



**March 2020**

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### ***President's Corner***

Dear Rain Soaked Cruisers,

Cruise-In Season is finally upon us. We hope the rain subsides soon. V/P Bill has all the arrangements sorted for our first Cruise of the year on March 21st. Same time - same place, The Mill in Villa Rica, set up begins at 3:30. Danny Davis will be our host as usual. We need a good turnout from the membership to help handle all the little jobs necessary to a successful cruise-in. The larger the turnout from members, the more we can spread the workload.

At last month's meeting the membership voted on our 2020 budget and chose our charities for this year. Villa Rica Shop With A Cop, Rapha Clinic, and The Fullerville Mission were again chosen as our recipients.

Having more cash on hand than the club typically carries, it was decided to donate an additional \$2,000 to The Fullerville Mission since their donation from GCC for last year was only \$1,000. Wayne Shelton, from The Mission, will attend our March Meeting to accept the check and tell us more about the work the Mission accomplishes in the Villa Rica area. Let's have a good attendance at the meeting to meet Wayne and learn more about how our donation helps our community.

Bill Roberts, Don Reed and I made the first of two trips to Sam's Club we'll make this year to support the Pantry at Villa Rica High

School. Tameka Cheely was ecstatic over the food we took her. The cupboard was pretty thin when we arrived. V/P Bill will have more to report on this at the meeting. Our next supply trip will most likely be in August when school is ready to begin again.

At our April Meeting, Barbara Daniell will attend our meeting to tell us about the program she works with called "In His Hands". This program provides bag lunches for needy children in the summer time while school is out.

I have some sad news to report. Huberto Melendez owner/operator of Los Cowboys Mexican Restaurant passed away on the 24th of February. Los Cowboys has been a sponsor of the GCC for the past few years. Our thoughts and prayers go out to Huberto's family and friends.

And this may be your final announcement of an upcoming mountain trip to ride the rails with fellow Club members. GCC members Charles and Lynn Norris have planned a car club trip to Blue Ridge, Georgia on April 24th and 25th. Charles is the president of our sister club, the GA/Al Region AACAA, based in the LaGrange and Columbus area. This will be a great two-day trip. We'll ride the Blue Ridge Scenic Railway along the Toccoa River. We'll start out in Georgia and just cross the border into Tennessee. Charles and Lynn have a great room rate at the Comfort Inn in Blue Ridge. You can review the attachments below for more information. Contact the Norris' if you have any questions.

The meeting is March 3rd at The Olive Tree in Villa Rica. Dinner at 6PM, and the meeting starts promptly at 7PM. Print out an agenda so you can follow along at the meeting.

Happy Motoring, Rick Horne

## **Vice President**

Here we are starting a new year of cruising. I hope everyone has their classic car or truck shined up and ready to go. I would like to start off by thanking everyone in advance for their support and help during the cruise-ins, and all other club events this year.

Last year we brought the club member's cars back into the cruise-in parking lot with limitations on the parking spaces. This year club members can again park in the cruise-in parking lot with no limitations on where they park. I would ask club members to first fill up the parking spaces between the inland and the roadway. This is helpful because if we need to double park cars along the roadway, we will not be blocking guest cars.

This year we are going to try something new with the cake walk. Instead of cakes, it is going to be a merchandise walk. So, there is no need for club members to supply any cakes this year. Walkers will win something like gift cards, or other car related items.

There will be no cruise-in set up list for this year. It is the responsibility of all club members to attend the club's cruise-in and help with setting up the equipment, and loading the trailer back up at the end of the night, along with helping during the cruise. I sincerely hope that you all will respond when you can, and we can all work as a team to host the best cruise-in in the area!

*Bill Roberts*

## **Secretary/Treasurer**

The minutes of our February 4th meeting are attached to this newsletter. Please let me know if you have any questions.

I have also attached a copy of our Club Roster. Would you **please review your information**

**and send me any corrections.** I know that several of you have changed your fleet again and we need to make those changes, as well as phone numbers, etc. Just click my email link in the Roster to send me an email with your information. See you on the 3rd!

*Raylene Carroll*

## **Sponsorship**

Merry March Cruisers!

So much to look forward to this month...Saint Patrick's Day, first day of Spring, and our first Cruise-In of 2020, March 21st!

Our Sponsors up for renewal this month are:

Los Cowboys Mexican Restaurant- Danny Davis  
The Lazy Donkey - Danny Davis  
Thornton Chevrolet - Nick Ware  
Olive Tree Restaurant - Danny Davis  
Hearn Monument - Danny Davis  
Haney's Drug Center - Donald Threadgill  
Liberty Chevrolet, "In- Kind" - Danny Davis  
Hyde Hauling - Danny Davis  
Chat & Chew - Danny Davis

We have several still unpaid :

Quality Coating Supply - Rick Horne  
Young's Bar-be-Que - Danny Davis  
Goldmine Tires & Wheels - Danny Davis  
Walmart, Villa Rica - Danny Davis  
West Ga Diesel and Auto Repair - Gene Duke  
A Sweet Taste of Summer - Don Edwards  
Wrightway Wings - Don Edwards  
Auto Zone, Carrollton, "In-Kind" - Danny Davis

Main Attraction Hair Salon has paid. Thank you Danny Davis.

