



North Star Wheel

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Chapter Newsletter

NOV/DEC, 2006

From the back of the Champ. . . .

What a great showing of our members at Omaha for the SDC meet in September. Someone said we had 55 members in attendance. It was great seeing member John Lidberg and Tony Berbig was there not too long after his recent surgery. Sandy and I had a great time visiting with Studebaker friends from the chapter, from around the world and meeting some new ones.

We camped at a very nice state park about 25 miles west of Omaha (right next to the SAC museum, we walked over one morning for a quick tour and ended up there for over 4 hours. One highlight was when I had us flying upside down in the flight simulator!) The weather was beautiful for the show on Thursday after a rainy night Wednesday. Lots of very nice vehicles, including a Weasel and a Zip Van. We parked up in the corner with the trucks and displayed the Champ with the camper (Would that make it a "Champer"?). We attended the revived Studebaker Truck Farmers dinner on Wednesday, sitting with three Canadian members. I just made it to the photo on Thursday. We enjoyed the drive back on Saturday as the farmers were out harvesting crops and the fall colors were really taking off. The last bit on Highway 169 from Mankato to Shakopee along the Minnesota River is one of my favorite roads in the fall.

Most of the cars and trucks are in storage or just about ready to be put away. I've heard from several sources the mice seem extremely abundant this year, don't forget to set out lots of dryer sheets in the engine compartment, trunk and interior to try and keep them at bay.

Maynard Lemke is just about set with the 2007 Club Event Calendar. It's a great asset having Maynard set up the entire year's events, gives one lots of heads up for planning which events your family and Studebaker attend. Thanks Maynard. Look for the calendar in an upcoming issue.

Have you checked out our web site lately? Bob Shaw continues to do a great job for us along with being the web master for the SDC web page. He was posting updates at the conference with his laptop and wireless connection! Check the inside of the newsletter, you can find web addresses for the Bylaws, Roster and other club information. Thanks Bob.

The Car Show Committee will begin to meet again the end of January. The Blacksmith Lounge on Highway 61 just north of "downtown" Hugo was a great spot for our shows. Because of a great committee and volunteers, a great site and host and dumb luck with great weather - we had two successful shows. If you want to get involved with helping at the shows next year, let me know.

Coming right up is the Chapter Holiday Party on Saturday, December 2nd at Lord Fletchers on Lake Minnetonka. Contact Jim and Andrina Ringquist for reservations, 763 682-5423.

The Annual Chapter Membership Meeting is set for Saturday, January 6th. This is the time for the Chapter elections. Three

positions will be up for election: President, Treasurer, and one Director. If you are interested in running, please call me. Hope you can make the Annual Membership Meeting.

Have a great fall,

Dean Elstad, President
763 560-9191
goldavanti@netzero.net

Upcoming Election of Club Officers and Director for 2007/08

Are you interested in serving your club in an elected position? Have I got a deal for you!

Just call or email me and I will take care of the rest. I will discuss with you the minimum expectations for your commitment, how to campaign (no negative TV ads will be allowed!) and will personally nominate you for the position, including an embellished and colorful nomination speech.

At the January Annual Meeting, we will have elections for the following positions:

Odd Year Director (Maynard Lemke currently serving)
Treasurer (Joan Lemke currently serving)
President (Dean Elstad currently serving)

Maynard, Joan and Dean are running for their positions again but if you are interested in running, give me a call. We will take nominations from the floor and if you can't attend the meeting, I will nominate you!

The other officers who are not up for re-election this year:

Even Year Director (Jim Rock)
Secretary (Fern Gieselman)
Vice President (Jim Ringquist)

Again, we appreciate all the folks that do things for the club: your support, your dues, your attending events and meetings. I just want to make sure you have the opportunity to become even more involved if you are willing to serve.

