



# North Star Wheel

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Chapter Newsletter

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## ***President's Notepad. . . .***

Happy New Year to all Studebaker Families! The year of 2005 is here and looking well. The Christmas Party was great at Lord Fketchers and the Annual Meeting at Oak Glen in Stillwater was very good also. thanks to Any and Jim for another excellent set of events. the officers of our Club really came together this past year with extra meetings and reviewing drafts of new Bylaws for the North Star Chapter. Each officer had input and ideas as to wording or just trying to simplify the Bylaws.

The Annual Banquest Meeting opened under our old loosely held form to adopt the Bylaws. We then adjourned and opened the meeting under the new Bylaws. Yes, there is a "Roberts Rules" and I did try to make more sense on motions and approvals. We now have a new Board of Directors. Four were elected to Officer positions: President, Vice-President, Secretary and Treasurer. Two were elected to Directships. The new Board Members are:

President	Jerry Pearson
Vice President	Jim Ringquist
Secretary	Fern Geiselman
Treasurer	Joan Lemke
Director	Jim Rock
Director	Maynard Lemke

Initial terms this year on a staggered schedule. In the future all terms of officers and directors are for two years. In following years we will elect 3 positions each year.

During 2004 we lost a great friend and member with Lawrence Burke's death in December. Soon our Club will be saying good bye; to two other great member couples who are moving to the warmth of other States. Brian and Aleta Millette have announced that with Brian's retirement they will sell their beautiful home and move to Arizona. John and Barbara Lidberg will also be selling their home and moving to Colorado Springs, CO. This has always been on John's mind but I never thought it would happen.

That's four wonderful and active members of the North Star Chapter moving to warmer climates. I know some like Harold Hoag, Bill Wahl and Perry Wolff leave for the winter, but this seems so final.

To show our appreciation to these fine four supporting members the Club will pick up the Dinner expense for all attending the March 3rd Monthly Meeting. So plan to attend.

June 1st will be the date of the Upper Mississippi Valley Zone Meet this year. Sponsoring Club is the Heart of America Chapter. Think about attending in Kansas City, MO

Enclosed you'll find the first part of the Chapter If you'd like to host a Chapter Meeting at your home in June, August or September contact Maynard Lemke. Think of how impressive it will be to have 15-20 studebakers parked outside your home for a few hours!

**Jerry Pearson, [stude.one@usfamily.net](mailto:stude.one@usfamily.net)**

## ***North Star Minutes. . . .***

Twenty-nine members enjoyed a delicious buffet dinner at the Oak Glen Golf Course in Stillwater, Minnesota. After dinner a brief meeting was held to review the revisions made to the North Star Chapter Studebaker Drivers Club By-Laws. President Jerry thanked Henry Votel for all his help. M-Jim Ringquist/S-Maynard Lemke to accept the new revised by-laws. Unanimous vote to accept. M-Jim Ringquist/S-Steve Remick to adjourn.

The meeting was reconvened under the new North Star Chapter Studebaker Drivers Club By-Laws. M-Maynard Lemke/S-Jim Ringquist to approve the minutes of the November meeting. Joan Lemke presented the Treasurers report. Brian Millette moved to accept. No old business was brought forth.

Under the new by-laws, elected board members will serve two-year terms on a rotating basis. The board shall consist of six members, four officers and two directors at large. As such three members are to be elected to two-year terms and three members for one-year terms. The one-year board positions will be up for election next year for a two-year term to satisfy the rotation. All officers accepted nomination for another term. Steve Remick also accepted nomination for (con't)

## **UPCOMING EVENTS**

**FEB 13**

**PLYMOUTH PLAYHOUSE  
PLYMOUTH, MN**

**MAR 3**

**MONTHLY MEETING & BUFFET DINNER  
BURNSVILLE, MN**

## ***Minutes, con't. . . .***

Treasurer. M-Andy Ringquist/S-Cheryl Rock to nominate Maynard Lemke for two-year board position. M-Cheryl Rock/S-Andy Ringquist to nominate Jim Rock for one-year board position. M-Karen Rust/S-John Lidberg to close nominations. Brian Millette and Arlan Vollan served as election judges. All officers were reelected.

Maynard Lemke presented the social calendar for 2005. He would like someone to volunteer for the August 6 Mystery Cruise. Tickets are still available for the Liebowitz Sisters at Plymouth Playhouse February 13. Arlan & Lynn Vollan are hosting "Get the Cars Out" in Red Wing on May 14. Over the summer there will be no Thursday night meetings, however, there will be meetings to coincide with some summer social events. If anyone has issues of concern between meeting dates, call either President Jerry or Henry Votel.

