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CALENDAR OF EVENTS

JUNE 12-15 1997
PONTIAC EXCITEMENT NATIONALS
NATIONAL TRAIL RACEWAY
COLUMBUS, OHIO

JUNE 14, 1997 B-97 LISTENER APPRECIATION CLIPPER STADIUM COLUMBUS, OHIO

JUNE 14, 1997
JAYCEES CRUISE IN
McCONNELLSVILLE SQUARE 3-10PM
McCONNELLSVILLE OH

JUNE 21, 1997
1ST ANNUAL CHARITY CAR & TRUCK
SHOW
RAIN DATE JUNE 22
MT. STERLING, OH

JULY 1-5, 1997 GTOAA NATIONALS ATLANTA GA

JULY 12, 1997 CANAL DAYS CELEBRATION JOHN GELLER PARK HEATH, OH

JULY 20, 1997 GTOACO SUMMER SHOW DENNIS PONTIAC COLUMBUS, OH

AUGUST 2-3, 1997 SUPERCAR SHOWDOWN NOSTALGIA NATIONALS NATIONAL TRAIL RACEWAY COLUMBUS, OH

AUGUST 8-9, 1997
CRUISIN ON THE RIVERFRONT
CIVIC CENTER DR. & BICENTENNIAL
PARK
COLUMBUS, OH

AUGUST 23, 1997 CAMBRIDGE CRUISE IN MAIN ST. DOWNTOWN 3-8PM CAMBRIDGE, OH

SEPTEMBER 7, 1997 COUNTRY FAIR CRUISE IN COUNTRY FAIR SHOPPING CENTER ZANESVILLE, OH

SEPTEMBER 14, 1997 AUTO TRUCK SHOW MORGAN CO. FAIRGROUNDS 11-4PM MCCONNELLSVILLE, OH

> SEPTEMBER 27, 1997 VINTAGE AUTO SHOW ONE THE SQUARE 11-4PM NEWARK, OH

OCTOBER 5, 1997 OCTOBERFEST SHOW & SHINE MUSKINGUM CO. FAIRGROUNDS 11-4PM ZANESVILLE, OH

February 12 1997 GTOACO Meeting

Meeting called to order by Jim Evans. We had a lot of new faces which Jim introduced. Don Wharton, Ossie & Eric Flowers, John Bleazard.

Swap Meet: was a success. Jim stated some people wanted to raise the price of space. Vendors seemed to do well. Had complaints about trailers in building, Lots of people signed up to be on mailing list. Kevin and his merry helpers pulled of another fine event.

Summer Show: July 20 Show chairman is Dan Gregory whose responsibilities are make sure all judges in line, reg, tabulation, vendors, parking. These each have a chairman and Dan will be checking with them to make sure going ok.

Kevin Johnston & Bill Hartley vendors, Jeff Frazier & Steve Salerno parking.
Registration Pat Hartley, Donna Landis, Nancy Stone, Sue Block., Tabulation Inskeeps, Judging Jim Evans, Door prizes Monetta Johnston, Food Nancy Whaley, Trophies Richard Whaley

There was discussion about left over trophies and what to do with them. Suggestions were participant choice, salesperson choice.

GTOAA Nationals: There is mistake popular vote is only \$10.00 not \$30.00 on registration form. Need to get reservations done now.

Member update: Dan Gregory better known to those who love him as Crazy Dan broke his leg night before the Swap Meet. But he was still there. What a dedicated swap seller. Notice I didn't say swamp seller. Get well soon Dan

Door prize winners: John Cornell & Eric Flowers

Respectfully submitted by Nancy Whaley Secretary

WELCOME NEW MEMBER

DONALD P. WHARTON 535 STONECRESS DRIVE TIPP CITY OH 45371 HOME PHONE NO. 937-667-9333

DONALD WIFE'S NAME IS NINA M. TAN. THEY HAVE 4 CHILDREN. RACHAEL, THERESA, PAUL AND CHRISTOPHER. DONALD OCCUPATION IS AN MD. HE CURRENTY OWNS A 1966 GTO CONVERTIBLE. BARRIER BLUE WITH WHITE TOP. DONALD ENJOYS CAR SHOWS, CRUISES, ETC. DONALD'S CAR IS CURRENTLY IN THE RESTORATION PROGESS.

