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ROAD RUMBLINGS...

Where does the time go?? The 1st half of 2008 is gone, Summer is really here, and the heat is on. Are you ready for Christmas?? HA!!

Check out the new format for the **CRUISE NITE FUN FOR 2008** section in this issue. I have tried to make it easier to see what cruise nite activity is really happening on which nite. What do you think good or bad?? Let me know.

We're into the busiest part of the cruise / show season. Just a reminder that the **GAZZETTE** lists shows about 3 months out each issue. If we listed all the shows this little publication gets from you, it would turn into a LARGE publication. I am going to keep following this format(about 3 months worth) as it works. If you have sent us your show info and you don't see it, don't worry as I have it and it will show up about 3 months before the show itself. If you haven't sent us your show info yet, I have to ask you "why not"??

Congrats go out to John Creveling of Columbia Tn for receiving a TOP 50 award at the recent NHRA HOT ROD REUNION at Beech Bend Raceway in Bowling Green Ky. Not only did he pick up a TOP 50 Award with his 55 Chevy Truck, he got asked to participate with his TOO COOL 55 Chevy Truck,

at the 2008 U.S. National at O'Reilly Raceway Park, in Indianapolis over Labor Day Weekend. Way to go John!!

Speaking of the NHRA Hot Rod Reunion, check out some pictures from the show elsewhere in this issue.

Just a reminder, there will be **NO CRUISE** in Murfreesboro on Friday July 4th. This is just due to the Holiday. Cruising picks back up in the Boro' the next Friday.

The Big SOMERNITES Power Cruise is coming up. Elsewhere in this issue, you will find details from Jim" Its in Primer and its dun!" Lowe. While the SOMERNITES folks have abandoned a POWER CRUISE from Nashville, due to issues with Opryland Hotel, Jim Lowe has taken it upon himself to get an "UNOFFICIAL" cruise going up to Somerset. He has taken care of all the details to make this happen for all of us. If you want to participate with a VETERAN SOMERNITES CRUISER, give Jim a call after you read his article on the event.

I have said it here before and it bears saying it again. When us "old Guyz" head out in our Rides for a car show or some other "GEARHEAD" event, "take a kid with ya!!!" If we want to continue to see our hobby, sport, passion, whatever you want to call this thing we do, grow we need to get the "young guns" (both boys &

girls) involved now. It does take some effort & patience on our part to teach and help our protégé's the right way to do things. Give a big 'ATTABOY" to Gene Reis from down Lynnville Tn way. He definitely has his boy Ty involved. Here is Ty trying out to be a tire changer for Kevin Harvick's Cup team. Ty has the stance down & definitely looks like he is having fun...that's what's it's all about right...FUN!!



Until next issue, keep it between the lines....

Jimmy B.

As always, if you want the **GAZZETTE** direct instead of forwarded 2nd hand, let us know. All you need to do is send me an email at gearheadgazzette@aol.com. You can also always check out the current issue of the **GAZZETTE** on line at www.gearheadgazzette.com

"Remember...we're here for a good time...not a long time...Enjoy the Ride".

"CRUISE NITE FUN" FOR 2008

FOR ALL OF THE CLUBS & CRUISE NITE HOSTS, OR IF YOU KNOW OF A CRUISE NIGHT HAPPENING IN **2008**, BE IT WEEKLY OR MONTHLY, SEND ME THE INFO. SEND THE COMPLETE INFO TO ME AT gearheadgazette@aol.com

FRIDAY NITE CRUISIN': THESE CRUISES ARE HELD EVERY FRIDAY NITE

- **MURFREESBORO TN:** The MHRC will be hosting "THE FRIDAY NITE" cruise-in once again this year. Location will be the same as last year, at the Mercury Plaza. Starts at 5pm-9pm. Some new additions and surprises for 2008 so come on out and check it out!! Cruising starts Friday May 2nd and runs thru Friday October 3rd. For more info check out www.4mhrc.net . **CHECK THIS ONE OUT AS IT IS A GEARHEAD GAZETTE PICK!!!**
- **COOKEVILLE TN:** Cruise In at the Sonic Drive In Starting Friday Apr 4th and going every Friday weather permitting. Located on Jackson St. 6pm - ??
- **HENDERSONVILLE TN:** Cruise-IN at Home Depot on Friday Nites. Cruise In runs from 6-9pm. Need to park in the designated area, and do the right thing or this cruise will be cancelled. No selling anything or campaigning of any kind will be allowed.