We can see above that we need to get busy, our Sponsors are our life blood.

Looking forward to seeing you all at the March meeting, March 3rd!

*Cherrie Glover* 😊🍒

## **Birthdays & Anniversaries**

### **Happy Birthday to:**

Billy Glover	3/20
Dave Kopp	3/19
John Ranero	3/19

## Happy Anniversary to:

Danny & Yvonne Davis	3/2
Mike & Jeannette Prator	3/19
Don & Carolyn Reed	3/19

## Area Car Events:

For further details on these shows and more, refer to "Ragtops and Runningboards", or refer to websites like <http://southeastwheelsevents.com/> or <http://www.carshowfinder.org/index.php> or <https://www.facebook.com/groups/GeorgiaCruiseInsAndCarShows/>

### Car Events:

March 28, Cartersville - 3rd Annual Car Show to benefit The Hope Center. 100 Market Place Blvd. 10-2pm. Info: 770-608-8350.

March 27-28, Perry – Perry Auto Fest, Car Show & Swap Meet, the Georgia National Fair Grounds. Info: 478-662-2267

March 28, Marietta - 26th Annual Ga. Street Rod Association's Spring Fever Show & Swap Meet at Jim R Miller Park, 2245 Callaway Rd, 8-3 pm. Info: 956-371-1937.

March 28, Ranburne, Al. - RHS Bulldog Band 2020 Car Show, 21045 Main St., 9-2 pm. Info: 256-568-3402

March 28, Rome - American Legion Post 5 Swap Meet, Car Show & Flea Market, 5 Shorter Ave., 9-2 pm. Info: 706-676-4462.

### Cruise Ins:

First Sunday, Dunwoody – "Caffeine and Octane" at Perimeter Mall, 7 – 11am. Info: 404-713-9225

3rd Saturday, Villa Rica - Golden City Cruisers, The Mill Amphitheater, Downtown Villa Rica, 5-8 pm.

4<sup>th</sup> Friday, Cedartown – Downtown. Info: 770-546-8965

4th Saturday, Dallas – Georgia Classic Rides, New Courthouse, 240 Constitution Blvd. Info: 404-401-5653.

1st, 3rd, 5th Friday, Powder Springs – Zaxbys, 4410 Brownsville Rd. Info: 770-943-2634

Last Saturday, Lithia Springs – "Classic Cars and Coffee", Streetside Classics, 9-12 pm. Info: 678-279-1609.

(Please check before assuming these are accurate.)

*Compiled by Yvonne Davis*

## Our Next Meeting

Our next meeting is Tuesday, March 3rd, at The Olive Tree restaurant in Villa Rica. Please plan to arrive no later than 6:00 pm if you are eating. The meeting will begin at 7:00 pm. It will sneak up on you, so put it on your calendar! Please come show your support for our guest speaker, Wayne Shelton.



## Welcome

A special welcome goes to Michael and Sharon Fichera, who joined the Club at the last meeting. Sharon is the sister of member Mike Russo. The Fichers's have a 2004 Commemorative Edition Corvette convertible. Welcome folks!

## Smile

A very old man and a young woman, who had never met before, found themselves assigned to the same sleeping room on a transcontinental train.

Though initially embarrassed and uneasy over sharing a room, the two retired and fell asleep quickly, he in the upper bunk and she in the lower.

At 1:00 a.m., he leans over and gently wakes the woman saying, "I'm sorry to bother you, but would you be willing to reach into the cupboard to get me a second blanket? I'm awfully cold."

"I have a better idea," she replies. "Just for tonight, let's pretend that we're married."

"Wow! That's a great idea!!" he exclaims.

"Good," she replies. "Get your own damned blanket!"



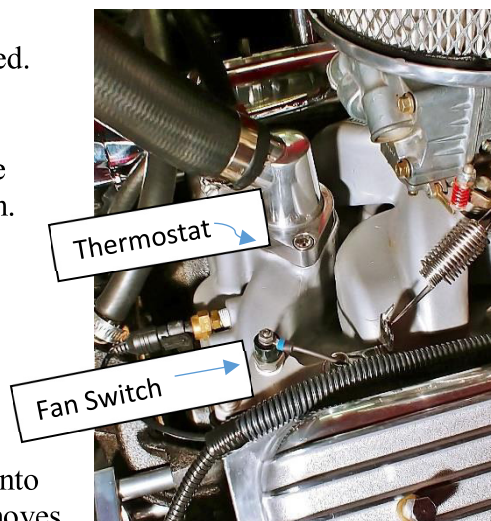
# ***Pulse Width Modulated Fan Control - What???***

***(by Nick Ware)***

How many times have you been in a parade, or your best friend pulls up beside you, or a car comes through the cruise-in...and all you can hear is an electric fan ROARING like a tornado? It may have been Lynn's '52 Chevy that you heard coming! Electric fans are often the solution to overheating problems, especially at low vehicle speeds, like a creeping parade. And the classic way to connect an electric fan is through a temperature switch in the water jacket somewhere.

