

# REBELS AUTO CLUB



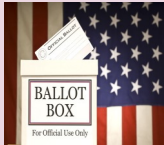
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# REBELS AUTO CLUB NEWSLETTER

December 2020

**Proud to be a REBEL!**

## ARTICLE OF THE MONTH



You should have received your Ballot for election of Offices for 2021. Please return your Ballots ASAP.

Also, on Page 4, you will find a convenient Membership Renewal form. You are encouraged to renew online this year. If you don't have Email, Call Gary at (402) 610-1414 and we will send you a renewal form by snail (regular) mail!



Renew Your  
Membership

## UPCOMING EVENTS

**December 8:** Executive Board Meeting  
Online (thanks to **Mark Walker**)

**December 16:** December General Meeting  
Online Webinar (thanks to **Mark Walker**)

**December 16:** Election of Officers  
Online (thanks to **Mark Walker**)

**Due to the COVID-19 Pandemic, most other activities have been canceled through the end of the year.**

## YOUR 2020 REBELS EXECUTIVE BOARD



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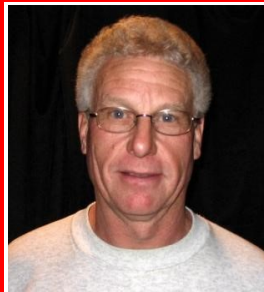
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*Executive Board Meetings are held  
the Second Tuesday of each Month.*

*Members are welcome to attend.*



## PRESIDENTS GARAGE

Hello **REBELS!**

We look forward to your votes for President, Treasurer, and one 'at Large' Board Member. The results will be available at the General Meeting on December 16. That meeting, by the way, will again be an online webinar, thanks again to Member **Mark Walker**.

This has been a strange year, to say the least. But, with a vaccine on the horizon, maybe we can get through the winter and resume our activities under more normal circumstances in 2021!

I would just like to take this opportunity to thank all of you, and to express my sincere gratitude for allowing me to serve out the remainder of this year as your President. It is with a certain amount of sadness, that I will not continue as President, but my schedule just did not permit me to devote the time to continue to serve.

I look forward to seeing (or at least hearing) from all of you at the December Meeting.

Thanks again, and *I hope to see 'ya soon around the corner!*

**Tom Dingwell, President**  
**REBELS Auto Club**



## VICE PRESIDENT REPORT

The December Executive Board Meeting will be December 8<sup>th</sup> via computer.

The December General Meeting will be December 16<sup>th</sup>, also via computer. Results of the election will be revealed at this meeting

**Lydell Otley, Vice President**  
**REBELS Auto Club**



## TREASURERS REPORT

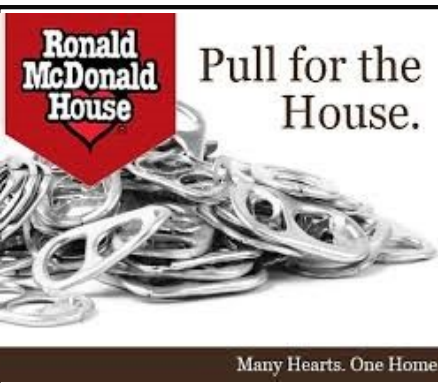
Detailed accounting information is only presented at General and Executive Board Meetings.

**Income:** Just a little interest

**Expenses:** Post Office Box for the year, also Newsletter mailing.

Stay safe, and vote for the Officers!

**Steve Anderson, Treasurer**  
**REBELS Auto Club**



## 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?**

Bring your Tabs to the next meeting, and give to **Margaret** or **Lydell Otley**.

Many Hearts. One Home.



## SECRETARY REPORT (REBELS MEETING MINUTES)

November 2020 General meeting via Zoom, was called to order at 7:30pm by President Tom Dingwell.

**Secretary Margaret Otley** gave her report. She asked if everyone had received their newsletter and if they had read the minutes. There were no additions or corrections to the minutes. A motion was made, seconded and approved to accept the minutes from October and the Secretary's report.

