

12/02/23

### **WACO Family and Friends;**

It sounds like the Hobo Happening was a very good show with a lot of WACO members in attendance. I was told that there were around 250 cars there.

Our next monthly meeting will be held on Wednesday January 10<sup>th</sup>, 2024 to get it away from all of the holiday parties.

**Do not forget to bring your show and tell item for the meeting.**

**No regular meeting in December. Just the Christmas party Dec. 16!**

Please bring your **Chevelle Raffle ticket** sales money or tickets to the January meeting so that David Hime can get things turned in. At the January meeting we will talk about any time that may be still left for additional sales.

**We have the best party of the year coming up shortly so please put the Christmas party on your list of events to attend. December 16<sup>th</sup> 5:00 pm.**

We would like as many people as possible to confirm if they will be attending the party. Also please let us know how many kids you will be bringing and their ages so we can plan on appropriate presents. E-,ail or call any WACO officer to let them know. See below.

Kevin shared that our upcoming Christmas Party would be held at Mike's, 11400 E Douglas. Mike's garage is available on Dec. 16 so the club voted to use that date. **Dec. 16, 2023 at 5 PM will be our Christmas Party at Mike's garage.**

Jack said he would smoke a ham and a turkey. Kevin Clark will do meatballs and sausages. Mike Howell will provide pulled pork.

It was also suggested that we keep a running **list of who is bringing what sides** so that we end up with a good variety. Please call or e-mail one of the officers if you get the chance.

As far as I know so far we have: Cheesy hash browns, Green bean casserole, pop, water, and a dessert.

This is a BYOB event if you would like to bring an adult beverage of some kind.

In case we are short on chairs you might go ahead and bring your car show chairs in your trunk in case they are needed. Or any nice folding chairs.

We will also have our traditional gift exchange. Bring a gift and get a gift, only if you want to participate in that part. Nothing very expensive, it's just for fun.

Kevin suggested that if you do receive a gift that you do not need or want, then donate it to the club so we can give it away at the Regionals in 2024.

Becky, Jack and Teresa have volunteered to purchase gifts for the games and also the kid's gifts.

We do have fun activities planned for the party. You can win all kinds of great gifts ☺ and have fun doing it.

Mike will also need help in getting the garage set up and decorated for the event. Anyone willing to help with any of these things should contact Kevin or Mike. The set up time will be that Saturday morning at 10:00 am.

When you arrive at the party, please do not park in the driveway. We are going to try and reserve that area for those who need to park close for easier wheel chair access or walkers or other type of handicap.

Cars for Charity Show is just around the corner. If you are going to enter your car then you better do it now. We have several members that plan on entering their cars. Contact Doug for more information.

Matt gave an update on his coozies. He said he has made 174 of them in 3 different colors. We may be giving some of these out at the Christmas party or selling them at the party. I am not sure which.

**The personalized tags that Matt is offering would make great Christmas Presents for someone! Personalize the tag with the year that you want. Only \$10.00 at this time.**

If you are wanting to buy a WACO license tag for the front of your Chevelle, please get hold of Matt Endsley 316-207-9538 and let him know the year of your Chevelle so that he can customize the tag for your car. He is selling these tags to members for only \$10.00 each. He will be selling other customized tags at the Regionals next year for \$20.00, so get yours now. See attached example below, they will be like the color ones.



**DO NOT FORGET YOUR SHOW N TELL ITEM AT THE NEXT MEETING!!.**

We are doing good on selling the grill raffle tickets. We have sold enough tickets to pay for the grill so more sales will be profit for WACO.

We will have tickets at the WACO Christmas party.

**V-8 BBQ Grill Raffle.** We are now selling raffle tickets for someone to win a beautiful V-8 looking gas grill. We have the grill and will be selling tickets at the next meeting and WACO Luncheon.

If members will help sell the tickets or at least buy some then we be successful. We raffled one off in the past and did real good raising money for the club. The tickets will only be \$1.00 each or 6 tickets for \$5.00.

The grill costs around \$550.00 so it is a sizeable investment by WACO. Plus we have to buy the raffle tickets. They may cost around another \$100 plus the fliers. We have around \$700.00 invested.



Please send me information to put in the “WACO Update”. As you can tell most of this stuff I make up myself except for the minutes which are always good for more information. Even jokes from Doug are acceptable. ☺

We have a fine group of gentlemen working on putting together the **Midwest Chevelle Regionals 2024** here in Wichita. If you have any suggestions please let Kevin Clark, Bob Cox or David Hime know about them. They are making good progress in most areas but can use all of the help and suggestions that they can get.

### **WACO Events-**

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### **WACO Luncheon –**

**CAR SHOWS:** follow one of the following links.

<https://www.audacy.com/keyn/events>

<http://www.mulvanemarauders.com/index2.cfm>

**SWAP MEETS:** Please let me know if you hear of more swap meets that I need to list.

### **CRUISES:**

### **Needed or For Sale items:**

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I am – You are, “We the People”

Today is the most important day of your life.

In God We Trust

Never Forget

Let it go!