



# The Dixie Valve Chatter



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## "Happy New Year!"

I'm writing this between Christmas and New Years Day. I've had to let out my belt. I hope all Dixie Chapter members are enjoying the holidays. I'm feeling a little guilty as I walk by the Wildcat and grab a shovel and rake to do yard work. Maybe next weekend I'll raise the hood and grab a wrench.

In November I saw that Cadillac released the ATS-V with dual turbo, 3.6L V-6 producing 455 hp and going from 0-60 in 3.9 seconds. Rumor has it this car will be re-branded as the Buick Grand National. I'm going to need a bigger piggy bank for this GN screamer!

In a couple weekends, we will have our Dixie Holiday Party. I need to bone up on "Swapping Gifts". Seriously, I look forward to seeing my Buick friends. See you there.

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## ***A FRIENDLY REMINDER!***

Membership Renewal Notices have been mailed. Those who have prepaid for 2015 or beyond do not need to pay any additional dues at this time. However, please return the membership form so we can verify your correct address, phone number (s), email address, BCA number, etc. Those who owe dues at this time can pay for up to three years at \$20 per year. Past winners of the Meritorious Award pay just \$10 per year and current elected Chapter Officers don't pay dues while in office. Thanks,  
*Jerry Richstein, Membership Chairman*

## HAVE YOU CALLED RODDY and/or BRUCE?



If you are coming to the Chapter Holiday Party, you should call

Roddy Pearce at 404-371-1999 before Tuesday January 6 and let him know how many will be attending the party.

If you are coming to the Bowl-A-Rama next month, you should call Bruce Kile at 770 977-7924 or email Bruce at [sbkile@juno.com](mailto:sbkile@juno.com) and let him know you are coming to bowl and attend the meeting or you are just coming to the meeting. See page 2 for more details!



# Happy New Year!



**May the new year bring you and  
your family love, peace and  
prosperity.**

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# The Timing Chain



**SATURDAY JANUARY 10, 2015**

**2:00 PM TO 6:00 PM**

**Dixie Chapter Annual Holiday Party**

**St. Catherine's Episcopal Church**

**571 Holt Rd, Marietta, GA.**

Gift exchange will start promptly at 3:00 followed by dinner at 4:00PM. Craig Shaw will again be preparing the meal. We will have our usual gift exchange; men bring a man's gift, and women bring a woman's gift. Please limit your purchase to \$15.00. Call Roddy Pearce at 404-371-1999 no later than Tuesday January 6 with the number of people in your party so that we may provide adequate food and seating. Look forward to seeing you there!

**Directions:**

Take I-75 North to **120 Loop** (Exit 263).

Take the **GA-120** ramp, East toward Roswell.

Follow **Roswell Rd** for 0.7 mi.

Turn **right** on **Robinson Rd** for 0.4 mi.

Turn **right** onto **Holt Rd.** for 0.4 mi.

**571 Holt Rd** is on the right.

**FEBRUARY 8, 2015**

**ANNUAL CHAPTER BOWL-A-RAMA  
& MONTHLY MEETING**

**AMF Woodstock Lanes**

**108 Woodpark Blvd. Woodstock, GA.**

Be there, get your shoes, etc. and be ready to bowl at 12:30 PM. \$12 adults (over 12 yrs), \$9 for under 12 yrs, price includes 3 games bowling (league style) shoe rental & lunch. \$6 for lunch only. Please RSVP by Feb 2nd either by phone 770-977-7924 or email Bruce and Shar at [sbkile@juno.com](mailto:sbkile@juno.com)

This is another of our truly family fun events. Bowling ability is not required. As a matter of fact with our "handicap system", good bowling ability could be a detriment.

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Naturally there are awards & prizes. Weather permitting, be sure to drive those Buicks. There will be ample secluded parking.

**Directions**

**I-75 N to I-575 N**

**I-575 N to Exit 7, Turn right GA-92 toward Woodstock  
Go approximately 3/4 mi.**

**Turn left onto Woodpark Blvd at the Dairy Queen and simply follow the circle around to the Bowling Alley.**

**For those coming from the East**

**Take SR 92 West**

**Cross Canton Hwy.**

**Go approximately 300 yards**

**Turn right between McDonalds & Mrs. Winners.**

**Follow the circle (Woodpark Blvd) around.**

The bowling lanes are hardly visible from Hwy 92, until after making the turn.

**MARCH 25 - 29, 2015**

**33 rd A J C INTERNATIONAL AUTO SHOW  
GEORGIA WORLD CONGRESS CENTER**

**For more info contact 770 916 1741**

**or go to [goautoshow.com](http://goautoshow.com)**

**OCTOBER 8 - 10, 2015**

**SOUTHEAST REGIONAL MEET & TOUR  
MADISON GA**

**HOSTED BY THE DIXIE CHAPTER BCA**

**MORE INFO TO FOLLOW IN FUTURE DVC'S**



**JANUARY BIRTHDAYS**

**1/3 Gerald Hendrix**

**1/8 Chrys Bruno**

**1/12 Jane Petsch**

**1/14 Rita Valeri**

**1/24 Kevin Link**

**A great attitude becomes a great day  
which becomes a great month which  
becomes a great year  
which becomes a great life.**

**Mandy Hale**

# "DEALS ON WHEELS"



## **1937 Century Model 67 \$15,000 firm**

Numerous new parts; new black wall radial tires. Extra parts included. Contact Hersel Goff at 770 502 1700 or at [buickman1956@hotmail.com](mailto:buickman1956@hotmail.com)



## **1956 Special Model 46R \$13,700 firm**

Power Steering, Power Brakes, Dynaflow, New A/C. Great tour car! Extra parts included. Contact Hersel Goff at 770 502 1700 or at [buickman1956@hotmail.com](mailto:buickman1956@hotmail.com)

**WANTED:** Bucket Seats. Two seats from 1986 Grand National or GNX. Contact Ernest Garrett at 770 773 5144.

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