

# ***Pan Siftings***



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## *October*



## **CAR OF THE MONTH**

**1936 Ford Cabriolet Deluxe - Owned By Frank Klein**

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**Vice Pres:** Paul Schmidtbauer  
**Secretary:** Lily Prince  
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### Mission Statement:

To Preserve The History Of The Pan Automobile; To Introduce And Educate Current And Future Generations About The Collector Car Hobby; To Promote Fun And Fellowship Amongst Its Members And To Invest Time, Talent, And Capital Into Future Club Projects And Functions.



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## President's Report

Hello, everybody! We just finished up with the Schmitts and Gilleland open house. It was great weather and lots of cars which equals loads of fun! Dennis has been talking about a movie that will be filmed in St. Cloud that is looking for cars from 1957-1972. The movie's time era is in 1972. It sounds like the dates for filming will be October 18th and 19th. If anyone is interested, they are looking for about 10-12 cars. I was told that the movie company would donate to our club. Our next meeting will be October 10th at the VFW Post 428. The club's Birthday Party will be on November 23rd, so please make sure to get your RSVP in by November 1st. Thank you!



President Randy Marchand [carguymrcr05@gmail.com](mailto:carguymrcr05@gmail.com)



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This is a fundraiser for VREC (Veterans Resource and Enrichment Center) in St. Cloud, Mn. They will have 15-20 games and could use volunteers to help on the day of the event from 11am to 5pm. For more info call Gail at 320-293-3177 Thank You!



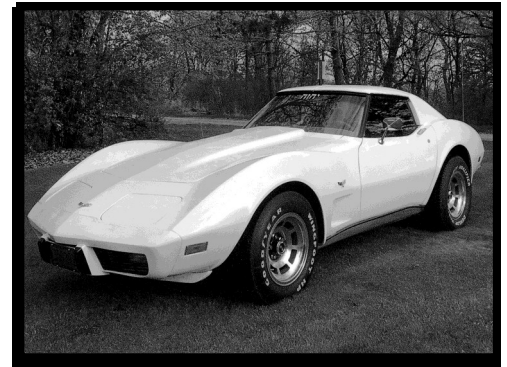
## Vice President's Report

Hello everyone! Happy October! Oh my it will be cool weather soon and the summer only a memory, Hope you all have some great car memories of this summer. There are very few shows within a seventy mile radius of us now. I may drive to the Dairy Queen a couple times yet but the car will soon be resting for the season. Keep thinking about the positions on the board for our club. I know most of you already did your time on the board but as always we need you. Just give it some time. You've got two months left, but we all know how fast that goes. Like a Vette it just flies by! God loves you and I think your OK! Peace Be With You!



**Vice President Paul Schmidtbauer**

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## **How to Prepare Your Car for Winter Storage**

### **Prepare Your Storage Location**

If you store your vehicle in an unheated storage unit with concrete floors, lay down a large tarp to reduce the chances of moisture creeping up from the floors. For personal garages, consider covering up the windows or applying a UV tint to keep out damaging sunlight. No matter what the location, look for signs of vermin, and lay down traps if necessary. Plug any small holes in the walls or floor that might encourage critters to escape the elements and find a comfortable place to nest. Ideally, it's best to store vehicles in a dry, climate-controlled environment to prevent moisture build-up, however cars can be forgiving! A regular garage is fine too.

### **Replace Your Engine Oil**

Between oil changes, small sediment can build up in your engine. While it sits in storage, that sediment can settle in the lower parts of your engine, so it's important to flush it out with fresh engine oil before that happens. After storage, getting an oil change should be near the top of your list so that you aren't driving with old oil.

### **Stabilize Your Fuel**

Before storing your vehicle, make sure you have a full tank of gas. The more air in your fuel tank, the more opportunities for moisture to get in and cause corrosion problems. By keeping the tank full you're making sure air can't get in, and the tank stays properly lubricated. Reputable stabilizer additive will prevent the gas from oxidizing, or going bad, and bonds with the gasoline to prevent it from evaporating. Once the stabilizer is added, run your car for about 10 minutes to make sure the stabilizer fully circulates throughout the entire fuel system.

### **Protect Your Tires**

Your storage location should always have some kind of floor protection by now; either a tarp that you've added, or perhaps your garage already has rubber floor pads. Both will prevent that awful moisture creep and reduce the chances of corrosion in your brakes, undercarriage and other susceptible areas. If your tires will be sitting unmoved for 30 days or more, they run a high risk of developing flat spots, which will affect how smooth your ride is after you pull your car out of storage. As an alternate tire storage method, you can remove the tires completely or set your car up on a lift or jack stands. Regardless of the option you choose, make sure you wash your tires thoroughly before storage and take special care to dig out any small pebbles that could deform the tread if left over time.

