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SPECIAL POINTS OF INTEREST:

- WUCC Chili Cook-Off
- 2013 Holiday Party Info!

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A Letter from the Editor

First I want to apologize for the lateness of the December Paw Prints. I guess with all the holiday festivities going on, I just simply forgot. Oh, I had plenty of reminders including Jim Evans sending out other clubs' newsletters, but my mind just wasn't there. A little late, but never the less, here is your final edition of the Paw Prints for 2012 (even though it's going out in 2013).

As I look back over 2012, I see a lot of things we did that were great and a lot of fun. I hope this continues and is even better in 2013.

We cruised together.

We attended numerous local shows together.

We partied together.

We had our show together.

If I had my wish, some of the club's "New Year's Resolutions" for 2013 would look like this:

- ◇ More new and younger members. Let's RECRUIT!!
- ◇ Make our show bigger and better (maybe try the two day event again).
- ◇ Have a couple more club cruises together.

◇ Get more members involved instead of watching from the sidelines (it's your club too!).

I love this club and I want to see it be everything it can. But most of all, I want it to be around forever! I'm sure you do too. So let's start off this year great at the January Meeting! Let's plan and get our 2013 Show (2 day or single day event) ready to go!

I hope to see all of you at the meeting (after a December break, January starts us off). Stay warm and be safe!

—Kevin

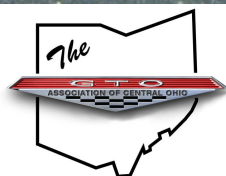


Happy 2013!

GTOACO at the WUCC Chili Cook-off

On what would be a very nice Sunday, Jeff Frazier, Doug Boyle, Jim Evans and Max Treier supported the Westerville United Church of Christ's annual Chili Cook-off and Cruise-In. Many of you might remember this show as Lance's show. Well, it still is. Other than a little confusion on some of the categories for the participant judging, the show was a GREAT ONE! :) The cars were cool, the chili was hot and the music was not what you would expect at a church show (in a good way!).

I apologize for not having more pictures, but get the three dudes out of the way and you can see all of the club cars that came out to support the show. Lance sent me a email afterward thanking me and the rest of the club for coming out to support his show.



Antifreeze: It used to be simple by S. Schaeffer

We all grew up with the green antifreeze, Ethylene Glycol. With a 50/50 mix with water, it protected your engine to -35 degrees. With a 15 pound radiator pressure cap your coolant would not boil until it reached 265 degrees. Ethylene glycol has been marketed for years. It contains corrosion inhibitors, silicates and phosphates. It also contains water pump seal lubricant. We used it in all the cars we winterized for years. When you go to your favorite auto parts store you are in for a shock. Remember the ad campaign, "It's not your father's Oldsmobile"? The same thing now happened to antifreeze. The container now says for use in all pre-1995 GM cars, Ford pre-2002, Chrysler pre-2001 and most others pre-1980.

There have been so many changes now that you need a chemist or a score card to keep up. American cars use antifreeze containing silicates and phosphates. In Japan they make use antifreeze containing phosphates and other rust inhibitors. They do not use silicates. In Europe the reverse holds true they use silicates and other inhibitors, but they do not use phosphates.

GM cars starting in 1996 use Dex-Cool. It is red in color and is made with "organic acid technology".

Chrysler, starting in 2002, and Ford starting in 2003, use an anti freeze called G05. It is an orangey red color. Some people call it pink. This is a different product than Dex-Cool. It uses a different formula and is a "Hybrid organic acid formula".

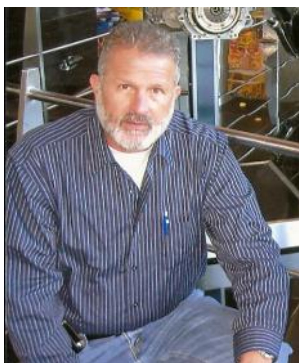
Honda, starting in 2001 and up, has their own formula which is blue in color. The other Asian cars use a hybrid organic acid formula that is pink in color. This antifreeze has a different inhibitor formula than American antifreeze.

Automobiles from Europe use their own blue or yellow antifreeze.

I am not mixing coolants. Yes it is a real pain to have to stock so many different coolants. However I have heard some real horror stories about not sticking to the factory fill and mixing coolant types.

The antifreeze manufactures have come out with Global/ Universal antifreeze that is supposed to mix with everything. I have not tried it yet. I would not recommend it for any automobile or truck still in factory warranty. I once made the mistake of mixing conventional green antifreeze with conventional yellow antifreeze. It looked like rusty water. The coolant overflow bottle turned brown. It required a major flush and refill.

Check your owner's manual for the correct coolant to use. The change over years are especially critical to see what the factory fill was.. Also it is time to check the antifreeze protection level in all your cars. Besides the antifreeze type check to see if you are purchasing pre-mixed or full strength antifreeze. Fall is officially here and old man winter is on his way. (Article was written and submitted before this issue; Old Man Winter is most definitely here!).



