD, 21787 Reg \$20 Pam 410-303-1847

Chariots of Fire Car Show May 14, 10-3 RD 5/15 at the Classic Auto Mall 6180 Morgantown Rd. Morgantown, Pa. 19543 Pastor Weed 610-322-1622

Cruisin' Ocean City May 19-22 Ocean City, MD, See the ad in this issue for more details 410-798-6304 www.cruisinoceancity.com.

Cruise-In & Car Show May 21, 10-2 RD 5/22 Delaware State Police Museum 1425 DuPont Hwy Dover, De 19901. All are welcome. Donations appreciated. Call Don 610-329-4377

Chester Co. Car Show May 28, 9-3 at the Classic Auto Mall 6180 Morgantown Rd. Morgantown, Pa. 19543 Reg \$20 610.269.2532

Carlisle Ford Nationals June 3 – 5 Largest All-Ford Show, Swap Meet, Car Corral. Carlisle PA Fairgrounds – 1000 Bryn Mawr Rd, Carlisle PA 17013 717-243-7855 CarlisleEvents.com

Hershey Region AACA Fun Cruise Night, June 3, 2022, 5 to 8 PM Rain or Shine, Free Registration, 131 Museum Drive, Hershey, PA 17033, Next to the AACA Museum, Call Mike Kissinger, 717 957 3083

Hot Rods For Heros Car Show June 11, 10-3 RD 6/12 At Jarrettsville VFC 3825 Federal Hill Rd. Jarrettsville, Md 21084 Reg \$15 Pre 80 vehicles 443-616-4219

Carroll Co. American Muscle Spring Car Show June 11 8:30-2 RD 6/12 Westminster Elks Club 538 Gorsuch Rd. Westminster, MD, 21157 Reg \$20 Dave 410-241-5454

Gettysburg Region AACA Latimore Car Show June 11 from 7-3 314 Latimore Valley Rd., York Springs, PA 17372. We are 501-c7 and benefits Gettysburg Region and Eastern Mus. of Motor Racing. 717-731-9726