



**February 1, 2011**

- **January Meeting** The January 2011 CVSR Meeting was held at Green Mountain Foam Products Saturday morning January 8. Much like the visit to Vermont Engine and other places the foam guys know their business and are more than willing to share info. They have just about anything you need in the way of upholstery supplies and tools for street rod upholstery or your favorite chair and they will help you do the work or can do the job for you. Ten members attended with Bob and Janet joining the group afterward for a great lunch at Hoagie's Pizza and Pasta in Essex Center.



- **Scavenger Run and Rod Repair Shop**. While at Hoagie's Pizza and Pasta club members who were present voted 100% to do the Rod Shop and the Scavenger Run at the Northeast Street Rod Nationals again this September. The Rod Repair Shop will no doubt operate in the same manner, as we have that pretty well down pat. We can gain from our successful Scavenger Run of 2010 and make it better with just one winner and some other improvements here and there.
- **February Meeting** Tim and Gary have firmed up our February Club Meeting. We will be going to the University of Vermont where Tim will give us a lesson on the aspects of using the club web site, ChamplainValleyStreetRodders.com. The meeting will be on **Saturday, Feb 26 at 10 AM** in the Patrick Gym at UVM. Everyone is to meet in the lobby of Patrick Gym and Gary will escort us to the classroom we will be using. Be sure to allow time to get there as we will leave the lobby and proceed to somewhere in the building that only Gary knows about! To get to the Patrick Gym go to Spear Street off of Williston Road in Burlington. A short distance south on Spear Street there is a huge three level parking facility on your right. Parking is free. Park and walk up the hill to the Patrick Gym and meet in the lobby. For further information call Gary, Tim or Art. This is not a meeting at an automotive business so we can firm up the annual club Dinner/Party and address any other business that needs addressing. Winter club meeting locations for March and April are quickly evaporating so we must work on that.

- **Fellow Pages**. Most of us are members of NSRA and thus get the Fellow Pages which is a booklet listing many NSRA members all across the USA. If you are in trouble you can refer to the Fellow Pages and no doubt find someone to help you out if your car breaks down somewhere. Your Secretary used the Fellow Pages one time in Buffalo NY and thus found a welding shop to weld up a motor mount. We have had a couple of calls in the past from some folks in our area in need of our help.

Here is an excerpt from the latest issue of StreetScene Magazine, Page 10 in the "Write of Way":

...The third call was a charm! Ron reached Jan Hemsted of Essex and asked him if he knew where we could get a module for our distributor. Jan replied. "Where are you? I will be there in 30 minutes." Twenty minutes later Jan, a man we had never met, showed up with the complete distributor in hand and gave it to us and offered to help get us going. He said it was just sitting on a shelf in the garage and he wanted us to have it. What a shock!

...Jan even called to make sure we were all set. Our thanks to all that helped and for the Fellow Pages. Our message to all street rodders is "Do not leave home without the Fellow pages".

Ron and Carol Gray, Orrington, ME

- **More Fellow Pages** It is time once again to submit to NSRA a listing of club members who want to be in Fellow Pages. Your Secretary will submit last year's list. If you do not wish to be listed please let your Secretary know ASAP.
- **Grandkids are great!** Jan Hemsted and Art Stultz are feeling their age about now as they both have grandchildren coming up through school that are doing well in sports. Checking the Free Press these days we see that Dylan Hemsted is doing very well as a wrestler with Milton High School. He recently finished third in his weight class in a big 15 team Invitational Wrestling Meet. Mallory Stultz is in the top three in all four events on her Lawton Middle School Gymnastics Team. (Now...if I can just get her to change the oil in my street rod!)
- **Hagerty Insurance** Hagerty Insurance has quite a nice article on the Internet about building a car, safety features and what to carry in your car for safety such as flares, fix-a-flat, etc. Check it out!  
[www.Hagerty.com](http://www.Hagerty.com)



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