SATURDAY NITE CRUISIN': THESE CRUISES ARE HELD EVERY SATURDAY NITE

- **MT JULIET TN:** Cruise In at Chik-Fil-A at the **PROVIDENCE MALL OFF I-40 EAST IN MT JULIET, AT THE CHIK-FIL-A** every Sat Nite from 5PM - ??? MUSIC, 50/50 POT & MORE. Family Fun Everyone Welcome. **NOTE: THIS IS A LOCATION CHANGE**
- **MURFREESBORO TN:** Cruise In at the SONIC drive in on S. Church (HWY 231). Cruise in happens every Sat Nite from 6-8pm. The manager is offering 50% off on purchases through these times and will receive a \$5.00 Sonic gift card. This cruise is happening now and runs until the fall.
- **CLARKSVILLE TN:** Memory Lane Cruisers weekly cruise-in. Happens every Sat Nite in the parking lot between Wendy's, Food Lion & K-mart. Located off exit 11 off I-24 where the connector road intersects Madison St. Starts at 5pm and runs until the last car leaves the lot.
- **FRANKLIN TN:** WEEKLY CRUISE IN EVERY SAT NITE. OPEN TO ALL TYPES OF CRUISERS. THE CRUISE HAPPENS AT THE "BACK YARD BURGER" BY KMART. CRUISING HAPPENS FROM 4:30-9PM. FOR MORE INFO CALL 615-790-3773.

1ST SATURDAY NITE OF THE MONTH CRUISIN':

- **NASHVILLE / BELLEVUE TN:** The Bellevue Cruisers will be hosting their "1st Sat Nite of each month" cruise again this year. The cruising starts on April 5th and runs thru October 4th. The Cruise-In will be located at the Bellevue mall again this year **BUT IN A NEW LOCATION**. The Cruise will be held at the SEARS Automotive Center Area at the Mall. This move is necessary due to construction at the mall. NO FEARS access is easy and clean. Enter the Mall & Cruise area off SAWYER BROWN ROAD. Cruising runs from 5-9pm. For more info call Tom at 615-478-5032 or e-mail him at bellevuecruisers@hotmail.com . **CHECK THIS ONE OUT AS IT IS A GEARHEAD GAZETTE PICK!!!**
- **McMINNVILLE TN:** Cruise In happens the 1st Sat nite of each month. Cruise is held at Security Federal Parking Lot on Main St & Moffit from 5-??pm. Music, Drawings, and restrooms. All Welcome. For more info call 931-668-2749
- **DECATUR AL:** DECATUR MOPAR CLUB CRUISE IN ON THE 1ST SATURDAY OF EACH MONTH. BEING HELD AT PIZZA HUT ON BELTLINE NOW!! HOSTED BY THE DECATUR MOPAR CLUB. CRUISE HAPPENS FROM 4-7PM. FOR MORE INFO CALL 256-466-3443.
- **SPRING HILL TN:** HOTTEST CAR CRUIZE-IN AT GARY'S PLACE. MUSIC(FEATURING MICHAEL DEAN PLAYING THE BEST OF THE 60'S & 70'S), FOOD SPECIALS, DRINK SPECIALS & MORE. CRUISING HAPPENS FROM 6(??) TO 9PM. LOCATED BEHIND THE KROGERS IN SPRING HILL AT 2001 CAMPBELL STATION PKWY. FOR MORE INFO CALL 615-302-3636 OR GO TO www.springhillsbestbar.com . LOTS OF SHADE FOR THIS ONE. **CHECK THIS ONE OUT AS IT IS GROWING IN POPULARITY FAST.**

2ND SATURDAY NITE OF THE MONTH CRUISIN':

