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**PONTIAC-OAKLAND
CLUB INTERNATIONAL**

**WEST MICHIGAN
CHAPTER**

THE ARROWHEAD

Newsletter for the Pontiac Enthusiast

March 2018

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The Preamble

The West Michigan Chapter of the Pontiac-Oakland Club International is dedicated to the ownership and preservation of Pontiacs, all models and years. It is the goal of the chapter to encourage and unite area Pontiac enthusiasts in Chapter sponsored activities and events. The Arrowhead serves as one of the tools to which the Club can fulfill its goals as well as provide information and services to its members.

Club Officers

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NEXT MEETING

FRIDAY, March 9
Ryan & Catie Snyder's Home
Arrive between 6 and 6:30.
(See map on page 5)

Annual Chili Cook-off
\$5 entry fee for each pot of chili.
Prizes will be awarded.

Membership Info

Chapter Dues are to be paid January 1st
\$25.00 payable to WMPOCI

Please give to Terri Miller at the meeting, or mail them to:
Terri Miller 8830 Taylor St. Zeeland, MI 49464

National Dues are YOUR responsibility.

You must be a member of the
National POCI to be a member of the West Michigan POCI.
Log onto www.poci.org for more information or to register

WMPOCI MEMBERSHIP APPLICATION

Name _____ Spouse _____

Address _____

City _____ State _____ Zip _____

Phone _____ Email _____

Full Member (Chapter & POCI) _____

If full member include your POCI# _____

Non POCI member (Chapter only) _____

Pontiac Owned _____

Year _____ Model _____

Style _____ Motor _____

National POCI # (must have) _____

Birthday _____ Spouse's Birthday _____

Anniversary _____

\$25.00 Payable to WMPOCI

2018 Tentative Schedule

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| March 9 (Friday) | Chili Cook-Off |
| April 3 | |
| May 5 | Spring Dust-Off (Muskegon Mansions Tour) |
| June 5 | Regular Meeting Tour Benjamin's Hope |
| June 24-28 | POCI Convention—Wisconsin Dells |
| July 14 | Attend a White Caps Game |
| August 7 | Regular meeting |
| August 10 | Car Show |
| September 4 | Picnic at Holland State Park |
| October 2 | Regular Meeting |
| October 13 | Fall Color Tour |
| November 6 | Valve Cover Races |
| December | Christmas Party |

CHIEF'S CHATTER

Well, it seems my plow likes to run except when I want to push some snow around with it. Then it barely wants to idle. People are telling me it is a vacuum leak at the carburetor. I'm thinking it should be easy to find. I only have one vacuum line connected to the engine. The rest have been cut off and plugged with machine screws and golf tees. So, no leaks there. Only one line to check.

Next month is our chili cookoff at our house. Hope to see everyone there. There is a map and details included in this newsletter. Last year we had about 10 chilis. Hopefully we will be able to have at least that this year.

A few other items to remind everyone of: Turn in a photo of yourself and any changes in your profile for updating our membership directories. We are also looking to have a local club logo, any ideas are welcome.

Until next time, get out and drive.
Ryan Snyder

SPRING DUST OFF CRUISE

The club is reserved to tour the Hackley and Hume Mansions in Muskegon on Saturday, May 5. We will have tour guides for this event. Cost is \$8.00 for seniors, \$10.00 for others, if we have 20 or more cost is \$8.00 each. Meeting at 9am at Career Line Tech on the corner of US31 and Port Sheldon, lunch after the tours, place to be determined at a later time. A possible garage tour on the way home.

We would like to update our Membership Directory and include a picture of each couple/member.

**Please e-mail, text, snail mail a picture to
Catie Snyder by the April meeting.
(catie.snyder12@yahoo.com)**

PLEASE CHECK your information in the club directory and notify Terri Miller if you find any details that are no longer correct. E-mail to: govoyage43@gmail.com

REMEMBER YOUR ANNUAL DUES OF \$25
Should be paid to Terri Miller ASAP

February 2018 Meeting Report

In the absence of our faithful Secretary, Dan Jensen, I will give you a few details on this meeting. It was a small group with so many of our folks in warmer climates right now, but we had a good time and we had a new visitor.

Ryan brought prints of a few other Pontiac club's Logos to Give us some ideas for creating our own.

We went through the schedule for this year and added a few details.

Tuesday, June 5, will be our visit and tour at Benjamin's Hope. Saturday, July 14, was chosen to attend a White Caps game. October 13 will tentatively be our Fall Color Tour to the Novi area. We need a volunteer or two to organize the Christmas Party and possibly find a new location.

There is a Facebook page "West Michigan Car Shows" where you can see what shows are going on in our area.

Bruce & Debbie Hayes were chosen in the Attendance Drawing for \$28.00 but were not there.

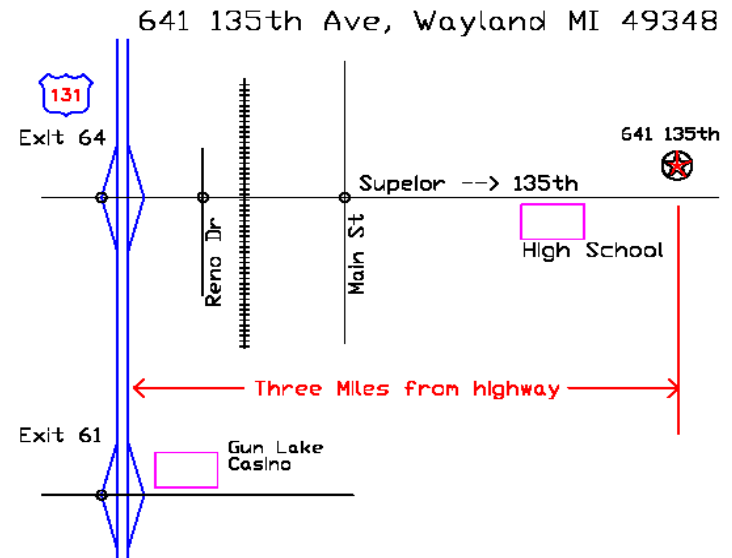
Nancy Baker won \$12.00 in the 50/50 drawing.

Judy Hirdes

Since we don't have a lot of news this month I thought I'd brighten your day with a few flowers.



MAP to Ryan & Catie's house for Chili Cook-off.
641 135th Ave., Wayland



Here is another site to check out for events all around the area: www.motorcitypoci.com/events/

March 2 - 4 Fri - Sun 66th Annual Autorama at Cobo Center autorama.com Detroit, MI

Care Corner

We intend to include announcements whenever we learn of a serious illness, accident, surgery, or death of a close relative of one of our members. Please inform a Board Member if you have an item to share.

We now have a Facebook Page:
West Michigan Pontiac Club

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Check it out!