June, August and September still need meeting events so let Jerry know if you have a spot or an idea. Brian and Aleta Millette announced that they are moving to Arizona. After 25+ years they are resigning all local and international Studebaker positions. John Lidberg also announced his forthcoming move to Colorado Springs. These members will be greatly missed as they have contributed substantially to our club.

President Jerry updated us on Betty Grimley's health and noted a thank you card from the Lawrence Burke family. New members were introduced and welcomed. M-John Lidberg/S-Steve Remick to adjourn.

**Respectfully submitted**  
**Fern Geiselman, Secretary**

***41st SDC International info at:***  
<http://www.studebakerdriversclub.com/>

## ***Welcome New Members. . . .***

**Leo T. McKenna, Jr**  
**1179 W 10th Street**  
**Winona, MN 55987**  
**1954 Commander Coupe**

**Dennis & Lois Erickson**  
**1206 Kensington Way**  
**Buffalo, MN 55313**  
**1950 Champion 2 Dr Sedan**

**Roger L. Hanson**  
**230 W. Main Street**  
**Blooming Prairie, MN 55917**  
**1962 GT Hawk**  
**1962 Lark 2 Dr Post**

## **DIRECTORY OF OFFICERS**

### **SDC NATIONAL OFFICERS**

President: Colin Fort  
Vice President: Linda Sinclair  
Secretary: Jan Lockman  
Treasurer: Brian Millette

### **UPPER MISSISSIPPI VALLEY ZONE**

National Board Director: Larry Swanson  
Zone Coordinator: Duane Miller (Lynda)  
Regional Manager: Shirley Van Dell 218-722-5932  
702 N Boundary Avenue, Duluth, MN 55810

### **NORTH STAR CHAPTER**

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### **NORTH LAND WHEELS CHAPTER**

President: Position currently vacant  
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Secretary: Shirley Van Dell 218-624-5932  
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Mbrshp/Treas: Position currently vacant  
Trophy Chair: Jim Van Dell 218-624-5932  
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# **2005 NORTH STAR WHEEL CHAPTER EVENT SCHEDULE**

<u><b>Date/Place:</b></u>	<u><b>Event/Time:</b></u>	<u><b>Details:</b></u>
<b>Feb 3, 2005</b> Fridley, MN	<b>Monthly Meeting</b> after Buffet Dinner. 6:30± pm Dinner, 7:00 pm Meeting	Old Country Buffet, Fridley, Holly Shopping Center, 6540 University Avenue, I-694, Exit University Ave., north to Mississippi, west 1/2 block to Holly Shopping Center.
<b>Feb 13, 2005</b> Plymouth, MN	<b>Chapter Activity.</b> Attend play and Green Mill after event. Limited Tickets. 2:00 pm	The Liebowitz Sisters at the Plymouth Playhouse in the Kelly Inn. Details: Maynard Lemke 763-478-5307
<b>Mar 3, 2005</b> Burnsville, MN	<b>Monthly Meeting</b> after Buffet Dinner. 6:30± pm Dinner, 7:00 pm Meeting	Old Country Buffet/HomeTown Buffet. 14150 Nicollet Ave South, I-35, Exit County Rd. 42 West, left on Nicollet Ave., one block to Cobblestone Shopping Mall Exit 1 on I-35W. Exit #88B on I-35E.
<b>Apr 7, 2005</b> Maple Grove, MN	<b>Monthly Meeting</b> after Buffet Dinner. 6:30± pm Dinner, 7:00 pm Meeting	Old Country Buffet, Maple Grove I94 & Weaver Lake Rd. Grove Square, 13603 Grove Drive. I-94 to Weaver Lake to right on 83rd Way. Located in Grove Square.
<b>May 1, 2005</b> St. Paul, MN	Spring Extravaganza Car Show & Swap. Buick Car Show with Studebaker Class.	At Minnesota State Fair Grounds. See info at: <a href="http://www.gopherstatebuick.org">www.gopherstatebuick.org</a>
<b>May 14, 2005</b> Red Wing, MN	<b>Monthly Meeting</b> and Get the Cars Out! 10:00 am	Hosts: Arlan and Linda Vollan 651-388-9815
<b>May 30, 2005</b> Rogers, MN	Memorial Day Car Show. Sponsored by North Star Chapter 8:00 am to 3:00 pm	
<b>Jun 1, 2005</b> Spooner, WI	18th Annual Car Show & Swap sponsored by Badger Wheel SDC Gates Open 7:00 am	County Fairgrounds in Spooner. Info at: <a href="http://www.studebakerclubs.com/bwc/">www.studebakerclubs.com/bwc/</a>
<b>Jun 1, 2005</b> JUNE EVENT Date Not Set	<b>Monthly Meeting</b>	This Chapter Meeting Needs a location. Contact Maynard Lemke 763-478-5307 if you would like to Have 15-20 Studebakers pull up to your house for a club meeting!
<b>Jun 11, 2005</b>	Upper Mississippi Valley Zone Meet	
<b>Jun 19, 2005</b> Red Wing, MN	Fathers Day - Red Wing Car Show and hang out with Arlan Vollan	Free Event in Downtown Red Wing. Info: Arlan Vollan, 651-388-9815
<b>Jun 25, 2005</b> Annandale, MN	Annandale Studebaker Picnic & Cruise	Pioneer Park Cruise. Hosts: Ed & Jean Skomoroh, 320-274-7155 Details to follow.
<b>Jul 9, 2005</b> Arden Hills MN	<b>Monthly Meeting</b> and Pearson's Pot Luck 12:00	Jerry Pearson 651-635-0161
<b>Jul 23, 2005</b> Plymouth, MN	<b>Monthly Meeting &amp;</b> Lemke's 7th Annual Poker Run 10 am Social Hour; 11 am Poker Run	Join the fun on the Poker Run! Lunch along the way at ?? Hosts: Maynard or Joan Lemke, 763-478-5307
<b>Aug 1, 2005</b> AUGUST EVENT Date Not Set	34th Annual Northland Wheels Swap Meet & Car Show	Shirley Van Dell 218-624-5932 August Event Details to Follow.

