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SPECIAL POINTS OF INTEREST:

- Veteran's Day Parade
- The Plan for the 2011 Uprising

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A Letter from the Editor

It's really hard to believe that when you receive this edition of your Paw Prints that you will have already had a wonderful Thanksgiving and are looking forward to Christmas and New Years.

Where did the year go? At least we had a great season as a club going out to many a show together.

As a club, there is nothing more fun than doing things together. Whether it's helping someone out with their project, going to a show or just cruising, doing things together is one of

the things that makes a club fun.

So let's make this past year the time we look back to see the beginning of a long period of fun together.

Maybe we can decide to cruise up and down State Street in Westerville every 4th Friday celebration? Westerville does a music and arts celebration every 4th Friday of the summer. Wouldn't it be great to cruise up and down the main drag every 4th Friday?

How about a cruise event

like we had in the Fall of 2009. Let's go somewhere as a club!

Of course we'll continue our great traditions, such as the Veteran's Day Parade, all that we do for Prevent Blindness and others like that, but let's get some new ideas on things to do together going.

In the meantime, enjoy your holidays and think fondly on the coming 2011 car season and the time we'll spend together.

Happy Holidays!

—Kevin



GTOACO at the 2010 Veteran's Day Parade

Once again our club was asked to participate in the annual Veteran's Day Parade that takes place in downtown Columbus, Ohio. Dan Gregory worked with parade organizers to get the right selection of GTOs there to honor our military veterans. The weather did not cooperate this year, so the plan to have veterans ride sitting on the open top convertibles did not come together, but the vets still had a great time riding in some vintage GTOs. Maybe next year, the weather will cooperate, although it is November. Hey, you never know. The following week it was 70 degrees!

A very special thank you to all the veterans out there, especially those who are our fellow club members, for sacrificing so much to defend and protect our freedom that so often we take for granted.



2011 Indian Uprising and Cruise-In Update

At the November meeting the proposal outlined here in the October Paw Prints and developed at the special club meeting was discussed and a vote resulted in a unanimous decision to move forward with the it. Here are the details of the new show concept for 2011:

- ◆ We will hold two events one leading into the other with registration fees for both days on Friday July 22 and Saturday July 23, 2011.
- ◆ We will hold a Friday Night Cruise-In open to all makes and models and motorcycles.
 - ◇ The Cruise-In would start in the evening and run into the night.
 - ◇ We will have a 50/50 drawing.
 - ◇ We will have a band for entertainment. 99.7 The Blitz has offered to not only sponsor and advertise the event for us, but will provide the band. While the Blitz is a hard rock station, their band plays music from all eras and understands what a car show needs for music. We will have some say in what is played.
 - ◇ The hotel will handle the food and drink (perhaps alcohol too) concessions.
 - ◇ We would have some types of cheaper awards for Favorites. How this is handled is yet to be determined.
 - ◇ Any participant may reserve a room to spend the night, but encouraging Pontiac owners especially.
- ◆ We will continue the weekend with our annual Indian Uprising Pontiac Show on Saturday.
 - ◇ We would hold our normal show. Perhaps making some tweaks to classes and awards.
- ◆ We may reach out to the motorcycle club that put on the Operation Buckeye Car and Motorcycle show to help draw and help their cause with some of the proceeds.
- ◆ The event will be at the Tuttle Crossing Marriot hotel.
 - ◇ Current room rate is \$125/night. Kevin is working on a better rate.
 - ◇ We will get 3/4 of the parking lot for our two day event.
 - ◇ We will need to be done and out by 3:30pm. Awards for Saturday will be at 3pm sharp.
- ◆ We will market and advertise the show heavily (e.g. Radio, Newspapers, Smoke Signals, Legend, etc). The Blitz is already on board to publicize and market the show on air for us, perhaps even taking it to other Clear Channel radio stations (the radio group that owns The Blitz).
- ◆ We will also court local dealerships for sponsorship dollars.
- ◆ We will also visit clubs in neighboring states to solicit and encourage participation.
- ◆ We are looking into using the Duke Realty lot across the street for trailer parking.
- ◆ Our special December meeting will focus on this event (perhaps establishing a committee) and the Spring Swap Meet. It will be held at the Tuttle Marriott Hotel.
- ◆ ***Look for more updates here in your Paw Prints and on the website.***

**Updated
information on
the 2011
Friday Cruise-
In and
Saturday
Indian
Uprising show**



Meeting Minutes, November 10, 2010

President Jim Evans called the meeting to order. Those in attendance were Ron & Donna Landis, Doug & Toni Boyle, Pam & Stan Farlow, Jerry Brownfield, Shawn & Kim Rinehart, Brenda & Cody Ferguson, Keith Stevens, Brent Barham, Jeff Frazier, Kevin Russo, Jim Lowry, Kevin Landis, Mike Shockley, Tom & Shirley Sefrick, Leah Ferron.