THE BIGGEST & BEST YET GTO NATIONALS. ATLANTA IS EXPECTING WELL OVER 300 GTO'S FOR THE CONVENTION THIS YEAR. SOME NEW STUFF IS HAPPENING IN 1997. THERE WILL BE CRUISING TO A DRIVE-IN MOVIE TO SEE SOME COOL 60'S MOVIES. THIS WILL BE THE FIRST YEAR OF THE JIM WANGERS INVITATIONAL DRAG RACE. PONTIACS OTHER THAN GTO'S AND REGISTERED CONVENTION CARS WILL BE ALLOWED TO DRAG AND SHOW THEIR STUFF. BESIDES ARNIE BESWICK, THEY WILL HAVE MANY HOT PONTIAC RACERS FROM THE SOUTHEAST AND THE COUNTRY. YOU WILL HAVE A CHANCE TO SEE OLYMPIC VENUES WHILE IN TOWN, AS WELL AS TAKE A TOUR OF ATLANTA HISTORIC HOMES, STONE MOUNTAIN AND POSSIBLY TAKE ADVANTAGE OF THE INCREDIBLE SHOPPING AVAILABLE IN ATLANTA. ALSO, ANY PROFIT SEGTOA MAKES FROM THE AUCTIONS, RAFFLES, ETC. WILL GO TO THE SALVATION ARMY METRO ATLANTA BOYS AND GIRLS CLUBS.

THE SITE IS THE TRULY BEAUTIFUL ATLANTA MARRIOTT GWINNETT PLACE HOTEL OUTSIDE OF THE I-285 PERIMETER, OFF I-85 ON PLEASANT HILL ROAD. THIS AREA IS FULL OF RESTAURANTS AND THINGS TO DO. THE HOTEL PHONE # IS 770-923-1775. WHEN YOU CALL MENTION THE GTO CONVENTION.

FOR INFORMATION CONTACT THE CLUB OFFICERS WHO WILL HAVE GTOAA MEMBERSHIP FORMS AND MEET REGISTRATION FORMS AVAILABLE. IF YOU WANT TO SPEAK TO AN ATLANTA MEET SPECIALIST CALL JON WARD, CHAIRMAN 770-993-8654, DENNY SANFORD CO-CHAIRMAN 770-594-8754, REGISTRATION TERRY LANDERS 770-439-0439 OR VENDOR INFORMATION BOB MOHALLEY 770-396-5957

PONTIAC PARTS FOR SALE

455 four-bolt block {YC}code w/fresh.030 bore

TRW forged pistons {L2359+.030} fitted to same block

Fresh 20/20 crank, oil holes chamfered, journals fillet ground

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ALSO HAVE--- Several 400 short blocks{rebuildable}

and various accessories including 6-X heads, timing covers, etc.

STREET /STRIP ENGINE

462" Forged TRW pistons w/ RA-IV cam, Holley Street Dominator intake, Harland Sharp rockers, Lunati hydraulic lifters, 750cfm Edelbrock Performer Series carburetor {1411}, ARP rod bolts, etc.-CAN HEAR RUN-\$1000.00 {less MSD} MISCELLANEOUS PARTS

1 Pair '69 GTO doors, G/C. 1 pair '68 GTO bucket seats, need covers.

1 '67-69 Firebird decklid w/Camaro spoiler, G/C.'69 taillight bezels {need rechromed}

1 set #142 heads {'67 closed chamber} FRESH& CHEAP! Muncie 4-speed w/original

4-4-2 Hurst shifter-unknown condition. 14"x6" Rally II's. 1 pair '71-2 scoop inserts, also

many various small parts.NO REASONABLE OFFERS REFUSED!!!!!!!!!

Ron Landis {614}852-1742 GTOAA#2396

For Sale

68 GTO parts except as noted:

68 GTO convertible, project car. Good title, VERY disassembled! Rusty floors and trunk. Needs RT. 1/4 Hood, engine, rear bumper etc. Has NOS Lt. 1/4 installed. Good doors, Texas nose, good core support.

Additional Convertible frame

Decent - Hard to locate!

68 Tempest 350 short block

? Cheap!

Rt. Ht. 1/4, NOS. Has been cut but still very useable.

2 Convertible interiors, White. & Black, door panels, console. Decent

Ht int. White, part of a Blue one.

Clear and tinted glass. (3 cars?)

400 Turbo, I believe RAM Air # - Works.

His and Hers, Consoles, AC setup, Dashes, Headlight parts and STUFF!

POSI, 3.55

Drive shafts, Ht & Convert. cross-members.

\$ 2000.00 or offer for all. Prefer to sell as lot but will separate - cash talks!

Mike Gray 614-335-5133 evenings: or leave message and I will call back.



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CALENDAR '97

March 12, 1997

Regular Meeting

Dennis Pontiac

7:00P.M.

April 9, 1997

Regular Meeting Dennis Pontiac

7:00 P.M.

May 14, 1997

Regular Meeting

Dennis Pontiac

GTOAA INFORMATION

Your Chapter is an affiliated Chapter with the GTO Association of America. You can join the National GTO Organization, the GTOAA, and receive the Golden Quill award winning publication the Legend. To join, please sent \$30.00 check to: GTOAA 5829 Stroebel Rd., Saginaw, Michigan 48609 or call 1-800-GTO-1964

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