

REBELS AUTO CLUB NEWSLETTER

July, 2019

CALENDAR OF UPCOMING EVENTS

GENERAL MEETING: Wednesday, July 31 **American Legion**, Denton, NE (North of Daily Double) Dinner 6:00 pm - 7:30 PM, Meeting at 7:30 PM

EXECUTIVE MEETING: Tuesday, July 9 **Big Red Keno**, 955 West O Street Meeting at 7:00 PM

LADIES NIGHT: Tuesday, July 16 Hacienda Real, 3130 Pine Lake Road Dinner 6:00 PM, Meeting at 7:00 PM

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Executive Board Meetings are held the second Tuesday of each Month. Members are welcome.



PRESIDENTS GARAGE

Hello My **REBELS** Family,

Well the 2019 22nd Annual Rebels Car Show is in the books, and I think it went very well, I don't have a solid number on the turnout, but I think it was around 130 to 140 cars, *despite* the hot weather.

Our guest Cherielynn Westrich from the TV show 'Overhaulin', did a fantastic job promoting our car show everywhere we went (Culver's Cruise In Friday night, Speedway Motors Customer Appreciation Show Saturday morning, and Folsom Lock Down at Xotic Customs Saturday night). She was so gracious with everyone, tirelessly signed so many autographs, and took countless pictures all weekend long. She always asked everyone if they were coming to the Rebels Car Show on Sunday.

We've already started working on next years show, so we can get everything done early and keep improving our show every year. Sharon has already got the application to reserve Pioneer's Park for next year, and Lolo's wants to come back next year, so that's two things checked off the list already.

I've got some ideas that will help our club grow and help us reach our full potential. I will be going over them throughout the year, so be sure to come to the General Meetings to keep up to date. And remember as always, everyone is welcome at the Monthly Executive Board Meetings.

And finally, we do have some initial pictures taken at the Car Show, but there are more coming and we will put those out in a REBELS Alert as soon as we can get them all together.

I hope to see everyone at the next General Meeting.

Steve Lewis, President REBELS Auto Club

VICE PRESIDENT REPORT



Hello REBELS,

Here is a quick recap of what is coming up for July (and beyond):

- GENERAL MEETING: Wednesday, July 31 at the American Legion in Denton
- EXECUTIVE BOARD MEETING: Tuesday, July 9 at Big Red Keno on West O
- LADIES NIGHT: Tuesday, July 16 at Hacienda Real on Pine Lake

The <u>Good Guys Speedway Motors 28th Annual Heartland Nationals</u> is at the lowa State Fairgrounds in Des Moines, IA July 5 to 7. I will be at there on July 5th with my son Shawn's car, competing In both the 'Street Rod' category, and also to race it in the 'Heartland Nationals' (kind of the Goodguys version of the Cones races). It will be good practice for SCCA this Fall. Wish us Luck!

- DON'T FORGET! <u>The SCCA National Solo Championships</u> are September 2 to 6. <u>This is the BIG ONE</u>, and we need all the volunteers we can get! Plan now DON'T let this important event 'drift away' to other clubs! Call Gary Weyers to sign up: (402) 432-3042 or Email him at <u>gweyers@neb.rr.com</u>.
- I was on KLIN Radio the Thursday before the Car Show. They gave me 5 minutes, but the guy kept asking questions and it went for 15 minutes Fun Stuff! Click on the link below, then anywhere on my picture and finally Click the ► symbol (be patient, it takes a little time to load as IT IS 15 minutes of me talking) Start Here...

And finally, my thanks go out to all the **REBELS** who helped out at the Car Show! From trophy assembly, to parking, to signing up the participants, to judging and everything in between. We could never have done it without you.

Jim McNeil, Vice President REBELS Auto Club



SECRETARY REPORT (REBELS MEETING MINUTES)

June 29th at Pioneer Park

The meeting was called to order at 7:30 PM by President Steve Lewis. There were 40 Members and Guests attending.

Loren from Shower Tunes was first on the agenda. He said they would have speakers in various locations. Door prizes will be grab bags when each grouping is called. He will be setting up at 6:30 am.

