

# ***Pan Siftings***



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**Car Of The Month**

**1959 Ford Galaxie Town Victoria. Owner: Dennis and Kathy Arntson**

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**President:** Tim Goodner  
**Vice Pres:** Randy Marchand  
**Secretary:** Lily Prince  
**Treasurer:** Bob Salmonson  
**Car Show Chair:** Bob Halliday  
**Sgt. At Arms:** Bruce Berscheit

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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.



### Car Of The **MONTH**



**1959 Ford Galaxie Town Victoria**  
**Owner: Dennis and Kathy Arntson**

*Thanks for voting our 59 Ford for the calendar. I first saw this car in July 2022 at the Pizza Ranch in Little Falls for the Multi-Car Club cruise event. It wasn't for sale, but I talked to the owner about the car. Saw this car again at the Lone Eagles Car Show in September 2022. Still not for sale, but I looked up the phone number of the owner and left a message asking if he was willing to sell it. About 10 days later, the car was now mine. When I was growing up, my dad had a 59 Edsel Villager 9 passenger wagon and I always liked the 59 Fords and Edsels. I someday wanted either a four door hardtop or station wagon (Ford or Edsel), hopefully in unrestored condition. When I saw this 59 Galaxie Town Victoria, this was exactly what I was looking for. Car had 92,000 actual miles, with original 332V8 FE block and 3 speed automatic transmission. We plan to keep the car mostly original as possible and enjoy cruisin' in it. Dennis and Kathy Arntson*

**Editors Note:** Happy New Year to all of you. This month starts the new year featuring our 2024 Calendar Cars in The Pan Siftings. If you haven't sent me your article and would like your car photo to include an article, please get it to me as soon as you can. I will keep them on file and add it on the month your car is featured in The Pan Siftings. This will be the last notice I give. If you have any questions or need help getting your article to me please call. Thanks Jim

# President's Report

Hello, everyone, Happy New Year! I hope your holidays were full of joy with family and friends. This month, our general meeting is at the Sartell Community Center. As we face a new year with new challenges, such as how we are looking for a new Vice President. We also had Mike Schmitt and Tom Erikson nominated for first year board members. Thank you, both! I believe this year will be an exciting year for us. I am looking forward to seeing all of you at the next meeting!



**President: Randy Marchand**  
**Email: carguymrcr05@gmail.com**



**Special Notice:** Due to some scheduling conflicts with The Moose and our car club wanting to keep our general meetings on the second Thursday of the month, our general meeting place has been changed. Starting Thursday January 11<sup>th</sup> 2024 our general meetings will be held at The Sartell Community Center 850 19<sup>th</sup> Street So. Sartell, Mn. At 7:30 pm. **Please see map below.** Thank You



## Vice President's Report

Hello everybody! We are still looking for a new vice president. Just a reminder that the next general meeting will be held at the Sartell Community Center. Please consider running for the vice president position.

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



### **Valve Cover Race Track and Cars by Dennis Arntson**

Would like to thank Rock City Rods Car Club for their donation of the Valve Cover Race Track that we have used at our last two Annual Car Show and Swap Meets. Also would like to thank the Board for approving the funds available from Nick Prom's "Catch Me If You Can" event that he put together (about 10 years ago) for the sole benefit of our car club, and with Linda Prom's cash donation, together helped our club purchase an enclosed trailer for storage of our new track. Now, following the success of the Valve Cover Race Track from the last two car shows, I proposed at our November meeting that interested club members build their own valve cover racers over the winter months in preparation for competition at our May 2024 General Meeting. The plan is to have a contest for: (A) the best valve cover racer in design and, (B) the fastest racer on the track. The rules for building a valve cover racer are as follows compliments of Steve Wendt.

