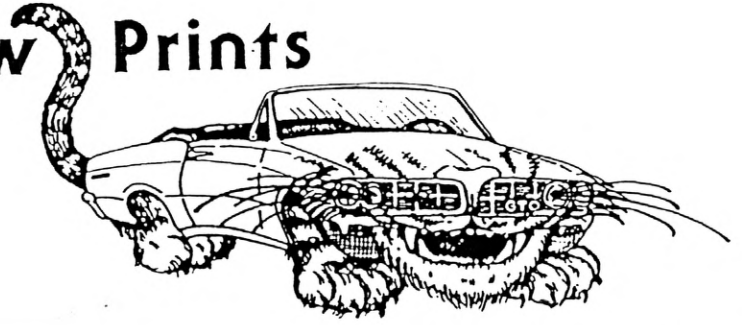


# Paw Prints



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FEBRUARY 1993

TO ALL MY GTO FRIENDS,

THE SWAP MEET IS JUST AROUND THE CORNER. EVERYTHING IS PRETTY MUCH IN PLACE. AS OF RIGHT NOW WE HAVE 30 VENDORS SIGNED UP AND WE EXPECT A FEW MORE AT THE LAST MINUTE. THIS YEAR WE ARE GOING TO BE ABLE TO USE BOTH BUILDINGS AT THE DENNIS AUTOPOINT SO WE WILL NEED A LOT OF HELP. IF YOU CAN HELP ON SUNDAY, FEBRUARY 28TH PLEASE COME TO THE DEALERSHIP AS EARLY AS POSSIBLE TO HELP OUT. ALSO, GET THERE EARLY AND GET THE BEST PARTS!!

WE ARE LOOKING INTO HAVING THE MEETINGS AT A FEW DIFFERENT PLACES THIS YEAR TO HELP THE MEMBERS WHO HAVE TO WORK OR HAVE OTHER THINGS TO DO ON WEDNESDAY NIGHTS. IF YOU KNOW OF ANY PLACE THAT MIGHT BE AVAILABLE ON SATURDAY NIGHTS PLEASE CALL ME AND LET ME KNOW. IF YOU CAN MAKE IT TO THIS MEETING IT WOULD BE GREAT--HOPE TO SEE YOU THERE.

THE SPRING SHOW IS CLOSER THAN YOU MIGHT THINK. WE NEED MEMBERS TO VOLUNTEER FOR THE IMPORTANT JOBS THAT HAVE TO BE DONE. WE NEED SOMEONE TO HEAD UP THE EVENT, REGISTRATION, PARKING LOT, VENDORS, JUDGING, TABULATIONS, AND SALES. IF YOU ARE INTERESTED IN BEING A CHAIRPERSON FOR THESE THINGS PLEASE COME TO THE NEXT MEETING OR CALL ME AT (614)927-5302 AS SOON AS POSSIBLE.

WE WANT TO THANK DAVE & JAN BENSON FOR HAVING THE HOLIDAY PARTY. WE HAD ENOUGH DOOR PRIZES FOR EVERYONE AND EVERYONE SEEMED TO HAVE A GOOD TIME.

WE ARE SADDENED TO HEAR ABOUT THE DEATH OF RICHARD'S FATHER. GAIL WILL BE MISSED BY EVERYONE WHO KNEW HIM.

LOOKING FORWARD TO SEEING EVERYONE AT THE MEETING AND OUR EVENTS. I'D LIKE TO THANK EVERYONE IN ADVANCE FOR COMING OUT AND GETTING INVOLVED.

SO LONG FOR NOW,

A handwritten signature in cursive script that reads "Jim".