<u>Vice President Jim McNeil</u> gave his Report. Jim said the July Board Meeting would be at Big Red Keno on West O on July 9th. The date location of the General Meeting will be in the July Newsletter. A Motion was Made, Seconded, and Approved to accept the Vice Presidents report.

<u>Secretary Margaret Otley</u> gave her Report. She asked if everyone had received and read the minutes. There were no additions or corrections to the minutes. She said ladies Night would be July 16th at Hacienda Real. A Motion was Made, Seconded, and Approved to accept the Treasurers Report and the May Minutes.

<u>Treasurer Steve Anderson</u> gave his Report. Income for the month was from show entries and sponsorships, donations and newsletter advertising. Expenses for the month were from Newsletter printing expense. Steve said the PayPal account had \$365 from car show entries and so far income from entries was \$360 and sponsorship was \$3,500. Calendars and trophies have already been paid for. A Motion was Made, Seconded, and Approved to accept the Treasurers Report.

Coordinator Gary Weyers gave his Report. He passed around a signup sheet for a Show & Shine at Pemberley Place. On July 21st, the **REBELS** have been invited to a performance of the Lincoln Municipal Band at Antelope Park. They are asking for cars to arrive by 6:00 PM. The music will be cool classic car music. July 14, there will be a Car Show at the Ice Box. Registration is from 9:00 AM, The Car Show is from 11:00 AM to 3:00 PM. They will have six classes. Pre-registration begins on July 7th. Participants will receive a lunch ticket and two Stars tickets. Cars and Coffee is June 30th at Speedway Motors. A Motion was Made, Seconded, and Approved to accept the Coordinators Report.

<u>Car Show Update</u>: At the close of the meeting, Goodie Bags will be packed. There are 123 Door Prizes and 10 Trivia Bags. Jana will do the A, B, C Tags for Door Prizes. Sunday Morning Set Up will start at 6:00 AM. Loading the truck will at 4: PM at Masters house. All Volunteers are appreciated. LoLo's food tickets for Members will be \$8. As Members sign up, they will receive their lunch ticket.

The meeting was adjourned at 8:15 PM.

Respectfully Submitted, Margaret Otley, Secretary REBELS Auto Club

TREASURERS REPORT



Hello Rebels,

As reported at the **REBELS** Executive Board Meeting, the following is a recap for the month of June. **Income: C**onsisted of a Membership renewal and 141 car Show entries.

Expenses: Were for LoLo's (Car Show food service), Shower Tunes (Car Show DJ), Willie Quindt for the 'Long Distance' award, Capital City Ford & Mustang Club for 1st AND 2nd place, Mustang Club of Omaha for Club with most Cars and finally to Lincoln Parks & Recreation for the 2020 Car Show deposit. We have money left over to donate this fall!

As always, detailed financial information is only given out to Members at regular General Meetings.

Steve Anderson, Treasurer REBELS Auto Club



HOW TO BUILD A CAR!

Has the future has arrived?

Watch a Mercedes Benz being assembled nearly totally by robots.

Henry Ford and Karl Benz would be rolling in their graves if they could see this!

This short video runs about 4 minutes but is well worth the watch.

Click Here...



ATTENTION REBEL MEMBERS - The SCCA IS COMING!

SCCA National Solo Championships are September 2 to 6. <u>This is the BIG ONE!</u> We need all the volunteers we can get! Plan now ... DON'T take a chance on losing this great event to other club!

Be sure to sign up to work the gate or chase a few cones! This is our big money maker, and we need your help ... Even if you can only do a couple of hours.

Call Gary Weyers to sign up: (402) 432-3042 or Email him at gweyers@neb.rr.com.

COORDINATOR REPORT



Hello REBELS,

Friday July 12th, a nursing home Show & Shine is scheduled for Pemberley Place located at 7655 Archer Place (76th and Pine Lake). Pemberley is harder to get to with Pine Lake being closed off of HWY 2. You would come in off of 70th Street, go south of the Pine Lake Round-A-Bout, turn left on Revere Street then follow the signs to Pemberley Place.

