



Central Texas Region AACA  
Austin, Texas

## **56<sup>th</sup> ANNUAL TEXAS TOUR**

### **May 28-31, 2009**

## **FREDERICKSBURG, TEXAS**

Headquarters Hotel: Fredericksburg Inn and Suites

The Inn is located on the picturesque Barons Creek - - just two blocks from historic downtown Main Street in the heart of the quaint shopping district.

Make reservations while rooms are still available. Toll free number: (800)446-0202

You must state that the reservation is for the "TEXAS TOUR" to receive the discounted rates below.

Room with Traditional King Bed - \$105.00 ..... Room with Two Queen Beds \$105.00

Suite - \$125.00 (Suites feature a private master bedroom with king-size bed and a sleeper sofa)

Cutoff date for the group rate is April 28, 2009. (There are no elevators so individuals who cannot climb a flight of stairs to get to the second floor should state that when making their reservations.)

Secondary Hotel: Best Western (830)992-2929 Located at 341 E. Highway Street – about ½ mile away.

You must state that the reservation is for the "TEXAS TOUR" to receive the discounted rates below.

Room with Traditional King Bed - \$109.00 ..... Room with Two Queen Beds \$119.00

Cutoff date for the group rate is April 25, 2009.

Various Early Bird activities including tickets to the National Museum of the Pacific War (Nimitz Museum), shopping on main street, and a good old Texas BBQ are planned for Thursday.

Car judging is Friday morning on the grassy grounds of the Lady Bird Johnson Municipal Park, with special entertainment provided during this event. Lunch will be provided after the car games, followed by a short tour in the afternoon to visit a collection of antique autos and other sites of interest. The day will be concluded with a Mexican fiesta dinner.

Saturday includes the main driving tour through the picturesque hill country, lunch at the LBJ Ranch, and an interesting stroll through Texas history. The Awards Banquet and Style Show will round out the evening in the Grand Ballroom at the Nimitz Museum.

.... as they say in the Peach capital of Texas, Willkommen! And we guarantee to make you feel welcome when you come to spend some time in a quiet little German town with lots of history. Relax poolside or pull up a chair along Barons Creek with some good food, laughter, and lots of interesting stories about old cars.

For additional information contact

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## *Style Show Entrant Information*

The Style Show is an ongoing tradition dating from the very earliest days of the Texas Tour. You are most cordially invited to participate and help to continue this entertaining and informative presentation. Your entry represents much forethought and effort, and is very deeply appreciated.

If you have vintage clothing you would like to display but cannot model, we will make arrangements for others to model the garments, or we can display them on mannequins at the Style Show.

The Style Show will take place immediately after dinner Saturday evening.

Style Show classes are as follows:

1. Children through age 12.
2. Ladies costumes 1900-1919
3. Ladies costumes 1920-1929
4. Ladies costumes 1930-1942
5. Ladies costumes 1943-1950
6. Ladies costumes 1951-1959
7. Ladies costumes 1960-1984
8. Specialty class: All years – includes uniforms, bathing suits, sportswear, nightgowns, etc.
9. Men, Antique Costumes, All years through 1984
10. Couples, Antique Costumes, All years through 1984
11. Reproductions, All years
12. Potpourri through 1984 – One individual item can be shown. Not necessary to have a complete outfit.

Classes may be added or removed as determined by the style show committee.

PLEASE TYPE OR PRINT COSTUME DESCRIPTIONS VERY LEGIBLY, AS THE STYLE SHOW ENTRY FORM WILL BE USED BY THE COMMENTATOR TO DESCRIBE YOUR ENTRY. THE EASIER IT IS TO READ, THE BETTER YOUR PRESENTATION WILL BE.

A cash drawing for \$50 will be held to award one participant who has submitted his or her style show registration by May 1, 2009.

Make copies of this entry form for additional entries, if needed.

All registrations must be submitted to the registration desk by Friday, May 29, 2009 at 10:00 AM.

For additional information contact: June Peterson-Crane at (979)865-1700 or (281)814-2392 (Cell)



# *Texas Tour Car Judging and Awards*

## *Classes*

The 24 classes listed below are traditionally judged on the Texas Tour. Classes may be combined, modified, or eliminated based on the number of entries or at the discretion of the sponsoring club.

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| 1. All steam, electric, high-wheelers    | 13. 1939-1948 Closed Cars   |
| 2. All 1 & 2 cylinders                   | 14. 1925-1934 Classic Cars  |
| 3. Through 1916 with 4 or more cylinders | 15. 1935-1948 Classic Cars  |
| 4. 1909-1916 Brass T Fords               | 16. 1949-1958 Open Cars   |
| 5. 1917-1927 Steel T Fords               | 17. 1949-1958 Closed Cars   |
| 6. 1917-1927 4 cylinders (except Fords)  | 18. 1959-1968 Open Cars   |
| 7. 1917-1927 More than 4 cylinders       | 19. 1959-1968 Closed Cars   |
| 8. 1928-1931 Model A Fords Open          | 20. 1969 through 1984 Closed Cars   |
| 9. 1928-1931 Model A Fords Closed        | 21. 1969 through 1984 Open Cars   |
| 10. 1928-1938 Open Cars                  | 22. All through 1941 Commercial   |
| 11. 1928-1938 Closed Cars                | 23. 1941-1984 Commercial  |
| 12. 1939-1948 Open Cars                  | 24. All through 1984 Special Interest<br>(includes motorcycles, military ...) |

