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2022 Battle of the Brands car show

GTO Association of Central Ohio

1810 Upper Valley Drive
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LETTER FROM THE PRESIDENT

No Presidents letter in this edition of
The Paw Prints.

The GTOACO was founded in 1984 by a group of GTO Enthusiasts in the Central OH Region. The club name was slated to be the Goat Owners of Columbus but by popular vote at our first meeting we became known as The GTO Association of Central Ohio. Becoming a chapter of the GTO Association of America in 1985, we were incredibly young and determined, hosting our first national show in 1986.

We continue to host and participate in a variety of national, regional, and local events celebrating a kind of camaraderie not easily found. We are car historians, passionately preserving, protecting, and restoring the Pontiac GTO so that future generations will never lose sight of the era that defined the raw power of the American Muscle Car!

TIGERBITES

Attention all members, dues are payable by January 15, 2022. Check or money orders can be made payable to: THE GTO ASSOCIATION OF CENTRAL OHIO and can be mailed to the Treasurer, Lonnie McLaughlin, at 5808 Tarton Circle North, Dublin, OH 43017.

We'll be meeting in person this August at the Hickory House in Gahanna, please join us on Wednesday evening, August 10th. Dinner will be available for order at 5:30 pm followed by the August meeting at 7:00 pm.

On behalf of the Officers and Board of Directors, we wish nothing but the best to all of our GTOACO members who are celebrating personal milestones, birthdays, and anniversaries this month. We are privileged to have you as part of our car club family!

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MEETING MINUTES

The meeting was called to order by President Stan Farlow.

In attendance were members: Rob Wilson, Bill Sigg, Jon and Jackie Stottsberry, Brad Blackburn, Stan Farlow, Lonnie and Lynn McLaughlin, Max Trier, Ron Cozzo, Kevin Russo, Brent Penney, Jeff Frazier, Jim Lowery.

Treasurer's report – Lonnie McLaughlin gave the treasurer's report. Motion to accept by Kevin Russo, 2nd Brad Blackburn.

Discussion and Awards from GTOAA National

Kevin Landis Concours Modified GTO Gold 1964 GTO

Bill Sigg Popular vote stock 1st place 2006 GTO

Ron Cozzo Popular vote Modified Tempest/LeMans 1st place 1966 LeMans

Lonnie McLaughlin Popular vote Modified Other Pontiac 3rd place 2008 Solstice

Jon Stottsberry Concours Modified Gold 1970 GTO

Battle of the Brands – July 23 Saturday morning 7:30 set up. Brad needs three more volunteers for parking lot layout Friday night. Jeff Frazier, Kevin Russo and Brent Penney volunteered.

Indian Uprising – September 4 Ron Cozzo said that the trophies are ordered and everything is on track for the show.

Club Picnic – September 10th This year's club picnic will again be hosted by Kevin Landis. Food served at 1:00 PM. At 5:00 PM a live band will be performing. Those that attended Donna's retirement party will recall them as they are the same band.

Fall Cruise – Plans are to cruise to Ravens Glenn Winery. Stan said it will be on October 15th. We will be departing the Eastside of Columbus around 10:00.

GTOAA Insurance – Stan reported on more developments regarding our insurance and the GTOAA Insurance. More information to come as he gets additional information on what we need to do to continue to be covered.

GTOAA Nationals Trip/Participation (June 28 to July 2) – Kevin Landis and Lonnie McLaughlin are leaving Tuesday morning, Ron Cozzo will be leaving on Wednesday at dawn, Bill Sigg during the day on Wednesday.

Open Discussion – Kevin Russo reported that Delaware has reduced the size from what he was initially told it would be but it will still be larger than in years past.

Lonnie and Lynn McLaughlin brought up the possibility of an overnight trip to Narcissi Winery in Gibsonia Pa. Spring 2023.

Norwalk will be August 12-14th this year. Saturday only car show judging and awards presentation 10:00 am Sunday.

Next Meeting will be at the Hickory House in Gahanna August 10.

Motion to adjourn – Lonnie McLaughlin, 2nd Kevin Russo.



Meeting Minutes Submitted By:

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AUGUST 10 • 2022

MEETING AGENDA

- Call to Order
- Treasurer's Report – Lonnie McLaughlin
- Indian Uprising car show
- Club Picnic
- Fall Cruise
- Election of Officers in October
- Open Discussion
- Next Meeting – September 14th at the Hickory House Gahanna
- Motion for Adjournment



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Spouse's Name _____

Child's Name _____ Child's Name _____

Child's Name _____ Child's Name _____

List the Year, Color, and Style of the GTO(s) or Pontiac(s) that you currently own.

Year _____ Color _____ Style _____

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What Club Activities are you interested in?

Thanks for Joining Us! Every Tiger has a Tale, so sit back a few minutes and let's get better acquainted. Please share a short story about yourself, your family, your occupation, or any hobbies that you enjoy. Tell us how you became interested in the Pontiac GTO.



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