

---

---

# STUDEBAKER Spotlight



OFFICIAL PUBLICATION  
OF THE LONG ISLAND  
CHAPTER, SDC

Volume 10, Issue 6 - June 2017

---

---

## Current Officers 2017

### President

Kevin Healion

[Kevin@CenturyTennis.com](mailto:Kevin@CenturyTennis.com)

### Vice President

Tom Portesy

[Grandhawk54@yahoo.com](mailto:Grandhawk54@yahoo.com)

### Secretary

Roger Price

5 Lindron Ave, Smithtown, NY (631) 724-1382

### Treasurer

Frank Sammon

105 Ridge Ave, No. Great River, (631) 348-7681

### Membership Secretary

Frank Sammon

105 Ridge Ave, No. Great River, (631) 348-7681

### Newsletter Editor

Cathy Sammon

[glesam@optonline.net](mailto:glesam@optonline.net)

Visit us at: [www.longisland-sdc.com](http://www.longisland-sdc.com)

## Next Meeting:

Thursday, June 15th - 7:30 p.m.  
Marjorie Post Park Community Room

## MAY MEETING RECAP



Our meeting opened at 8 P.M. with the Pledge of Allegiance to the Flag.

### SECRETARY'S REPORT:

Secretary Roger Price read the April meeting recap. This was accepted by Howard Naval, and seconded by Tom Portesy.

### TREASURER'S REPORT:

Treasurer Frank Sammon reviewed all checking income and expenses since our last meeting:

**Checking expenses** included newsletter and flyers, refreshments, Joe Lipton sympathy card, and the Town of Oyster Bay Park Fee.

**Checking income** included: dues, refreshments, car show, sponsors and 50/50.

There was **no activity in the savings account.**

### OLD BUSINESS:

We have a new web host for our club's website. Our previous host was unable to continue. The cost is still the same.

The **Treasurer's Report** was accepted by Lanny Baron, and seconded by Charlie Peiffer.

### SDC INTERNATIONAL MEET:

Charlie Lanza and Tom Portesy gave a review of the recent SDC International meet in South Bend. Tom said that he had a great time, but he couldn't do

## MEETING INFORMATION

Third Thursday of every month

7:30 p.m.

Community Room

Marjorie Post Park

Massapequa

New members welcome!

all that he wanted to do because of the shortened meet dates.

## NEW BUSINESS

### REUNION SUNDAY:

President Kevin Healion gave a review of the sponsors for the meet trophies. Kevin indicated that all trophies are accounted for.

Clocks will be awarded to the Studebaker first place winners in their various classes.

Tom is bringing raffle tickets, and John Warnock will be selling them.

John and Kevin will also bring coolers of ice.

Howard Naval will bring soda and water. The soda and water will sell for \$1.00 each.

Inserted into the Hagerty bags will be previous issues of Turning Wheels, windshield cards, and voting sheets.

The weather should be fine for Sunday's show.

### CLUB PICNIC:

Our club picnic will be at Belmont Lake State Park on Sunday, September 10<sup>th</sup>. Please mark your calendars.

### OUR FUTURE SHOWS:

There was a long discussion concerning future shows. The general feeling was that the new \$500 park fee isn't sustainable.

Kurt Larsen will check out the Bayport Aerodrome for a possible meet.

Lanny Baron said that the Westfield Mall parking lot near Sears would serve our purpose.

There was a representative from the Corvair Club. He told us that they will have their show at Hecksher Park in Huntington Village in October. They had to accept late October because all other dates have been taken. It's a popular venue.

He also told us that the Buick Club will no longer use Marjorie Post Park for their meets.

We have a lot of thinking to do regarding our future shows. Our needs, regardless of a site, will include parking, toilet facilities, accessibility to the site and reasonable cost.

50/50 was won by Mitch who donated it back to our treasury.

Our meeting adjourned at 9:30 P.M. See you all on Sunday, May 21<sup>st</sup>.

Respectfully submitted,  
Roger Price, Recording Secretary

## REUNION SUNDAY 2017 SHOW



The weather was beautiful for our Reunion Sunday car show. Despite the low turnout due to other car shows on the same day, we did have an abundance of spectators who came out to see the many different car models that were represented.

All those who attended the show really enjoyed it, and we hope to see them again next year. Winners of the various awards for both Studebaker and Orphan classes can be found below.

One photo from the show is provided below. For more photos of the show, visit our webpage, [www.longisland-sdc.com](http://www.longisland-sdc.com). Photos can be found on the gallery tab.