Dean Elstad, President
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North Star Minutes. . . Oct 6th

Minutes North Star Chapter Studebaker Drivers Club. October 6, 2006 - Old Country Buffet, Fridley. Nineteen members were present at the October North Star Chapter Studebakers Drivers Club Meeting. (Continued)

DIRECTORY OF OFFICERS

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Vice President: Richard Dormois
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Treasurer: Brian Milette

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MAY	Apr 10th	Apr 20th
JUN	May 10th	May 20th
JUL	Jun 10th	Jun 20th
AUG	Jul 10th	Jul 20th
SEP	Aug 10th	Aug 20th
OCT	Sep 10th	Sep 20th
NOV/DEC	Nov 1st	Nov 10th

INTERNET LINKS TO CHAPTER RESOURCES

Chapter Web Site:

www.northstarwheel.com

Newsletter Archive:

www.northstarwheel.com/newsletter.html

Chapter Activity Schedule at SDC Web Page

http://studebakerdriversclub.com/ev_MN.asp

Chapter Roster

<http://www.northstarwheel.com/NSCRoster.html>

Bylaws:

www.northstarwheel.com/bylaws.html

Membership Application:

www.northstarwheel.com/join.html

152 Members, 90 Members have email addresses.
28 receive the paperless newsletter version.

From the November, 1964 issue of Popular Mechanics Magazine

Motorized Centipede

Crawling over the countryside near North Plains, Ore., is a queer assemblage of cars and a truck. It is the Centipede, a wagon-train conglomeration for traveling cross-country.

A pair of inventive brothers, Almer and Ervin Wagner, put it together. It consists of four rear halves of car bodies, and the front of a truck.

Each rear-half unit receives power from the front unit through a hinged, continuous drive shaft.



Welcome New Members!

Greg Meyers, Minnetonka, MN

1950 Starlie Turbo Stude

Carl & JoAn Burke, Lake Benton, MN

1954 Commander, 1959 Lark Regal, 1955 Champion Coupe, 1963 Lark Cruiser

Steven & Kathy Cutts, S. St. Paul, MN

1966 Cruiser 4 Door

Tony Berbig, Mayer, MN

1963 Daytona Wagonaire

Michael & Shirley Boyer, Taylors Falls, MN

1950 Pickup, 1962 Lark Convertible

Alvin & Sandra Nordheim, Erskine, MN

1956 Golden Hawk, 1956 Power Hawk, 1962 GT, 1961 1 Ton Truck

Greg Seils, Pequot Lakes, MN

1950 Starlite Coupe

Minutes, Oct 6th, con't. . . .

We had a good showing at the International Meet in Omaha. Ten cars from our club made the trip as well as approximately 50 club members. All total 1243 people from around the country attended. There were 212 cars judged and 139 displayed. Other cars were not counted as they did not register to be judged or displayed. Thanks for a good turn out from our club.

Ed Skomoroh gave an update on the planning for the 2008 Regional Meet being hosted by our club. The Kelly Inn-Best Western at I-494 and Hwy. 55 in Plymouth has been contracted. Fifty rooms will be held until June 1, 2008 at a secured rate of \$84.00 per night. The meal cost will be approximately \$19.00 per person. Promo items have been selling well. It was decided to order 12 more T-shirts and 12 more sweatshirts.

The Annual Meeting will be at the River Inn Steak House in Monticello on Saturday, January 6, 2007. There will be elections of a President, Treasurer and one Director. Please consider running for one of these positions. We would like a full slate of nominations

Next Board Meeting is Tuesday, November 7th at Lunds on Hwy. 55 in Plymouth at 7:00 pm. Any member is welcome to attend. If you have an issue you wish to bring up but cannot attend, contact one of the officers to present it for you. We need to discuss our voting procedure for officers; perhaps a mail in ballot and/or internet ballot so that more of our membership is represented as not everyone comes to the Annual Meeting. This would require a By-Law change.

We will be searching for other sites for our membership meetings so that we can accommodate more of our members and perhaps find sites more accommodating to our needs. We would like to focus more on education, fun and entertainment for our membership and hopefully bring in more of our members to the meetings. Joan presented a thank you note from the Hugo Food Shelf for the donation of fund received from the Labor Day Car show.

Respectfully submitted
Fern Gieselman, Secretary

North Star Minutes. . .Nov 2nd

Minutes North Star Chapter Studebaker Drivers Club. November 2, 2006 - Old Country Buffet, Maplewood. Members present: Joan & Maynard Lemke, Jim & Andy Ringquist, Ed & Jean Skomoroh, Jim & Cheryl Rock, Jim Sebesta, Mike Clasen, Henry Votel, John Block, Mary Block, Todd Block, Dean Elstad, Jim & Fern Gieselman. Member, Mike Clasen, a Navy Reservist, has been called up for duty in Iraq. We are sending him off with a couple of Studebaker shirts. Remember to keep him in your prayers.

