

THUNDER ROAD, VOL 43

The Central Florida Thunderbird Club

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On **June 13th**, six of our members entered the **B.O.S.S. (Best-of-Show Series) Car Show** in The Villages at Mulberry Shopping Center. This was open to any car or truck from 1900-2002. Don Bartlet got a trophy for Best Original and Craig Cook got trophies for Best Modified and for Best Decorated. Congratuations!



Don Bartlet, '57 – Best Original



Craig Cook, '57 – Best Modified and Best Decorated



Larry Witte and the beautiful '57 Bronze TBird



Ralph Cowell and his '57 Peacock Blue TBird.



Doug Terry and his red '55



Jerry Peretti and his beautiful black Thunderbird Roadster

TRINITY SPRINGS SHOW

On **Saturday, June 20th**, several of us displayed our cars at Trinity Springs Retirement Community. Shortly after getting into place it began to rain – hard. Larry Dambrose and Ralph and Gloria Simonson called it a day at that point. The rest of us ran for cover inside and that was pretty much the end of the car display. But, inside we ate good and enjoyed an Elvis impersonation show. Because of the rain, the residents did not get a proper chance to see the birds. But, before the rain came, enough residents of Trinity Springs looked at and voted for their favorite – Larry Witte's Bronze '57. We are contemplating bringing the classics back to Trinity Springs for an hour in the morning in early August. Hopefully it will be cooler in the morning and no rain.



Thanks to David Meinz, Nancy Felmlee and Kelly Klem for their cool 1950s attire.



David Witte with his trophy. Then he went home in his other TBird, Kelly and Randy took his bronze 'Bird.



Ralph & Gloria Simonson's '56 Sage Green beauty.



Carole and Ralph with our hostess, Jasmine Harris, who set up this event. We hope to do this again – without the rain. Contemplating bringing the classics back to Trinity Springs for an hour in the morning in early August.

UPCOMING EVENTS

Because of the Country's July 250-years-birthday celebrations
there will be no Club event in July.

Happy Birthday to the United States!!

******FRIDAY, NOVEMBER 20, 5-8PM, SUMTER LANDING******

WE HAVE 52 SPACES FOR THE CAR SHOW.
CARS OF ALL YEARS ARE ELIGIBLE. THIS WILL BE THE BIGGEST SHOW OF
THE YEAR IN THE VILLAGES. IT WOULD BE GREAT TO FILL ALL THOSE
SPACES. RSVP: RALPH – ROTARYRALPH@HOTMAIL.COM