# GTO Association of Central Ohio

Announces Their

## ALL PONTIAC SWAP MEET

SUNDAY, FEBRUARY 28, 1993

**DENNIS**  
**PONTIAC**

2900 Morse Road  
Columbus, Ohio 43231

at



### GTOACO AGENDA FEB. 10, 1993

- 1) TREASURER'S REPORT
- 2) OLD BUSINESS
- 3) NEW MEETING PLACES AND TIMES
- 4) POINTS SYSTEM
- 5) HOLIDAY PARTY
- 6) SWAP MEET
- 7) GTOAA NATIONALS
- 8) SPRING SHOW (SHOW CHAIRMAN)
- 9) NEW BUSINESS
- 10) 50-50 DRAWING
- 11) MOTION FOR ADJOURNMENT

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### CALENDAR '93'

FEB.	10TH	REGULAR MEETING DENNIS PONTIAC 2900 MORSE RD. COLUMBUS, OH. 7:00 PM
FEB.	28TH	SWAP MEET DENNIS PONTIAC 2900 MORSE RD. COLUMBUS, OH.
MAR.	10TH	REGULAR MEETING DENNIS PONTIAC 2900 MORSE RD. COLUMBUS, OH.
JUNE	19TH	9TH ANNUAL INDIAN UPRISING JUST EAST OF DENNIS PONTIAC 2960 MORSE RD. COLUMBUS, OH.

MINUTES FROM THE MEETING ON JANUARY 13, 1993

MEETING CALLED TO ORDER BY PRESIDENT, JIM EVANS.

IN ATTENDANCE: DAVE BENSON, JERRY BROWNFIELD, JIM EVANS, BILL HARTLEY, KEVIN JOHNSTON, ANDY SYRKIN, AND GARY & MARGARET TURNMIRE.

DUE TO THE DEATH OF RICHARD WHALEY'S FATHER, THE WHALEYS' WERE NOT PRESENT. THERE WAS NO TREASURER'S REPORT GIVEN. MARGARET TURNMIRE MOVED THAT A \$50.00 DONATION BE GIVEN TO THE CANCER SOCIETY IN GAIL WHALEY'S MEMORY, BILL HARTLEY SECONDED - UNANIMOUS.

OLD BUSINESS:

1. HOLDING MEETING AT RESTAURANT ON SATURDAY EVENING WAS DISCUSSED. APRIL & OCTOBER SOUNDED GOOD TO BREAK UP THE YEAR AND NOT CONFLICT WITH CRUISES ETC. ANDY SUGGESTED THE MONTE CARLO, JIM WILL RESEARCH AVAILABILITY FOR MARCH 13TH AND APRIL 17TH.
2. HOLIDAY PARTY - ALL READY TO GO, EVERYONE AT MEETING RSVP'D.
3. POINT SYSTEM - JIM ADDED THE BOWLING OUTING TO FINAL "SCORE SHEET" AT 3 POINTS. GOOD JOB JIM, EVERYONE ELSE OVERLOOKED IT.
4. SWAP MEET - SUNDAY, FEB. 28TH - ALL IN PLACE & WAITING FOR SPACES TO BE RESERVED.
5. GTOAA NATIONALS - CLUB HAS OFFICIALLY HEARD VERY LITTLE. ANDY CALLED THE HOST CLUB RECENTLY & WAS TOLD INFORMATION WAS BEING PROCESSED & WILL BE MAILED SOON.
6. SPRING SHOW - JUNE 19TH \* NEED CHAIRPERSON \* WE NEED SOMEONE TO HEAD UP THIS EVENT. WITH ALL THE HELP IN THE PAST, IT'S REALLY NOT AS HARD AS IT MAY SOUND (I HEAR ZOE BAIRD IS NOW AVAILABLE!) THE DJ, JOHNNY GARBER, WANTS \$350. FOR HIS SERVICES. CLUB FELT THAT WAS TOO HIGH FOR OUR TYPE OF EVENT. DAVE BENSON SAID HE WOULD DO SOME ADDED RESEARCH AND REPORT BACK. DJ, KEN RYAN, AMONG OTHERS WILL BE CONTACTED. DAVE SUGGESTED AN ADD IN THE SHOW & SHINE CALENDAR. JIM WILL CHECK WITH DENNIS PONTIAC ON THEIR ADVERTISING PLANS.