The next Board Meeting is Tuesday, November 7. We will be discussing the 2007 Budget, Events Calendar and By-Law changes i.e. dues and voting methods.

Our next regular meeting will be the Annual Meeting at River Inn Steak House in Monticello on January 6th. This is a very important meeting and we look forward to a good attendance as we will be voting on President, Treasurer and one Director as well By-Law Changes. Plan to attend and get involved in the fun.

Maynard gave an overview of the Event Calendar for 2007. There are a couple of months he would like some help filling. Thank you, Maynard, for doing an outstanding job of organizing fun events for club members to show off their Studes.

Ed gave a brief report on the 2008 Zone Meet. There will be regular committee meetings starting shortly. We will need a lot of help with

this event and look for members to step forward and join in the comradery.

Maynard presented pins to members that drove their studebakers to the Omaha International Meet. The pins are in the shape of Nebraska and read "Drove my Stude Omaha 2006". Thanks, Maynard.

Our Christmas Banquet will be December 2nd, at Lord Fletchers in Minnetonka. Please note that there will be no Santa Claus this year as our club dynamics are changing. Kick off your Holiday Season with us at a lovely banquet. This is a festive occasion with many drawings for Studebaker related prizes. Join the fun and meet fellow Studebaker lovers. Mike Clasen won the 50/50 raffle. 50% from the raffle go for the Zone Meet fund.

Respectfully submitted
Fern Gieselman, Secretary

North Star Minutes. . .Nov 7th

North Star Chapter SDC Board of Directors Meeting. November 7, 2006 Plymouth Lund's Community Meeting Room.

Maynard reported on the event calendar. It was decided to continue the Presidents Picnic in July. Skomorohs will once again be able to host a June picnic with a cruise to Pioneer Park in Annandale.

Joan gave the treasurer's report. Checking account \$1859.91 and \$4255.84 in Savings. A check for \$18.00 has not been cashed which she is following up on.

Jim reported on the Christmas Party banquet. M/Maynard S/Joan for club to pick up tab on dessert for members attending the party. Amended motion to \$5.00 maximum for dessert item. Carried. M/Henry S/Fern to reimburse Jim for expenses for gift drawing items and other party expenses. Carried.

Henry reported that our membership is now at 152 member families. This is the biggest in the five state area. He emphasized that all local members must be a member of the International SDC for insurance purposes. Local clubs have in the past paid \$100 per year for this coverage but will be picked up in the future by the SDC International. Henry will cross reference rosters.

Eight member units from our club participated in the Drive for Kids. This is a very worthwhile charitable event that increases our Studebaker visibility. As more members become involved in this event we need to reevaluate our donation and sign up procedure.

Henry Votel presented a revised portion of our by-laws for discussion and revision. M/Jim S/Joan to approve amendment. This will be presented at the Annual Meeting for discussion and approval.

Joan brought up the recent Swap Meet co-hosted by Badger Wheel Chapter and North Star Chapter. M/Maynard S/Jim to reimburse a \$56 deficit. Carried. M/Maynard S/Joan to make the annual Swap Meet an official club activity. Carried. Next year's Swap Meet will be September 22, 2007.

The April club meeting will be at the Blacksmith Lounge in Hugo, site of our Memorial Day and Labor Day car shows.

M/Fern S/Maynard to keep our annual dues at \$15. Carried.

Respectfully submitted
Fern Gieselman, Secretary

Omaha Award Winners.

The following North Star Chapter Members and their Studebakers were recognized at the International:

Division 3

Tim Johnson - 1st
Arnie and Sally Kimble - 2nd
Mike and Jan - 2nd

Division 4

Jim Marciniak - 1st
Jim and Cheryl Rock - 3rd

Division 5

Gene and Lois Bauer - 3rd

Division 8

Todd Langenfeld - 3rd

Division 9

Keith and Karen Rust - 2nd
Tom and Becky Ketelsen - 3rd
Jim and Andy Ringquest - 3rd

Passings & Sunshine.

