



# Road Angels Tailpipes

Monthly Newsletter of Who, What, Where & When

## From the Prez

As always, welcome to this month's issue of the Tailpipes.

To our Car Show Participants, Sponsors and Spectators, after careful thought and consideration based on many factors, the Club has made the decision to cancel the Doylestown Road Angels Car Show, scheduled for July 12, 2020 at Middle Bucks School of Technology. This decision is due to the ongoing COVID-19 community health and safety concerns and mandates currently in place for Pennsylvania and Bucks County. This decision was not easy as we were hoping for an abeyance of the situation.

As a result, all vehicle registrations, & vendor spaces purchased for the original event date will be automatically transferred to next year's 2021 Show.

We appreciate your continued support, patience and understanding as we all work through these fluid and uncertain times. If you have any questions, please email me at [altursi@gmail.com](mailto:altursi@gmail.com)

Thank you for your continued support.

With the COVID19 virus outbreak we continue utilizing virtual meetings. It has been a new learning experience for our Club using a higher level of technology than we may be used to but, I am proud to say, the meetings have been going well. Thanks all for your participation.

Thank you to all of our Car Show Sponsors and volunteers for helping us produce a fantastic Car Show in 2019 with over 500 cars and trucks. Many of our sponsors are shown at the end of the newsletter. Please consider supporting them.

The Club agreed to bring a canned food good or personal items to our meetings each month to be donated to the Food Larder at the New Britain Baptist Church, 22 E. Butler Ave. New Britain, PA 18901. Since we have not been having physical meetings, members have been dropping goods off at the Food Larder in the name of the Road Angels. Again, great job Road Angels! Keep up the good work.



### THANK YOU!

Thank you for your continued interest in the Road Angels of Doylestown and, of course, your support as we strive to support local organizations.

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## Shop Safety

While we are still stuck at home, I thought rodders might be working on their cars.

Working on your own street rod can save you money, but it can also be dangerous work.

Here are some bullet points related to shop safety:

- DO NOT attempt repairs that are beyond your ability
- Know your physical limits
- Do not smoke while working on your rod especially when working around the battery and fuel system
- Make sure you have a fire extinguisher within reach
- Use good quality floor jacks and jack stands. Harbor Freight has had a recent recall on jack stands. Purchase good tools.
- Use heavier duty jack stands for vehicle front (6 ton – front; 3 ton – rear)
- Always disconnect one of the battery cables when doing electrical work
- Do not wear loose clothing or jewelry such as rings
- Watch out for moving parts such as fan and fan belt
- Watch out for hot stuff such as headers exhaust manifold, exhaust system etc.
- Never open a radiator cap while system is hot and pressurized
- Wear eye protection when working under your rod
- Wear ear protection when needed
- Wear OSHA approved breathing protection when working with paint and chemicals. A dust mask will not provide adequate protection.

Inspired by an article written by AA1Car