- **CARTHAGE TN:** Finishline Customs presents 2008 Cruise-In Carthage Tn. Cruise In will be held the 2nd Saturday of each month from April - October. Cruise in is located at Finish Line Auto Detail located at 520 Main St in Carthage, across from the SONIC drive in. For more info & directions call 615-735-3347.
- **Charlotte TN:** Cruizin the Historic Square. Open to all cars. The cruise happens the 2nd Sat of each month from April - Oct. 4-9pm. Plenty of Shade.
- **SPRING HILL TN:** BIKE NIGHT AT GARY'S PLACE. MUSIC(FEATURING BACKLASH - THE BEST ROCK BAND AROUND), FOOD SPECIALS, DRINK SPECIALS & MORE. CRUISING HAPPENS FROM 6(??) TO 9PM. LOCATED BEHIND THE KROGERS IN SPRING HILL AT 2001 CAMPBELL STATION PKWY. FOR MORE INFO CALL 615-302-3636 OR GO TO www.springhillsbestbar.com . LOTS OF SHADE FOR THIS ONE. **CHECK THIS ONE OUT AS IT IS GROWING IN POPULARITY FAST.**
- **LIVINGSTON TN:** STANDING STONE CRUISERS CAR CLUB HOLDS A MONTHLY CRUISE IN ON THE 2ND SATURDAY EVENING EACH MONTH. CRUISE HAPPENS AT THE HISTORIC LIVINGSTON TN SQUARE. CRUISE IN BEGINS AT 4PM. CRUISE WILL BE HAPPENING ON JULY 12, AUG 9, SEPT 13, OCT 11. FOR MORE INFO GO TO www.StandingStoneCruisers.com .

3RD SATURDAY NITE OF THE MONTH CRUISIN':

- **PADUCAH KY:** KENTUCKY OAKS MALL CRUISE IN. HELD THE 3RD SAT OF EACH MONTH THRU OCTOBER. OPEN TO ALL RIDES. DOOR PRIZES, DASH PALQUES TO THE 1ST 25 ENTRANTS. FOR MORE INFO CALL 270-382-2139 OR GO TO www.topquncarshows.com
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4TH SATURDAY NITE OF THE MONTH CRUISIN':

- **SOMERSET KY:** Somernites Cruise will take place the 4th Saturday of each month April thru October in 2008. You've read about it and seen it on TV so why not check it out!! For more info & directions call 800-642-6287 or go to www.somernitescruise.com
- **SPRING HILL TN:** BIKE NIGHT AT GARY'S PLACE. MUSIC(FEATURING BACKLASH - THE BEST ROCK BAND AROUND), FOOD SPECIALS, DRINK SPECIALS & MORE. CRUISING HAPPENS FROM 6(??) TO 9PM. LOCATED BEHIND THE KROGERS IN SPRING HILL AT 2001 CAMPBELL STATION PKWY. FOR MORE INFO CALL 615-302-3636 OR GO TO www.springhillsbestbar.com . LOTS OF SHADE FOR THIS ONE. **CHECK THIS ONE OUT AS IT IS GROWING IN POPULARITY FAST.**

OTHER CRUISE NITES:

- **MURFREESBORO TN:** Cruise in at the SONIC drive in on Cason Lane. Start on April 2nd and runs every other Wed. nite. The manager is offering 50% off to anyone bringing a classic or HOT ROD in during the cruise in from 6-8pm.
- **SPRING HILL TN:** Spring Hill Bike Nite Sponsored by Sarges Cycles of Columbia, being held at SOPRANOZ Restaurant. Bike nite is held the last Thursday of each month. Starts at 7pm. If it rains the Bike Nite will move to the next Thursday. Open to all bikes. For more info call SOPRANOZ.
- **LEWISBURG TN:** CRUISE IN EVERY MONDAY NITE AT THE SONIC DRIVE IN. HALF PRICE MENU TO ALL WHO BRING THEIR COOL CAR.

2008 SHOW INFO AT A GLANCE

- **JULY 4:** CALVERT CITY KY: 4TH OF JULY OPEN SHOW BY TOP GUN SHOW SERIES
- **JULY 5:** JAMESTOWN KY: LAKEFEST CAR SHOW
- **JULY 6:** CLARKSVILLE TN: BUDWEISER & HOOTERS 5TH ANNUAL CAR, TRUCK & MOTORCYCLE SHOW.

