

2009 GTOACO CALENDAR OF EVENTS

*November 11th Regular Meeting at Haydocy Automotive 7:00PM
To eat first be at Roosters anytime after 5:00PM*

December No Meeting!!!! Happy Holidays!!!!!!

*January 13, 2010 Regular Meeting at Haydocy Automotive 7:00PM
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February 7th, 2010 GTOACO Annual Swap Meet

*February 10, 2010 Regular Meeting at Haydocy Automotive 7:00PM
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*March 10, 2010 Regular Meeting at Haydocy Automotive 7:PM
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GTOACO OCTOBER 14TH, 2009

President Jim Evans called the meeting to order. Those in attendance were Kevin Russo, Jim Lowry, Ron Cozzo, Dan Gregory, Bill & Karen Sigg, Joe Block, Bill Hartley, Jeff Frazier, Brenda Ferguson, Cody Ferguson, Brent Barham, Pam & Stan Farlow, Mike Shockley, Steve Corvi, Donna Landis

Treasurers Report: Mike Shockley gave the Treasurers report. Jim gave the National City Bank report. Mike Shockley's heart surgery will be December 10th at the Cleveland Clinic.

Club Merchandise: Jim will be bringing the club merchandise to the November Meeting. These will make good Christmas presents. Jackets would have to be ordered. But everything else is available.

Nomination of Club Officers for 2010: Bill Hartley made a motion to keep the same officers & Joe Block 2nd. Motion was carried. No change for 2010 Officers.

Club Picnic: September 19th, 2009. Everyone had a great time and the weather was beautiful. Photos of the picnic are on the Internet. Thanks to Pam and Stan for hosting this event.

GTOAA 50% Membership for Insurance: We are real close to 50%. Jim will be sending our club info into the Nationals for 2010. We will not force members to join the GTOAA. They also have additional insurance for the Club Officers. Jim is checking on this and will report his findings next meeting.

Drag Day at National Trails: October 3rd. Nobody from the club went. The Cincinnati club was upset because they came for the event and none of us were there. Talk for next year is that our club rent the track for a day and invite whom we want to come.

Sunbury Show: October 4th. Good turn out. 13 or 14 GTO's on hand. Word has it the Joe Bennett won. Figures

Columbus Zoo Cruise-in: Over 200 cars. 18 GTO's attended. 12 club cars were present. Congrats to Calvin Ferguson, Brent Barham, Rick Farrell, Larry Reeb. Thanks to Jeff Inskeep for the great parking spot.

Club Cruise: Saturday October 17th. Looks like the weather will hold out. Just a chance of Showers and chilly.

GTOAA Nationals: Ron Cozzo is asking if anyone is going. He will take his car if done. Bill Hartley and Dan Gregory showed some interest.

POCI Convention 2010: Get your reservations in early. You can always cancel them if you don't go. Debbie Block has 5 rooms at the host hotel. She will probably use 2 or 3 of them. Brenda Ferguson has rooms and Lonnie McLaughlin has rooms. Dan says that he has never reserved a room.

New Business: Anyone wishing to participate in the Veterans Parade on the Friday November 6th should contact Dan Gregory. Also Congrats to Dan for loosing 23lbs since August.

Meeting Adjourned: Motion made by Bill Hartley, 2nd by Brenda Ferguson

Submitted by Donna Landis, Secretary

Welcome New Member

Andre & Audrey Spanjol of 38650 Short Rd., Litchfield, Ohio 44253. Andre is a Mechanic-fabricator. He is the owner of a 1964 Bonneville 2dr. He enjoys car show, cruise ins, swap meets. He is look for a 1967 GTO HO 4spd car, Original Pain, drive train. He also has a 1993 Harley-Davidson Low rider Sport For Sale. Mint Condition, Never raced, wrecked, modified. 5450 Original Miles. If you are interested contact him at 440-647-6686. He hates to sell it, but is physically unable to ride anymore.

Club Merchandise For Sale

At the November Meeting the Club Merchandise will be for sale. T-Shirts, Sweat Shirts, Long Sleeve Dress Shirts, hats. Great Christmas Gifts. If you wish to purchase a club jacket, notify Jim Evans ASAP so that he can get the orders in.

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OF BASKETS AND BROWNIE SUNDAES

Seems local Club members don't need much of an excuse to go cruising...but that's why it's called "cruising". Several members dusted off their old Goats to get together and blow out the cobwebs one last time, most likely, for this season anyway. We all met at the Marathon station just outside of Kirkersville...near National Trail Raceway. It was cool and crisp for this early in the Fall, but not bad as Ohio weather goes. Lonnie was in the Captain's chair and Lynne was in the right seat...or wrong seat, depending on how you look at it. Anyway...we had around ten GTOs, if I counted correctly. We started off with a jaunt to the Longaberger Basket Factory where we took in the shops and a few calories as well. Some opted for the restaurant and some snacked in the barn. I'm hoping that was better than it sounds but I really can't say. From there, it was on through some twisties in the hills around Zanesville, where we somehow found ourselves at the renowned Tom's Ice Cream Parlor. Again with the calories...big time! Hand dipped home-made ice cream on top of a fresh bakery brownie covered with chocolate sauces and marshmallow crème! I hated myself! I hated Lonnie for turning me onto this place! But...I forgave us both...so all is well. Back on the road again, this time headed for home. We continue West on US 40 as members peeled off to follow their respective paths homeward. We did encounter a little rain but nothing a little RainX couldn't handle. Wipers are overrated. All in all, the mode was casual and we all had a relaxing afternoon doing what we don't normally get to do enough of. No problems to speak of either! This just might become an annual pilgrimage. The Fall color was pretty spectacular and you couldn't beat the company. The string of Goats turned a few heads, as well. What a marvelous sight... snaking along the wooded back roads on a Fall Ohio afternoon. Goes to what I was saying before about making memories. I look forward to the next time we can experience such a rewarding experience with our beloved Goats...and our friends, of course! Thanks to all that participated. Sorry for those that couldn't make it. Anyway...a good time was had by all!!! Take care. Ron

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