

## **VP Corner by Fred Nelson**

When I joined Groove VWS my original intent was an information resource. But I quickly found my self around a lifestyle, around a group of people who not only are out to have fun but who also care about their community and fellow man as well as each other. People who go that extra mile to help each other and if they can't help; at least they point you in a direction where you can get the help or answers you need.

It is very refreshing to have found such a group in this day and time. It is obvious to me that Groove is out to have fun in whatever they do, and that's ok, that's part of what life is all about. Enjoying life in whatever you pursue. I see many different backgrounds, upbringings, and lifestyles just within the Groove members that attend our meetings regularly. We all have a common interest in the VW and no matter what else is different we all seem to be on the same page when it comes to the enjoyment of the VW.

I can honestly say that I look forward to a long relationship/friendship with all of you and I hope in my duties as VP, I not only help the club grow but that I also show to others the enjoyment of owning an icon of history.

Know that I am here for anyone of you and not just in club related issues. If you need a hand on the homestead or break down on the road don't hesitate to call me.

Your current VP.....Fred

## **GROOVE's Calendar Of Events 2009**

**March 14th**, Saturday - Springfield's St Patrick's Day parade 2 pm

**March 21st**, Saturday, Meeting @ Allen & Marion Penrod's 4 pm, Springfield/MO  
(GROOVE provides burgers & hot dogs) bring a side & byob.

**April 18th**, Saturday, Meeting @ Springfield Imports @ 2pm.  
2nd Annual Scavenger Hunt to follow.

**May 9th**, Saturday, Meeting/Trophy Build/Goody Bag Stuffing for JBJ 15  
@ Duane & Kathy Duff's Home 2pm, Springfield/MO

**BJJ XV - June 12-13, 2009, "RED, WHITE & BUGS"**  
**American Legion Hall, Campout, Show & Slo Drags**

**July 25th**, Saturday, Meeting/BBQ/Pool Party @ Jay & Vicky's Home  
(GROOVE provides meat—bring a side dish)  
(Backyard Drive In, Campout & Breakfast)

**August 15th**, Saturday, Meeting & Seymour Drive In (more info to follow)

**September 12th**, Saturday, Meeting, Cruisin' the Ozarks & 3rd Annual Wild Hat Party  
@ Mark & Tina Solari's, Kissee Mills/MO.

**October 11th**, Saturday, Meeting & Halloween Party @ Al & Becky Conway's, Rogersville/MO,  
6:00pmish (GROOVE Provides meat, bring a side)

**November 7th**, Saturday, C of O Homecoming Parade, Point Lookout/MO (line-up @ 1pm)

**November 8th**, Sunday, Crosslines Cruise (meet @ 1:30 @ Kickapoo High School)  
Meeting @ NOON, K-Mart Snack Bar, South Campbell.

**More To Follow On Each Event**