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## CALENDAR '97

JULY 1-5, 1997

**GTO NATIONALS** 

ATLANTA GA

JULY 2, 1997

CLUB MEMBERS LEAVE FOR ATLANTA

MEET AT MILE MARKER #68 I-71 @ 6:00AM

JULY 9, 1997

**REGULAR MEETING** 

**DENNIS PONTIAC** 

7:00PM

JULY 11, 1997

STOUFFERS-CRUISE-IN

DUBLIN, OH

CLUB MEMBERS MEET AT TUTTLE CROSSING &

I-270 AT SHELL STATION 4:00PM SHARP

JULY 20, 1997

GTOACO SUMMER SHOW

**DENNIS PONTIAC** 

MORSE RD

COLUMBUS, OH

#### **GTOAA INFORMATION**

Your Chapter is an affiliated chapter with the GTO Association of America. Your can join the National GTO organization, the GTOAA, and receive the Golden Quill award winning publication the Legend. To join, please send \$30.00 check to GTOAA 5829 Stroebel Rd., Saginaw, Michigan 48609

President:

Iim Evans

Vice President:

Kevin Johnston

Secretary:

Nancy Whaley

Treasurer:

Richard Whaley

Directors:

Bill Hartley

2 Year Term

Dan Gregory Ir.

Director:

Steve Salerno

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### GTO Assoc of Central Ohio June 12, 1997

Meeting was called to order by Jim Evans. Treasurer's report was given.

Plant Tour: It has been mentioned to tour the can factory where Jim Evans works. Jim suggested going to plant first and then on to a cruise. Jim ask for show of hands and didn't receive much response. It was tabled again.

Show flyers were on hand and had to be folded and put into envelopes. It was the highlight of night to watch Donna shuck envelopes which is a talent so we could stuff them. Thanks to Richard, Monetta and Jeff for stuffing envelopes. Jim will mail show flyers to members not in attendance as they did not make the Paw Prints.

Winners Circle: Bill Hartley brought up about the winners circle. His feelings are that if you have the best car and you continue to do the work to keep it the best car you should not be penalized by not being allowed to show it each year. It should be a desire to beat this car. Jeff, Kevin, Steve feel it should be left as is. It has not proven to hurt or help the show. Vote was taken winners circle will be kept as is.

Nationals 2000: Dan Gregory presented info. He has a list of lots of places for people to visit, he has talked to the Holiday Inn and got a reasonable room rate locked in already. National Trails has come around with a reasonable rate. Jim & Dan will present this info at the 1997 Nationals. Dan you looked great nice haircut.

Walkie Talkies: Jim asked about purchasing new walkie talkies for the club or if we even needed them. Various persons volunteered to check on these but with time short before the show Kevin Johnston was given the ok to spend up to \$800 for 4 walkie talkies.

Kevin Landis is doing the club display at the 1997 nationals. So everyone knows he has the two photo albums and banner.

Picnic at the Whaley's September 7th 1:00. Club supplies drinks, meat. Members to bring covered dish and or dessert. RSVP by August 25th to 837-4372.

Tim Heppner has a 3 car garage for Rent.

Respectfully submitted:

Nancy Whaley
GTOACO Secretary



August 8 & 9, 1997

Civic Center Drive & Bicentennial Park • Downtown Columbus, Ohio

## SCHEDULE OF EVENTS ON THE NAPA CRUISER STAGE

### Friday, August 8

12 Noon - 5:30 pm Cruisin' Around Downtown

4:00 pm - 11:30 pm Open Cruise In

\$5.00 Entry fee to benefit P.L.A.Y. (Private Leisure Assistance for Youth).