#### **Valve Cover Racing Rules and Regulations**

##### **THE CARS:**

- 30" Maximum Overall Car Length
- 10" Total Height
- 10" Total Width
- 10 LBS Total Weight By Our Scale
- No Engines or Propulsion Of Any Kind
- No Moving Weights
- Cars Must Have 4 Wheels (Inside or Outside), Each Wheel 6" Diameter Max
- Wheels Must Have a Non-Metallic Surface Contacting The Track
- Cars Shall Be Based On An Actual Rocker Cover From A Car/Truck Engine
- Nothing Shall Extend Beyond The Gasket Surface On The Front Of The Car
- Cars Must Have A Permanent Number Affixed
- The Car Can Have A Chassis, But Cannot Be Interchanged With Any Other Body After Being Registered
- The Car Must Be Clean. If It Drips, You Lose



##### **THE TRACK:**

- The Judge's Decision Is Final
- The Track Will Consist of 2 Lanes. Each Lane is 18'
- The Driver Will Release Their Own Car On The Green Light. If You Jump The Light, You Will Lose That Round
- If A Car Interferes With Another Car, You Lose That Round
- If A Car is Hampered By A Track Issue, They Will Receive A Re-Run
- If A Car Crosses The Center Line, You Lose That Round
- If Neither Car Makes It To The Finish Line, The Car That Makes It The Farthest Is Declared The Winner

# Car Show Chairman Report

**THANK YOU** I have served the St. Cloud Antique Auto Club for the past 7 years: 3 years as a director, 2 years as Vice President (due to Covid), 1 year as President and 1 year as Car Show Chair; and just wanted to thank all of you who helped me in any way, have offered advice or encouragement or supported me. As you may have heard me say before our Pantowners Club is made up of a great group of people and I feel it is one of the best car clubs in the state and the country. It has been an honor and a privilege for me to be part of and to have served this great organization! **God Bless! Bob Halliday**



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**January 18th** Board Mtg 7 pm

**January 23rd** Pan Siftings Articles Due



## **COLD SPRING STREET MACHINES**

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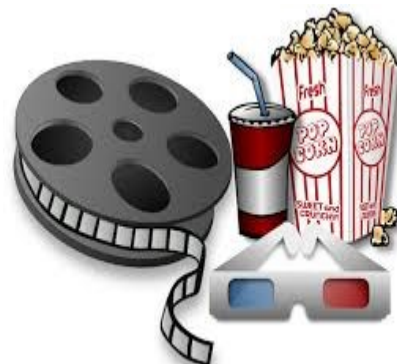
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## Membership Meeting Minutes

December 14th 2023

**Call to Order:** Bruce Berscheit led the pledge of allegiance at The Moose Lodge in Waite Park Mn. Randy Marchand called the meeting to order.

**Guests:** none

**New Member:** none

**Thank You:** Tim & Julie Goodner, The Club Birthday Party was a great event.

**Approval of Minutes:** Gary Anderson made a motion to accept the minutes as corrected and seconded by Donna Salmonson. Correction was the wrong name and should have said Dennis Klug not Doug Klug. Discussion and motion were carried.

**President:** Randy Marchand filled in for Tim Goodner and thanked Jim Stodolka & Randy Fisher for the 3 years of work as directors

**Vice President:** Randy Marchand talked about looking for nominations for Vice President, 1st Year Board of Directors, Treasurer, Secretary and Sargent of Arms. Lily, Bob, & Bruce will be running for their current positions with no nominations. Tom Erickson accepted the nomination as a 1st Year Director.

**Treasurer:** Bob Salmonson reported our accounts are good. Calendars & trailer for valve cover race track are paid for. Bob Ebnet made a motion to accept the report and Dennis Klug seconded. Discussion and motion were carried.

**Secretary:** Lily Prince is accepting membership dues for 2024. The roster has been started for 2024 and The Siftings mailings are also resubmitted at this time. I'm emailing The Siftings link to 146 members, and we have used it for other notices like meeting changes. If You want to get on the email list let me know, your email can be omitted in the roster. Any questions or concerns please call me at 612-327-6048.

**Car Show Chair:** Bob Halliday thanked all the members for their help and support for the great 7 years representing our club and he is proud and honored to have helped our club.