**Remove The Battery** Once the car is in its storage location and the tires have been attended to, it's time to remove the battery. Store it separately in a temperature-controlled environment, and ideally leave it on a trickle charge using a battery tender so that it doesn't go flat after months of inactivity. If you haven't changed your battery in several years, now is also a good time to test it – it might be on its last legs, in which case simply replace it with a fresh one when it's time to take your car out of storage.

**Deter Mice and Other Critters** In the cold winter months, an exhaust or engine bay can look like a really comfortable place to hole up. Discourage that behavior and keep rodents at bay by blocking off the exhaust. Use a dryer sheet and a rubber band to create a tight cap that is breathable, or plug the hole with steel wool. Dryer sheets are full of chemicals that animals despise, and let's be honest, they're not that great for humans either, so liberally place dryer sheets under your hood, in your trunk, under your driver and passenger seat, in your glove box, and any other nooks and crannies that might otherwise be appealing to small animals. An added bonus is that your car shouldn't smell musty when you pull it out in a few months! By taking the time and care to prepare your vehicle for proper winter storage, you can mitigate a lot of the problems that arise from moisture build-up, UV damage, small animals and more



## Car Show Chairman Report

The car show went well, thank you to all who worked so hard to make it happen. I will a complete review of the show at the next general meeting, after all information is gathered and put together.

**Car Show Chairman Tim Goodner 320-290-0504**  
**(tjgoodner@charter.net)**



THANK YOU  
volunteers



### To All Pantowners

We have received a request from a film company asking for 12 or more cars to be used as props with filming a motion picture in Sartell and St. Cloud. Request came from Mr. Troy McCall with Palilalia Pictures. This is a relatively new company, and Troy has past experience with film. Mr. McCall has already secured road closures, etc. to set up for movie production. They will provide a donation to us for use of our cars, the amount of donation has yet to be disclosed or discussed. Either way, this should be a fun and memorable experience for anyone that wants to participate. **Details:** Movie will be set in 1972. There will be two scenes. First scene will be filming trick-or-treaters in Sartell. Half of our cars will be parked on the street, others will be used as drive-by. Second scene will be a wedding scene and will be filmed outside of St Mary's Cathedral. Therefore looking for cars and trucks that would normally be seen on local streets in 1972. In discussion with Troy, cars probably from late 1950's to 1972. Condition of the cars need not be in restored condition. Like back in 1972, many cars 6 years or older may be rusty, damaged etc. you get the idea. Troy will work with whatever we come up with. **Dates/Locations:** Friday October 18th 3pm 401 2 1/2 Street Sartell. We should meet up sooner so that we can discuss vehicle positions etc. They will provide food on site as well. Plan to stay until 7pm. Saturday October 19th 10am St. Mary's Cathedral. We should meet up sooner to discuss vehicle positions. Plan to stay until about 12:30pm. These are two separate events, so it is not expected that the same cars will be at both events. **I would like to get a list of club members and cars/trucks that are planned to be used as soon as possible so we can get this info to Troy McCall. Please email or call me or Randy Marchand if you are able to help out!**  
**Thank You Dennis Arntson 320-333-6019**



## Membership Meeting Minutes

September 12th 2024

**Call to Order:** Bruce Berscheit led The Pledge of Allegiance at Tim Carlson's shop in Sauk Rapids MN. & Randy Marchand called the meeting to order.

**Thank You:** To all our members who helped with our car show you all did an awesome job helping! Thank You Tim Carlson for the use of his shop for our general meeting. Pete Tourand for the pop tops. Jim Stodolka & Shirley Bromenschenkel sent us thank you cards.

**Approval of Minutes:** Carol Lauermann made a motion to accept the minutes as written and seconded by Don Blonigen. Discussion and motion were carried.

**President:** Randy Marchand said the Club's Birthday Party registration forms are in this siftings. He also passed out club participation trophies.

**Vice President:** Paul Schmidtbauer let us know we are looking to fill the positions of Vice President, Secretary, Sargent of Arms and 2 First Year Directors. Thank you Tina Holt for accepting to run for secretary.

