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**Newsletter for the Pontiac Enthusiast**

**May 2011**

## April 2011 Meeting Report

Twenty-two WMPOCI members ventured out to Famous Dave's Restaurant in Grandville for the April 5<sup>th</sup> meeting. The weather was sunny, but cool and very windy. President Ron VanZytveld opened the meeting by going over Terri Millers Treasurer's Report. We had income from dues and expenses for the meeting and the deposit for our May 7<sup>th</sup> dust-off cruise to the Kellogg Manor House. We will meet at 9:30 in the morning, giving us two hours to get to the Manor by 11:30. Ron also gave Terri the annual POCI chapter report to fill out.

Cary Hirdes talked about our Elhart Car Show this upcoming August. Elharts were okay with the idea if we wanted to move our date from August 5<sup>th</sup> to the 12<sup>th</sup>, due to a conflict with the Pontiac Nationals at Norwalk, OH. However, since the Hirdes' have a conflict themselves with the 12<sup>th</sup>, the membership voted to keep this year's show on the 5<sup>th</sup>, and change our date so it won't conflict with Norwalk the following year. Now that we settled on a date, Cary will get the flyers printed up as soon as he can. Cary and Ron put the word out that we could use more sponsors for our show. If you know of an area business that would be interested in helping out, please contact Cary or Ron. Terri Miller will order the porta-johns. Ron or Cary will check into getting an ice cream vendor to compliment the food vendor.

A sign up sheet was passed around for the dust-off cruise to the Kellogg Manor House on May 7<sup>th</sup>. Seventeen members signed up, but we need a group size of twenty. If you weren't at the meeting, but want to go on the cruise, please call Terri Miller. The cruise will also take the place of our normal meeting, so don't drive to Famous Dave's on May 3<sup>rd</sup>.

Though the Burn Show has been cancelled this year, there will still be a cruise for the burn camp on Friday, June 3<sup>rd</sup>.

There is also a vintage car show in Holland on June 18<sup>th</sup>.

The 50/50 raffle worth \$19 was won by the Millers. The attendance raffle, worth \$104, was won by Dan Karczewski! Congratulations to all!

Since we couldn't procure a guest speaker for the meeting, we played the WMPOCI version of BINGO, Bonneville Bingo! Basically it was "speed Bingo" with the person winning the most rounds winning prizes. Guess who won. Dan Karczewski! Congrats Dan. I'd also buy a lottery ticket if I were you!

See you at the dust off cruise!  
Dan Jensen

### CAR SHOW OPPORTUNITY

David's House where we were given a tour about a year ago is having a car show/pig roast May 14th. This is strictly an entertainment venue for the residents of David's House. The show will be from 10 - 2 at David's House #3 which is on Banner Dr. in Wyoming.

## 2011 SCHEDULE OF MEETINGS AND ACTIVITIES

**April:** Famous Daves

**May 7, Sat.** - Dust Off - W.K. Kellogg Manor House - tour and lunch. No Tuesday meeting.

**June:** Fricano's on Alpine. Tues. night cruise in meeting.

**July:** NO Meeting (convention)

**Aug:** Cruise to Gilmore Museum also Elhart Car Show

**Sept:** Holland State Park - Picnic Meeting also Dan's Drags later in the month

**Oct:** Bill Nigg - Professor of Astronomy (Bob McCarthy's uncle)

**Nov:** Valve Cover Races

**Dec:** Christmas Party ( we still need to find a new place to hold the Christmas dinner, if you have an idea let one of the club officers know.)

You can now check out our WMPOCI chapter on [Facebook](#).

Be sure and sign up as a friend, the site only has about 8 friends, yet.

## CHIEF'S CHATTER

I hope we are getting all the rain and snow out of the way so we can enjoy a beautiful May. Snow on the 18th of April just doesn't cut it.

If you want to go on the dust-off cruise/May meeting and you haven't signed up, be sure to call Terri Miller. We need a couple more people to fill out the trip. It should be a lot of fun and the club is picking up part of the cost. It was great to see everyone at the meeting in April. The rest of the snow birds were back. Old faces and new alike stayed after the meeting to catch up on things. It was obvious that this club has spawned a lot of great friendships.

See you in May

Ron

Lets hope our dust off weather is dryer and warmer than this!

(April 18)



# THE ARROWHEAD

## 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

President	Ron VanZytveld	616-896-1294
Vice President	Tom Ensing	616-826-6554
Treasurer	Terri Miller	616-875-8069
Secretary	Dan Jensen	517-647-2474
Arrowhead Editor	Elaine VanZytveld	616-896-1294

**MAY 7TH**

**WE WILL MEET AT THE MARATHON GAS STATION AT THE CORNER OF KALAMAZOO AND 131 AT 9:30 FOR OUR DUST OFF CRUISE TO THE KELLOGG MANOR IN BATTLECREEK. THE COST IS \$6.00 PER PERSON, THE CLUB WILL PICK UP THE REST.**

## 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](http://www.poci.org) for more information or to register

## WMPOCI MEMBERSHIP APPLICATION

Name \_\_\_\_\_ Spouse \_\_\_\_\_

Address \_\_\_\_\_

City \_\_\_\_\_ State \_\_\_\_\_ Zip \_\_\_\_\_

Phone \_\_\_\_\_ Email \_\_\_\_\_

Pontiac Owned \_\_\_\_\_

Year \_\_\_\_\_ Model \_\_\_\_\_

Style \_\_\_\_\_ Motor \_\_\_\_\_

National POCI # (must have) \_\_\_\_\_

Birthday \_\_\_\_\_ Spouse's Birthday \_\_\_\_\_

Anniversary \_\_\_\_\_

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