### Class Winners- Studebakers

- **Class B, 47-52:** Award Sponsored by Steve's Collision
  - 1951 Commander, owned by Howard Naval
- **Class F, 59-64 Larks:** Award sponsored by Century Tennis
  - 1959 Lark, Owned by Roger Price
- **Class G, 65-66 Larks:** Award sponsored by Century Tennis
  - 1965 Daytona, owned by Bob Andreocci
- **Class H, 62-64 GT Hawks:** Award sponsored by East Coast Embroidery
  - 1962 GT Hawk, owned by Charlie Peiffer

- **Class I, 63-64 Avanti:** Award Sponsored by AKA Automotive
  - 1963 Avanti, owned by Rich Crawford
- **Class J, 66 and up Avanti:** Award Sponsored by All Island Equipment
  - 1987 Avanti, owned by Kevin Healion
- **Class K, Trucks:** Award sponsored by All Weather Tires
  - 1956 Pick Up, owned by Kurt Larsen
- **Class L, Modified:** Award sponsored by AKA Automotive
  - 1953 Dune Rod, owned by Jacob Marty

### Class Winners-Orphans

- **First Place:** Award sponsored by All Island Equipment
  - 1958 Edsel, owned by Andrew Zizolfo
- **Second Place:** Award sponsored by Smithtown General Tire and Service
  - 1958 Oldsmobile Super 88, owned by Frank Martucci
- **Third Place:** Award sponsored by Edward Jones
  - 1959 Pontiac, owned by Joe Falcone

### Best In Show

- Award sponsored by Edward Jones
- 1958 Edsel, owned by Andrew Zizolfo

## NOTES FROM NE ZONE DIRECTOR

Hello from your reappointed Northeast Zone Director!

The International Meet recently held in South Bend, Indiana was a tremendous success. The new Meet format of Wednesday through Saturday was introduced. Electronic judging for all divisions was accomplished. Elections were held and SDC business was completed. The Studebaker Drivers Club (SDC) officers now include Tom Curtis, President; Don Jones, Vice President; Jane Stinson, Treasurer; and Cindy Foust, Secretary. As far as our Zone is concerned, we now have a new Northeast Zone Coordinator. Steve Grant, from the Kinzua Chapter has been appointed. Steve is a vendor at most meets and is known as the Madd Doodler with an annual publication of a Studebaker calendar. Steve takes over from John Henne. I ran unopposed as Northeast Zone Director so I am with you for another two year term.

Our Zone Meet is coming up in June (23rd - 25th) in Sturbridge, Mass. If possible, have your Chapter take advantage of sponsoring a trophy for the event. Details of the event are publicized in the current edition of Turning Wheels. I plan on being there with my GT Hawk so stop over and say "Hi"!

Speaking of GT Hawks, there is a project underway to develop an "Authenticity Guide" for GT Hawks. After checking with Mark Wheeler of Cornerstone, I found out that the 1963 Avanti is the most popular model of our membership with 1962 GT Hawks in second place and 1963 GT Hawks in third place. The top five are rounded out with #4 1950 Champion and #5 1960 Lark. The intent of the "Authenticity Guide" is to document the correct configurations of GT Hawks as they came from the factory. A level of difficulty will be added to this project when you consider all the running changes that would have taken place during a model year run. If you have an original GT Hawk or an accurately restored one, I would love to hear from you.

As your Director, feel free to contact me with any concerns you have about our club. As appropriate, I will make sure your voice is heard at the SDC Board level.

Remember "You can't get the smiles unless you do the miles".

Peter Bishop, Director, Northeast Zone, SDC

## UPCOMING EVENTS



- **2017 Northeast Zone Meet. June 23-25, 2017 in Sturbridge, Massachusetts.** Hosted by Ocean Bay Chapter, SDC. Show day Saturday, June 24. A registration form is in this newsletter and on the Newsletters tab of our website
- **LI Chapter Barbecue.** To be held on Sunday, September 10<sup>th</sup> at Belmont Lake State Park, starting at 9 a.m. See the flyer on the website.



# Ocean Bay Chapter SDC 2017 NORTHEAST ZONE MEET

Sturbridge Massachusetts  
June 23-25 (day of show Saturday 24th)

Room Rates  
Single Rate: \$112 per night  
Double Rate: \$112 per night



Cut-off date June 2, 2017  
For Reservations call: 800-582-3232  
Please specify you are with the  
Studebaker Drivers Club

## REGISTRATION FORM

NAME \_\_\_\_\_  
MAILING ADDRESS \_\_\_\_\_  
CITY \_\_\_\_\_ STATE \_\_\_\_\_ ZIP \_\_\_\_\_  
CONTACT PHONE # \_\_\_\_\_ Email Address \_\_\_\_\_

**VEHICLE # 1** **VEHICLE # 2**  
MODEL \_\_\_\_\_ YEAR \_\_\_\_\_ MODEL \_\_\_\_\_ YEAR \_\_\_\_\_  
BODY STYLE \_\_\_\_\_ DIV. \_\_\_\_\_ BODY STYLE \_\_\_\_\_ DIV. \_\_\_\_\_  
 Stock  Modified or Custom  Stock  Modified or Custom

SHOW	COST EACH	QTY	SUBTOTAL
General Registration	\$25.00 / Family	X	\$25.00
Show Judging	\$10.00 / Car		
Swap Meet Space	\$25.00 / Space		
Car Corral (Cars For Sale)	\$10.00 / Car		
Italian Buffet (Three Entrees) <small>Chicken Marsala Served with Mushrooms in a Classic Marsala Sauce, Italian Roast Sirloin with Sweet Onion Gorgonzola Cream Sauce, Shrimp Scampi in a Garlic Butter Wine Sauce Over Linguini, Includes Salad, Desserts, Coffee, Decaf Coffee and Tea</small>	\$45.00 / Per Person inclusive of tax & gratuity		
Trophy Sponsor	\$50.00		