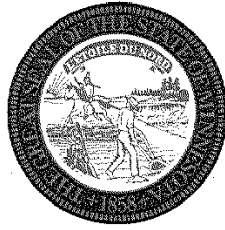
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<b>Aug 6, 2005</b> Duluth, MN	Mystery Cruise	Maynard & Joan Lemke 763-478-5307
<b>Aug 15, 2005</b> Seattle, WA	41st International Meet Studebaker Drivers Club	See Turning Wheels or <a href="http://www.sdcmeet.com/">http://www.sdcmeet.com/</a>
<b>Aug 20, 2005</b>	Minnesota Minne-National	Jerry Pearson 651-635-0161
<b>Aug 21, 2005</b> St. Cloud, MN	Pan Towner's Car Show & Swap Meet with Studebaker Class. 7:00 am till 3:00 pm	Sponsored by St. Cloud Antique Auto Club. Benton County Fairgrounds, St. Cloud, MN Info at: <a href="http://www.pantowners.org">www.pantowners.org</a>
<b>Sep 1, 2005</b> SEPT EVENT Date Not Set	<b>Monthly Meeting</b>	This Chapter Meeting Needs a location. Contact Maynard Lemke 763-478-5307 if you would like to Have 15-20 Studebakers pull up to your house for a club meeting!
<b>Sep 3, 2005</b> Rogers, MN	Labor Day Orphan Car Show, Sponsored by North Star Chapter Gates open 8 am, Trophies 2:30 pm	Ellingson's. Register day of Show. \$7 for Car, Driver & 1 Pass: \$3 Spectators. John Lidberg, 763-533-7805
<b>Sep 9, 2005</b> Jordan, MN	Annual Heimatfest Cruise. Car Show and Cruise the Countryside 5:00 pm to 7 pm Show, then Car Cruise	
<b>Sep 10, 2005</b> Prescott, WI	Prescott Daze Car Show and hang out with Todd & Linda Langenfeld 8 am till 3 pm	Dash Plaques. Jackets to Award Winners. Todd Langenfeld, 715-262-3701
<b>Sep 24, 2005</b> Plymouth, MN	North Star Fall Picnic  12:00 noon	Carlson Park
<b>Oct 6, 2005</b> Maplewood, MN	<b>Monthly Meeting</b> and Buffet Dinner.  6:30 pm Dinner, 7:00 pm Meeting	Old Country Buffet, White Bear 694 & White Bear Ave
<b>Oct 9, 2005</b>	Ride for Kids Cruise Minnesota & Wisconsin	
<b>Nov 3, 2005</b> Fridley, MN	<b>Monthly Meeting</b> and Buffet Dinner.  6:30 pm Dinner, 7:00 pm Meeting	Old Country Buffet
<b>Dec 3, 2005</b>	<b>Monthly Meeting &amp; Annual Christmas Party</b>	Hosts: Jim & bAndy Ringquist 763-682-5423
<b>Jan 1, 2006</b>	<b>Annual Chapter Meeting &amp; Election of Officers</b>	Hosts: Jim & bAndy Ringquist 763-682-5423

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**Scott Newman**  
State Representative  
District 18A  
McLeod and Meeker Counties



# Minnesota House of Representatives

October 28, 2004

Scott Miller  
19747 Skyview Cir.  
Hutchinson, MN 55350

In Re: Original License Plates &  
Collector Cars

Dear Mr. Miller:

Thank you for contacting me regarding the use of original license plates on collector cars. I appreciate hearing from you and learning about your concerns.