<u>Also on Friday 12th</u> in Ceresco NE is the Ceresco Days All Ford Show and Shine in the park from 4 pm to 9 pm.

<u>Saturday July 13th</u>, there are 2 events going on in Fremont, NE. There is the 4th Annual Krazy Days Mopar Show and Shine at 420 N. D St. with registration at 9 am. There is also the 10th Annual Cruisers on Main Street Car Show with registration from 8 am to 10:30 am.

<u>Also on Saturday July 13th</u> in Syracuse NE is the German Fest Show and Shine at the Otoe County Fairgrounds on 3rd Street between plum and Midland Streets with registration 9:30 am to 11 am.

Tuesday July 16th through Sunday July 21st in Kearney NE is their Cruise Nite Weekend.

Friday July 19th through Saturday July 20 at the Lancaster Event Center is a classic, antique & collector car auction by SG Auction with 300 plus cars to be auctioned. This event is being sponsored by Restore a Muscle Car. We have been asked to help out at this event and they are looking for 20 volunteers. If you can help call me at **402-432-3042**.

<u>Sunday July 21st</u> from 6 pm to 8 pm at Antelope Park the Lincoln Municipal Band will be playing Cool Cruising Classic Tunes and we have been asked to bring out our cars.

<u>Sunday July 31st</u> in Ashland NE is their Annual Stir-Up Days Car Show with registration from 9:00 am to noon. Another show on Sunday July 31st is the Cook Car Show in Cook NE with registration starting at 8:30 am.

Saturday July 27th in Hickman NE is their Traditions Car Show with registration from 9 am to noon.

<u>Sunday July 28th</u> there are **5 car shows** in this area. In Cordova NE is their 9th Annual Car Show with registration 8 am to noon. In Dwight NE is their 26th Annual Knights Bohemian Auto Show with registration from 9 am to noon. In Gretna NE is their Gretna Days Car Show with registration from 8 am to noon. In Louisville NE is their 15th Annual Last Hot Sunday in July Car Show and Shine with registration at 9 am to 11 am. In Roca/Lincoln NE is the Cruis'n Classic Auto Show at 1050 Saltillo Road (near Rod's Power Sports) with registration from 8 am to 11 am.

<u>Saturday August 3rd</u> in Lincoln is the in MOTION Auto Care Show and Shine located at 131 Russwood Parkway (next to Don Millie's at 82nd and O Streets). Registration is at 8:30 am show 10 am to 2 pm. Proceeds benefit the Back Pack Program of the Lincoln Area Food Bank.

Sunday August 4th in Lincoln is the Lancaster County Super Fair Show and Shine Car Show at the Lancaster Events ter located at 84th and Havelock Avenue. Registration is from is from 9 am to 11 am.

Saturday August 10th in Sprague NE is their Traditions Car Show with registration from 9 am to noon.

Saturday August 17th in Greenwood NE is the Greenwood Days Car Show with registration from 8 am to 10 am.

<u>Sunday August 18th</u> in Lincoln is the 7th Annual Pontiac Show and Shine at Restore a Muscle Car, 2 miles north of I-80 Exit 405 on Nebraska Highway 77. Also on Sunday August 18th in Malcolm NE is the Malcolm Auto Show with Antique Tractors at the city park with registration from 9 am to noon.

Gary Weyers, Event Coordinator REBELS Auto Club

REBELS JOKE OF THE MONTH

An elderly, but hardy cattleman from Western Nebraska once told a young female neighbor that if she wanted to live a long life, the secret was to sprinkle a pinch of gunpowder on her oatmeal each morning.

She did this religiously and lived to the ripe old age of 103.

She left behind 14 children, 30 grandchildren, 21 great-grandchildren, five great-great-grandchildren and a 40-foot HOLE where the crematorium used to be.

IN THE NEWS



Museum of American Speed

What is the number one thing to do in Lincoln, according to Trip Advisor?

It's not Memorial Stadium, it's not the Children's Zoo or the Capital. It is the Speedway Motors **Museum of American Speed**.