NEW BUSINESS:

ELECTION RESULTS: JIM EVANS - PRESIDENT  
JEFF INSKEEP - VICE PRESIDENT  
NANCY WHALEY - SECRETARY  
RICHARD WHALEY - TREASURER  
BILL HARTLEY - TRUSTEE  
GARY TURNMIRE - TRUSTEE

WELCOME TO THE NEW FOLKS AND FOR THOSE RE-ELECTED, THANK YOU AGAIN, (AND AGAIN, AND AGAIN - OH WELL!!)

THERE WAS NO 50-50 DRAWING  
MOTION TO ADJOURN - ANDY, BILL SECONDED

THANKS TO DAVE BENSON FOR SUBMITTING THE MINUTES



January 4, 1992

1992 CHARITY CONTRIBUTIONS OF \$50. EACH WENT TO:  
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 SPECIAL WISH FOUNDATION  
 NAT'L SOCIETY TO PREVENT BLINDNESS  
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 EARTH ANGEL FOUNDATION  
 PLUS 2 ADOPTED TEENS THROUGH THE "WISH TREE" AT RIVER VALLEY MALL IN LANCASTER - THANKS TO JAN BENSON AND NANCY WHALEY.

Children's Hospital Foundation  
 700 Children's Drive  
 Columbus, Ohio 43205-2696  
 614/461-2882  
 614/460-8105 (FAX)

*G.T.O. Club,  
 We want to thank you for your thoughtful gift at Christmas to make it an enjoyable occasion for our foster children*

*Sincerely,  
 Fairchild County Children's Services*

January 15, 1992

GTO Association  
 305 South Market  
 Lithopolis, OH 43104

Dear Friends:

On behalf of our young patients, thank you so much for your \$158.00 contribution. We are grateful for your friendship and support.

This past year has been a busy one for Children's Hospital. In our emergency room more patients were treated than in any other Franklin County hospital emergency room. The hospital has been designated a Level I Trauma Center, meaning that within five minutes a 16-member trauma team can be assembled to respond to any emergency. Children's established Children's Homecare Services, which provides an alternative to hospitalization for children who need specialized medical treatment but do not require hospital care.

Because of your help, Children's Hospital will be able to continue offering excellent pediatric care to our patients and their families. Thank you again.

Sincerely,

*Linda Ray*

Linda A. Ray  
 Director of Annual Gift Programs  
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Ms. Nancy Whaley  
 GTO Association of  
 305 South Market S  
 Lithopolis, OH 43104

Dear Ms. Whaley:  
 The Board of Directors of the GTO Association of Ohio thank you for your contribution to our Annual Campaign.

Your gift will enable us to provide sight for a lifetime of reliable information; can offer insight into eye diseases in the field of our funding of research in sight saving breakthroughs.

Working together, we can preventable blindness. We are pleased to have you joining us in our Special Campaign.

Sincerely,  
*Sherill K. Williams*  
 Sherill K. Williams  
 Executive Director

*Best in 1-11-93*

*Westerville Special Olympics would like to thank all the members of the GTO Association for their donation. We thank our members now and in the future for their involvement in basketball, swimming and thank*



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1601 W. Fifth Ave., Box 196, Columbus, Ohio 43212-2367

January 24, 1993

Dear "Super-Cruisers":

This is to acknowledge and sincerely thank you for your participation in the Sixth Annual "Earth Angel Super-Cruise," which was held on June 27, 1992. As a result of your support, and the help of many others, the 1992 "Cruise" was a resounding success! Thanks to the best weather conditions yet, all previous participation records were, simply, blown away! By the 2:00 p.m. start time, over nine hundred cars and trucks had assembled at the River Valley Mall, in Lancaster, Ohio.

Due to the generosity of "Cruise" participants, various car clubs and corporate sponsors, the Earth Angel Foundation continues to be able to send terminally and chronically-ill children (and their families) on dream vacations. Since the sixth annual "Cruise," three children have realized their dreams which, otherwise, could not have been possible. Before the next "Cruise," the Board hopes to send at least ten more children on fantasy trips.