## *Special Awards*

In addition to the first, second, and third place class awards, the following special trophies will be awarded:

### **Most Popular Car**

Chosen by vote of the tour participants

### **Jim & Jane Davie Memorial Trophy – Best Owner Restored Car (rotating award)**

Determined by restoration excellence and the percentage of work performed by the owner

### **Winthrop Rockefeller Award – Best Classic Car (rotating award)**

Best “classic” car driven on tour

### **Pate Museum of Transportation Award – Best Original Car (rotating award)**

### **Walker Edwards Award – Best Commercial Vehicle (rotating award)**

Best commercial vehicle driven on tour

### **Beverly Slimp Award – Best Brass T (rotating award)**

Best brass era Model T driven on tour

### **Beverly Slimp Award – Best Steel T (rotating award)**

Best steel era Model T driven on tour

### **Chairman’s Choice Award**

Originated in recent years to recognize the current tour chairman’s “favorite” vehicle in attendance.

### **Breck Wagner Award (rotating award)**

Best Orphan Car

### **Kristi’s Choice Award (rotating award)**

Best Car from the 1960’s

### **Oldest Car Completing Tour (rotating award)**

### **Car Driven Farthest (to attend the tour)**

### **Car Trailered Farthest (to attend the tour)**

### **Oldest Driver**

### **Youngest Driver**

# REGISTRATION FORM

## 56th Texas Tour

hosted by the

*Central Texas Region - Antique Automobile Club of America*

Please Note the Following:

PLEASE "PRE-REGISTER". WE WOULD LIKE TO LIST ALL TOUR PARTICIPANTS IN THE TOUR BOOK. PUBLICATION DEADLINE IS MAY 1, 2009. FULL REFUNDS WILL BE MADE FOR ALL REQUESTS RECEIVED PRIOR TO MAY 1, 2009. AFTER THIS DATE, REFUNDS WILL BE LEFT TO THE DISCRETION OF THE TEXAS TOUR COMMITTEE.

THE DEADLINE FOR "PRE-REGISTRATION" IS MAY 1, 2009. TO ENCOURAGE EARLY PRE-REGISTRATION, A DRAWING WILL BE HELD FOR A CASH PRIZES FROM ALL PAID REGISTRATIONS RECEIVED BY MAY 1, 2009. Late registrations will be accepted as long as space permits, although it would help us tremendously with our reservation head count if you would register by May 1, 2009.

Return the completed registration form and a check (payable to "Central Texas Region - AACAA") to:

Vic Donnell - Registration Chairman  
1801 Woods Loop  
Driftwood, TX 78619

If you have questions, please contact Vic Donnell at (512)894-4267 or at vic.donnell@yahoo.com

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Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Phone Number: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_ City: \_\_\_\_\_ State: \_\_\_\_ Zip: \_\_\_\_\_

E-Mail Address: \_\_\_\_\_

REGISTRANTS	COST	TOTALS
Car and Driver (Name)	\$ 120.00	
Passengers (Names)	\$ 115.00	
Children under 12 years of age (Names)	\$ 65.00	
TOTAL ENCLOSED		

MAKE OF CAR: \_\_\_\_\_ BODY STYLE: \_\_\_\_\_ YEAR: \_\_\_\_\_

I (WE) RELEASE THE CENTRAL TEXAS REGION - AACAA, THE TEXAS TOUR COMMITTEE MEMBERS, AND THE TEXAS TOUR FROM ANY AND ALL LIABILITIES ARISING FROM PARTICIPATION IN THIS YEAR'S 56<sup>th</sup> ANNUAL TEXAS TOUR. I CERTIFY THAT I HAVE PUBLIC LIABILITY AND OTHER ADEQUATE INSURANCE ON MY AUTOMOBILE, I UNDERSTAND THAT A FIRE EXTINGUISHER IS REQUIRED IN ALL ANTIQUE VEHICLES.

SIGNATURE: \_\_\_\_\_ DATE: \_\_\_\_\_

I (we) are planning to attend the following functions. Please reserve space for the number of individuals indicated below. (This information will be used to help the Tour Committee ensure appropriate seating is available for all participants.)

<b>FUNCTION</b>	<b>NUMBER of ATTENDEES</b>
Thursday Evening BBQ Dinner at the Fredericksburg Inn & Suites	
Ladies Activity (at same time as Car Judging) – (Friday Morning)	
Luncheon on Tour - (Friday)	
Dinner Banquet – (Friday Evening)	
Luncheon on Tour - (Saturday)	
Dinner Banquet – (Saturday Evening)	

Please mail me a listing of additional facilities for:

<b>DESIRED FACILITIES</b>	<b>INDICATE WITH AN “X”</b>
Accommodations for Recreational Vehicles	
Additional area hotels and motels (other than the Tour Headquarters)	

Helpful Information:

	<b>“YES” or “NO”</b>
Will need space for trailer and or tow vehicle parking.	
Will this be the first Texas Tour you attend?	
Will you be entering your car for the judging on Friday morning?	
I have vintage clothing I am willing to share with others to model in the Style Show - - or to place on a mannequin for display at the show.	

**OPTIONAL:**

I am qualified to judge the following, and I am interested in assisting in the judging of the following activities.

Please contact me with details for the following:

<b>ACTIVITIES TO BE JUDGED</b>	<b>INDICATE WITH AN “X”</b>
Judging of Vehicles	
Judging for Style Show	