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Letter from the Editor - Kevin Russo

SPECIAL POINTS OF INTEREST:

- Our Show Coverage!
- Member Spotlight

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Where has the year gone? With this letter to you, I am putting the finishing touches on the November edition. Putting Thanksgiving on the calendar of events. Making sure you are aware that we WILL have a December club meeting (note it's mentioned a couple times so please remember and come :).

Yet also in this edition is the mainly pictorial coverage of our Summer Night 2 Cruise-In and 32nd All Pontiac Indian Uprising. Talk about two ends of the spectrum.

It sure did seem like this year and this car season went by really fast. Maybe it's because of all the great things we did as a club this year. We were cer-

tainly busy, weren't we? Three car events; our swap meet; spring and fall club cruises and all the local shows we cruised to together. It was fast but sure was fun too!

Speaking of the fall cruise, I will have some pictures from that cruise in the December Paw Prints. While I had to bail at the last minute, from the pictures and all the emails, I can tell it was a great event! Thank you again to Pam and Stan Farlow for putting it together. They are already planning the 2017 spring club cruise. Potentially to Sugarcreek, Ohio in Amish Country for an annual show there. This one would be an overnighner.

2017 will be another great and busy year for us as we start off the year with the Summit Racing Hot Rod & Custom Car Show. This will be at the Columbus Convention Center and we will help man this event. We will also be able to bring as many club cars as we want. If you want to put your car in, please let me know. This event and our efforts in it will be the main topic of that December meeting.

I hope to see many of you at the last two meetings of the year. Keep your chin up as you put away that beautiful GTO until spring 2017!

—Kevin



Rick Ferrell's 71 GTO



Mini Member Spotlight—Dave Secrest

When Dave Secrest joined our club, he provided this little story as well as pictures with his application. This is his mini Member Spotlight from that info. Welcome Dave!

In the summer of 1966, I bought a new GTO Convertible, 4 speed, Night Watch Blue, white interior and wire hub caps. Fifty years later, I bought the 1967 GTO, 4 speed, Linden Green, black interior in the pictures you see here. The Linden Green is much easier to clean!

The car hadn't been driven much for the last 9 years. It needed a good detail job and some mechanical work. With some mechanical help from GTOACO member Joe Block, we now have it stirring, shifting, braking and running really well. I have other collector cars, but this GTO is by far my favorite.

My wife and I attended your All Pontiac Indian Uprising Show in Dublin and had a wonderful time! Keep up the good work!



Summer Night 2 Cruise-In

Our 2nd Summer Night Cruise-In on August 20th was another wet one. Again, we wanted to make an event that would be a great cruise-in and lead into our All Pontiac Indian Uprising show the following day but the weather did not cooperate basically pouring rain on us. Regardless, it was a fun time and those that attended had a great time, some pizza and a great set by the band. Maybe the weather will be kinder to us next year...



2016 All Pontiac Indian Uprising

Although the Summer Night 2 cruise-in was wet, the weather certainly cooperated for our 32nd Annual All Pontiac Indian Uprising! It was a beautiful day with beautiful Pontiacs all around! We hope to see everyone and more next year!



2016 All Pontiac Indian Uprising



Jerry Hamilton and his 65 our first Best of Show Winner in 1985 and winner of the Bill Hartley Memorial Award in 2015!



Dan Gregory, Sr was with us in spirit. We miss you Dan...



Our 2016 GTOAA Chapter Awards!



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Tiger Bites! - Noteworthy News Bites

- ◆ **NOTE FROM THE CLUB SECRETARY:** Attention club members! The secretary will no longer be mailing club dues notices. Instead, you will receive an email and members owing club dues will be listed in the meeting minutes in the Paw Prints.
- ◆ Our club will be co-hosting the Columbus Hot Rod and Custom Car Show in January 2017. Club members will be asked to help with this event. Look for more details here and at club meetings.
- ◆ **WE WILL BE HAVING A DECEMBER MEETING on December 14th to put the final plans together for staffing the Hot Rod and Custom Car Show! Please plan on attending the meeting ready to volunteer to help out.**
- ◆ Our annual All Pontiac Swap Meet will be held on Sunday, March 19, 2017. See the flyer in this Paw Prints for more details! A volunteer schedule will be made up prior to the event. Please plan to help!
- ◆ 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.