In the July issue of L Magazine, an insert in the Lincoln Journal Star which they call 'Lincoln's Premier Lifestyle Magazine', there was a nice article on the Museum, which is also known as '*The Best Kept Secret in Lincoln*.'

In reality, 13,000 visitors from all over the world visit he Museum, but it seems that hardly anyone from Lincoln even knows about it. (kind of like a class reunion).

If you didn't catch the article in the paper, you can Read it Here...

(Thanks to Doug Weber for alerting us to the article)



REBELS AUTO CLUB 22ND ANNUAL CAR SHOW

The Lincoln Journal Star published a nice article on our Car Show featuring **Cherielynn Westrich** from the T show '**Overhaulin'**.

The article appeared in the June 29 edition of the **Neighborhood Extra**, which is a Saturday insert in the Saturday **Lincoln Journal Star**.

While the article is mostly about **Cherie**, The date and time and a brief description of the Car Show is in the first couple of paragraphs.

Nothing like a little FREE Advertising for the **REBELS**!

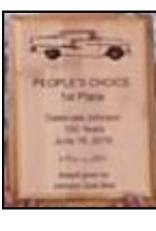
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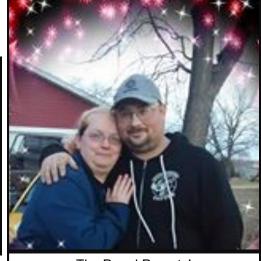


CLAIRE DOES IT AGAIN!

Congratulations to **Claire Shotsman**, daughter of Member **Sharon Shotsman**, for taking 1st Place in the "Peoples Choice Award" at The Johnson Car Show in Johnson, NE last week.

By the time this kid is old enough to drive, she will have so many trophies and plaques, her long suffering parents won't have room for all of them!





The Proud Parents!



REBELS MYSTERIES OF LIFE



If the universe is everything, and scientists say that the universe is expanding, what is it expanding into?

If you got into a taxi and the driver started driving backward, would the taxi driver end up owing you money?

What would a chair look like if your knees bent the other way?

If a tree falls in the forest and no one is around to see it, do the other trees make fun of it? Why is a carrot more orange than an orange?

When two airplanes almost collide why do they call it a near miss? Shouldn't be a near hit?

Do fish get cramps after eating?

Why are there 5 syllables in the word "monosyllabic"?

Why do they call it the Department of Interior when they are in charge of everything outdoors?

Why do scientists call it research when looking for something new?

When I erase a word with a pencil, where does it go?

Why is it, when a door is open it's ajar, but when a jar is open, it's not a door?

How come Superman could stop bullets with his chest, but always ducked when someone threw a gun at him?

If "con" is the opposite of "pro," then what is the opposite of progress?

Why is it that lemon juice contains mostly artificial ingredients but dish washing liquid contains real lemons?

Why buy a product that it takes 2000 flushes to get rid of?

Why do we wait until a pig is dead to "cure" it?

Why do we put suits in a garment bag and put garments in a suitcase?

Do Roman paramedics refer to IV's as "4's"?

What do little birdies see when they get knocked unconscious?

Why doesn't Tarzan have a beard?

:man

If man evolved from monkeys and apes, why do we still have monkeys and apes?

Should you trust a stockbroker who's married to a travel agent?

Pull for the

House.

Is boneless chicken considered to be an invertebrate?

Do married people live longer than single people or does it just SEEM longer?

Shouldn't war determine who's left, not who's right?

Will there be more of these next month? (the answer? "Yes." But sadly, they don't get any better!)

REBELS "SAVE THOSE TABS"

Be sure and save your "Pop Top Tabs" for the Ronald McDonald House to give as a donation from the REBELS Auto Club.

Help support the **Ronald McDonald House** of Lincoln by collecting those little tabs you pull to open soda, soup or other aluminum cans.

IF YOU ARE GOING TO DRINK POP AND/OR ADULT BEVERGES ANYWAY ... WHY NOT SAVE THOSE PULL TABS FOR A GOOD CAUSE?

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