

GEORGETOWN TEXAS AREA CAR CLUB



Can you believe it, 2022 is almost over!

Santa's speeding on his way & soon we will be changing the calendar to 2023, It seems like it was just yesterday we were worried about Y2K, remember that?

GTACC has had a good year. We raised more than \$12,000 with our two shows. With that we were able to provide \$8000 in scholarships to five Georgetown and Eastview high school seniors, more than \$3000 in donations to area charities and \$1125 to Brown Santa. Members can be proud of what GTACC contributes to the community. Our challenge for the new year is to continue or exceed that level.

New Members for December:

James Lively, 2022 Dodge Challenger Skat Pac Shaker

Mike Miller, 2014 Corvette, 2022 Corvette

Jeff Pentrack, 2022 Corvette

Rick Holloway, 1973 Corvette

Patrick Nowotny, 1966 Ford F100 Pickup

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Brown Santa

Thru the generosity of our members, GTACC was able to contribute \$1125 in gifts and gift cards to our assigned family with four kids, ages from 11-18. Shopping was done by myself, my wife Karen and daughter, putting our lives at risk at Target, Walmart, Michael's, Hobby Lobby and Ulta's, all on a Saturday afternoon. In addition to items for the kids, we provided the family with gift cards to Walmart (\$300) and HEB (\$200). Also, Member Dave Triplett donated a Christmas tree to the family. Items were distributed to the family on Saturday morning during December's 'Pistons on the Square'.



Club members presenting gifts to Brown Santa family

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Santa's Sleighs with gifts ready for Brown Santa



After Pistons on the Square, Kent Didrikson led a cruise in over back roads to lunch at Mexicano Grill in Jarrell for lunch.



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Upcoming Events

Saturday, February 11, GTACC Blood drive @ Sun City, We are working with *We Are Blood* to hold this event to support member and club treasurer Greg Caswell. It will be held in the same parking lot as our car show. Times will be announced later but please put this date on your calendar and plan on supporting this event. Member Brian Polk is working on a t-shirt to support the event as well.

Saturday, February 25, Stephanie Nichols Airport Car Show. Registration is now open for the first big event of the year. As usual, the club will arrange a group meet and cruise to the show. Six members have already stood up to volunteer to help Stephanie with parking.

<https://www.eventbrite.com/e/stephanie-nichols-12th-annual-car-vintage-plane-show-georgetown-airport-registration-469950924867>

Saturday, May 6, 16th Annual GTACC Car Show and Charity Benefit, Our largest event of the year. This event is what allows us to do all the things I mentioned in the opening paragraph. It's an "all men (and women!) on deck" type of event. At the January meeting I will present signup sheets for volunteers. We need at least 60 volunteers for the various duties!



Guess what member was first on the square!!

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Several members joined us for a Brown Santa wrapping party, Sorry Mark, I didn't get your pic!



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More pictures from December Pistons on the Square



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Club Requests:

We occasionally get requests for vehicles for special events, the club does not usually participate but I will pass on a current request:

- Looking to rent a vintage car or truck for daughter's wedding on July 8, 2023 to drive her & husband from wedding in Georgetown to hotel in Round Rock. Contact Cathy Thane, 512-869-9377 cathythane9@gmail.com

Mystery Tool

No one properly guess last months but Mat Adams was first with guess so one \$5 gift card

It's a door handle clip remover

This Months tool, thanks to Ken Frazier



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How about my new wall art?



Merry Christmas!