When the water in the engine reaches 180 degrees or so, the temperature switch closes, and the radiator fan comes on full speed. At the same time, the water in the radiator begins to cool rapidly, sending cooler water into the engine. It circulates into the water jackets of the engine, where the fan temperature switch senses the cooler water and turns off the fan...back and forth, back and forth.

Somewhat independent of the fan turning on and off, the engine thermostat is opening and closing. It is desperately trying to regulate a constant engine temperature, by holding the water in the engine, or releasing it to the radiator. And all the time, the water coming into the engine is constantly changing. If you have a typical electric fan set up on your classic car, you have seen this in the temperature gauge. The temperature starts to get into the hot range, then the fan ROAR starts, the temperature gauge moves down 10-20 degrees, the fan turns off, and then it starts all over again.

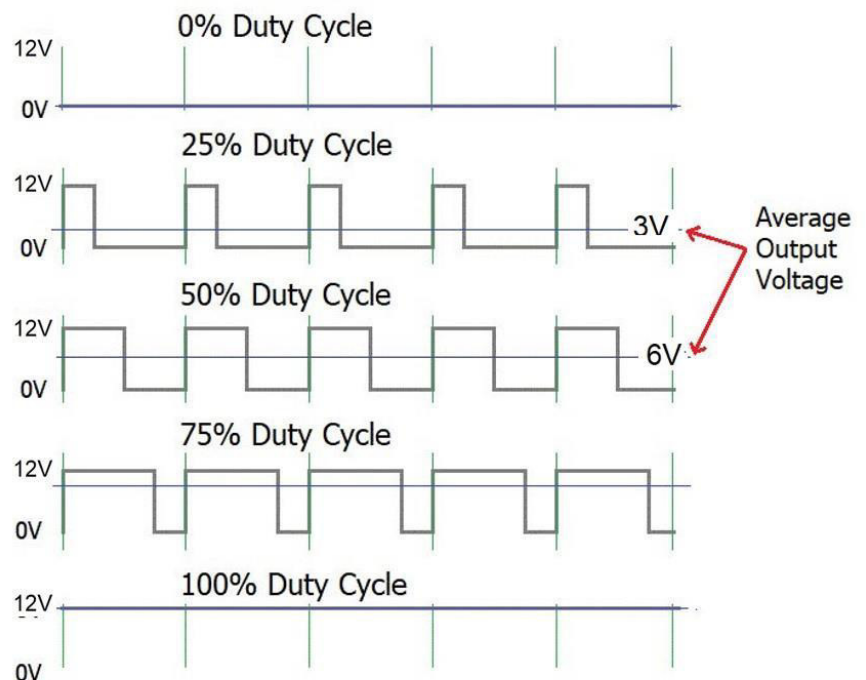


If you have bought a new car recently, you know that an electric engine fan is standard equipment. But you probably have not heard the cycling typhoon roar of the fan. The reason is that car manufacturers don't switch their fans to high speed and back to off, like many of us old car guys do. Why not? Well for one thing, turning on and off a heavy duty fan motor causes a huge in-rush of current, shocking the alternator and the associated wiring and fuse, the alternator belt, and, not to mention, the fan! There are other ways to control the fan. Some systems use a two speed fan and controller. But others use a more elegant solution called a Pulse Width Modulated fan controller.

Like Smucker's jams, with a name like that, it HAS to be good, right? The PWM controller is an electrical geek's dream come true. You probably use one every day. Whenever you operate a light dimmer, you may be using a PWM light controller. In the old days we used to control electric circuits with a rheostat, a simple resistive device that soaked up a part of the energy and converted it to heat, while we enjoyed a dimmed light or a slower motor speed. While very inefficient, it served a purpose while we waited for electronics to catch up with our needs.

Modern electronics can now be used to control an AC circuit by modifying the normal 60 cycle waveform, resulting in more off time and effectively changing the average voltage applied to the device. In the case of our cars and trucks, we are dealing with a DC voltage. Essentially it is always "on" compared to an AC voltage that swings both positive and negative 60 times per second. So the job of the PWM controller is to change that constant 12 volt supply into a series of pulses spaced close together for a high average voltage, and further apart for an average lower voltage. The pulses may occur thousands of times each second! The following figure shows this perhaps better than it can be explained in words. The result is a variable voltage from a constant 12 volt source, enabling infinite control over a fan motor speed. And all of this is virtually without heat or losses like we experienced with old fashioned rheostats.

