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"Cars, Trains and Coffee" on Saturday, February 1 at Buck Burton's

Our next Club meeting will be at Buck Burton's unique home and garage at 10:00 a.m. Saturday to experience "Burton Junction", his elaborate model train layout, complete with a "Wings and Wheels" car show. Buck lives in the Kilbirnie Neighborhood at 31981 Bonhill Drive in Salisbury. If you have not seen this layout you won't want to miss this treat. Donuts included.

Bugatti Exhibit at Easton's Academy Art Museum on Saturday, March 15

Charles Emery will coordinate a visit to this remarkable exhibit featuring four Bugatti automobiles and much information and artifacts from this multi-talented family of designers. We'll meet at 10:00 a.m. at the Museum, with lunch after at Doc's Restaurant in Easton.

January 21 ESR AACA Meeting at JoJo's Restaurant

The first Club meeting of 2025 saw the election of **Charles Emery** as **Club President**, effective September 1, 2025. The Executive Committee approved the appointment of **Tom Hehman and Andrew Pogan** to serve **Joint Acting Presidents** until that time. In his last official act Ken Sterling gave the **2024 President's Award to Charles and Barbara Emery** for their above and beyond support of our Eastern Shore Region. Secretary Bill Shockley, on behalf of the Officers and Board Members, then presented **Ken Sterling** with the **Dick Furniss Award**. This is named after our Club's principal founder and is not offered lightly; many years no one is considered eligible. In this case the Club Officers and Board Members felt President Ken had done an outstanding job as President for 2023 and 2024. He injected new life into the Club by finding speakers, car shop and car collection venues for us to visit, inviting new members with blue ESR name cards and seeking input from Officers and Board Members at planning meetings. *Note: Full minutes of this meeting are attached or included with this newsletter*.

November 5, 2024 Club Meeting and Glidden Tour Report

At the November Club meeting Charles and Barbara Emery reported on their 2024 Glidden Tour experience, including Adams County, Pa, Gettysburg and Antietam battlefields, Washington County, Frederick, Rocky Ridge and Middletown, Md. Sites included apple orchards, plentiful farm markets and a festival of quilts. The Emerys'1941 Buick crossing a steel bridge in Frederick County, Md. (below left)



2024 Christmas Parade

Buck Burton, David and Andrea Kamberger, Charles and Barbara Emery, and Gus and Rhiannon Hudson (1994 Jeep Cherokee pictured above right) participated in the 2024 Salisbury Jaycee Christmas Parade. The PAC14 video of the Parade is available at: https://youtu.be/F9B9eEi1IcE

2025 ESR AACA Planning Calendar

The Board planned the following events for 2025 (Subject to Change)

<u>April</u> (unconfirmed) Visit to a special local private car collection

<u>May 13</u> Table Top Car Show at JoJo's, hosted by Tom Hehman and Andrew Pogan

June 14 (unconfirmed) St. Michael's Boat and Car Show, hosted by Will Ruhland

July 23 Shorebirds Car Show and Ballgame, hosted by Bill Shockley

<u>August 5</u> (unconfirmed) Tour and Ice Cream Run in Lower Delaware, hosted by Marshall Steinmann

<u>September 20</u> Hebron Lions Club Joint Car Show, hosted by Buck Burton and Doug Jones of Hebron Lions Club

<u>Late October</u> Halloween Trunk or Treat at East Salisbury School

Early December Salisbury Christmas Parade

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