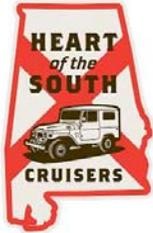




*Heart of the South Cruisers, Toyota Land Cruiser Association Chapter
A fellowship for all Toyota 4x4 owners and Toyota off-road enthusiasts*



November 2013 Newsletter



CALENDAR EVENTS

Next Monthly Meeting:

December 14th

8:30 a.m.

Bill Penney Toyota

*Scheduled Events:
Monthly meeting*

Heart of the South Cruisers purpose statement:

HOT South Cruisers is a growing group with a positive attitude and desire to have fun as we help one another in skills and projects.

Officers

Steve Lawrence
President

Roma Scosyrev
Vice President

Michael Blake
Secretary

Chris Davis
TLCA Rep.

Paul Howell
Trail Boss

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Next Meeting Agenda

Monthly club meeting.

Club T-shirts are in!

Get yours at the meeting.

I still need your MUD handle, if you are a member. I will include this info on the club roster.

Thanks,
Michael <><

Swap Shop

Parts Needed

Parts for Sale

Used half tub \$250.00 Kyle

Lots of 71'/72' FJ40 parts Ryan

Parting out an 86'/87' FJ60's call for availability and pricing
- Michael Blake

List of Off road parks in the area: (contact Paul Howell with suggested additions to this list)

Hale Mountain, 83 Big Rock Ln, New Market AL

Stoney Lonesome, 10075 AL Hwy 69 South, Bremen AL 35033

Gray Rock, 7468 Old Mt Olive Road, Gardendale, Alabama

Golden Mountain OHV, 6338 Golden Mountain Rd Sparta TN

Morris Mountain ORV, 1524 Henry Davis Rd, Delta AL 36258

Choccoloco Mountain OHV, 1312 Louise Dr SE, Jacksonville, AL 36265

Minutes from the November 9th meeting

There were 17 members in attendance.

There was a welcome time with reports of rig building status and introductions.

T shirts were passed out.

Brett is now sponsoring our club through his business Fusion Works Fabrication. He is offering 15% off on fabrication work.

TLCA report was given.

WAAY 31 Christmas Parade update was given by Tucker Weir, in Al's absence. Big Al is the point man to make this happen.

Steve will be looking into business cards for the club.

We are starting a pictorial directory of our club members. Please send a picture of you and your rig/rigs to the club secretary.

A club outing has been suggested by Craig to the Huntsville animal park, in the spring.

The next meeting is December 14th at Bill Penney Toyota.

From the Trail Boss

Lowell, Josh, Kyle and I left out after the meeting and we ended up meeting Jason Braswell (the new transfer from Texas), and Mark in a jeep who is one of Lowell's friends. We all rode for about 3 hours taking pictures and testing the leaf covered fall trails to see what obstacles lay beneath. Around 3pm most everyone headed home and that left Lowell, Kyle and myself to tackle a bit rougher trail. Lowell fought his way up it and showed just how amazing these FJ's are straight out of the box from Mr. T.



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President's Corner

Greetings everyone,

Hope you are all doing well and ready for the holidays. I have my Daughter and her boyfriend visiting this week and to say the least, I've been busy! Haven't had much time to work on Olivia (the FJ40) but I did manage to get the steering stabilizer mounted and buttoned up the gauge panel. Being electrical illiterate I'm still trying to figure out how to get power to the fuel gauge and the after market water temperature gauge at the same time! I think I have it figured out and need to jump it from the water temp over to the fuel gauge. Same with the lights. It looks like Toyota did it, so it should be good for aftermarket too. Either way I will be driving it to the meeting on December 14. Hope everyone has a Happy Thanksgiving!

Keep in granny low,
Steve

Club Highlights and Spotlights

I'm still in need of suggestions on the type of information you want to see in the newsletter. I also need more parts to list in the "Parts for Sale" section. Don't be bashful. I can also use ideas and material for articles on a monthly basis. I can be reached at 256-508-9282 or michaelbb7@juno.com.

Visit our club page on IH8Mud's clubhouse forum <http://forum.ih8mud.com/al-hot-south-cruisers/>

"Renew your TLCA membership at <http://tlca.org/>"

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