

WOODSIDE AUTOMOTIVE GROUP

NEWSLETTER NO. 1

DECEMBER, 2016

The monthly meeting of the Woodside Automotive Group (former working title: *Woodside Car Club*) was held at 3:00 PM Monday, December 5, 2016, at the **Ridgecrest Coffee Bar** in the Village at Woodside. The following were present:

Hal Lang	Woodside Plantation Drive
Nick Kennedy	Laurel Oak Drive
Scott Roth	Forest Pines Road
Rich Koblin	W. Pleasant Colony Road
Joe Drolz	White Cedar Way
Bruce Jones	Lady Banks Road

Our next meeting will be Sunday, January 8, 2017. We will meet at **Ridgecrest** at 2:30 PM, and travel from there to the **Iron Horse Bar & Grill**, 2510 Storm Branch Road, Beech Island, SC. Iron Horse is a private club, with a \$2.00 per day "membership" fee. We understand they have an excellent menu.

Preliminary planning is underway for our first-ever Road Rally. At this time, we are planning a route which will cover much of Woodside. Hal and Bruce will get together sometime before the January meeting so that we may provide particulars to those interested.

It seems that neither the Rolls Royce/MTU engine plant nor the local Autoneum facility have any interest in allowing tours of their operations. Evidently, our best bet as a group, if our members are interested in

something car-related, will be to wait until the retooling effort is completed at **BMW** in Spartanburg, and they resume guided tours of their factory and museum. Will advise!

Upcoming local and national events:

Saturday, December 10, 2016: **Cruise-in and toy drive**, Woodberry Plaza, Highway 1 (Augusta Road), West Columbia, SC. 12-5 PM.

Saturday, January 7, 2017: **Cars and Coffee**, Columbia County Exhibition Center, Augusta, GA. 8-11 AM.

Saturday, January 7, 2017: **Aiken Horsepower Association** monthly cruise-in, Home Depot parking lot, 1785 Whiskey Road, Aiken. Donations and 50/50 raffle benefit the Cumbee Center for Abused Persons in Aiken. 2-4 PM, rain date Sunday 1/7/17.

Monday, January 9, 2017: **Aiken Horsepower Association** monthly meeting. Shanes's Rib Shack, 2645 Whiskey Road, Aiken. New members always welcome. Dinner off the menu at 6, meeting 7-8 PM.

April 6 to 9, 2017: **Hornets' Nest AACA Spring Meet** at the Charlotte AutoFair, Charlotte Motor Speedway, 5555 Concord Parkway South, Concord, NC. Major national car show and swap meet.



A few photos from car shows in Aiken and Augusta, Summer and Fall, 2016.
Happy Holidays!