## Saturday, August 9

8:00 am - 12 Noon Registration - Show `n Shine

12 Noon

Competition Begins

2:00 - 2:30 pm

·Cruise In Prize Giveaways

5:30 - 7:00 pm Trophy and Award Presentations

8:30 - 10:30 pm Costume and Dance Competitions

GIVEAWAYS ALL DAY - BOTH DAYS ON THE NAPA CRUISER STAGE



Gary Lewis and the Playboys



Martha Reeves

## **COMPETE FOR GREAT** TROPHIES & PRIZES!

## ALL RECEIVE TROPHIES

- Best of Show
- People's Choice
- Best Neon Lights
- Best Dancing Car
- 50 Most Favorite Vehicles
- Most Club Participation
- Longest Distance
- Oldest Vehicle
- Best Unfinished Vehicle
- Best Dressed '50s, '60s and '70s couples
- And Much More!

## PRE-REGISTER BY JULY 15 RECEIVE FREE T-SHIRT

Directions to Cruisin' on the Riverfront Downtown Columbus, Ohio



FOR ADDITIONAL INFORMATION CALL 1-800-345-4FUN.

RESERVE A SPACE, REGISTER NOW!

## Cruisin' on the Riverfront Registration Form

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## "COMPETITION" ENGINE SPECIFICATIONS

Bearings listed here are especially made for "competition" engines which should not be used for ordinary driving. Such a vehicle would be towed to and from the race course or drag strip.

The majority are high-performance Federal-Mogul ALCAD\* bearings which have higher wall eccentricity to compensate for connecting-rod distortion and slightly extra crush height for better fit. Their steel backs are especially alloyed to provide added strength and resist bearing flexure during peak loads.

Adding it all up Federal-Mogul aluminum-alloy ALCAD bearings offer a combination of properties that cannot be duplicated by other types of bearings.

Their four separate metallic layers provide the highest fatigue strength and greatest load capacity, as well as good conformability, during break-in. Federal-Mogul ALCAD aluminum-alloy bearings are 250% stronger than babbit, 92% stronger than tinaluminum, 45% stronger than overplated copper-alloy bearings.

With these engines, the oil clearances are greater than standard specifications call for. In some few cases the additional clearance is obtained by reducing the shaft size slightly, from "standard". The desired oil clearance should be the "mean", or slightly above the middle of the span shown, but in no case less than .0025". \*Trade-Mark of Federal-Mogul Corporation

	PART N	108.	CONNECTING ROD BEARING			
ENGINE	Con. Rod Brg. Part Number	Main Brg. Set Number	Connecting Rod Bore Diameter	Std. Crankpin Diameter	Con. Rod Bearing Oil Clearance Space	
PONTIAC (8 CYL.)					—(Recommended)—	
215 (Alum. V-8)	61-62	2500AP	4096M	2.1247*/2.1252*	1.9985"/1.9995"	.0012*/.0037*
287	1955	3295AP	931M	2.3745*/2.3750*	2.2488*/2.2498*	.0013*/.0038*
316	1956	3295AP	983M	2.3745*/2.3750*	2.2488*/2.2498*	.0013"/.0038"
326	63-66	3295AP	4084M	2.3745*/2.3750*	2.2487"/2.2497"	.0014*/.0039*
347	1957	3295AP	4088M	2.3745*/2.3750*	2.2488*/2.2498*	.0013*/.0038*
370	1958	3295AP	4088M	2.3745"/2.3750"	2.2488*/2.2498*	.0013*/.0038*
389	59-66	3295AP	4084M	2.3745"/2.3750"	2.2487*/2.2497*	.0014"/.0039"
421	61-66	3295AP	4221M	2.3745*/2.3750*	2.2487"/2.2497"	.0014*/.0039*

**⊙**No. 5 position

With cross-drilled crankshafts, use 4431M

MAIN BEARING						
Main Housing Diameter	Standard Main Jrl. Diameter (Recommended)	Main Bearing Oil Clearance Space				
2.4906"/2.4916"	2.2977*/2.2987*	.0009*/.0039*				
2.6870*/2.6880*	2.4975*/2.4985*	.0010*/.0035*				
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3.1880"/3.1890"	2.9985"/2.9995"	.0010"/.0040"				
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3.1880*/3.1890*	2.9985*/2.9995*	.0010"/.0040"				
3.4380"/3.4385"	3.2490"/3.2495"	.0010*/.0030*				

# "STREET" ENGINE SPECIFICATIONS

Bearings listed here are "original equipment" specifications in the majority of cases. In some cases, Federal-Mogul ALCAD\* aluminum-alloy bearings are specified—with higher wall eccentricity to compensate for connecting-rod bore stretch, and with slightly extra crush height for better fit. The steel backs of these Federal-Mogul bearings are especially alloyed to provide added strength and resist bearing flexure under peak loads.