Keith and Karen Rust wrote that they got a call from Jim Van Dell late yesterday afternoon (October 6th). We had sent a card to Shirley, and she asked him to call to thank us and to clarify her circumstance because the rumor was that she had fallen and broken both hips. What really happened is that she lost her balance when turning around, fell, and broke her upper left thigh bone. They did surgery and put in a pin. She is in a nursing home to recover, and Jim said she is doing well, her spirits are good and she will be back home by Thanksgiving.

He had other news too. Louie Richards passed away October 5th. Our thoughts and prayers are with Joyce and family. Louie and Joyce were in Omaha last week at the show, and Joyce told Keith that they almost lost him a while back, and that this would no doubt be his last trip to a meet. Little did we know that she was right on. We always got such a kick out of Louie. He was always so happy-go-lucky. Whenever we saw him, he would put out his hand and say, "Shake hands with the unemployed!" He was quite a guy.

Chapter Fall Picnic Report.

It was a gorgeous day for a picnic and we had twelve Studebakers. Everyone did a lot of socializing and of course checking out the cars. If you counted the "bees", we had hundreds of guests attending. Ed and Jean Skomoroh brought the Regional Meet 2008 clothing, including the new polo shirts, red no less. They really sold well. After that we got down to the serious business of grilling and eating. The pot luck table was really something else as usual. We brought our Electric George Forman Outdoor Grill which worked beautiful. More socializing and just enjoying the day, we talked the afternoon away. The oldest Studebaker was a beautiful 1948 Land Cruiser, what a great car to cruise the roads with today. Gene and Lois Bauer have volunteered to have the picnic at their home next year. The date is Aug. 25, 2007.

**See you next year,
Maynard and Joan Lemke**

Bumper Guards Repopped.

Dear Studebaker Truck enthusiasts: I have recently completed the lengthy process of reproducing the small vertical bumper guards for M5, M15, and early M16 Studebaker trucks. These high-quality parts were made in mirror-polished 304 stainless steel so that they do not need chrome plating but match the color of

original bumpers. Every detail is exactly as the originals and the fit is correct. Molds for making these parts were made using the original drawings and original bumper guards to assure authenticity. The price is less than the cost of replating old parts. See the attached PDF file for pictures and details.

I now have these available for immediate shipment. Let me know if you would like one or more pairs of these bumper guards at \$200 per pair. Shipping in the U.S. is \$6 per pair. Shipping to the UK via air parcel post is \$21.10 per pair. I also still have decal kits for restoring the M truck instrument and speedometer faces, as well as the odometer wheels. These are priced at \$15 for the complete set, including postage in the U.S.

In addition, I am offering exact reproductions of the 1940s Studebaker parts counter sign at \$400. See <http://www.studegarage.com/sign.htm> for details on these signs and pictures. As always, www.studegarage.com is the place to look for information about restoring your Studebaker M series truck. I have posted several pages about paint codes and serial numbers for many types of Studebaker trucks in the Reference Data section.

Best regards, Gary Ash

1205 Reed Road, Dartmouth, MA 02747, tel: 508-995-9661, mobile: 508-965-4012, fax: 508-995-9662 or www.studegarage.com

Old Tires? Check the Codes.

QUESTION. How can I decipher the code on the sales invoice to assure myself that the tires were manufactured recently?

ANSWER. U.S. DOT Tire Identification Number is on one side of every DOT approved tire. This begins with the letters "DOT" and indicates that the tire meets all federal standards. The next two numbers or letters are the plant code where it was manufactured, and the last four numbers represent the week and year the tire was built. For example, the numbers 3106 means the 31st week of 2006. The other numbers are marketing codes used at the manufacturer's discretion. This information is used to contact consumers if a tire defect requires a recall.

Avanti Opens New Facility.

2006 The Associated Press, Oct. 24, 2006, 12:08AM = Avanti Motor Corp Opens Cancun Factory

MEXICO CITY — Avanti Motor Corp, makers of a luxury, stylish coupe have opened up a new factory in the Mexican resort town of Cancun, the company announced.

In a news release Monday, the Atlanta-based company said the factory started operating last week and aims to produce 400 cars per year. Next to the factory, the company will open a museum of classic Avanti models, the release said.