Tiger Bites! - Noteworthy News Bites

- ◆ **Regular club meetings start again in January on January 9!**
- ◆ Our Holiday Party will be held on February 9, 2013. Location is at Lonnie and Lynn's. \$10 per person. **Please RSVP to Lonnie @ londart@aol.com or at 614-327-8885 BEFORE THE JANUARY MEETING. Bring your money to the January meeting. Or send it to Donna Landis by February 4, 2013!** Bring a dessert. See full page information later in this month's Paw Prints.
- ◆ **Our 2013 Swap Meet will be on March 17, 2013 (not March 23) at Haydocy.** We will use the same times and pricing as last year. Club members who want a spot will be able to get one at a discounted \$10. Members with one or two items to sell, can use a spot we will set aside for that. Look for information on helping and meeting for breakfast.
- ◆ 2013 is the year of the second GTOAA/POCI Co-Vention in Dayton at the Nutter Center. Many club members are planning on attending. Get your hotel reservations in early if you want to stay close to the show. Host hotel room block (with the co-vention group rate) and the hotel next door are sold out (regular rooms may still be available). Host hotel is the Holiday Inn again. Homewood Suites, Hampton Inn and Fairfield Inn are very close and Residence Inn is relatively close. Come to the next club meeting to find out who is going when and where they are staying.
- ◆ If you need to renew or are thinking of renewing your **GTOAA membership, please do so** to ensure our club remains a valid GTOAA chapter with all the benefits of that status. There is an application in your Paw Prints below and the GTOAA can now take membership applications on line. **You will need to be an active GTOAA member to register for the Co-Vention!**



Welcome New Members!

- ◆ **No new members this month**

For Sale

- ◆ For Sale! A TON of miscellaneous 1964–1969 GTO parts and some Pontiac Sales Literature for many years. See the club web site, in the Forum section in the For Sale Forum for the entire list and contact information (<http://www.gtoaco.com/forum/index.php>) **CALL 440 254-4642 or email me** (patandgreg2011@hotmail.com)
- ◆ For Sale! 1967 GTO Convertible. Power Steering, Power Brakes, Automatic Trans. **NEEDS TO BE RE-STORED. \$5000** Call Joe Block at 740-472-0347.
- ◆ DJ GTO Parts! Now your one stop shopping place for used and NEW GTO parts. If you know the part number, great, otherwise just let them know what it is you need! See Dan Gregory Jr. (or call 614-563-0877 or email info@djgtoparts.com) for more information and options for taking delivery of your parts or visit their website at <http://djgtoparts.com/>. GTOACO members receive a discount!



*Send in your items for sale to your Paw Prints Newsletter Editor (pictures welcome).
Remember, ads are FREE to GTOACO Members!*



Meeting Minutes, No December Meeting

There was no meeting in December 2012.

Submitted by Donna Landis, Secretary

*Meetings held
the 2nd
Wednesday
each month at
Haydocy
Automotive on
W. Broad St.
Columbus, OH*



Calendar of Events

January 9, 2012

Regular Meeting 7pm @ Haydocy Automotive

To eat before the meeting be at Rooster's on West Broad St. anytime after 5:00PM. Roosters is located in the parking lot in front of the strip mall across the street from Jeg's former Broad St location



JANUARY 2013

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
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6	7	8	9 <i>Club Meeting 7pm @Haydocy</i>	10	11	12
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2013 GTOACO Holiday Party!

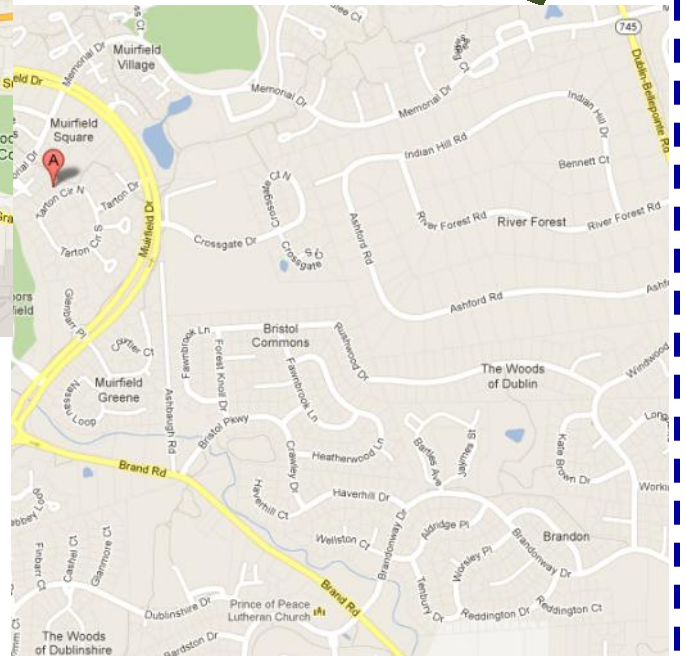
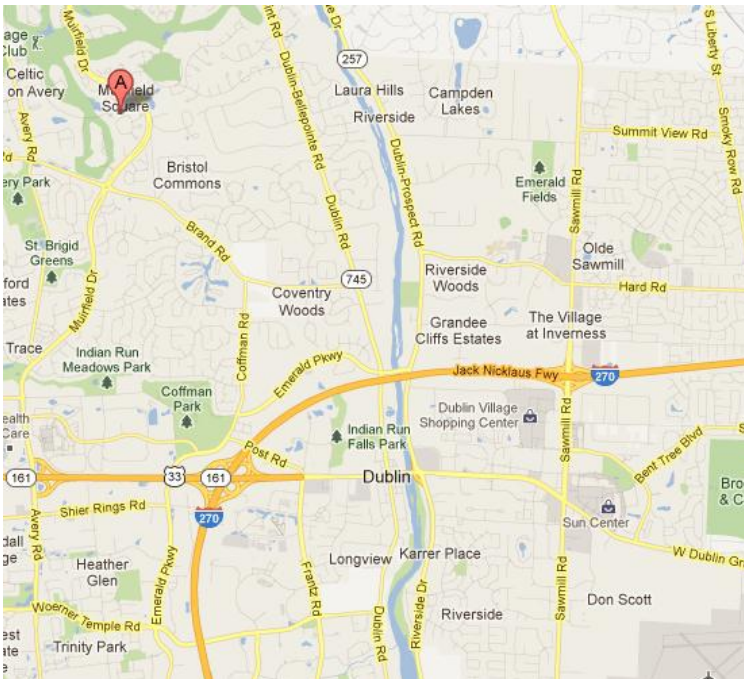
When: Saturday February 9, 2013