The oil clearances indicated are the smallest and largest of the span, taking into account the tolerances of shaft, housing and bearing. We suggest the "mean" or center of this spread as the ideal, but under no conditions, less than .0015".

The intent is to give you the best possible performance and service from your "street" engine. Oil clearances recommended here will allow the engine to run smoothly and make your car usable for normal driving.

<sup>\*</sup>Trade-Mark of Federal-Mogul Corporation

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No. 5 position

Full grooved bearing

With larger fillet radii, use 2460CP

### CALENDAR OF EVENT

JULY 1-5, 1997 GTO NATIONALS ATLANTA, GA

JULY 4, 1997
RIVER VALLEY ROD & CUSTOM CRUISE
LANCASTER FAIR GROUNDS
4-8PM REG \$5,00

JULY 4, 1997 GREENE COUNTY CAR SHOW & SWAP XENIA,OH MOR INFO 937-372-3405

JULY 5, 1997
CAR SHOW
SOUTHEAST CONSERVATION CLUB
BORROR RD 875-0433

JULY 11 & 12, 1997 STOUFFERS DUBLIN OH

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

JULY 12, 1997
CRUISE IN AT ROOSTERS
WEST BROAD ST
COLUMBUS OH
7:00PM

JULY 13, 1997
RIVER VALLEY ROD & CUSTOM CRUISE
STARRET AVIATION 3430 OLD
COLUMBUS RD LANCASTER OH
12-4PM REG \$5.00

JULY 13, 1997
2ND ANNUAL CRUISE-IN
SOUTHWEST CRUISE
835 HART RD COLUMBUS OH
REG 10:30-1PM

JULY 19, 1997
RIVER VALLEY ROD & CUSTOM CRUISE
LANCASTER FAIRGROUNDS
6-10PM REG \$5.00

JULY 19& 20
ARENA ROD & CUSTOM CAR SHOW
WILMINGTON, OH
MORE INFO 9937-783-2653

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

JULY 26, 1997
RIVER VALLEY ROD & CUSTOM CRUISE
CREST VIEW NURSING HOME
925 BECKS KNOB RD LANCASTER OH
6-10PM REG \$5.00

IULY 27, 1997
MID-SUMMER OPEN CAR SHOW
DISTRIBUTION CENTER
2665 DUBLIN-GRANVILLE RD RTE 161
REG \$5.00 8AM -12:30 PM

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 9, 1997 CRUISE-IN AT ROOSTER'S WEST BROAD ST COLUMBUS OH 7:00PM

> AUGUST 9-10 PONTIAC NATIONALS NORWALK, OH MORE INFO 419-663-7383

AUGUST 10, 1997 SABINA PARK CAR SHOW SABINA, OH MORE INFO 937-584-4322

AUGUST 16, 1997 GOLDEN CORRAL CRUISE-IN EAST MAIN ST WHITEHALL REG 4:00PM

AUGUST 23, 1997 4TH ANNUAL SUMMER SPLASH CRUISE-IN BOLTON FIELD NOON-4:00PM

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 20, 1997 GOLDEN CORRALL CRUIS-IN EAST MAIN ST WHITEHALL REG. 4:00PM

SEPTEMBER 25-28 DELAWARE CO FAIRGROUNDS ROD & CUSTOM NATIONALS MORE INFO 317-768-6141

> 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

## THE GTO ASSOCIATION

OF CENTRAL OHIO

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SUNDAY

SEPTEMBER 7TH

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MARK YOUR

**CALENDAR**