**Vice President Lydell Otley** gave his report. He said the December executive meeting will be December 8<sup>th</sup> via computer. The General Meeting will be December 16<sup>th</sup> also via computer. Results of the election will be at this meeting. A motion was made, seconded and approved to accept the Vice President's report.

**Coordinator Jim McNeil** gave his report. Jim reported the drive by event for Gene and Nancy Phillip's granddaughter has been canceled. Nancy is recovering from COVID-19. The swap meet has been canceled. The car council book will be printed and the deadline is January 12<sup>th</sup>. Jim said that no decision has been made on Santa letters. He will send an email when more information is available. Bob Moberly said the deadline for scholarship applications is December 15<sup>th</sup>. He will do a spreadsheet for the Executive Board consideration. The winter semester starts on January 15<sup>th</sup>. A motion was made, seconded and approved to accept the Coordinator's report.

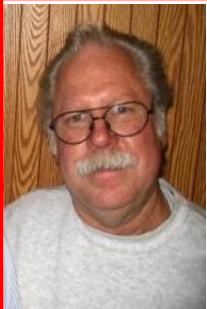
**Treasurer Steve Anderson** gave his report. He reported no income or expenses for the month. A motion was made, seconded and approved to accept the Treasurer's report.

**New Business:** Nominations: **Brian Nystrom** accepted the nomination for President. **Doug Weber** said he would accept the nomination for a 2<sup>nd</sup> term as Member at Large and **Steve Anderson** also accepted the nomination for a second term as Treasurer. Nominations are still open. Contact a Board Member if you would like to be nominated or nominate someone for an office.

President Tom Dingwell suggested that we put something in the Newsletter for the original members who are receiving the newsletter by mail. They can respond if it would be acceptable to them to receive the newsletter by email. Margaret Otley said she would take care of that.

The meeting was adjourned at 8pm.

**Margaret Otley, Secretary**  
**REBELS Auto Club**



## COORDINATOR REPORT

Here is what's happening (and *not* happening) through the end of the year:

The drive by event for Gene and Nancy Phillip's granddaughter was rescheduled for Sunday, December 6. Thanks to all that turned out.

The UNL car was entered in the SAE Formula Nationals again this year. They moved up from 8th place (last year) to **5th place in the Nation!** Congratulations kids - Great Job! (Details in a separate **REBELS Alert**)

The **ENWI Car Council Book** deadline is January 12<sup>th</sup>.

No decision has been made on Santa Letters.

Don't forget to **Renew your Membership** on Page 4 of this Newsletter. (and, be sure you vote for the Officers).

**Jim McNeil, Event Coordinator**  
**REBELS Auto Club**

## REBELS OBSERVATIONS OF THE MONTH

- MapQuest really needs to start their directions on #5. I'm pretty sure I know how to get out of my neighborhood...
- When we have nothing left but God, we discover that God is enough, but we still shouldn't sit on the edge of a cliff because that's just dumb!
- Think of how stupid the average person is, and then realize that half of them are stupider than that!
- Feel bad about going to court and getting a life sentence? Remember, it is far better to be judged by twelve than carried by six...



## RENEW YOUR MEMBERSHIP!

It is that time again! The end of the year is Christmas, and time to renew your REBELS Auto Club Membership!

Renew Your  
Membership

Good News! Membership Renewal fee is still the same - only \$18 per member for the whole year!