Treasurers Report: Mike Shockley gave the Treasurer's report. There was no activity. Donna has put the money from the dues into the PNC Account.

GTOACO Show & Cruise In 2011-Date for next year all Pontiac show will be Saturday July 23rd at the Marriott at Tuttle Crossing with a cruise in for all makes and models including motorcycles on Friday night July 22nd. Kevin Landis has been working very closely with the Marriott. They will give us 3 quarters of the parking lot for the show on Saturday. They asked us if we could be out by 3:30PM since they have a wedding party coming in. That will not be a problem. Awards can be at 3:00PM. Friday night they will rope the parking lot off and there will be plenty of trailer parking at the Duke Realty lot. Rates for the rooms are \$125.00, which could be cheaper later on. Kevin has also been in contact with the producer of the Blitz radio station. They wish to be involved and they even will sponsor the band for Friday night.

Cruise at Dave & Busters 10/16/10: About 15 club cars were attendance. It was a beautiful day. The club donated \$100.00 to the Operation Buckeye Organization.

Dans Car Show for the Veterans: October 17, 2010 at Chillicothe Veteran Hospital. Dan had about 13 to 14 cars. It was another beautiful day. The veterans enjoyed the cars and a few of them remembered us from last year.

Winter Swap Meet: March 20th, 2011 at Haydocy. Jim talked with Chris and this date was ok with him. Jim will notify the Legend and Smoke Signals. Club members are urged to get the word out.

Club Meeting in December: Due to the relocation of the summer show and the cruise in that has been added it was decided that we should go ahead and have a meeting in December. The meeting will take place at the Marriott at Tuttle Crossing on Wednesday December 8th at 7:00PM. The room for the meeting will be posted in the lobby. All members are urged to come so you can see the lot, rooms and to make some final decisions.

Continuous prayers to Mike, Wilma and Megan Shockley

Meeting Adjourned: Motion made by Ron Landis, 2nd by Kevin Russo

Submitted by Donna Landis, Secretary

The December Meeting will be held at the Tuttle Marriott Hotel, the site of the 2011 Uprising and Cruise-In



Tiger Bites! - Noteworthy News Bites

- ◆ *There will be a December meeting. It will be December 8 at the Tuttle Marriott Hotel. The site of our new show and cruise-in for 2011.*
- ◆ See the full page information update regarding the 2011 GTOACO Annual Show especially if you didn't make the November meeting.
- ◆ Don't forget to get signed up at our web site so you can get information on weekly cruise and car shows. You can also get an electronic copy of the Paw Prints all the way back to November 2008. *If you are an Internet Explorer user, update to version 8 to resolve a login issue where it looks as if you cannot login even after registering.*
- ◆ If you need to renew or are thinking of renewing your GTOAA membership, *please do so ASAP* to ensure our club remains a valid GTOAA chapter with all the benefits of that status.

Parts For Sale

- ◆ *Parts for Sale - Bob Burk 740-385-7077 Logan, Ohio*
 - 400 Short Block Code 1097 #500667 \$100.00
 - Valve Cover Pan \$15.00
 - New Gas Tank With Straps for 67-68 Camaro- Firebird \$125.00
 - 2 Turbo Trans. 67-68 \$75.00 Ea or both for \$125.00
 - Set of Heads #11 Small Valves Code E040 \$60.00
 - Intake # 9778816 Code D215 1966 \$35.00
- ◆ *WANTED: 1967 GTO Hardtop or post sedan. Original unrestored car with factory drive train, paint and interior. Prefer H.O. 4 speed, but will consider others (e.g. a restored base engine, automatic car). Contact Andre Spanjol 1-440-647-6686 Mon-Fri 9am-2pm or please leave a message.*

Welcome to Our New Members!

- ◆ *No new members this month.*

Calendar of Events

December 8, 2010

Special Meeting at the Tuttle Crossing Marriott Hotel—site of our 2011 Cruise-in and Indian Uprising Pontiac Show 7:PM— Look for a sign as you walk into the hotel. We will discuss the 2011 Friday Cruise-In and Saturday Indian Uprising as well as the 2011 Swap Meet.

December 25 2010

Merry Christmas!
Enjoy the holiday with your family and friends!



DECEMBER 2010

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
			1	2	3	4
5	6	7	8 Club Meeting @ Tuttle Marriott	9	10	11
12	13	14	15	16	17	18
19	20	21	22	23	24  Christmas Eve	25  Christmas Day
26	27	28	29	30	31  New Years Eve	

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I agree that, if elected to membership, I will conform to all rules of the Association and conduct myself in the manner that promotes the goals and purposes of the Organization.

Signed: _____ Date: _____

DUES:

\$35.00/year for members in the USA, \$40.00USD/year for Canadian members, and \$50.00USD/year for all other international members. \$5.00 for associate memberships in the same family name (includes membership card, decal, and membership listing). There is a \$2.00 bank processing fee for applications paid by credit card.

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