So now that we know all about Pulse Width Modulation, how can it be used to more accurately control our engine temperatures, and prevent the dreaded ROAR of the fan? Simple. You let the electronic programmers handle the heavy stuff. All we have to do is hook it up. In my case (or I should say Lynn's case) I had several problems I wanted to solve. The first was the ROAR! But the second was probably more important. Each time the fan cut on at full speed, the engine idle would dip momentarily as the alternator grunted against the 30 - 40 amps of inrush current. The serpentine belt would issue a brief chirp followed by the full speed roar of the fan.



The controller I installed is manufactured by a guy named Darryl Dashiell. Darryl goes by [www.autocoolguy.com](http://www.autocoolguy.com) (There are other manufacturers.) I measured the current draw of the fan in Lynn's '52 Chevy truck and found it to be no more than 20 amps, after the initial inrush of current. The PWM I bought is rated at 50 amps. There are several wires to be run for proper control. First, it senses the OUTPUT temperature of the radiator (lower radiator hose) since that is what needs to be controlled for an even cooling of the engine. (What good does it do to know the temperature coming out of the engine? That's too late for proper fan control!) A sensor can be installed in various ways to get this measurement. It also needs to know if you turn on the air conditioner. The fan is then forced to run at a set speed in order to get air flow over the A/C condenser coil. In addition to the heavy fan wires, the controller needs a ground, ignition 12V, and constant 12V to provide the various functions, and a safety bypass switch, so there are several wires to be run. But your old fan relay is discarded.



So how does it work? Start the engine and the fan does not run at all. Wait a while and as the lower radiator outlet starts to warm, the fan slowly starts to speed up. Ideally it wants to regulate the water temperature out of the radiator around 20 degrees below the thermostat rating, or say about 160 degrees. This minimizes the bouncing of the temperature gauge as slugs of cold water enter the hot engine, causing the thermostat to shut down. This is adjustable. Turn on the A/C and the fan ramps up (slowly) to about 60% of full speed, again adjustable. (If the engine gets hotter, the radiator temperature controls the fan to a higher speed.) Shut down a hot engine and the fan runs for an additional 15 to 60 seconds. As of yet, I have never seen the fan run wide open. In short, it is pretty cool to this old electrical geek. Nick.

## **AGENDA – March 3, 2020**

I) Call to Order

II) Pledge of Allegiance

III) Minutes of Last Meeting

IV) Treasurers Report

V) V/P Report

VI) Sponsorship Report

VII) Ailing Members Report

VIII) Unfinished Business

a) Villa Rica High School Pantry Donation- Bill Roberts

IX) New Business

a) Wayne Shelton from The Fullerville Mission

b) Bill Roberts March Cruise-In

X) Adjournment and Social Time

**PLEASE PRINT A COPY AND BRING TO THE MEETING ON THE 3rd!**

# GOLDEN CITY CRUISERS

## MONTHLY FINANCIAL REPORT

### FEBRUARY 2020

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# **Golden City Cruisers Meeting Minutes February 4th, 2020**

President - Rick Horne  
Vice President - Bill Roberts  
Treasurer - Don Reed  
Secretary - Raylene Carroll  
Sponsorship - Cherrie Glover  
Immediate Past President - Danny Davis

Meeting held at The Olive Tree, Villa Rica, Georgia 02/04/2020 7:00PM

## Attending the Meeting:

Billy & Cherrie Glover	Nick & Lynn Ware
Darrell & Karen Smith	Michael Valentine
Bill & Lela Roberts	Rick & Liz Horne
Don Reed	Victor & Raylene Carroll
Mike Russo	Domel Harris
Gary & Sandra Mills	Guests – Ray Baker, Michael Fichera

I Call to Order  
Rick Horne

II Pledge of Allegiance  
Liz Horne

III. Minutes of last meeting  
A motion was made and seconded to accept the minutes as published in the newsletter. Vote was unanimous.

IV Treasurer's Report  
A motion was made and seconded to accept the treasurer's report as published in the newsletter. Vote was unanimous.

V V/P report:  
Bill Roberts – Cruise-In's will begin in March.

VI Sponsorship report:  
Cherrie reported the month of February sponsors up for renewal:  
Quality Coating Supply  
Gold Mine Tires & Wheels  
Wal-Mart  
West GA Diesel  
Auto Zone, Carrollton, "in Kind Sponsor" – Danny Davis (Table until next meeting)

## Sponsors Not Yet Renewed

Young's Barbeque, January 2020 – Danny Davis  
Wright Way Wings, December 2019 – Don Edwards  
Main Attraction Hair Salon, December 2019 – Danny Davis  
Let's all become a recruiter, it cannot be said enough how much we depend of our sponsors.

VII Ailing Members Report:  
Michael Valentine is feeling a little better, so remember to keep him in your prayers.



VIII Old Business Reports on:

Potential Sponsorship of “In His Hands” Program (Barbara Daniell)

Barbara was unable to attend the February meeting. Club agreed to ask her back for our April Meeting.

Proposed Budget for 2020 presented based on previous donations. Moved & seconded to accept budget proposal for 2020.

