

MINI KAR UNIT

Thought I would send in a short report on the Mini Kar Unit. The Covid situation has basically cancelled ALL of our parades, car shows, displays, and fund-raising events, however we have been busy as a Unit since 2020 began.....we met as a unit for our annual meeting before things shut down. We had planned on gathering once a month for a Unit informal breakfast.....a schedule was drawn up and 3 were well attended before restaurants closed.....we will start them up again as soon as it is possible..... a great way to keep informed especially during the dreary winter months.

This “shut down” time has given our maintenance chairman, Noble Jim Atkinson a chance to do some cosmetic repairs on our Chevy Suburban tow vehicle....good time to correct several small rust issues with removal, and welded patchwork, followed by great paintwork. The 17 year old Burb, with 90% original paint, has a new lease on serving Luxor with these well done repairs. While the truck was in Jim's garage, he repaired the rear wiper, dropped the fuel tank and installed a new sending unit so we don't run out of gas, and made several other minor repairs to increase “creature comforts”!!!! The Nobles of the Mini Kar Unit give a “tip of the Fez” to Noble Jim.....

In the dozen plus years we have been driving the Mini Kars, their steering components and brake systems have had a lot of use, so we have engineered a new mounting system for the handlebars. Once the Burb is out of the garage, we will unload the Kars and upgrade all the steering systems, adjust the brake units, service and get them ready for a busy 2021 parade schedule. Even with all the repairs and upgrades, because we haven't had too many other expenses (fuel, oil changes, PLPD insurance, etc,etc) we hope to be able to honour our financial support to the 2021 Potentate, if only on a slightly smaller scale.

If we start having monthly breakfasts again soon, I will post the schedule on this web form so that any Luxor Noble who would like to join us can do so!!!! See you all whenever we get to have another ceremonial, stated meeting, or Unit Breakfast.....

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Noble Rick Wood,
President