Avanti cars, which are popular with collectors, were originally introduced by Studebaker a year before the automaker went out of business in 1963. The original Avanti design was by Raymond Loewy for Studebaker as a way to save the flagging firm

Avanti Motor Corp was founded in 1964 and has produced the cars in Ohio and Georgia.

Bagdad Branch to open. . . .

Member Mike Clasen, Chapter Member and proud owner of a 1961 Hawk, will be leaving for Bagdad in December after receiving extensive training at various military facilities. Mike has agreed to establish a Studebaker Branch for the North Star Chapter as part of his official duties.

Mike's expertise is with computers so communications should be received from him regularly. Mike advised he has been studying the Studebaker Telegraph Codes in various Body Parts Manuals and that all messages will be encrypted. At the Chapter Meeting on November 2nd Mike received a North Star Chapter 2008 Zone Meet T-Shirt to proudly wear. Several wondered why Mike had no interest in the nice sweat shirts that he was offered.

The Chapter's best wishes go with Mike and we expect him back here in about 1-1/3rd years. Just in time for the 2008 Car Show and Zone Meet. Mike advised his Studebaker will get exercised regularly by his family while he is away. Good luck Mike!

Christmas Party, free Dessert. . .

The Board of Directors have authorized that all those attending the upcoming Christmas Party will receive a free dessert. This will have to do in place of the great desserts that Joan Lemke, (and others?), brought in the past years. Lord Fletcher's has a surcharge on desserts brought in so the Board decided to give Joan, (and others?), a break this year and get them from Lord Fletcher's.

Also as another attraction to encourage your attendance at the Christmas Party the Table Center Pieces will be awarded away by a gift drawing. Santa Claus will not be attending this year either so the event may be very dull for young children, (hint). Jim Ringquist promised it will not be dull for the adult attendees and if it does slow down he will sing a few Christmas songs.

The Reservation Flyer for the Christmas Party is in this newsletter so make your plans and get your reservation to Jim Ringquist soon.

Lost your Membership Roster?

You can always download a copy from the Chapter's Web Site. See Page 2 under Chapter Resources for the URL and other resources. If you are not computer savvy send a note or call the Membership Guy and he will mail you one.

Drive for Kids, Oct. 15, 2006. . . .

What a way to go. The day started out cool, but not too cool for 5 Studebaker's to caravan to the drive starting point at Mounds Park in St. Paul. At the park we were able to pick up our goodie bags and t-shirt. We were treated to Krispy Kreme Doughnuts and coffee.

After adding the 6th and 7th Studebaker at the park plus a couple of brand X classics the tour begins with Jim & Andy taking over the lead with a total of nine cars in our caravan. It looks like this is going to be a great day. This is what a car club is all about, touring with friends and showing off our cars for a good cause.

Starting at Mounds Park, picking up Hwy. 61 and heading out, crossed over to Prescott Wis., Hwy. 35 to get on East side of the river. Our first stop was for gas and a break. We stopped 2 more times at rest stops and wayside parks, for sight seeing; and socializing. Crossed the river at Wabasha MN., picked up Hwy. 61 north and headed for Red Wing thru downtown and to the car show. Jim Ringquist was an excellent leader, picking out our stops and wayside parks, way to go.

The Studebakers were parked at the show, all of us got together and went over to the American Legion for the lunch put on for the drivers. Red Wing has their Art and Craft Out Door Show on the same day. There are about 2 streets block off in the downtown area for the show. After lunch four of the ladies went to the show, and some stayed with the cars. Karen Rust really enjoyed the show and did the most of the buying.

A total of 12 Studebakers were in Red Wing. Arlan, Todd and Gary were directing traffic and parking cars. Everyone was on their own going back home. Stopping at the Red Wing Stoneware show place is a must in our books, joining us at the stoneware store was Jim and Fern and went home with us. Hope to see more of you for next year for a great drive.

Your caravan gang,

Jim and Andy, Jim and Fern, Keith and Karen, Gene and Lois, Maynard and Joan, Harry and Betty, Vern and Geri, John, Todd, Mary and Heidi



Locations for Meetings. . . .

The Board is requesting Members suggest locations that they think might be suitable for Membership Meetings. The requirements generally sought are a private room that can accommodate dinner meeting for 30-40±, a buffet type menu is preferable, well ventilated and generally within the Hennepin, Anoka, Ramsey or Washington County areas or pretty close to those boundaries. The Board understands the difficulties in having meetings nearby members locations and the problem is simply that our membership is spread out so far Statewide, but most members are in the Metropolitan area. If you have a spot to suggest contact Dean Elstad.