- JULY 11-13: COLUMBUS OH: 11TH ANNUAL GOODGUYS PPG NATIONALS
- JULY 12: ATHENS-DECATUR AL: 21ST ANNUAL GREATER TENNESSEE VALLEY ANTIQUE CAR SHOW
- JULY 12: WAVERLY TN: 23RD ANNUAL POOR BOYS CAR SHOW
- JULY 12: CEDAR HILL TN: 5TH ANNUAL CAR & BIKE SHOW HOSTED BY THE ROBERTSON COUNTY RESCUE SQUAD.
- JULY 12 & 13: BUCHANAN TN: OPEN CAR SHOW AT PARIS LANDING STATE PARK BY TOP GUN SHOW SERIES
- JULY 13: MURFREESBORO TN: CRUISE IN AT "THE AVENUE" MALL
- JULY 17-19: BOWLING GREEN KY: 27TH ANNUAL NATIONAL CORVETTE HOMECOMING
- JULY 18: LEBANON TN: FRIDAY NITE DRAG RACING AT NASHVILLE SUPERSPEEDWAY
- JULY 19: LAWRENCEBURG TN: 30TH ANNUAL CAR & TRUCK & FLEA MARKET
- JUNE 19-21ST: PIGEON FORGE TN: SMOKEY MTN F-100 RUN.
- JULY 19: FLORENCE AL: W.C. HANDY FESTIVAL CAR SHOW.
- JULY 25 & 26: NASHVILLE TN. TO SOMERSET KY: HOLLEY POWERCRUISE TO SOMERNITES CRUISE
- JULY 25: LEBANON TN: FRIDAY NITE DRAG RACING AT NASHVILLE SUPERSPEEDWAY
- JULY 26: LAVERGNE TN: ANNUAL DARE / ROTARY CAR SHOW SPONSERED BY TIRE WORLD
- JULY 26: ASHLAND CITY TN: ASHLAND CITY "POKER RUN" HOSTED BY MILD & WILD KUSTOMS CLUB
- JULY 31-AUG 3: LOUISVILLE KY: 39TH ANNUAL STREET ROD NATIONALS -NSRA
- AUG 15: LEBANON TN: FRIDAY NITE DRAG RACING AT NASHVILLE SUPERSPEEDWAY
- AUGUST 17: DECATUR AL: 2ND ANNUAL SOUTHSIDE BAPTIST CHURCH CAR SHOW & BLOCK PARTY.
- AUG 17: LEBANON TN: WILSON COUNTY FAIR CAR SHOW.
- AUG 17: DECATUR AL: 2ND ANNUAL SOUTHSIDE BAPTIST CHURCH CAR SHOW AND BLOCK PARTY.
- AUG 22-24: RICHMOND VA: NSRA RICHMOND NATIONALS
- AUG 23 ARDMORE AL: 8TH ANNUAL ARDMORE CAR SHOW
- AUG 23-25: EVANSVILLE IN: 34TH ANNUAL FROG FOLLIES.
- AUG 30: ASHLAND CITY TN: ASHLAND CITY "POKER RUN" HOSTED BY MILD & WILD KUSTOMS CLUB
- SEPT 5: LEBANON TN: FRIDAY NITE DRAG RACING AT NASHVILLE SUPERSPEEDWAY
- SEPT 5 & 6: RED BOILING SPRINGS TN: 52ND FALL MEET.
- SEPT 5 & 6TH: PIGEON FORGE TN: 26TH ANNUAL SHADES OF THE PAST "HOT ROD ROUNDUP"
- SEPT 6 & 7: CRUISIN THE LAKES PRESENTED BY TOP GUN CAR SHOW SERIES.
- SEPT 11-14: PIGEON FORGE TN: 26TH ANNUAL FALL GRAND RUN
- SEPT 12: LEBANON TN: FRIDAY NITE DRAG RACING AT NASHVILLE SUPERSPEEDWAY
- SEPT 12-14: TUNICA MI: DELTA RIVER CRUISIN' 9TH ANNUAL CAR SHOW.
- SEPT 13: GLADEVILLE TN: GLADEFEST ANTIQUE CAR SHOW.
- SEPT 13: KINGSTON SPRINGS TN: HARPETH BAND OF BLUE 1ST ANNUAL CAR & BIKE SHOW.
- SEPT 26-28: BRISTOL TN: 28TH ANNUAL O'REILLY SUPER CHEVY SHOW.
- SEPT 26 & 27: LEBANON TN: REDNECK RUMBLE DELUXE III.
- SEPT 27: COLLEGE GROVE TN: COLLEGE GROVE LIONS CLUB PRESENTS 3RD ANNUAL "CRUISIN THE GROVE" MOTORSPORTS EXPO.
- SEPT 27TH: LEBANON TN: 3RD ANNUAL REDNECK RUMBLE SHOW
- SEPT 27: ASHLAND CITY TN: ASHLAND CITY "POKER RUN" HOSTED BY MILD & WILD KUSTOMS CLUB
- SEPT 27: PULASKI TN: 25TH ANNIVERSARY P.A.C.E. CAR CLUB ANTIQUE CAR SHOW.
- OCT 4TH: LYNCHBURG TN: "CRUISIN THE HOLLOW" EVENT HOSTED BY THE WHISKEY RUNNERS CAR CLUB
- OCT 10-12: TAMPA FL: NSRA SOUTHEAST NATIONALS
- OCT 11: HOUSTON COUNTY TN: CAR SHOW SPONSORED BY LIONS CLUB AT H C MIDDLE SCHOOL
- OCT 17-19: BOWLING GREEN KY: 1ST ANNUAL GOODGUYS NOSTALGIA NATIONALS
- OCT 17-18: SEVIERVILLE TN: FALL EDITION OF 2008 CORVETTE EXPO & HOT RODS & HORSEPOWER
- OCT 18: FRANKLIN TN: 19TH ANNUAL ANTIQUE & CLASSIC CAR SHOW HOSTED BY BATTLEFIELD AACA
- OCT 24-26: CHARLOTTE NC: 15TH ANNUAL GOODGUYS SOUTHEASTERN NATIONALS
- NOV 3-8: PANAMA CITY FL: EMERALD COAST CRUIZIN 2008
- NOV 27-30: DAYTONA FL: 35TH ANNUAL DAYTONA TURKEY RUN.