During November, the Board was able to send three siblings, Christie, Daniel and Jon Shaffer, from Lancaster to see Mickey Mouse and friends. (This trip presented particular challenges because Daniel requires full-time medical care and the use of a respirator.) To accomplish the necessary logistics, many people were called upon to help -- and help they did! The Child Selection Committee explained the special circumstances to the Board and requested that additional monies be approved to send a nurse along to attend to Daniel. The Board unanimously approved the additional expenses. With assistance from the medical community, a portable respirator was located. America West Airlines was asked to help with their scheduling as Daniel needed to be connected to a respirator every four hours.

Finally, Walt Disney World Resorts was contacted with a request for adjoining rooms for Daniel's family and attending nurse. After everything was in place, Daniel's dream trip became a reality and his whole family participated in many pleasant experiences which now remain as cherished memories. Daniel's parents reported that everyone had a wonderful time and was treated like royalty. The Earth Angel Foundation is extremely proud to have been a part of this worthwhile trip, but fully recognizes that it would not have been possible without direct financial support from you and your peers.

Now, a few hints about this year's "Earth Angel Super-Cruise", the headlining 50's and 60's musical group, the "VanDels" will be returning for another premiere show. Once again, a host of celebrities will be on hand to volunteer their services in various capacities. As always, there will be raffles and door-prizes. Also, the annual Dash Plaque Auction will be held and will determine who will leave with one of the numbered "jewels." As plans become finalized, more details will be forthcoming.

As has been done previously, a registration slip is being provided should you wish to pre-register your vehicle. For the sixth year in a row, the registration fee remains at \$6.00 prior to June 1st and \$8.00 subsequently. To pre-register, please complete the enclosed form and mail with your remittance to:

Earth Angel Foundation, Inc.  
6715 Riverside Drive  
Powell, OH 43065

If you need additional information, please call (614) 833-ANGL. Again, thank you very much for your past help in sending terminally and chronically-ill children on dream vacations. We hope we can count on your support on June 26, 1993.

Sincerely,

The Earth Angel Foundation Board

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Dear Friends:

Thank you very much for your willingness to help us  
grant the wishes for some very "special" children.

We grant wishes on a year round basis and inasmuch as  
we have no "regular" source of funding, the support of  
individuals such as you is vital to our continuation.

Many individuals who contribute this time of year help  
at other times - making a donation to:

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5. honor a graduation

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deceased.

Also, if you make a donation to United Way and do not  
already specify which charity is to receive your monies  
and would like to designate A Special Wish Foundation,  
simply ask for the Donor Option Card and write in "A  
Special Wish Foundation." If you are unable to  
accomplish this, we will be glad to help if you will  
call our office!

Our wish for you and yours is that this is the happiest  
season ever for you. Thank you for caring enough to  
help grant the wish of a terminally ill child!

Sincerely,

  
Ramona Fickle  
National Executive Director

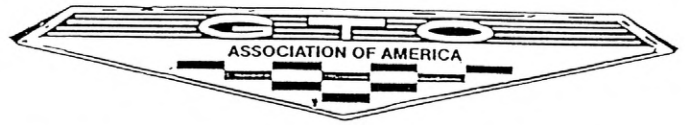
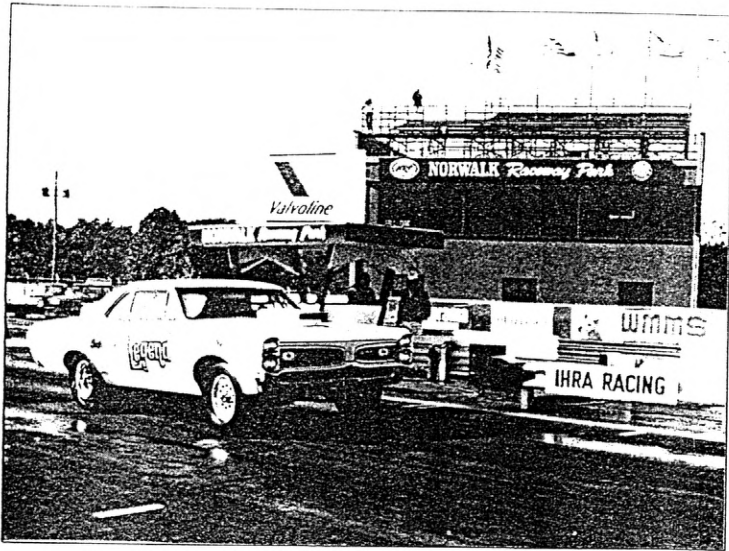
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1993 HOLIDAY PARTY





