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The Presidents Corner

SUMMER REALLY HAS ARRIVED!!!! I just looked at the June calendar www.pioneerclub.com/events, and WOW are there a lot of car related activities!

If you have not activated your "Login" for the PAC website, I encourage you to do so. It is real easy. Kari, Kathy, and Rob have done a fine job of creating a website that is very informative and useful. I just registered for the Dinner cruise to Wilton on Monday evening, **June 7** www.pioneerclub.com/civcrm/event/info?reset=1&id=49. It was very easy. Try it. Oh by the way, the cruise is fun and the ribeye steak is a great bargain at \$15. They also have several other menu items. Let's have a good turnout for the first cruise of the summer. Meet at the Bismarck K-Mart store parking lot at 6:15PM. We will caravan to Wilton, do some bench racing, have dinner, and return at our leisure probably before dark.

Buggies-N-Blues car is Sunday, **June 13** www.buggies-n-blues.org (check their site for complete schedule). PAC members are to meet at 8:30AM at Riverwood RV and caravan in to show as a group so we can be parked together. PAC sponsored Mr. Bob Long from Fargo and his original condition 1908 Maxwell which will be on display and at the Classtiques rod-run on Saturday.

PAC has accepted an invitation to assemble the Model T at the Medora car show Saturday, **June 26** and also on stage at the Medora Musical later that evening. Plan to participate. It is a fun weekend. The car show has many classes and usually has some very rare entries. **CHALLENGE TO THE 2010 MODEL T BUILD TEAM:** When I was part of the 2009 MODEL T BUILD TEAM we built the Model T on the Medora stage in less than 3 minutes and at a later date set the assembly record of 2 minutes 46 seconds with a 7 man team. CAN YOU BEAT THAT?????????

Mark your calendar, shine up your classic, and bring it out to Buckstop Junction at 5:30 Monday evening, **July 12** to have a free dinner for two as we and all local car clubs help the ND Department of Transportation host the Western United States State Highway Officials Conference. More the 400 people are expected to attend. Let's show our out-of-state guests some great North Dakota hospitality and our beautiful classic cars. www.pioneerclub.com/civcrm/event/info?reset=1&id=22

The Model T fuel truck transmission is in Minneapolis being rebuilt. Steve Ellefson is in charge of the total project and will have some planned "work dates" for specially talented technicians. Stay tuned.

I am very pleased with our meeting attendance. As of our May meeting, we had 128 current members of which 36 were present at Buckstop Junction. Kent French was drawn for the \$50 door prize but was not present so the June drawing will be for \$75. Hope to see you 7:30PM Thursday, June 17 for the next meeting at Buckstop Junction.

Upcoming Event Details

Classtiques - Friday, June 11-12, Riverwood RV, \$15/individual \$30/couple pre-registration

Buggies-N-Blues - Sunday, June 13, PAC enters show at 9:00. Meet @ Riverwood RV at 8:30am. Security Duty 2pm-3pm.

4th of July Car Parade - Sunday, July 4. Line up at Midway Lanes on The Strip Mandan at 11:30am. Parade starts at 12. Enter from the Bismarck side. No advertising or politicians. This is a car parade.

PAC WEBSITE: www.pioneerclub.com



MINUTES – PAC meeting, May 20, 2010

The meeting was called to order at 7:31pm at Buckstop Junction gas station by President Pat Fricke. **Secretary's Report:** Approved as printed. 1st Kevin Schatz, 2nd Don Roloff, voice carry. **Treasurer's Report:** Steve Ellefson gave summary. 1st Larry Heinle, 2nd Don Roloff, voice carry.

New Business

- A. New Members & Guests: New members include Harvey Schilling, Weston Wiedrich, Keith Benz, and Brad Benz. Guest Garrett Borlock was present.
- B. Correspondence: Thank you note from the Rudnick family for flowers sent by PAC.
- C. Carol Fricke made iron-on or sew-on PAC patches for \$10/ea. Contact Pat Fricke if you're interested.
- D. NDDOT Directors State Highway Officials Conference & Car Show is Monday, July 12 from 5pm – 9pm. Show up with a classic car and get two meal tickets. Enter at gate by gas station. Register online by clicking the Register Now link [here](#). All classic car owners are welcome. Invitations will be sent to the Bismarck/Mandan car clubs.
- E. Gas Truck: Steve Ellefson brought up the topic of refurbishing the engine and transmission for approximately \$2,500. Motion by Dale Speckmann to approve the project, 2nd Rob Schatz, voice carry.
- F. New upcoming events listed on web site.