"WAY COOL STUFF TO DO".
THE NEW STUFF IS LISTED IN ITALIC'S

JULY 2008:

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- *JULY 5: JAMESTOWN KY: LAKEFEST CAR SHOW. OPEN TO ANTIQUE VEHICLES(NO STREET RODS PLEASE). SHOW HAPPENS RAIN OR SHINE. LOT OF ACTIVITIES GOING ON AS PART OF LAKEFEST. FOR MORE INFO CALL 270-343-4388.*
- *JULY 6: CLARKSVILLE TN: 5TH ANNUAL CAR, TRUCK & MOTORCYCLE SHOW AT THE HOOTER OF CLARKSVILLE. 1ST, 2ND & 3RD PLACE AWARDS IN ALL CLASSES. SPONSORED BY HOOTERS & BUDWEISER OF CLARKSVILLE. BIKINI CONTEST AND MORE!! FOR MORE INFO CALL 931-920-8400*
- *JULY 11-13: COLUMBUS OH: 11TH ANNUAL GOODGUYS PPG NATIONALS. TO BE HELD AGAIN THIS YEAR AT THE OHIO EXPO CENTER. OPEN TO ALL RIDES THRU 1972. FOR MORE INFO CALL 925-838-9876 OR GO TO www.good-guys.com*
- *JULY 12: WAVERLY TN: 23RD ANNUAL POOR BOYS OPEN CAR & TRUCK SHOW. 52 CLASSES. LOTS OF SPECIAL AWARDS. SHOW WILL BE HELD AT WAVERLY HIGH SCHOOL ON HWY 70 WEST. CALL 931-582-3940 OR HENRY AT 931-582-3038.*
- *JULY 12: CEDAR HILL TN: 5TH ANNUAL CAR & BIKE SHOW HOSTED BY THE ROBERTSON COUNTY RESCUE SQUAD. EVENT WILL TAKE PLACE AT JO BRYNS ELEMENTARY SCHOOL. DASH PLAQUES TO THE FIRST 50 ENTIRES. FOR MORE INFO CALL 615-415-7144 OR E-MAIL rctsandfd@aol.com.*
- *JULY 12: ATHENS-DECATUR AL: 21ST ANNUAL GREATER TENNESSEE VALLEY ANTIQUE CAR SHOW. SHOW IS BEING HELD AT THE DELPHI SAGINAW PLANTS ON HWY 31 SOUTH IN ATHENS-DECATUR AL. OPEN TO CARS THROUGH 1983, AMERICAN TRUCKS THROUGH 1983 AND ALL YEARS OF CORVETTES. FIRST 500 ENTRIES GET A FREE T-SHIRT & DASH PLAQUE. UNBELIVABLE DOOR PRIZES TO BE GIVEV OUT AGAIN THIS YEAR. 2 350 CHEVY ENGINES, SET OF CHROME WHEELS TV'S, TOOLS AND MORE!!! FOR MORE INFO CALL 256-303-4762. **THIS IS GEARHEAD GAZZETTE PICK SHOW.***
- *JULY 12-13: BUCHANAN TN: TOP GUN SHOW SERIES PRESENTS AN OPEN SHOW AT PARIS LANDING STATE PARK. DASH PLAQUES TO THE FIRST 100 ENTRIES. TOP 100 AWARDS PLUS 6FT TOP GUN AWARD. LOTS OF SHADE. LOST OF FAMILY ACTIVITES TO DO. FOR MORE INFO GO TO www.topguncarshows.com*
- *JULY 13: MURFRESSBORO TN: CRUISE IN AT THE BELK DEPT STORE AT THE AVENUES MALL. LOCATED AT 2615 MEDICAL CENTER PKWY. STARTS AT 12PM AND GOES TO ?? MUSIC, GAMES, FOOD , SPECIAL PROMOTIONS FOR PARTICIPANTS. FOR MORE INFO CALL 615-896-5003 ext 201 OR ext 211.*
- *JULY 17-20: BOWLING GREEN KY: 27TH ANNUAL CORVETTE HOMECOMING. BEING HELD AT THE SLOAN CONVENTION CENTER LOCATED AT 1021 WILKINSON TRACE. SWAP MEET & ARTS & CRAFTS SHOW. LADIES VENDORS. FOR SALE CAR CORRAL. CORVETTE SHOW & SHINE. VETTETASTIC AUCTION & MUCH MORE. FOR MORE INFO CALL 270-791-2117 OR GO TO www.corvettehcoming.com*
- *JULY 18: LEBANON TN: FRIDAY NITE DRAG RACING AT NASHVILLE SUPERSPEEDWAY. FOR MORE INFO CALL 1-866-RACE-TIX OR 615-547-7210.*
- *JULY 19: LAWRENCEBURG TN: 30TH ANNUAL CAR & TRUCK SHOW & FLEA MARKET. BEING HELD IN THE ROTARY PARK ON NORTH MILITARY AVE. ALL PROCEEDS GO TO LAWRENCE CO VOL. FIRE DEPT.. 44 CLASSES AND SPECIALTY AWARDS. DASH PLAQUES TO FIRST 125 ENTIRES. FOR MORE INFO CALL 931-964-3658 OR GO TO www.lcccc.com*
- *JULY 19: FLORENCE AL: W.C. HANDY FESTIVAL CAR SHOW. TO BE HELD IN WILSON PARK DOWNTOWN. DASH PLAQUES TO THE 1ST 100 ENTRIES. FOR MORE INFO CALL 256-383-9478 OR GO TO www.shoalscarandtruckclub.com*
- *JULY 25: LEBANON TN: FRIDAY NITE DRAG RACING AT NASHVILLE SUPERSPEEDWAY. FOR MORE INFO CALL 1-866-RACE-TIX OR 615-547-7210.*