According to the Minnesota Department of Public Safety's Division of Driver and Vehicle Services (DVS), in order to display original license plates, the vehicle must be at least 20 years old, the same qualification as collector status vehicles. However, the vehicle may be classified as either a collector vehicle or regular passenger vehicle.

If you wish to have your vehicle registered as a regular passenger vehicle and still use the original license plates, you will be required to pay an annual motor vehicle registration fee (\$35) rather than the one-time registration fee due for collector cars. In addition, you must carry the registration card in your vehicle since you will not receive current year stickers for your license plate indicating that regular passenger registration has been paid. This card must be displayed to law enforcement if you are stopped since your vehicle will not display the current year stickers.

In addition, the 7-year license plate replacement requirement is not in effect if you display original license plates. Finally, the original license plate may not have a number/letter combination currently in use by the any of regular passenger registration license plates.

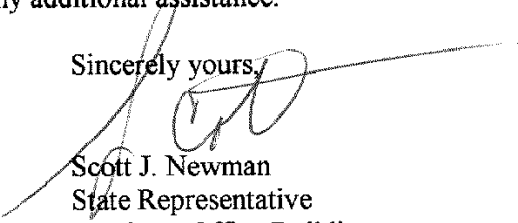
If the staff at the deputy registrar's office has any questions, they should contact their DVS procedures line for assistance. If you have any questions regarding this matter. I encourage you to contact Tom Evans of the DVS Special Plate Unit at 651-297-3065.

Using original license plates on a regular passenger vehicle is not very common. Of the almost 4.5 million passenger cars/trucks/motorcycles registered in Minnesota, about 3,000 display original license plates and only 288 are classified as regular passenger vehicles with the balance classified as collector vehicles.



I hope that this information is helpful. Thank you for bringing this matter to my attention and please let me know if I can be of any additional assistance.

Sincerely yours,



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SJN:ah

*Here's a bunch from the Annual Meeting. . . . .*



*New Studebaker arrives. . . .*



Cartoon by "Ted Bastien" tedsstudio@hotmail.com  
Check out Bugsport on the Internet for more pics.

***Historian seeks stuff. . . .***

Chapter or having any items that might be treasured by the Club please contact James Rock 651-436-2215 or cjrock5144@aol.com. Thanks. Jim Rock, Historian



# NorthStar Wheel

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ADDRESS SERVICE REQUESTED



## **Are you thinking about driving your Studebaker?**

## **FOR SALE, WANTED AND OTHER NOTICES. . . . .**

FOR SALE - 1950 2 door champion 6 cylinder. Is not running at the present time, only a couple of small areas of rust, has sat outside for a long time, interior in rough shape. Very solid body - no parts missing. Would like to get \$1350 for it. Phil Haverkamp hav@brainerd.net 218-829-5950 (ends 4/05)

FOR SALE - 1949 2 Ton Studebaker truck, 6 cylinder with 2 speed axle, 5 speed PTO, 41,129± actual miles, Original paint & body, \$2,000 Firm. Bruce Youde, Polk City, IA 515-984-6967 mabyoude@aol.com (ends Jun 05)

FOR SALE - 1949-53 Stude 3/4 ton truck for sale. Likely only for parts. \$450. EZ trailer job. Henry Votel 651-464-8112 eves. (ends 4/05)

FOR SALE - 1950 Stude Regular Coupe and parts car package for restor. \$3,000. OBO Ted Kroulik. Stephens, Mn. 218-478-2277 (ends 1/05)

FOR SALE - 2 Yellow valve covers for Stude V8 \$50 OBO, 2 "Studebaker" V8 valve covers for Chevy S.B. V8 Offer?, 1 Used aluminum master cylinder for 1951 Stude \$25 OBO, 1 Used master cylinder for 1952 w/hill holder \$40 OBO, 2 Used stainless steel fender covers \$65 OBO, 1 Tail lamp glass for 1952 \$75. Studybaker Bob, 651-731-6832 (ends 1/05)

FOR SALE - 1934 Studebaker fordor. Body is straight and grille is perfect. Somebody did work on it, so it's in primer, that's getting faded. Dash is good. Son moved to DesMoines and has no room for it there, so he told me to sell it. He'd like to get 1500, which is what he paid 10 years ago. I simply don't have the time to do it. Warren Sjoberg, 320-983-2138 (ends 1/05)

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## **Got Stude stuff to sell or you want. . . . .Tell the Members!**

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