Old Business

- A. Honorary Life Membership Policy: There was much discussion about the honorary life membership policy. Majority of members disapproved of the policy altogether. Plan to start to change by-laws next meeting, but first the policy change had to be defeated. Betty Baeppe motioned to approve the changes to the honorary life membership policy, 2nd Jerome Zimmerman, motion defeated by majority of members. We do know how to say "Nay"!

Committee Reports

- A. Communications: Logins for the website were sent out. Members can now login and post to the forum, photo galleries, create their own blogs, and register for PAC events online. The newsletter will remain outside the login area so that anyone can download it.
- B. Model T Build: Model T will be assembled 3 times during the Medora car show on June 26 and once before the musical that night. The team will also do the build in Lemmon, SD on July 10. The Florida Flywheelers sent an invitation to compete in their Model T competition in Florida. Pat Fricke will reply that the club is not interested.
- C. Acres of Iron Car Show May 22, 2010: Dale Speckmann, co-chairman. The show will be downtown Mandan during sports and recreation show. Proceeds from brats & burgers will go to Amber's Dream car build project. 100 dash plaques were ordered from Dakota Awards. No door prizes or people's choice. Drawing for Bob's Collectible car. \$1,000 invested for the show.
- D. Amber's Dream Car Build: Will be at Acres of Iron and will be running. Getting interior samples from Hampton Coach. Exhaust is installed and was donated by Dave Barth of Penny's Muffler. Working on glass, then wiring. Inland Truck Parts is donating drive shaft. BTP has wheels and tires to donate if they fit the car. Looking for interior. Raffle ticket sales start in July at \$5 per ticket and run for 1 year.
- E. Buggies-N-Blues: June 13, 2010. PAC enters the show at 9:00am. Meet at 8:30am at Riverwood RV. PAC has security duty at 2pm-3pm. PAC sponsored Bob Long to bring his 1908 Maxwell, paid his fee for the Classtiques rod run.
- F. Buckstop Junction: No update on painting the building. The school tour on May 5 was cancelled. Duane Jangula reported that the Buckstop Junction committee is in favor of the used car lot idea. The idea is to make an old-style used car parking lot complete with asphalt and sales office on the land north of the gas station. Maybe try to get dirt work done this year to level the land for the lot.
- G. BBQ Grill Truck: The truck will be a pull-type trailer to save on expenses. Work has not started. Will probably start after Amber's Dream car is finished.
- H. Monthly Dinner Cruise: First cruise will be June 7 to Sportsman Bar in Wilton. RSVP on the website.
- I. Road Rally & Steak Fry: Moved to August 1. Start at Ellefson's. Visit Knife River Indian Villages, then eat lunch in Beulah Park. Tour Dakota Gasification plant. Tour Glen Ullin Museum. End at Joe LaFave's house for steak fry. \$15/person for members & non-members. Register on the website. Motioned \$400 for expenses by Don Roloff, 2nd Betty Beapple.

Drawing for Membership Incentive for \$50. Kent French was not present. Pot is up to \$75. Meeting adjourned at 8:37pm. 1st Jerome Zimmerman, 2nd Dale Speckmann. Next meeting is June 17, 2010 at Buckstop Junction.

Respectfully, Kari Zimmerman

PAC...In the News

Acres of Iron Car Show was held on Saturday, May 22 in downtown Mandan alongside the sports and recreation show. The weather was uncertain, but the daring brought out their cars. PAC grilled to raise money for the Amber's Dream car build project. The guys also pulled the motor from the gas truck. There are dash plaques left over from the show - \$1.50 ea. See more pictures on the website or post your own!



PIONEER AUTO CLUB ROAD RALLY & STEAK FRY

Road Rally, Indian Village Tour & Dakota Gasification Tour,

Glen Ullin Museum Visit & Steak Fry

Fun Eventful Day

Sunday, August 1, 2010

More info at www.pioneercarclub.com

Name: _____

Number of
Dinners: _____

Dinner is **\$15.00** each for PAC Member & Non-PAC Members

Total amount enclosed: _____

Send to:

Steve Ellefson

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Birthdays/Anniversaries

Member Birthdays

Jun 2

Steve Thilmony

Jun 9

Chris Frey

Jon Larson

Jun 10

Clarence Hoffman

Jun 12

John Baepple

Jun 15

Edna Deringer

Jun 19

Daniel Markel

Jun 22

Dennis Naasz

Jun 26

Corey Jiras

Jun 29

Steve Ellefson

Spouse Birthdays

Jun 4

Becky Thilmony

Jun 7

Susan Simet

Jun 10

Rhonda Murray

Jun 14

Donna LaFave

Jun 15

Betty Schmidt

Sally Sailer

Jun 16

Jolynn Hoesel

Jun 20

Diane Birkholz

Jun 21

Carol Gomke

Jun 23

Pam Speckmann

Anniversaries

Jun 7

Curt & Bev Goehring

Jun 10

Weston & Brooke Wiedrich

Jun 12

Tom & Cherie Freidt

Jun 14

Ken & Judy Rehling

Jun 15

Corey & Jennifer Roth

Jun 19

Russell & Jane Thune

Jun 21

Harold & Carol Gomke

Jun 24

Mylo & Gayle Bakken

Mark & Laura Engwicht

Jun 26

James & JeAnne Selby

Brad & Tessa Benz

Jun 27

Dennis & Byrdi Naasz

Roger & Laura Thompson

Doo Wop Oldies Quiz - Part 3

Great memories about music that caused our parents and teachers grief! Take the quiz and see how you score as a true "Oldies Fan." Write down your answers and check them against the answers at the end. *(Answers on Page 6)*
Don't Cheat!!!!

11. In 1957, he left the music business to become a preacher:
 - (a) Little Richard
 - (b) Frankie Lymon
 - (c) Tony Orlando
12. Paul Anka's "Puppy Love" is written to what star?
 - (a) Brenda Lee
 - (b) Connie Francis
 - (c) Annette Funicello
13. The Everly Brothers are
 - (a) Pete and Dick
 - (b) Don and Phil
 - (c) Bob and Bill
14. The Big Bopper's real name was:
 - (a) Jiles P. Richardson
 - (b) Roy Harold Scherer Jr.
 - (c) Marion Michael Morrison
15. In 1959, Berry Gordy, Jr., started a small record company called...
 - (a) Decca
 - (b) Cameo
 - (c) Motown





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Doo Wop Quiz Answers

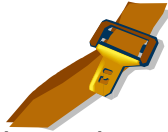
11. (a) Little Richard
12. (c) Annette Funicello
13. (b) Don and Phil
14. (a) Jiles P. Richardson
15. (c) Motown



WANTED

The PAC fuel truck needs a front suspension yoke. If you have a 1918 Model T front suspension yoke and would like to donate it to the club, please let us know!

Police Blotter



Leadfoot Larry Leingang was busted speeding on his way to the Fargo swap meet. The officer let him go with a warning after he explained he was in hurry so he didn't miss any deals at the swap meet. However, he was cited for a seatbelt violation. Buckle up, everyone!

Thank you for helping Amber's Dream come true

Amber Des Roches dreamed of a children's hospital where anything was possible and children could escape the reality of their illnesses.



Amber Des Roches

Thanks to the Pioneer Auto Club, the proceeds from the raffle of a 1938 Chevy two-door Sedan will benefit Amber's Dream—the transformation of the Medcenter One Children's Hospital.

Raffle tickets will be on sale for \$5 July 1, 2010–June 30, 2011. To find out more about the raffle, call the Medcenter One Foundation at 323-8450 or visit medcenterone.com/ambersdream.



COMMUNICATIONS COMMITTEE

Website logins were mailed to members a couple of weeks ago. If you did not receive your login, please email info@pioneerclub.com and we will send your login information. By logging in to the website, you will be able to post to the forum and comment on posts. You will also be able to post gallery pictures and register for PAC events.

How To: Register for an Event

You can pre-register for PAC events through the website. Click on the Events tab at the top of the site. Click on the PAC even you're interested in. Click the **>> Register Now** link.

PAC Dinner Cruise

Sportsman Bar in Wilton

RSVP below

When June 7

[» Register Now](#)

Select how many people you're registering. Enter your e-mail address and fill in the remaining information. Remember to send a check if there is an event fee. You will receive an email confirmation.

PAC Dinner Cruise

How many people are you registering? (including yourself)

Fill in your registration information on this page. I page and click "Continue".

Email Address

Participant

First Name

Last Name

Car Club

[CONTINUE >>](#)

A complete list of 2010 events is available at www.pioneerclub.com/events

Up coming events ...

Jun 4, 2010-[Devil's Run](#) - Devils Lake, ND

Jun 5, 2010-[Baker Car Show](#) - Baker, MT

Jun 7, 2010-[PAC Dinner Cruise](#) - Cruise to Sportsman Bar in Wilton

Jun 11, 2010-[Classtiques Rod Run](#) - Bismarck-Mandan, ND

Jun 13, 2010-[Buggies-n-Blues](#) - Mandan, ND

Jun 18, 2010-[12th Annual Rally in the Valley](#) - Valley City, ND

[MSRA Back to the 50's](#) - St. Paul, MN

Jun 19, 2010-[KraZkustoms 5th Annual Car Show](#) - Glen Ullin, ND

[Washburn Civic Club 9th Annual Car & Tractor Show](#) - Washburn, ND

Jun 25, 2010-[Cars in the Park](#) - Glendive, MT

[Medora Car Show](#) - Medora, ND