- JULY 25TH & 27TH: SOMERSET KY: POWERCRUISE. ROLLING CAR SHOW THAT STARTS FROM 4 DIFFERENT AREA'S(NASHVILLE IS 1 PLACE). FREE- NO COST!!! For more info & directions call 800-642-6287 or go to www.somernitescruise.com
- JULY 26TH: LAVERGNE TN: ANNUAL DARE / ROTARY CAR SHOW SPONSERED BY TIRE WORLD. SHOW HAPPENS AT VETERANS MEMORIAL PARK FROM 9AM-3PM. DOOR PRIZES. BIG FOOT, WAYLONS GENERAL LEE & YMCA KIDS AREA TO BE THERE. FOR MORE INFO CALL 615-459-4145 OR E-MAIL TO BAKER@RABON.NET.
- JULY 26TH: ASHLAND CITY TN: ASHLAND CITY "POKER RUN". HOSTED BY MILD & WILD KUSTOM CAR & TRUCK CLUB. HOSTED AT HARDEES LOCATED ON SOUTH MAIN ST. FOR MORE INFO CALL 615-818-3138
- JULY 26: FRANKLIN TN: **SOMERNITES POWER CRUISE INFO: Info From Jim Lowe who is organizing this Cruise up to SOMERNITES Cruise.** Somerset pulled out of a starting spot in Nashville because of problems with Opry Mills/Gaylord ...However I am "unofficially" organizing a Cruise from Cool Springs Galleria.. Sears lower parking lot..
*We will leave promptly at 7:00 am on Saturday July 26..... We will travel at a cruise speed of 55-60 mph for the folks with the higher gears in the rear....or trailered vehicles...That was what made our cruise so successful last year !!...Every one going should be Gassed and ready to go at 7:00 a.m. sharp.
 It is a 3.5 hr drive and a 1 hr time change. The show starts at 2:00 pm but we need the time to get in line...@ 1500 cars were there last year so the lines are long..The distance to Somerset is just over 200 miles so people who need gas will exit & get fuel and should be able to catch back up to us. We will have people in the front,back and middle and a truck with tools/gas can (aka Jimmys Garage truck)...The lead cars will all communicate and if needed will stop and help with any trouble along the way...I stopped about 5 times last year and everyone of the 120 plus cars that started made it to Somerset including the 4 that missed the exit...LOL...
 We will leave the parking lot at 7:00 a.m. on Saturday July 26 with a few cars or a lot of cars... It is up to us to get the word out...I'm hitting the local shows hard the next few weeks and telling everyone I know with a car.... I am talking with some folks in Hendersonville and they have expressed interest in hooking up with us as we pass by..... There were several from that area who cruised with us last year.*
- The cruise route is: I-65 north thru Bowling Green right on Exit 42..Cumberland PKWY..Cumberland Pkwy ends in Somerset @ 99 miles from 1-65... There are 2 or 3 exits along the Pkwy for a gas -n-go **THIS IS GEARHEAD GAZZETTE PICK SHOW.**