**Total:**

### CAR SHOW CLASSES

- Div. 1: 1902-1946 – all models
- Div. 2: 1947 – 1958 – Sedans & Wagons
- Div. 3: Lark Types – 1959-1966
- Div. 4: 1953-1961 C & K Body Coupes, Hardtops and Finned Hawks
- Div. 5: 1962-1964 GT Hawks
- Div. 6: 1963-1985 Avanti
- Div. 6a: 1987-2007 Avanti
- Div. 7: 1902-1964 Trucks
- Div. 8: All Years, Custom, Stude Powered Cars & Trucks
- Div. 9: All Years, Modified Non-Stude Powered Cars & Trucks
- Div. 10: Special Interest, to include Non-motorized wagons, carts, goat wagons, weasels, pedal cars, B-17 Bombers, etc.

Ocean Bay Judge Committee has the right to reduce car classes if participation is low.

PLEASE REGISTER EARLY  
MAKE CHECKS PAYABLE TO  
OCEAN BAY CHAPTER SDC

MAIL THIS FORM AND CHECK TO:  
Jane Ash, Northeast Zone Meet Secretary  
Jane@studegarage.com  
Ocean Bay Chapter  
1205 Reed Road Dartmouth, MA 02747

(Hold Harmless Agreement) I, the undersigned, hereby fully and unconditionally agree to release the Ocean Bay Chapter SDC, from any liability that may arise from the 2017 Northeast Zone Meet to be limited to June 23, 24, 25 2017.

Signed \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_

Forms also available for download at [www.oceanbaychapter.com](http://www.oceanbaychapter.com)

## 2017 Show Sponsors –

**Remember to SUPPORT OUR SPONSORS!**

ALL WORK GUARANTEED • INSURANCE CLAIMS • AUTO GLASS

### **A.K.A. AUTO/BUS & TRUCK INC.**

**SALES • REPAIR • COLLISION**

NYS Reg # 7068286

ANDY RANDAZZO  
(631) 242-9131  
FAX (631) 242-7466

140 S. SKIDMORE RD.  
DEER PARK N.Y. 11729



**SMITHTOWN**  
**General Tire & Service, Inc.**

800 W. Jericho Tpke,  
Smithtown, NY 11787  
**1631 543-1505**  
smithtowngeneraltire.com

**BOB BUROKER**  
OWNER/MANAGER

ASE CERTIFIED MASTER TECHNICIAN



### **Century Tennis Inc.**



56 BROOK AVENUE  
DEER PARK, NY 11729

Member of American Sports Builders Association

Kevin J. Healion, CTCB  
631-242-0220  
kevin@centurytennis.com



**The Good Shepherd**  
Auto Body Inc.

Gene Shepard  
President

www.thegoodshepherdautobody.com  
Ph. 631-476-4665  
Fax 631-473-3183  
Shop Reg. 7083438

15 Old Middle  
Country Road  
Coram, NY 11727

### **Steve's Collision**

618 Bicycle Path,  
Port Jefferson Station, NY 11776  
(631) 473-4949



35 BAYSHORE ROAD • BAY SHORE, NY 11706  
**631-667-1177**



39 Jersey Street,  
West Babylon, NY 11704  
(631) 643-2605

### **East Coast Embroidery**

74 Brook Avenue, Suite 1  
Deer Park, NY 11729  
(631) 254-3878

### **All Weather Tire Sales/Service**

100 Depot Road  
Huntington Station, NY 11746  
(631) 673-0942

### **Faithful Automotive Service**

484 New York Avenue  
Huntington, NY  
(631) 673-3772

### **Edward Jones Financial –**

Wayne Buess  
82 Main Street  
Kings Park, NY (631) 269-5031

# LONG ISLAND CHAPTER STUDEBAKER DRIVERS CLUB MEMBERSHIP APPLICATION

**NAME:** \_\_\_\_\_ **Birthday (Mo/Day):** \_\_\_\_\_  
**SPOUSE:** \_\_\_\_\_ **Birthday (Mo/Day):** \_\_\_\_\_  
**ADDRESS:** \_\_\_\_\_ **Anniversary (Mo/Day):** \_\_\_\_\_  
**PHONE:** \_\_\_\_\_ **CELL:** \_\_\_\_\_  
**E-MAIL:** \_\_\_\_\_

**STUDEBAKERS OWNED:**

YEAR	MODEL	BODY STYLE

To join or renew your membership, mail completed membership form, with membership fee payable to "LI Chapter SDC" to Frank Sammon, 105 Ridge Avenue, No. Great River, NY 11722-3430

**DUES:** Annual Dues are \$15.00. New members joining January – June: \$15.00, after July \$10.00.

**NOTE: YOU MUST BE A MEMBER OF THE SDC TO JOIN A LOCAL CHAPTER.**



OFFICIAL PUBLICATION  
OF THE LONG ISLAND  
CHAPTER, SDC