Board proposed we donate additions \$2,000 to Fullerville Mission. Fullerville gives to the needy and they are a small charity. Moved & seconded to give \$2,000 more to Fullerville Mission.

Picnic at McIntosh Reserve – Need confirmation date from Paul Debick

IX New Business:

New member application, Michael & Sharon Fichera. Sharon is Debby Russo’s sister. The motion for approval was unanimous.

Preparation for March Cruise-In

Article for Newspaper on the Golden City Cruisers to include:

History of what we do for Villa Rica, Articles on Donations to Charities, Pictures from Car Show, etc.

X Adjournment

# Golden City Cruisers Membership List

2020 Member Name & Address	Telephone	E-Mail	Birthday & Anniversary	Vehicles
<b>Belk, Beverly</b> 1647 N. County Line Road Lithia Springs, GA 30122	H-770-489-4883 C-404-861-6953		Beverly 9/4	1953 Hudson Hornet
<b>Busby, Steve &amp; Virginia</b> 105 Foggy Bottom Dr. Carrollton, GA 30116	H-770-834-3072	<a href="mailto:svbusby@bellsouth.net">svbusby@bellsouth.net</a>	Steve 4/10 Virginia 10/19 A 6/6	
<b>Carroll, Victor &amp; Raylene</b> 50 Fairlawn Dr. Carrollton, GA 30117	H 770-830-7298 V 770-316-0457 R 770-830-7298	<a href="mailto:vcarroll@charter.net">vcarroll@charter.net</a> <a href="mailto:raylenecarroll@me.com">raylenecarroll@me.com</a>	Victor 10/2 Raylene 1/31 A 6/16	2015 Corvette Stingray, Blue, LT1 Auto
<b>Culberson, Lee &amp; Lee</b> 4962 Winterview Lane Douglasville, GA 30135	MR Lee 404-579-8804 MS Lee 678-761-3484	MR Lee <a href="mailto:lee.culberson@ezekiel33.org">lee.culberson@ezekiel33.org</a> . MS Lee <a href="mailto:lee@ezekiel33.org">lee@ezekiel33.org</a>	Lee 4/26 Lee 1/13 A 8/9	1969 Ford Mustang Convertible
<b>Davis, Danny &amp; Yvonne</b> 110 Fawn Drive Villa Rica, GA 30180	H 770-836-0499 D 770-328-9663 Y 770-301-7727	<a href="mailto:dannydavistruck@bellsouth.net">dannydavistruck@bellsouth.net</a>	Danny 8/15 Yvonne 4/13 A 3/2	1965 Chevy Pickup 1955 Chevy Belair
<b>Deal, Bryant</b> 141 Concorde Dr. Villa Rica, GA 30180	H 770-459-2471 C 770—630-4956	<a href="mailto:realdeal141@comcast.net">realdeal141@comcast.net</a>	2/15	2005 Ford Mustang 5.0L GT Red
<b>Debick, Paul</b> 12 Forrest Dr. Carrollton, GA 30117	C 770-712-1704	<a href="mailto:xdiver@bellsouth.net">xdiver@bellsouth.net</a>	8/22	1964-1/2 Ford Mustang Convertible, Caspian Blue, 270cid, Auto
<b>Duke, Gene &amp; Donna</b> 120 Mink Hollow Dr. Carrollton, GA 30116	H 770-832-2732 C 770-337-5794	<a href="mailto:geneduke@outlook.com">geneduke@outlook.com</a> <a href="mailto:DukeDonna4@gmail.com">DukeDonna4@gmail.com</a>	Gene 5/12 Donna 12/4 A 6/15	1989 Chevy Z-24 Cavalier Convertible White
<b>Edwards, Don &amp; Karen</b> P.O. Box 116 Temple GA 30179	D 770-301-6481 K 770 597 6565	<a href="mailto:shortcut1944@aol.com">shortcut1944@aol.com</a>	Don 11/15 Karen 1/18	1963 1/2 Mercury Marauder 1963 Ford Fairlane Sport Coupe 1966 Ford F-100