AUGUST 2008:

- AUG 9: MANCHESTER TN: 16TH ANNUAL FABULOUS FORDS FOREVER ALL FORD SHOW. SPONSERED BY THE ROGERS GROUP & AL WHITE FORD. CELEBRATING 100TH ANNIVERSARY OF THE MODEL T. SHOW BEING HELD AT THE COUNTY ADMINISTRATIVE PLAZA IN MANCHESTER TN. SORRY NO CONTACT INFO PROVIDED.
- AUG 15: LEBANON TN: FRIDAY NITE DRAG RACING AT NASHVILLE SUPERSPEEDWAY. FOR MORE INFO CALL 1-866-RACE-TIX OR 615-547-7210.
- AUG 17: LEBANON TN: WILSON COUNTY FAIR CAR SHOW. FOR MORE INFO CONTACT GLENN AT 615-444-7315 OR E-MAIL TO glenn@midtennaaca.org .
- AUG 17: DECATUR AL: 2ND ANNUAL SOUTHSIDE BAPTIST CHURCH CAR SHOW AND BLOCK PARTY. FOR MORE INFO CONTACT JUSTIN AT 256-466-3443OR E-MAIL TO decaturmopars@gmail.com .
- AUG 23: ARDMORE AL: 8TH ANNUAL ARDMORE CAR SHOW. SHOW TO BE HELD AT 30515 ARDMORE RIDGE RD IN THE JOHN BARNES MEMORIAL PARK. SHOW WILL RUN FROM 10AM - 4PM. SHOW IS HOSTED BY THE ARDMORE QUARTERBACK CLUB & LANDERS McLARTY TEAM TOYOTA. OVER \$3000 IN GRAND PRIZE & DOOR PRIZES(NO JUNK OR PLANTS). 50/50 DRAWING(LAST YEARS WINNER TOOK HOME \$1500). LOTS OF AWARDS WITH TOP 5 IN EACH CLASS PLUS SPECIAL AWARDS. PLENTY OF SHADE, FOOD & FUN AT THIS SHOW. 450 ENTIRES IN 2007. CHANCE TO WIN A NEW 2008 TOYOTA. FOR MORE INFO CALL RODNEY 205-908-2677 OR E-MAIL TO rwilloughby@carolinahandling.com **THIS IS GEARHEAD GAZZETTE PICK SHOW.**

- AUG 23-25: EVANSVILLE IN: 34TH ANNUAL FROG FOLLIES. PRE-49 CARS ONLY. NO TRAILERED CARS WILL BE PERMITTED ON SHOW SITE. GIVEAWAY THIS YEAR IS A 1934 FORD. LOT OF EVENTS WITHIN THE EVENT. A WHOLE LOT OF FUN FOR A LITTLE \$\$\$\$. FOR MORE INFO GO TO www.frogfollies.org OR CALL 812-428-FROG **THIS IS GEARHEAD GAZZETTE PICK SHOW.**
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- SEPT 5 & 6: RED BOILING SPRINGS TN: 52ND FALL MEET. FOR MORE INFO CONTACT GLENN AT 615-444-7315 OR E-MAIL TO glenn@midtennaaca.org .
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