



Pontiac GMC Club of Central New York

Officers

President: Art Johnston; Vice President: George Rink; Secretary: Heath Thomas; Treasurer: Tim Nichols
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Date: 06-09-2024

Location: 39th Pontiac GMC Super Show, Bill Rapp / Auburn Auto Group, East Syracuse, NY

Members in Attendance: Art Johnston, Lauri DeSalvia, Tim & Estre Nichols, Joe & Jennette Olmsted, Connie & Donald DeGroat, Heath & Melissa Thomas, Bob Conniff, Gary Nastasi, Melanie O'hara, George Rink, Albert Finocchiaro, Chris Lorence, Paul Luteran, Guy Zipp, Chris Wheeler, Vincent St. James, Peter Kumanowski, Chris Kumanowski, Steve Kumanowski, Jim Reilly, Matt Doughty, Jim Patterson, John Downing, Phillip Benton, Jim Barkerr, and Jim Patterson.

New Members: John & Barbara Lombardo, Paul Dillon, Gary Simons

Guests: 39th Pontiac GMC Super Show Participants

Registration opened at 0930

Topics of Discussion (New Business):

1. PRESIDENT REPORT:

- a. 2024 Super Show Report – Successful show despite the inclement weather.
 - i. Tremendous accolades to all our chapter volunteers. This show could not happen without your time and support!!!! THANK YOU!
 - ii. Big thanks to our sponsors. Bob May and the Auburn Auto Group, Kyle Moon and the Bill Rapp AAG Sales Staff, Mike Leibl of Reliable Products, Ames Performance, and Pontiac-Oakland Club International
 - iii. 40 pre-registered cars. 20 day of registrations
 - iv. Total money made \$1631. Total Spent \$328. Money deposited for club = \$1303
 - v. 2 new members joined at show
 - vi. Both food Vendors stiffed us. Chicken Bandit cancelled without notice. Ippoliti Street Food stood us up the morning of the show after telling us they would be there. **BOYCOTT both these vendors!!!! They SUCK!**
- b. Syracuse Nationals. 7/18-7/21. Galaxy Media (new owners) have paid staff working all aspects of the show. **NO VOLUNTEER positions available. No car club parking in the Dairy & Cattle Building.** You are on your own
- c. Highly encourage everyone to support the Auburn Auto Group Cruisers Show on 8/10/2024 in Auburn. Bob May and AAG have given us excellent support for our Super Show. Let's return the favor!!

2. **VICE PRESIDENT REPORT:** Nothing to report.

3. **NEWSLETTER EDITOR REPORT:** Nothing to report.

4. SECRETARY REPORT:

- a. Chapter membership is currently 62, of which 46 have paid their 2024 membership dues. Thank you!
- b. Gone But Not Forgotten T-shirts will be ordered on a sign-up, pre-paid basis. Heath will send out images of the shirts to order when he gets them. The shirts will be Black shirts with Red print or White shirts with Grey print. Price TBD.
- c. Sold 25 T-shirts and 7 hats at the Super Show.

5. TREASURER REPORT:

- a. **PLEASE PAY YOUR 2024 DUES!!!!!!!**
- b. Club made a total of \$1631 from the 2024 Super Show but paid out \$328 for food (after the Food Vendors didn't show). Deposited \$1303 into our account.

6. EVENTS REPORT: SEE WEBSITE and FB page for SHOW / CRUISE FLYERS & DETAILS

a. SHOWS:

- i. 7/6. Lyons Falls Festival and Car Show. Riverside Park, Lyons Falls, NY
- ii. 7/18. Syracuse Nationals. NYS Fairgrounds
- iii. 8/3. Waterloo North Seneca Ambulance show
- iv. 8/4. Sylvan Beach Jeeps at the Beach. Jeeps only show
- v. 8/10 Auburn Auto Group Cruisers 4th Custom Show. Auburn, NY

- vi. 8/17. Gathering of Orphan Vehicles. Lewis Park-Minoa
- vii. 8/25. Geneva Wheels on the Seneca show
- viii. 9/14. Mattydale Fire Department Fall Fest

b. **CRUISES. SEE WEBSITE and FB page for SHOW / CRUISE FLYERS & DETAILS**

7. **SPECIAL EVENTS:**

- a. **Club Summer Picnic.** The Pontiac club picnic will be on Saturday August 24 at Sto-Ne-Nols Campgrounds in Camden. Address is 340 N. Hillsboro Road, Camden, NY 13316
 - i. Starts a 1 o'clock inside the main room of the campground
 - ii. Almost everything will be provided. Please bring a desert to pass. Menu will be Chicken Alfredo, Sausage with peppers/onions, hamburgers, corn on the cob and potato salad. Beverages and silverware provided
 - iii. We will get a chance once again to be able to look over his snowmobile collection and get a wagon ride around his property and campgrounds
- b. **4TH OF July. HAPPY INDEPENDENCE DAY!!!!!!**

Old Business:

- 1. **2024 dues were due 1/1/2024. Please send/submit your 2024 dues to Tim.**
- 2. Chapter History. Art is still working to gather chapter history information and our original charter. If you have any info on the origins of our chapter or know anyone that does or if anyone has any of our original paperwork, PLEASE let Art know.

39th Super Show Adjourned: 4:00 pm

**Next Meeting: 1 pm on 24 August at the Sto-Ne-Nols Campgrounds.
340 N. Hillsboro RD, Camden, NY 13316. Please RSVP to Tim Nichols.**

**NO MEETING IN JULY. SEE YOU AT THE SYRACUSE NATIONALS
(MAYBE)**

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