**Board of Directors:**

**1st Year:** Gary Anderson and Todd Whitney are thinking about the spring.

**2nd Year:** Dan Arntson and Kevin Sanders are on track for the Spring Banquet on March 23rd.

**3rd Year:** Randy Fischer and Jim Stodolka, had nothing.

**Pan Committee:** Car is Stored for the winter. Thank you, Pan Committee.

**Old Business:** none

**New Business:** Looking at bylaws next year.

**Announcements:** Starting in January our general meetings will be held on Thursdays at the Sartell Community Center. We hope to see you there. The club is looking for nominations for Vice President, 1st Year Board Directors, Treasurer, Secretary and Sargent of Arms. Please consider nominations for a position as we will be voting in January. The winners of the card drawings were Wade Arntson, Gary Anderson, Mona Zwilling, & Jason Adamski with 2 wins. Kent Christensen was not present for the badge drawing. January's drawing will be \$40.

**Adjournment:** Keith Bauman made a motion to adjourn, and Tim Carlson seconded, all were in favor and motion was carried. Closed meeting 8:00 pm Time: 30 minutes

**Secretary Lily Prince**



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## Board Meeting Minutes

December 21st 2023

**Call to Order:** Bruce Berscheit led the pledge of allegiance and Tim Goodner called the meeting to order at The Moose Lodge in Waite Park MN.

**Excused:** All present

**Guests:** Barb Anderson

**Approval of Minutes:** Todd Whitney made a motion to accept the minutes as written with additions and seconded by Randy Marchand, and motion was carried.

**President:** Tim Goodner is ready to move on to Car Show Chair. Tim also announced the board meetings will be held at The Moose Lodge for the 2024 year and General meetings will be at Sartell Community Center.

**Vice President:** Randy Marchand is looking for leads for Vice President (and has extensive notes to help out the new Vice President,) 1st Year Directors, Secretary, Treasurer, and Sargent of Arms. We need to fill the Vice President and 1st Year Directors to continue our club and we might add it will be easier to do these jobs due to our financial stability and membership helpers.

**Treasurer:** Bob Salmonson gave the treasures report. Randy Marchand made a motion to accept and seconded by Jim Stodolka, discussion and motion was carried. Bob also discussed the 2024 budget and Todd Whitney made a motion to approve the budget and seconded by Randy Marchand, and motion was carried.

**Secretary:** Lily Prince is ready for membership renewals including lifetime membership renewals and will call all members I have not received renewal forms from, after December's board meeting due to The Sifting's renewals getting done at the same time and I know many of you enjoy reading The Siftings and don't want you to miss out. Please inform me if you see any errors in the roster. At this time, I have 115 membership forms filled out and need 100 more.

**Car Show Chairman:** Bob Halliday has passed his notes to Tim Goodner for next year's car show. Bob will also check and verify all titles are in the club's name and in the safety deposit box, if anything is missing, he will help work on making sure things are corrected along with Bob Salmonson.

**Board of Directors:**

**1st Year:** Gary Anderson and Todd Whitney have started planning for next year's spring tour in May.

**2nd Year:** Dan Arntson and Kevin Sanders are working on next year's Spring Banquet.

**3rd Year:** Randy Fischer and Jim Stodolka had nothing.

**Old Business:** The board decided the Valve Cover Trailer needs to highlight Nick Proms name better and will bring it up with Dennis Arnston, the title has been taken care of.

**New Business:** We will be moving our general meetings to Sartell Community Center starting on Thursday in January which is a nonalcoholic venue. We are looking into doing member's valve cover races in May.

**Adjournment:** Randy Marchand made a motion to adjourn, and Jim Stodolka seconded, all were in favor and the motion was carried. Closed meeting 8:03 pm Time: 33 minutes

**Secretary Lily Prince**





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Names \_\_\_\_\_

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### Pantowners Spring Banquet



When: ----- Saturday March 23<sup>rd</sup>, 2024  
Where: ----- St. Augusta Legion  
1894 247<sup>th</sup> Street  
St. Augusta, Mn. 56301



Social Hour: ----- 5:30 followed by dinner at 6:30  
**Register by: March 8<sup>th</sup> 2024**

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Registration Form

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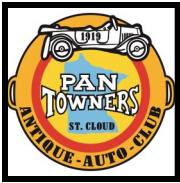
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