To Renew your Membership, [Click Here...](#)

### Is Your Spouse a Member? Something to Think About...

Sometimes one's Spouse (or significant other) do not want to join the REBELS Auto Club because they are too busy, they have no interest in cars, or for a myriad of other reasons. Even if your Spouse does not attend meetings or participate in Club activities, consider signing them up for Membership anyway. Here is why:

Each year we hold the **REBELS** Christmas Party. Typically, Members bring their Spouse. For this reason, we have put together **3 VERY GOOD REASONS** why the person you are attending with *should* Join the **REBELS**:

- Membership cost is \$18
- Christmas Party cost is \$14 (for Members)
- Christmas Party cost is \$28 (for Non-Members)

3 GOOD  
REASONS

So, even if your Spouse has *never* attended one meeting or *ever* participated in any Club activity, now you both can attend the Christmas Party for \$14 LESS than if you pay the full Non-Member price of \$28 for them. In effect, that pays for all but \$4 of their Membership in the first place!

So, the question now becomes: *How can your spouse NOT afford to become a Member for only \$4?*

See the logic? Get your Spouse a membership today! To sign up your spouse OR to Renew your Membership, [Click Here...](#)



And, just as important, don't forget to ask a friend, neighbor, colleague, co-worker, church member, associate, customer, vendor, relative (and that's only a *partial* list) but, anyone you can think of to become a Member of the REBELS Auto Club. Buy 'em a beer and tell them about your Club!

Help grow the Club! Recruit a new Member today...





From the convoluted mind of Gary



## REBELS MYSTERIES OF LIFE

Is Claudia Schiffer some kind of a genius, because when I told someone about my plan for world peace he said I had 'Schiffer Brains?'

If you line up all the cars in the world end to end, would someone be stupid enough to try and pass them?

How can it be premarital sex if you have no intention of getting married?

Who discovered we could get milk from cows, and just what on EARTH did he think he was doing?

Isn't the best thing about dating a homeless woman the fact that you can drop her off anywhere?

Should we save the whales by collecting the whole set?

On the other hand, don't you have different fingers?

If you get lost in thought, is it unfamiliar territory?

Could we be diagonally parked in a parallel universe?

Isn't depression is merely anger without enthusiasm?

Why is change is inevitable, except from vending machines?

Should you plan to be spontaneous tomorrow?

When everything is coming your way could you be in the wrong lane?

Isn't the terrifying power of the human sex drive horrifically demonstrated by the fact that someone was willing to father you?

If you commit a crime in England, the police don't have a gun and you don't have a gun, so will the police say "Stop, or I'll say stop again"?

If you bought a microwave fireplace could you spend a whole evening in front of it in only eight minutes?

If you read health books could you die of a misprint?

Are the only people who can't count to ten the ones in front of you in the express lane at the supermarket?

Why is it that when you eat too much for lunch, you feel drowsy all afternoon, but when you eat a big meal in the evening, you stay awake all night?

If a donkey had an IQ of 186 and no friends at all, would it be because nobody likes a smart-ass?

Why is it that skating on thin ice can get you into hot water?

Could it be that a woman's mind is cleaner than a man's because she changes it more often?

If the formula for water is H<sub>2</sub>O, is the formula for an ice cube H<sub>2</sub>O squared?'

Do Jewish women like Chinese food so much because Won Ton spelled backwards is 'Not Now?'

Is a dirty mind is a terrible thing to waste?

Since alcohol and calculus don't mix, is that why you should you never drink and derive?

Do cigar smokers appreciate a great butt?

Should you clap one hand if you love Buddha?

Should first things come first, but not necessarily in that order?

Does gravity always get you down?

Is gun control being able to hit your target?

Is the generic name for Viagra called Mycoxaflopin?

If your wife has PMS and a handgun, are there any questions?

Have you ever had Deja Vu? Have you ever had Deja Vu??

If we quit voting will they all go away?

**Bet you thought I would run out of these, didn't you? (everyone handles the Corona Virus Pandemic differently...)**

**So, will there be more of these next month? The answer is "Yes." (but sadly, they don't get any better!)**







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**Next Meeting:**  
December 16, 2020 at 7:30 PM  
This meeting will be an online  
webinar (thanks to Mark Walker)  
A Link will follow by Email

**Your REBELS Auto Club  
Newsletter!**