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**PONTIAC-OAKLAND
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THE ARROWHEAD

Newsletter for the Pontiac Enthusiast

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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 EVENT **SPRING DUST OFF CRUISE** **Saturday, May 5**

We will tour the Hackley and Hume Mansions in Muskegon
The tour fee will be paid for by the club.
Meeting at 9am at Career Line Tech Center on the
NE corner of US-31 and Port Sheldon.
We will have lunch at Handsome Hobos after the tours.
We will stop at Ed Ryzenga and Ed Ter Voort to tour their
garages on the way back.

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 Schedule

May 5—9 AM	Spring Dust-Off (Muskegon Mansions Tour)
June 2—3 PM	Benjamin's Hope Tour
June 24-28	POCI Convention—Wisconsin Dells
July 14 -7 PM	Attend a White Caps Game
August 7	Regular meeting
August 10	Car Show—Elhart Automotive
September 4	Picnic at Holland State Park
October 2	Regular Meeting
October 13	Fall Color Tour
November 6	Valve Cover Races
December 8	Christmas Party-Beechwood Grill, Holland

AREA CAR SHOWS AND EVENTS

Wed., May 2, 5-8 PM	McFadden's Friendly Motors Car Show—11628 M-140 Highway South Haven
Friday, June 1, 5-8:30	Remember When Car Show & Cruise Downtown Holland
Friday, June 1, 6-9 PM	Cruise in for Kids Burn Camp Salem Township Park, Burnips
Saturday, July 7, 9-3	Downtown Plainwell
Saturday, July 14, 8 AM	Show & Shine—Downtown Zeeland
Saturday, Aug 11, 7-4	Del Shannon Show, Coopersville
Sunday, Aug 26 10-5	Hastings Summerfest Car Show
Sunday, Sept 9, 9 AM	Muscle Cars Plus—Gilmore Car Museum Hickory Corners

CHIEF'S CHATTER

Don't let the snow outside fool you, it is spring. That means it is time to pull your cars out of storage, dust off the cobwebs, charge the battery and top off all the fluids. There is not a lot of time before our spring dust off. I know Catie's and my cars are still tucked away in storage. One of her tires must have a slow leak, because it is flat. Just another thing to fix before hitting the road. I will not be able to make the dust-off this year. I will be out of town on business. Hope everyone has a great time and the weather cooperates.

Event updates: Benjamin's Hope tour will be on June 2 at 3:00pm. We will have to find a location in Holland to meet at 2:00 before heading over. After the tour we will cruise around for ice cream/dessert.

Fall Color Tour: Lingenfelter Collection on October 19. Looking at leaving Grand Rapids around 9:00am. Having Lunch over by Novi. Starting tour at 1:00pm. Cost of the tour is \$10 per person. More details to follow.

Until next time, get out and drive.

Ryan Snyder

JUNE 2 EVENT

We will arrive at Benjamin's Hope at 3 PM
on Saturday, June 2.

15468 Riley St, Holland, MI

We will have a tour of the campus and resident's homes.
You are encouraged to drive your Classic Cars
to give the residents a mini car show.

HASTINGS 2018 CRUISE INS

Dairy Queen, 1025 West State Street, Hastings
May 12, June 9, July 14, August 11, September 8
6 PM til Dark

SUMMERFEST 2018 CAR SHOW

Sunday, August 26, 10 am—5 pm
Awards at 3:30 PM

Downtown Hastings—State Street
between Broadway & Boltwood
Arts & Crafts, Food Vendors
www.hastingscarclub.com

April 2018 Meeting Report

Considering the “iffy” weather on Tuesday evening, April 3rd, 24 club members showed up at Famous Dave’s for some great food and to be reunited with many of our snowbirds. Oh yeah, and we had our normal business meeting too!

After eating, the first order of business was to go over Terri Miller’s Treasurer’s Report. She showed income from dues and no expenses, the best kind of report we like to see!

President Ryan Snyder went over upcoming events for 2018. First was the McFaddens Classic Car show at the dealership. It would be a good opportunity to pass our flyer for our August car show.

May 5th is our Dust-Off cruise to Muskegon to tour some of the mansions there. (The club will cover the entry fees.) We will meet at 9AM at Career Line Tech on the northeast corner of 31 and Port Sheldon Road. After the tours we will stop for some lunch (at Handsome Hobos?). Then we will tour a car collection afterwards. It’s going to be a fun-filled day. Things should wrap up between 3 and 4 PM.

May 10-12 is the Spring Auction at the Auburn, IN auction site.

June 2nd, a Saturday, we will cruise to Benjamin’s Hope. We are asked to show up between 3 and 4 PM to get a tour of the facilities. Afterwards we may stop by an ice cream shop and then have a short meeting.

July 14th, another Saturday, we will attend a White Caps game. We have seats reserved in section 123, by third base. Tickets are \$11.50. The game starts at 7 PM and there will be fireworks afterwards.

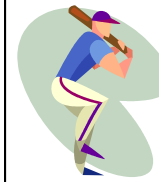
Cary Hirdes has looked into the feasibility of getting our own sound system for our August Car Show. It was determined that it will cost too much, especially to use only once a year. It makes more sense to hire someone. He has someone in mind to contact.

We are still looking into visiting the Lingenfelter Car Collection, down near Novi, MI, for our Fall Color Tour. Nothing has been locked in yet, but Ryan may have some more information by our next meeting. For the Christmas Party, we have another possible location to consider, the Four Roses Restaurant in Plainwell, MI. They have rooms big enough for our group, and they don’t charge extra for them, or have a limited menu either. Doug Kamphuis knows of a ventriloquist who may be interested in providing the entertainment.

Ron VanZyvteld brought up the motion to donate \$50 to the Vintage Car Club of Holland for their June car show. The motion was passed.

Jan Bosma’s name was pulled for our Attendance Drawing, but she as not present to collect the \$56 pot. So, the amount grows for the next meeting. Rick Ploeg won the 50/50 drawing worth \$28.

Terri Miller still needs updates and photos for our roster books. See everyone at the next meeting. Dan Jensen



WHITE CAPS BASEBALL GAME

Saturday, July 14, 7 PM
We have seats reserved in Section 123.
Ticket cost is \$11.50
Fireworks will follow the game

Christmas Party Plan

Saturday, December 8, 7 PM
Beechwood Grill (Ottawa Beach Rd. Holland)
Family Style meal with 2 meats, potato,
vegetable, salad and rolls
Includes coffee, tea and soft drinks.
A dessert can be added of ice cream sundaes or cheesecake
for an extra fee..
Cost to be determined
A Ventriloquist has been scheduled for the entertainment.



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.

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

We have a Facebook Page:

West Michigan Pontiac Club

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Check it out!