<b>Engert, George &amp; Carol</b> 546 Safe Harbor Dr. Dallas, GA 30157	G 770-833-0018 C 770-833-3861	<a href="mailto:Gke67@yahoo.com">Gke67@yahoo.com</a> <a href="mailto:Caroleng2013@gmail.com">Caroleng2013@gmail.com</a>	George 10/07 Carol 9/28 A 6/8	1959 Chevy Apache P/U, 6 cyl, 3 spd 1973 Chevy Nova, 350 Mod. V-8, Turbo 1995 Chevy Camaro Z-28, 6 spd 2004 Chevy Corvette, 350 V-8, 6 spd.
<b>Fichera, Michael &amp; Sharon</b> 2304 Larchmont Court Villa Rica, GA 30180	M 561-289-7554 S 561-289-7594	<a href="mailto:mfich5340@gmail.com">mfich5340@gmail.com</a> <a href="mailto:sfichera@att.net">sfichera@att.net</a>	Mike 2/18 Sharon 11/30 A 1/16	2004 Chevy Corvette, Commemorative Edition Blue Convertable
<b>Glover, Billy &amp; Cherrie</b> 270 Lakeview Way Carrollton, GA 30117	C 770-853-1230 B 678-713-1265	<a href="mailto:billyglover@bellsouth.net">billyglover@bellsouth.net</a> <a href="mailto:cgmng@bellsouth.net">cgmng@bellsouth.net</a>	Billy 3/20 Cherrie 12/4 A 9/8	1957 Chevy Belair (Billys) 1990 Mustang GT (Cherrie's)
<b>Harris, Domel</b> 22 Elk Dr. Temple, GA 30179	C 770-312-3418	<a href="mailto:s.domel.harris@gmail.com">s.domel.harris@gmail.com</a>	Domel 8/13	1966 Chevy Chevelle, 327 auto, white
<b>Horne, Rick &amp; Liz</b> 104 Kingsbridge Rd. Carrollton, GA 30117	H 770-836-1879 C 334-221-8727	<a href="mailto:penfix@thesouthernscribe.com">penfix@thesouthernscribe.com</a> <a href="mailto:elizabeth@westgashopper.com">elizabeth@westgashopper.com</a>	Rick 8/1 Liz 4/23 A 10/29	1931 Model A Pick-up, black w/red wheels 1965 Volvo 122 Wagon blue
<b>Kopp, Dave &amp; Sandy</b> 7088 Cedar Place Villa Rica, GA 30180	H 770-830-7828 C 770-380-8782	<a href="mailto:dave7088@bellsouth.net">dave7088@bellsouth.net</a> <a href="mailto:sankopp@bellsouth.net">sankopp@bellsouth.net</a>	Dave 3/19 Sandy 12/17 A 12/23	2014 Corvette conv., red
<b>Kusterer, Rob &amp; Penny</b> 198 Daniel Rd. Villa Rica, GA 30180	R 512-507-1870 P 512-507-1871	<a href="mailto:rjk6434@charter.net">rjk6434@charter.net</a> <a href="mailto:sami0199@charter.net">sami0199@charter.net</a>	Rob 9/8 Penny 11/10 A 6/18	2008 Ford Mustang GT, Calif. Special Edition, 4.6l, 5 spd, Candy apple red
<b>McGhee, Daniel</b> 220 Riviera Dr. Carrollton, GA 30116	H 770-836-1927 C 770-366-8509	<a href="mailto:dmcghee59@att.net">dmcghee59@att.net</a>	7/9	1967 Chevy SS 396 4 speed 2000 Camaro Super Sport
<b>Mills, Gary &amp; Sandra</b> 493 Oberlochen Way Douglasville, GA 30134	G 404-386-9428 S 404-316-4488	<a href="mailto:gedmills50@gmail.com">gedmills50@gmail.com</a> <a href="mailto:gedmills@aol.com">gedmills@aol.com</a>	Gary 7/23 Sandra 2/28 A 5/31	1946 Mercury Sport Coupe, 302, Auto., Brown