Where: Lonnie and Lynn McLaughlin @ 5808 Tarton Circle North Dublin, OH 43017

How much: \$10 per person

What to bring: If you would like to bring something, a dessert would be appreciated

What you need to do: RSVP to Lonnie at londart@aol.com or 614-327-8885 before the January 2013 club meeting. Bring your money to that meeting or send it to Donna Landis @ 58 Arlington Ave London, OH 43140 BEFORE FEBRUARY 4, 2013!



2013 POCI & GTOAA Co-Ventio Registration Form

41st Annual Pontiac Oakland
Club International Convention

34th Annual GTOAA Convention

July 9th-13th, 2013



Office Use Only

Reg # _____

Date _____

Check # _____

Wright State Nutter Center
Dayton, Ohio

REGISTRATION IS REQUIRED FOR ALL ATTENDING MEMBERS, EVEN IF NOT ENTERING A VEHICLE.
MEMBERS OF BOTH NATIONAL ORGANIZATIONS MUST REGISTER WITH EITHER POCI OR GTOAA
REGISTRATION FEE COVERS: MEMBER, SPOUSE OR SIGNIFICANT OTHER, AND CHILDREN

MEMBER REGISTRATION FEE: **\$59.00** ~ AFTER JUNE 1st: **\$80.00**

Name _____ POCI or GTOAA Number _____

Mailing Address _____

City _____ State _____ Zip _____

Home Phone _____ Cell Phone _____

Email Address _____

Credit Card # _____ - _____ - _____

(VISA, MC or DISCOVER) Exp. Date _____ / _____ Sec. Code _____

CHECK OR MONEY ORDER (NON-REFUNDABLE) MADE PAYABLE TO AND MAIL FORM TO:

CHECK EITHER THE POCI OR GTOAA BOX BELOW AND MAIL ACCORDINGLY

2013 POCI CONVENTION

POCI 2013 Convention
PO Box 68
Maple Plain, MN 55359

2013 GTOAA CONVENTION

Pontiacs Of Southeastern Indiana
GTOAA 2013 Convention
PO Box 259
Oldenburg, IN 47036



Visit www.gtoaapocinationals.com for updates and the latest event information! For sponsorship opportunities and vendor registration please contact Paul Freese @ 812-614-3332 or see the website. Information will also be available at www.poci.org and www.gtoaa.org.

Convention Activity Sign-Up Packets will be available after March, 1 2013. Please check your delivery preference:

via E-mail or

via USPS

Save postage and check www.gtoaapocinationals.com regarding electronic registration!
POCI questions can be directed to the POCI Club Office at 877-368-3454.
GTOAA questions can be directed to Doug Pulskamp at 812-212-6280.

Hotel reservations are the responsibility of the registrant. Convention rate rooms will be available for

reservation starting July 23, 2012. Information on the "Host Hotel" and surrounding area hotels can be found at the website. Mention "2013 Co-Ventio" to reserve rooms at the special rate.



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To Join complete the form below and mail in, or join online at www.gtoaa.org



Membership Application

Date: _____

Mem #: _____

Name: _____

Phone: _____

Address: _____

Email: _____

GTO Ownership is not a requirement of membership to the GTOAA

GTO OWNERSHIP

Year _____ Body Style _____ Engine _____

Year _____ Body Style _____ Engine _____

Year _____ Body Style _____ Engine _____

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.

CHECK / MO # _____

Mastercard / Visa Card # _____ Exp # _____

Signed: _____ Date: _____

Make Check/Money order payable to GTOAA:

Mail signed Application to: GTOAA, PO BOX 455, Timnath, CO 80547

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