Bad Emails. . . .

If your email is listed below our records show your newsletter is bouncing. Please check your ISP or if your email address has changed let the Newsletter Guy know at: gudim1@isd.net.

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North Star Chapter's Annual *Christmas Party* Saturday, December 2, 2006



Social Hour 11:00 – Noon • Dinner at 12:00

DIRECTIONS:

From Hwy. 7: Take Hwy. 7 west from I-494. Follow 7 west to Cty. Rd. 19 near Excelsior. Turn right on Cty. Rd. 19 and go north 5 miles. Go straight through stoplights for 1/2 mile. Turn left on Cty. Rd. 51. Lord Fletcher's is at the corner of 19 and 51.

From Hwy. 394: Take I-394 west from Minneapolis. Follow 1-1/2 miles past the Wayzata exit. Go west on Cty. Rd. 15 for 5 miles. Turn right at the the first set of stoplights (Cty. Rd. 19). Go north on Cty. Rd. 19 for 1/2 mile and turn left on Cty. Rd. 51. Lord Fletcher's is at the corner of 19 and 51.

3746 Sunset Drive
Spring Park, MN 55384
952-471-8513

Please fill out the attached form and send your check and form to:

Jim & Andy Ringquist
2863 30th St. SE
Buffalo, MN 55313

763/682-5423

Make checks payable to:
James Ringquist



Mail your Christmas Party reservation to the Ringquists by November 24th.

Christmas Party Dinner Selection

Fletcher's Walleye, **\$22.00**

Marinated Grilled Chicken Breast, **\$19.10**

Marinated Grilled Petit Filet, **\$24.25**

Linguine, **\$15.30**

Children – Hamburger and Fries, **\$12.00**

Children – Chicken Fingers and Fries, **\$12.00**

Child's menu includes Fruit and Beverage

_____ Adults

_____ Adults

_____ Adults

_____ Adults

_____ Children

_____ Children

Final Total: \$ _____



Have a great time and support your chapter by joining us at the



ANNUAL BANQUET

Saturday
January 6, 2007



Social Hour: 12:00 - 1:00 p.m. • Dinner at 1:00 p.m. • Meeting & Election of Officers to follow

**DON'T DELAY!
SEND IN YOUR RESERVATION TODAY!**

1. Fill out and clip the meal selection form below.
2. Make out your check for the total amount, payable to: *James Ringquist*
3. Mail your check and the form to:
*Jim & Andy Ringquist
2863 30th St. SE
Buffalo, MN 55313*

SEND IN BY
DEC. 28

If you have questions, call us at 763-682-5423

**River Inn Steakhouse
Saloon & Sports Bar**

Hwy. 25 & 11, Montecello, MN
763-253-2409

Directions: Follow I-94 west of the Twin Cities to the MN-25 exit (exit 193). Turn right onto MN-25 north. Follow to just across the river. Turn left onto CR-11. The River Inn is now on your left. Take first left and park. From the south just follow MN-25 north of Buffalo to Montecello. From the north follow I-94 to Montecello or take Hwy. 10 to Big Lake & south on MN-25.

Your name: _____

Meal Selection	Price	#	\$ Total
1/2-pound Filet Mignon – Salad, Bread & Baked Potato	\$29.00	_____	_____
Roasted Half Chicken – Salad, Bread, Rice Pilaf & Baked Potato	\$19.00	_____	_____
Canadian Walleye – Salad, Bread & Rice Pilaf	\$24.00	_____	_____
Fettucini Alfredo w/Vegetable, Salad & Bread	\$19.00	_____	_____
Grilled Chicken Sandwich on Kaiser Roll with Fries	\$12.50	_____	_____
Angus Burger with Fries	\$11.50	_____	_____
GRAND TOTAL:			\$ _____



North Star Wheel

C/O 6015 190TH STREET
FOREST LAKE, MN 55025
ADDRESS SERVICE REQUESTED



Free Dessert at the upcoming Christmas Party. . . .

FOR SALE, WANTED AND OTHER NOTICES. . . .