**Treasurer:** Bob Salmonson is home and making progress, filling in is Bob Halliday who reported our accounts are good and is looking at using a personal fire/water proof box due to the higher costs of a bank safety box. Nancy Zupan motioned to accept the report and Tina Holt seconded. Discussion and motion was carried.

**Secretary:** Lily Prince has calendars for members (1 per membership, members can purchase more calendars for \$2.00 each.) If you are not receiving a newsletter or email, Please message or call me 612-327-6048. I'm also doing membership renewals. I also need them from lifetime members who can call me to get your form filled out.

**Car Show:** Tim Goodner was not present, Randy Marchand announced the car chair meeting.

### **Board of Directors:**

**1<sup>st</sup> Year:** Mike Schmitt & Tom Erickson are ready to go on the fall run.

**2<sup>nd</sup> Year:** Gary Anderson and Todd Whitney are busy planning for next year and need the workers list for the banquet.

**3<sup>rd</sup> Year:** Dan Arntson and Kevin Sanders had nothing.

**Pan Committee:** Cars were switched after our car show.

**Old Business:** none

**New Business:** none.

**Announcements:** We received club participation trophies from Jack & Jims and Little Falls. Club trophies: Don Blonigen, August Preusser, Tom Erickson, Paul Schmidtbauer, Curtis Norenberg, and Allen Dobis. The winners of the card drawings were Gail Counter, Ron Paulson, Tom Hall, Pete Tourand, and with two wins Nancy Zupan. Jason Carlson was not present for the badge drawing. October's drawing will be \$20.

**Adjournment** Tom Erickson made a motion to adjourn, and Dorothy Paulson seconded, all were in favor and motion was carried. Closed meeting 8:12pm, 42 minutes



**Secretary Lily Prince**



## Board Meeting Minutes

September 19th 2024

**Call to Order:** Bruce Berscheit led The Pledge of Allegiance at the Moose in Waite Park MN. & Randy Marchand called the meeting to order.

**Guests:** Tina Holt

**Excused:** Gary Anderson & Dan Arntson

**Thank You:** To all members who helped for our car show, and The members who helped with talking about our Pan car. Our members are amazing.

**Approval of Minutes:** No meeting last month.

**President:** Randy Marchand announced he is working on the Birthday Party which will be November 23<sup>rd</sup> at the Gorecki Center within the College of St. Benedict in St. Joseph, MN.

**Vice President:** Paul Schmidtbauer had nothing.

**Treasurer:** Bob Salmonson was absent and Bob Halliday gave the report. Todd Whitney made a motion to accept the treasurer's report and seconded by Bruce Berscheit, all were in favor and motion was carried.

**Secretary:** Lily Prince continues to update her emailing list & roster. Calendars are available and extras are for sale \$2- each. Lily is also taking renewals, be sure to get them in to continue to get these newsletters. You can request information to not be listed in our roster.

**Car Show Chair:** Tim Goodner is ready for the wrap up meeting and wanted to say Thank you for all your hard work.

### **Board of Directors:**

**1<sup>st</sup> Year:** Tom Erickson & Mike Schmitt's are ready for our fall tour on September 28<sup>th</sup>.

**2<sup>nd</sup> Year:** Gary Anderson & Todd Whitney are working hard on our spring banquet.

**3<sup>rd</sup> Year:** Kevin Sanders had nothing.

**Pan Car Committee:** Green Pan Car is at Stearns History Museum. Red Pan Car is in storage & will get a tune up in the spring.

**Old Business:** We are still looking for the titles on the Pan Cars and may have to get duplicate titles made. After checking our containers, the bad smells in the older container & look good, it was brought up that the club might need to install a sloped roof cap to prevent the moisture, and both containers should be under the roof cap since we don't want to shovel them off after every snowfall.

**New Business:** We are looking for a Vice President, Secretary, Treasurer, Sargent of Arms and 2 Director's for next year.

**Adjournment:** Todd Whitney made a motion to adjourn, and seconded by Tom Erickson, all were in favor and the motion was carried. Closed meeting 7:15pm, 15 minutes.



**Secretary Lily Prince**



In the 70's, afternoons were often spent with your best buddies and trusty mini bikes, always ready for the next adventure. No helmets, no worries-just pure fun and freedom, racing around the yard with the wind in your hair. While it might seem reckless today, back then, it was all about the thrill and camaraderie that defined childhood back in the 70's.