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Above left: Mild-mannered Andy Syrkin is an out-and-out speed freak. His 1966 'Legend' GTO is the same car that Clint Logan made famous through the 1970s. With an .030-over 428 (above right) breathing through ported Ram Air IV heads, this fire-shredder regularly satisfies Andy's need for speed in less than ten and a half seconds. Andy only made a couple of runs on Tri-Power Sunday; he wasn't satisfied with his second run and pulled a valve cover. The oil looked like coffee light. Thinking he'd blown a head gasket, he trailered up the car. Locals later told him that the extreme nighttime humidity and chilly morning temperatures that weekend could have been the source of the moisture. Still, you don't take chances with an expensive engine.



Above left: Kerry Klotzman gets a trophy for his just-completed '69 GTO convertible. Above: Two '69 T/As move from the staging lanes. Left: quattros hombres. From left are Joel Larkin (Outlaw Pontiac Racers Assn.), Bruce Fulper (421 Club), Pete Woodruff (show organizer), and Andy Syrkin (Legend GTO). Right: 'Me and my RC' John Sniter, member of Arnie Beswick's crew.



Andy Syrkin heats up the slicks in preparation for a low-10s run in the Legend '66 GTO—Clint Logan's famous car. Both of these cars were featured at Tri-Power Sunday, which was such a hit it will be stretched to a two-day event this summer.



# WELCOME NEW MEMBERS

THE GTOACO WOULD LIKE TO WELCOME TWO NEW MEMBERS TO OUR CLUB.

SAMUEL & KRISTINE McCONNELL  
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COLUMBUS, OHIO 43214  
HOME PHONE 614-268-0759  
66 GTO CONVERTIBLE

JOHN & SUSAN DAMASIEWICZ  
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BLACK 65 HT. CP.

PLEASE ADD JOHN AND SAMUEL TO YOU ROSTERS AND WHEN YOU SEE THEM AT THE SWAP MEET OR AT THE SPRING SHOW STOP BY AND SAY HI!

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Holiday Party at Dave and Jan Benson's home January 23 was a lot of fun. The weather cooperated the first time in many years and was dry and no snow or ice. What a relief. There was food and drink a plenty and for all of you who stayed at home you missed a great party with great prizes that everyone went home with. Maybe next year. Thanks Dave and Jan for letting us come into your home once again.

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To All Our GTO Friends:

The family of Richard and Nancy Whaley want to thank you all for the flowers, cards, calls and time you spent with us after the death of Richard's dad Gale. Thank you so much for the generous donation of \$50.00 to the American Cancer Society. It's very nice to know that you have many friends who you can depend on and who care so much.

Richard, Nancy, Candace and Renee Whaley

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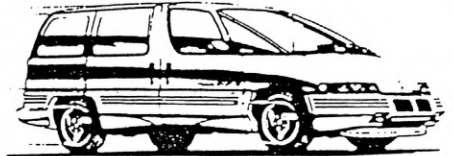
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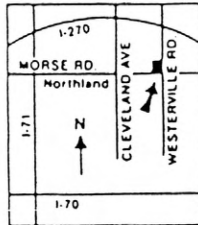
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