Welcome New Members!

- ◆ No new members this month

Meeting Minutes October 12, 2016



President Ron Cozzo called the meeting to order. Those in attendance were Ron Cozzo, Kevin Russo, Mike Shockley, Lonnie McLaughlin, Brent Barham, Max Treier, Jim Lowry, Brad Blackburn, Bob Gribben, Joe Block, Jim Evans, Pam & Stan Farlow, Jeff Frazier, Brian D'Amico, Jess Girard and Mike Berichon.

Treasurer's Report: Mike Shockley delivered the report for the last two months. Motion: Jim Evans, Joe Block 2nd.

Battle of the Brands Cruise-In: The club made good money on this show and Big Walnut Grill has interest in continuing the show. Brian D'Amico will contact Jet's Pizza to confirm their interest as well. We will do this show again next year. Thanks to Caroline Sloan for all the press she provided for the show and to her son-in-law for a great job on the awards. Tentative date for next year is near the end of July

Cruise In and All Pontiac Show: The club broke even between the two events. Saturday had 30 cars and Sunday had 55 cars plus 25 club cars. Everyone enjoyed the show and the location. The hotel will have us back and we are looking at weekends of 8/19, 8/26 or 9/9/2017 for next year.

Greater Ohio GTO Club Show: Unfortunately, no one from the club that was at the meeting could attend.

GTOAA Regional Pontiac. III – Ron & Linda Cozzo attended and had a great time but was a short trip. There were about 200 cars in attendance with a nice mix. There was also a cruise that was fun. Ron's car took 2nd place in his class.

Fall Cruise October 15: Meeting places were arranged as well as the route discussed. About 19 club members RSVPed. The weather looks great!

Sugar Creek Car Cruise – Overnight club cruise to Amish Country June 10-11. Stan is looking into hotels and room blocks.

Mac Tools & The Zoo Show: Jim Evans, Brian D'Amico, Brent Barham, Dan Kirchner, Jeff Frazier and Bob Gribben attended the Mac Tools cruise-in. It was not as big as previous years. Only 8 club cars attended the Zoo show. The club helped with registration and parking: Jerry & Tina Brownfield, Jim Evans, Keith Stevens (and Connie), Jeff Lager, Larry Reib and Mike Shockley were there. Larry's 69 Judge Won and award.

January 27, 28, 29 2017 Summit Racing Equipment Hot Rod & Custom Car Show: Ron will try to get Rod, the organizer at our November meeting.

2017 Swap Meet: Will be March 19, 2017.

Automotive Liquidators Cruise-In: Would like to do this in May 2017. Need a chairperson.

Open Discussion: Officer nominations at November's meeting. Mike Shockley asked if there would be interest in a potential car storage location near Riverside Rd. and Home Rd. Members were interested. Mike will get more info including pricing. Members planned on attending Lance Hudnell's show at the Westerville UCC.

We will have a December Club Meeting so plans, volunteers and schedules can be started for the January Hot Rod & Custom Car show.

Meeting Adjourned: Joe Block made motion to adjourn, Jim Evans 2nd

Submitted by Kevin Russo for Donna Landis, Secretary

ATT: MEMBERS!!!! ARE YOUR DUES DUE???????? ATT: MEMBERS!!!

DUES FOR NOV– Tom Frazier

DUES FOR OCT - Brad Blackburn, Jess Girard

DUES FOR SEPTEMBER–Rich Farrell, Bill Sigg.

DUES FOR AUGUST – Dan Bridenbaugh

DUES FOR JULY – Keith Stevens.