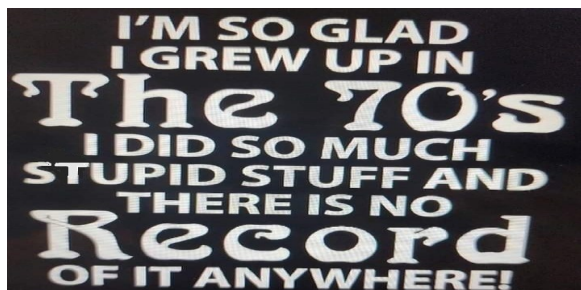
#### For Sale:

- 1 portable engine hoist, used twice. Call Tim - 320-290-0504
- Tonneau Cover - Fits 2015-2020 Ford F150. 5.5 Ft box. Call Dennis 320-333-6019
- 2001 GMC Yukon 4x4. Parked 3 years ago , Transmission bad. Good parts vehicle. \$300.00 Jim 320-406-3574
- 1920 GMC \$15,000 invested will sell for \$10,000 Call D. Klug 320-251-3133
- Wire Feed Welder Call Don B. 320-293-5260
- 4 rims for 2002 Ford Explorer \$100 Roger 320-291-4644
- 1926 Model T Roadster, Restored. \$13,000 D. Klug 320-251-3133
- Model T Hubcaps, 2 1/2: dia. 320-363-8718 Don
- Engine Stand. Like new \$25.00 Fred 320-828-1752
- 2001 Mustang Bullitt, No leaks or problems, under 50,000 miles. \$15,000 612-327-6048
- 1951 Kaiser Club Coupe project car, plus some parts. Larry 320-251-0418
- Batoneco radiator coolant overflow polished stainless steel 50 oz. tank 3x16 \$20, 4 brand new trim rings 15"x2" \$60, brand new gas tank with fill spout in middle/back of tank \$300, Minnesota 1937, 1939, and 1952 license plates (1 each). Contact Tom 320-250-3206
- Two 1954? GMC pickup grilles. Bob 320-363-4108

#### Wanted:

- Heater Control Valve 1970 Ranchero. Gary Anderson 320-250-6619
- Decent vice with 5" or more mounting bolt spread. Bruce T. 320-253-3589
- Wanted old used bicycles, call Craig 320-492-6814
- Looking for someone to restore a 1968 Mustang Convertible. Rick Peterson 320-260-1314
- Old 50, 60, 70's Toys. Jason 320-980-4818
- Wiper switch for 1964 Ford F100 Call Tom 320-250-3206

If you can't make the general meeting and want something listed before I send The Siftings to print ( due date listed on front page ) email me with your listing (jzwilling47@gmail.com). I will continue your listing for 3 months or until you let me know it was sold or you want it renewed or removed. Thanks Jim Z.







## Membership Form-St Cloud Antique Auto Club

**Send to: P.O. Box 704 St. Cloud, MN 56302-0704** Dues are \$20 per fiscal year January 1st and includes the monthly Siftings newsletter (which can be mailed or emailed,) 1 Roster and 1 calendar. Mailing roster to you is an additional \$2.00. **Please Circle:** NEW RENEWAL, LIFE MEMBER, CHANGE ADDRESS OR VEHICLES

Names \_\_\_\_\_

Address \_\_\_\_\_

Phone \_\_\_\_\_

Email \_\_\_\_\_

For new members cars you own and for renewals mark any changes with a + or - sign before the car. Please include year, make, model, body-style and special features.

1. \_\_\_\_\_

2. \_\_\_\_\_

3. \_\_\_\_\_

## Pantowners Club Birthday Party

Saturday November 23<sup>rd</sup> 2024 at Gorecki Center St. Bens Campus

37 College Ave St Joseph, Mn 56374

Social Hour : 5-6 pm Dinner at 6 pm



Dinner Choices : Pork Chop \_\_\_\_\_ Walleye Dinner \_\_\_\_\_ Chicken Dinner \_\_\_\_\_

RSVP by November 1<sup>st</sup> 2024 To: Randy Marchand 617 11<sup>th</sup> Ave S.W. Rice, Mn. 56367  
Make checks payable to: St Cloud Antique Auto Club

Name(s) \_\_\_\_\_

Number Attending \_\_\_\_\_ X \$15.00 \_\_\_\_\_



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## Membership Application

### St. Cloud Antique Auto Club, Inc

To apply for membership or to get information about our Club, check out our website:

[www.pantowners.org](http://www.pantowners.org)

-Or-

send an email request and we will forward an application form to you

[pansiftings@yahoo.com](mailto:pansiftings@yahoo.com)

Pantowners Media Email:

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