FOR SALE - '55 Stude Pickup, Stuck 6 cyl. complete engine, No Trans, Rolling Chassis, Ser# ES-120942, No Title; sorrowful but only \$225. 1954 6 Cyl Champ Engine w/OD trans-complete with starter, gen, etc. - turn over \$225. Raybestos Brake & Clutch Riveting Machine with Motor & Shoe Shaping Drum Model 867. Nice and just \$125. Leo McKenna, Jr. 507-454-3850, (ends Mar/Apr)

FOR SALE - Beautiful 1956 President 4 Door. Original Rust Free Kansas Car, 64,000± Original Miles, 289 V8, Frame up Restoration, National First Place at Omaha, Pictures Available. Price Negotiable. Viril Layton, Austin, MN 507-434-9603, vmlayton@msn.com (ends Mar/Apr)

FOR SALE - 1950 Champion 2 Dr. sedan all there no brakes, 4 tires holding air ,12 volt system, Parkway green color , rusty floors, body restorable not much rust. Will run needs complete restoration . If you take it before the snow comes it's \$600.00. George Martin, 320-274-8486 (ends Mar/Apr)

WANTED - Bolt on backing plate for 2 wire wheel cover baskets. I have 2 good baskets but I am missing the part that bolts to the wheel hub. Leads and proposals appreciated. Leo McKenna, Jr. 507-454-3850, (ends Mar/Apr)

FOR SALE - C&K Stainless Steel moldings & Pot Metal Belt Moldings, Quarter windows for C w/glass, Door latches R&L, Hinges R&L, Misc. Clips and special bolts & nuts. '56 Hawk Hood Grille. Right Lower Grille & Housing. J. B. Williams, 507-697-6190, (ends Mar/Apr)

FOR SALE - 62 Lark 4 Door. Complete car been inside since 1985. V8, Auto, Some body dings, light rust. All there, Glass good, Unmolested. Collector Plates, Carb Rebuilt. Motor Turns . In Minneapolis Area, \$1,000 OBO. Want it Gone Steve Hudak, 612-599-4730, (ends Mar/Apr)

WANTED - 1964 Super Lark R2 Daytona Convertible. Top Dollar for the right car. Also seeking 1 1959-60 2 Door Lark. Call Tony 952-955-2848, 763-226-0707(cell), (ends Mar/Apr)

FOR SALE - 1962 GT Hawk with AT, PS, PB, air conditioning (rebuilt compressor is on the car, but has not been run), rebuilt V8, mostly new black paint, rechromed back bumper, trunk overlay polished and painted as original, new seat covers from Phantom (black and white). Needs AC recharged and carpet. This is a southern car. Asking \$10,500, but might entertain partial trade of 1963 2 door or 4 door Lark in drivable condition and cash. Hawk fan shroud in very good condition \$60. Call Scott: 320-234-3649 or 320-864-4648 (work) or: wd0fli@hutchtel.net (ends Mar/Apr)

FOR SALE - Passed along from a Member who noted information: 39' Studebaker Champion \$1200 and a 47' Studebaker Pickup \$1000. Located on the south side of Cornell, WI on Hwy. 27 (I saw he had some of these out on his lawn when driving by about a month ago.) 715 239-6398 or 715 556-8308. (ends Jan/Feb)

FOR SALE - 1966 Cruiser for sale: Good running V8, auto, new kingpins and bushings, excellent disc brakes, rebuilt carburetor, restored radio. New starter and distributor within last 2 years. Front seat torn up a bit, but back seat almost untouched. No overheating problems. Comes with NOS front fenders and front valance as well as other miscellaneous parts. Needs some floor work in front, some work on trunk floor and new rocker panels. Car is black with gold interior. Asking \$2000. Scott Miller 320-234-3649. (ends Jan/Feb)

FOR SALE - For Sale: Custom made Topper, made professionally, in the mid 1990's, like new, for 6 foot 2R5 pickup \$225. 1959 Silver Hawk for parts or restore, bad floor, no front fenders, good doors, rear quarters are rust free from 53-56 coupe, 259 engine, auto trans, PS, have title \$500. Can email pictures rogermaryj@usfamily.net, Roger James, Buffalo, MN area 763-682-3111. (ends Jan/Feb)

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