

# SOUTH SOUND 4-4-2 CLUB

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## **MEETING      Sunday      September 15<sup>th</sup> – 6:00      Round Table Pizza**

Our regular meeting will be Sunday, September 15th, 6:00 at Round Table Pizza, North 26<sup>th</sup> and Pearl Street in Tacoma.

## **BOP DRAGS – September 14<sup>th</sup>**

The B.O.P. Drags are on September 14<sup>th</sup> at the Bremerton Raceway. There is a car show in addition to the drag racing. It looks like they have lots of trophies and door prizes. I have never attended this meet but I know several of our members have. If you ever wanted to run your car through the quarter mile to see what it will do, this would be a great opportunity to do so.

## **MUSCLE CAR MEET – September 21st**

Saturday, September 21<sup>st</sup> is the Muscle Car Meet at the Pierce County Fairgrounds in Graham. This is their 16<sup>th</sup> annual meet and it is open to all muscle cars including our 4-4-2's and Cutlasses. This year the show is on Saturday instead of Sunday so remember to mark it on your calendar. They always have lots of awards and door prizes. Quite often our club takes one of the participation awards so we hope you will all make it to this meet. Your car is welcome in any condition so come along and join the fun. Be sure to bring a picnic lunch and maybe a lawn chair to sit in and hope for good weather. This is a later date than usual. The show starts at 10:00 but cars start arriving at 9:00. If you want to park with the club, we will be meeting just north of the fairgrounds at the Teen Challenge Thrift Store on 213<sup>th</sup> St and Meridian. We will leave there at 9:30 and head into the show.

## **CENTRALIA SWAP MEET – September 21<sup>st</sup> & 22<sup>nd</sup>**

September 21<sup>st</sup> and 22<sup>nd</sup> is the Centralia Swap Meet at the fairgrounds between Centralia and Chehalis. This has always been a good swap meet, even though it has been getting a little smaller the past few years. This has always been one of my favorite swap meets. I guess it's because I usually find something neat to buy. Like most swap meets this one has a good selection of antiques and collectibles as well as lots of car parts. If you can't find anything at the swap meet, you can check out the antique malls or the outlet malls in Centralia.

## **MONROE SWAP MEET – October 12<sup>th</sup> & 13<sup>th</sup>**

The Monroe Swap Meet is coming up on October 12<sup>th</sup> and 13<sup>th</sup> at the Evergreen Fairgrounds in Monroe. This is a great swap meet with lots of everything and bad weather doesn't seem to effect the size much. Bring warm clothes because sometimes it's pretty cold early in the morning.

## **BREMERTON SWAP MEET – November 2<sup>nd</sup> & 3<sup>rd</sup>**

Be sure you mark November 2<sup>nd</sup> and 3<sup>rd</sup> on your calendar for the last local swap meet of the year. This is not a big swap meet but sometimes you can find some good stuff at the smaller meets. It is held at the Kitsap County Fairgrounds in Silverdale.

## **UPDATE ON DERRAL FARMER**

I read in the Oregon Olds Club newsletter that Derral Farmer is in the hospital undergoing a bone marrow transplant and will be there four or five weeks. Several of our members have dealt with Derral, buying carpet or POR 15 products. He would enjoy hearing from friends. You can e-mail him at susan.farmer2@verizon.net.

We will try to get an update on Greg Rollin for our next newsletter.

**For Club membership information, write to Dave Anderson, 4703 72nd Ave.  
Ct. W, Tacoma, WA 98466 or call Dave at (253) 565-5465.**

**2005 NATIONAL OLDS MEET**

At our last club meeting, Ed Konsmo spoke to our club about the possibility of us helping the Puget Sound Oldsmobile Club put on a National Oldsmobile Meet in the year 2005. Ed and the Puget Sound Club have already started to put together some ideas and made some preliminary plans to present to the National Oldsmobile Club. It sounds like there is a very good chance that the Puget Sound Club will be hosting the meet in 2005. Some of our members have already volunteered to help out. The following is a letter from Ed.

## ATTENTION ALL OLDSMOBILE ENTHUSIASTS

2005 Nationals in the Seattle-Tacoma Area

At the 2002 OCA Board Meeting in Lansing, the presentation of the Cincinnati 2003 and Minneapolis 2004 Nationals was made. The question was asked, was there any interest in hosting the 2005 Nationals. At this time, Zone Director, Ed Konsmo, asked if those OCA members in the East would journey to the Pacific Northwest if the Nationals were to be held here. The enthusiasm was overwhelming! Now for the QUESTION...is there support among the members of the South Sound 442 Club to help accomplish such an undertaking. A core of the OCA Chapter members has been assembled to explore this possibility. Inasmuch as this is a 'once in lifetime' opportunity, your input is desired. Please take a few moments and respond to the questions asked. If you have an expertise in a certain area, please let us know.

1. Are you in favor of the Nationals being held in the Pacific Northwest?    Yes \_\_\_ No \_\_\_
2. Would you be willing to help if we were to host the Nationals in 2005?    Yes \_\_\_ No \_\_\_
3. If yes to question 2, would you head a committee?    Yes \_\_\_ No \_\_\_
4. Listed below are some of the activities and committees that the survey committee believes are fundamental in hosting a Nationals. We want the support of the members of the Puget Sound Chapter, the South Sound 442 Club, and all Oldsmobile enthusiasts in developing a plan to present a bid to the OCA at the Cincinnati 2003 Nationals for the 2005 Nationals in the Pacific Northwest. If more than one is of interest to you, mark them in order of priority; 1, 2, 3, etc.

Site Selection _____	Budget/Treasury _____
Bid Presentation _____	Mailings _____
Artwork/Theme _____	Awards Banquet _____
Advertising _____	Parking @ Show _____
Trophies/Awards _____	Security _____
Hospitality _____	Tour Planning _____
Shirt Design _____	Judging _____
Registration _____	

Name and club affiliation of person completing this form:

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Survey Team Members: Bill Iverson, Ed Konsmo, John Lamb, Eric Martinson, Ed Straw, and Didrik Wallis.

Please return this survey to:

Ed Konsmo  
704 14<sup>th</sup> Ave Court SE  
Puyallup, WA 98372  
USA

### **KELSONS TOUR – September 29<sup>th</sup>**

Our tour and potluck to Kelson's Museum is shaping up. At our last meeting we started signing up for what we wanted to bring to the potluck. We will continue to do that at this month's meeting or, if you can't make the meeting, you can contact Linda Roseberry. The other options is to just come and bring something for the potluck. You will also need to bring your own drinks, plates and silverware. The Kelson's have assembled a lot of old auto-related items and other neat old stuff to look at. This is all inside so if the weather is crummy, we can still have a good time.

### **COMING EVENTS**

September 14: BOP Drags in Bremerton  
September 21: Muscle Car Meet, Graham Fairgrounds  
September 21-22: Centralia Swap Meet, SW WA Fairgrounds  
September 29: Kelson's Museum, Seattle  
October 12-13: Monroe Swap Meet, Evergreen State Fairgrounds  
November 2-3: Bremerton Swap Meet, Kitsap County Fairgrounds

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**WANTED:** 1966-67 AC heater switch, electrical for Cutlass/4-4-2. Hal, 253-756-5458 or [hals442@aol.com](mailto:hals442@aol.com).

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**WANTED:** W-30 aluminum intake #407570. Mike Jones, 360-438-1648.

**FOR SALE:** 1973 Buick Rivera, could be restored or would make an excellent parts car. Merrill Severson, 253-847-0737.