<b>Norris, Charles &amp; Lynn</b> 628 S. Oakview Ave. Columbus, OH 31901	C 706-322-0648	<a href="mailto:sethnor@mindspring.com">sethnor@mindspring.com</a> <a href="mailto:lynnenorris@mindspring.com">lynnenorris@mindspring.com</a>	Charles 10/5 Lynn 11/8 A 9/30	1966, Dodge, Charger, 383 V-8, Automatic, Yellow, Factory Stock Original. 1965, Plymouth, Barracuda, 273 V-8 Automatic, Turquoise, Formula S, Factory Stock Original. 1957, Ford, Thunderbird, 312 Y-Block V-8, Automatic, Triple White, Factory Stock Original. 1987/1962, Austin Healy, 3000, Replica, Street Rod, 351W Ford Racing Engine, Four Speed, Black-Gold, Fiberglass Body, Steel Tube Frame, Mustang Suspension
<b>Prator, Mike &amp; Jeannette</b> PO Box 488 Villa Rica, GA 30180	M 678-478-6538 J 678-478-6538	<a href="mailto:anzio1@yahoo.com">anzio1@yahoo.com</a>	Mike 8/13 Jeannette 6/3 A 3/19	2013 Mustang Coupe, black, 3.7 Ti VCT 2005 Harley Davidson, Pearl White, 1450cc 1995 Jaguar XJ-s Conv, black, 4 Liter
<b>Ranero, John J &amp; Jeannette</b> 9004 River Bend Ct. Villa Rica, GA 30180	H 770-456-8914 C 678-472-8189	<a href="mailto:Juanscasa@gmail.com">Juanscasa@gmail.com</a>	John 3/19 Jeannette 11/26 A 1/22	1991 Red Chevy Corvette 350 Auto 2003 Red Chevy Corvette 350 Auto
<b>Reed, Don &amp; Carolyn</b> 134 Ole Hickory Trail Carrollton, GA 30117	H 770-834-4118 C 770-365-4517	<a href="mailto:dlr5542@yahoo.com">dlr5542@yahoo.com</a>	Don 5/5 Carolyn 5/8 A 3/19	1923 Ford T-Bucket 383 Chevy 1955 Chevy BelAir, 350, auto
<b>Reed, Ken &amp; Gloria</b> 292 Happy Hollow Road Villa Rica, GA 30180	H 770-459-9807	<a href="mailto:kittywhisperer7@bellsouth.net">kittywhisperer7@bellsouth.net</a> <a href="mailto:kenoreed@bellsouth.net">kenoreed@bellsouth.net</a>	Ken 6/11 Gloria 11/23 A 2/23	1966 Ford Mustang
<b>Rider, Ethan</b> 6000 Orchard Rd. Douglasville GA. 30135	H 770-836-0116 C 678-488-8976	<a href="mailto:stereo2@gmail.com">stereo2@gmail.com</a>	8/27	1990 Chevy 1500 Pickup
<b>Roberts, Bill &amp; Lela</b> 25 Ray Cole Ext Dallas, GA 30157	H 770-445-4974 B 678-923-6404	<a href="mailto:sr9421@bellsouth.net">sr9421@bellsouth.net</a> <a href="mailto:quilts1955@bellsouth.net">quilts1955@bellsouth.net</a>	Bill 6/19 Lela 6/19 A 6/29	1968 Mustang Fastback 302 auto 1966 Mustang Coupe 289 auto 1969 Plymouth Valiant, 383cid, 727 auto
<b>Roberts, Joel &amp; Ann</b> 7372 Strickland Manor Way Winston, GA 30187	H 770-693-7188 J 732-682-1721	<a href="mailto:joelfroberts@yahoo.com">joelfroberts@yahoo.com</a>	Joel 7/18 Ann 2/27 A 4/7	1954 red Chevy 3100 pickup 1972 Chevy Monte Carlo Custom 1937 Chevy Roadster Cabriolet Red/Blk
<b>Russo, Mike &amp; Debby</b> 2288 Lakeview Pkwy Villa Rica, GA 30180	M 850-694-4333 D 850-879-1888	<a href="mailto:miketally@comcast.net">miketally@comcast.net</a> <a href="mailto:debtally@comcast.net">debtally@comcast.net</a>	Mike 06/24 Debbie 07/25 A 01/03	2017 Corvette Grand Sport Coupe, Longbeach Red Metallic, Spice Red interior 1964 Pontiac GTO convertible, 389 4 speed, black, red interior.
<b>Sanford, Paul &amp; Sheryl</b> 7037 Tara Dr. Villa Rica, GA 30180	H 770-214-9620 C 562-355-3595	<a href="mailto:pasanfo@msn.com">pasanfo@msn.com</a>	Paul 10/8 Sheryl 1/11 A 7/12	1969 Chevy Camaro 350 4 Spd
<b>Smith, Darrell &amp; Karen</b> 36 Lynda Circle Carrollton, GA 30117	H 770-834-3568 C 404-626-9131	<a href="mailto:darrell_smith@bellsouth.net">darrell_smith@bellsouth.net</a> <a href="mailto:ksmith@westga.edu">ksmith@westga.edu</a>	Darrell 7/5 Karen 7/4 A 6/27	1970 AMX 1973, 1982, 2003 Corvette
<b>Swafford, Paulette</b> 110 Berkley Dr Villa Rica, GA 30180	C: 770-459-0089	<a href="mailto:Ps4Him@att.net">Ps4Him@att.net</a>	Paulette 6/22	2002 Harley Road King Trike, purple
<b>Threadgill, Donald &amp; Carolyn</b> 238 N Lakeshore Dr Carrollton, GA 30117	H 770-834-3821 C 770-595-8322	<a href="mailto:dthreadgill@silvey.com">dthreadgill@silvey.com</a>	Donald 4/20 Carolyn 7/25 A 6/11	1964 <sup>1/2</sup> Mustang Coupe 1965 Mustang Convertible 1957 Thunderbird 2007 GT500K Shelby 1965 GT-350 Replica Shelby 1989 Special Service FHP Mustang
<b>Turner, Gail &amp; Dottie</b> 386 Powell Chapel Rd. Villa Rica, GA 30180	C 770-546-4336	<a href="mailto:gail8715@gmail.com">gail8715@gmail.com</a>	Gail 2/17	
<b>Valentine, Michael &amp; Kathleen</b> 117 Reid Plantation Dr. Villa Rica, GA 30180	M 912-977-1803 K 912-977-2198	<a href="mailto:mvalentine0820@gmail.com">mvalentine0820@gmail.com</a> <a href="mailto:valentinek10@gmail.com">valentinek10@gmail.com</a>	Michael 08/20 Kathleen 04/26 A 08/16	2012 Corvette Coupe, Red, LS3, auto.
<b>Ware, Nick &amp; Lynn</b> 6052 Pineknoll Court Villa Rica, GA 30180	H 770-834-7417 L 678-378-5433 N 770-235-8275	<a href="mailto:nickandlynnware@gmail.com">nickandlynnware@gmail.com</a>	Nick 11/18 Lynn 12/13 A 6/22	2008 Corvette Z-51, Convertible, Red 1969 Chevelle SS 396, TH400, Coupe Silver 1969 Chevelle SS 396, 4 spd., Conv. Yellow 1968 Camaro 350, 6 spd., Coupe, Black 1952 Chevy 3100 P/U, 350, auto, Red
2/27/2020				34 Families