DUES FOR JUNE – Robert Burke, Brian D'Amico, Harry Mullins, Greg Butler

Please mail dues to Donna Landis, 58 Arlington Ave., London Ohio 43140

**Meetings held
the 2nd
Wednesday
each month
Dennis
Hyundia on
Morse Road.**



Meeting Agenda - November 9, 2016

- Treasurer's Report - Mike Shockley
- Fall Cruise
 - October 15. Stan Farlow
- Powell Cruise-In - Ron Cozzo
 - October 16
- 2017 GTOAA Chapter Survey - Ron Cozzo
- 2017 GTOACO Officer Nominations
- ♦ Summit Racing Equipment Hot Rod & Custom Car Show - Ron Cozzo
 - ♦ January 27, 28, 29, 2017
- ♦ All Pontiac Swap Meet - Ron Cozzo
 - ♦ March 19, 2017, Dennis Hyundai
- ♦ 2nd Annual Battle of the Brands - Brian D'Amico
 - ♦ Date
- Cruise-In and All Pontiac Show - Ron Cozzo
 - Date
- Open Discussion
- Motion for Adjournment

Calendar of Events

November 9, 2016

Regular Club Meeting 7pm @ Dennis Automotive 2900 Morse Rd Columbus, OH
5:30pm pre-meeting dinner @ Smokey Bones Bar & Fire Grill, 3939 Morse Crossing, Columbus, OH 43219

November 24, 2016

Happy Thanksgiving!!

November 25, 2016

Black Friday



NOVEMBER 2016

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
		1	2	3	4	5
6	7	8	9 <i>Club Meeting 7pm @ Dennis Automotive</i>	10	11	12
13	14	15	16	17	18	19
20	21	22	23	24 	25 	26
27	28	29	30			

For Sale

- ◆ 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!



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WHAT ACTIVITIES WOULD YOU BE INTERESTED IN? _____

OPTIONAL:

WRITE A SHORT STORY ABOUT YOURSELF, FAMILY, OCCUPATION, HOBBIES AND HOW YOU GOT INTERESTED IN GTO'S. IF YOU HAVE ANY PICTURES OF YOUR CAR SEND THOSE ALSO. THIS INFORMATION WILL BE USED IN A COLUMN IN THE PAW PRINTS FEATURING MEMBERS. IT IS A GOOD WAY FOR US TO BECOME AQUATINTED WITH EACH OTHER.



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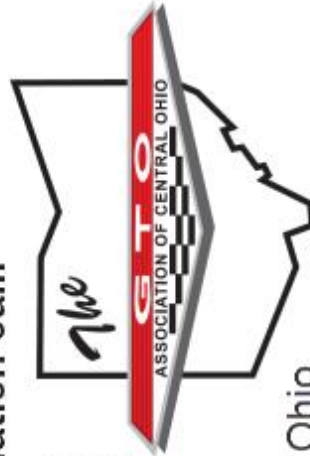
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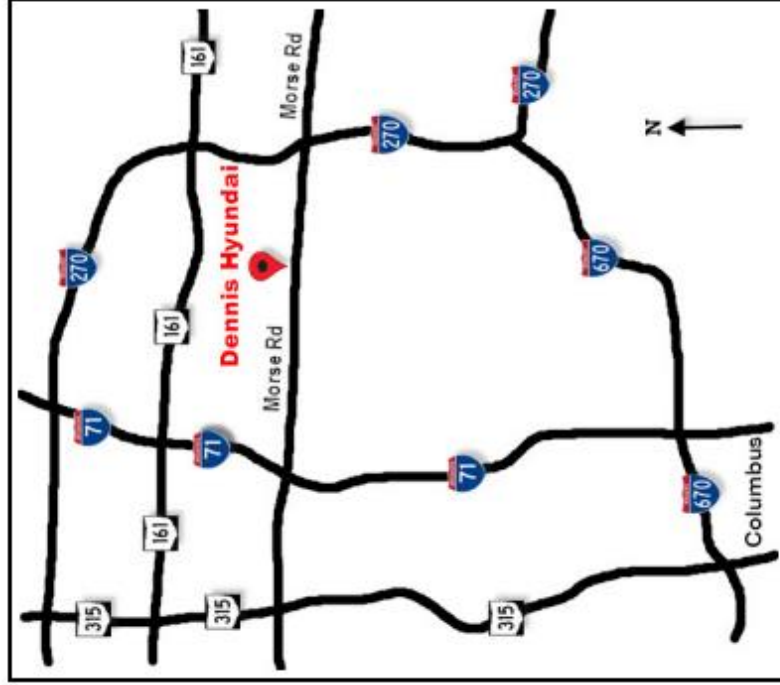
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