## **April Blue Ridge North Georgia Mountain Train Trip**

**Overnight on Friday 4/24 & 4/25**

### **Comfort Inn Blue Ridge –**

**Group rates** - \$119 for King; \$129 for Double Queen (+ 12% tax + \$5/night bed tax)

Everyone is responsible for making their own reservations. In order to get the Group Rate tell them you are with the Georgia – Alabama AACA.

Any rooms remaining in the block will be released on March 24

There are a number of other hotels/motels in Blue Ridge with poor reviews.

### **Train Trip Details**

Starting at the historic depot in downtown Blue Ridge, Georgia, riders take a four-hour, 26-mile roundtrip journey along the Toccoa River through the Chattahoochee National Forest. The first leg of the adventure takes riders on a one hour trip to the quaint sister towns of McCaysville, Georgia and Copperhill, Tennessee, nestled deep in the mountains on each state's line. Passengers enjoy all the towns have to offer during a two-hour layover before taking the one-hour return trip through the scenic forest and back to the depot in Blue Ridge, Georgia.

It appears that train tours depart between 10:30 and 11:00 a.m. (They are closed until March and have not posted 2020 rates so the ticket cost below are for 2019)

General Admission in an Open or Closed Car – **Adult \$45; Senior \$41**

**Special Group Rates are available for 20 people or more with potential to book a whole car. We suggest those who want to go get their tickets as soon as they open for the season in March. We still need to decide whether we want to book a car and/or get a group rate or just get tickets on our own.**

<https://brscenic.com/>

Mileage (State & County Roads) from **Lagrange – 180 miles; from Carrollton – 137 miles; Anniston - 165 miles**

*Charles will be the contact person for the trip – (706) 527-0668.*

## Group Contract as of 1/16/20

### Georgia Alabama AACA



#### Comfort Inn & Suites

83 Blue Ridge Overlook  
Blue Ridge, GA 30513  
(706) 946-3333  
(706) 946-6337  
GM.GA535@choicehotels.com

### Contract Information

Group Name: Georgia Alabama AACA	Group Account: 3977274
Arrival Date: Friday, April 24, 2020	
Departure Date: Sunday, April 26, 2020	
Fixed Cut Off Date: Tuesday, March 24, 2020	
Company Name:	Group Contact: Norris, Lynn
Address:	Email: <a href="mailto:lynnenorris@mindspring.com">lynnenorris@mindspring.com</a>
, onfil-e	Telephone: (706) 315-7748

### Room Details

#### Room Block

	<u>FRI</u>	<u>SAT</u>
	4/24/20	4/25/20
NK - 1 King Bed, No Smoking	10	10
NQQ - 2 Queen Beds, No Smoking	5	5

#### Group Rates

<u>Room Type</u>	<u>Date</u>	<u>Single</u>	<u>Double</u>	<u>Extra</u>	<u>Child</u>
NK - 1 King Bed, No Smoking	4/24/20 - 4/25/20	119.00	119.00	10.00	0.00
NQQ - 2 Queen Beds, No Smoking	4/24/20 - 4/25/20	129.00	129.00	10.00	0.00

### Billing Information

#### Group Payment Type

GTD/Payment: GENERAL MANAGER  
#Error

#### Guest Payment Type

GTD/Payment: GENERAL MANAGER  
#Error

#### Charge Routing

Guests are responsible for all charges.



## Georgia Alabama AACA

### Contract Terms

All room rates are based on 2 people per room. Extra Guests are \$10.00 per night and rollaways are \$12.00 per night. Children under 18 staying with an adult in the room are free.

All rooms not reserved by the determined deadline will be returned to our inventory. All confirmed reservations are subject to our cancellation policy.

We are a 100% smoke free hotel, \$250 will be charge per violation. NO EXCEPTIONS

All rooms include our hot breakfast, wireless internet, fitness room and business center, but do not include taxes.

Thank you for selecting Comfort Inn & Suites Blue Ridge.

Julie Jarrett  
General Manager  
706-946-3333  
julie.comfort@outlook.com

### Guarantee Policy

Your reservation has been placed on a Credit Card Only hold.

### Cancellation Policy

Please cancel any group room reservations by 4 PM local hotel time, 2 days prior to arrival to avoid a cancellation penalty.

### Cancellation Penalty Notes

### Additional Information

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Guest Signature

Date

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Hotel Representative

Date

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