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The Presidents Corner

Hello everyone!! Well, the snow is finally all gone, the days are getting warmer, and by looking at the calendar, the car show season is upon us. See the "Up Coming Events" section of our PAC newsletter (www.pioneerclub.com/events) for a short term listing of shows that may be of interest to you.

The May 20th meeting will be held at the PAC "Standard Service" station at Buckstop Junction beginning at 7:30PM. BYO chair, jacket, etc. See agenda (<http://www.pioneerclub.com/node/34>).

The Model T Build committee chairman, Steve Ellefson, has scheduled a practice session at 6:30pm before the meeting. Any and all of you who would like to part of this FUN committee should be there. Last year the seven member "star team" set a record of 2 minutes 46 seconds to assemble the Model T and drive it away. We have already accepted two dates (Medora & Lemmon) to appear with the Model T.

The Acres of Iron car show will be held in Mandan, May 22, 2010 in the parking lot west of the old John Iverson building in conjunction with the Mandan Sports & Recreation Rendezvous on Main. General chairman, Joe LaFave along with food committee co-chairs, Kevin Schatz & Dale Speckmann, are looking for volunteers to help cook and sell brats, burgers, etc. as a fund raiser for PAC and Ambers Dream car build project. More information at the meeting.

Please review the "Minutes" of the April meeting (www.pioneerclub.com/node/24) for information on numerous topics, events, and committee reports. Our Communications committee is doing a great job updating our website so it will be more useful and informative. Try it out and explore.

The Honorary Life Membership Policy introduced at the March meeting is scheduled for final discussion and vote this month. Please be prepared and share your thoughts on this important topic.

Several of you have asked about the availability of PAC logo patches for jackets/shirts, etc. A few of the 2 3/4 inch embroidered patches will be available at the meeting.

John Birkholz was selected for the April membership drawing but since he was not present, he will not receive the \$25 prize which means the May drawing will be for \$50.

See you at the Standard Service station.

Upcoming Event Details

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

Buggies-N-Blues - Sunday, June 13, PAC enters show at 9:20.
Meet @ Riverwood RV before. 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, April 15, 2010

The meeting was called to order at 7:29pm at Dale's Auto Restoration by President Pat Fricke.

Secretary's Report: Approved as printed. 1st Joe LaFave, 2nd Kevin Schatz, voice carry.

Treasurer's Report: Steve Ellefson gave summary.

New Business

- A. Correspondence: Medcenter One sent thank you letter for PAC donation to the Amber's Dream car build project from the Cabin Fever Car Show.
- B. Advertisers who have not paid include Dakota Community Bank, All State Insurance, and Sanitary Plumbing. Joe LaFave to contact All State Insurance, Tom Freidt to contact Dakota Community Bank. Bismarck Lumber was a comp.
- C. Insurance premiums are due in May. Motion by Joe LaFave to pay premiums, 2nd Jerome Zimmerman, voice carry.
- D. Motion by Betty Baepfle to drop unpaid members at this point, 2nd Joe LaFave, voice carry.
- E. Bismarck-Mandan Civic Chorus requested cars to park outside the Belle Mehus before and after their Spring Concert on May 8. Interested parties will receive tickets to the concert. Contact info@pioneerclub.com by April 30 if you're interested.
- F. Hebron 125th requesting cars for their morning parade on July 3.
- G. Future Buckstop Junction project: Land north of gas station was acquired in 1992. Steve Ellefson brought up the idea that this area could be turned into an old-style used car parking lot, complete with building and asphalt, to host car shows and get together.

Old Business

- A. Honorary Life Membership Policy: Please review the policy. It will be voted on next meeting.

Committee Reports

- A. Communications: Still working on the website. Will try to get logins for members in the next few weeks.
- B. Model T Build: Medora Car Show has requested the Model T build on Sat, June 26. Medora also requested help from PAC to help park cars and install barriers. Motion by Jerome Zimmerman to do the Model T build in Medora and help out, 2nd Don Roloff, voice carry. Accepted Model T build request for Lemmon, SD. July 10, 2010. Declined request for Jamestown summer show. They may contact PAC for their winter show. Discussed an enclosed trailer for the Model T.
- C. Acres of Iron Car Show May 22, 2010: Joe LaFave, chairman. The show will be downtown Mandan during sports and recreation show. Net proceeds from show are to be split 50/50 to PAC and Amber's Dream car build project. Burgers and buns to come from Cashwise. Cheesy brats to come from Cloverdale. 100 dash plaques will be ordered from Dakota Awards. Lining up prizes to give away for the show. Will do people's choice award and have some items for raffle. Motion to authorize budget up to \$500 for the show by Don Roloff, 2nd Kevin Schatz, voice carry.
- D. Amber's Dream Car Build: 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 and run for 1 year.
- E. Buggies-N-Blues: No meeting this month. Suggested that PAC make a sign for the show stating that Bob Long's 11 Maxwell was sponsored by the club.
- F. Buckstop Junction: There will be a tour by local schools on May 5. Volunteers were requested to talk about the gas station from 2pm-5pm the day. Dakota Sand Blasting will blast the station for the cost of materials.
- G. BBQ Grill Truck: No update. Dale Speckmann and Jerome Zimmerman to spearhead project. Truck needs to be sandblasted and painted.
- H. Audit Committee: Gene Taix reported that transactions match bank statements.
- 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. Motion for \$15/person by Don Roloff, 2nd Corey Jiras.

Drawing for Membership Incentive for \$25. John Birkholz was not present. Pot is up to \$50. Meeting adjourned at 8:34pm. 1st Kevin Schatz, 2nd Jerome Zimmerman.

Next meeting is May 20, 2010 at Buckstop Junction.

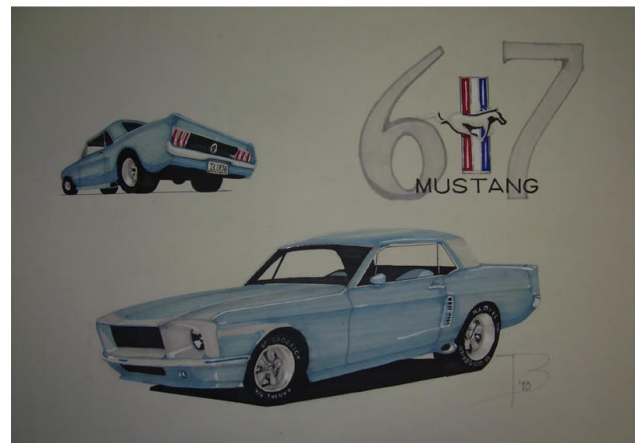
Respectfully, Kari Zimmerman

PAC...In the News

T.J. Bender is our farthest away member. T.J. is serving our country in Kosovo. He sent these pictures of himself and his Humvee. He says he has seen a '79 Camaro, '86 Firebird, '88 Suburban and a few others while he's been deployed in Kosovo.



Russian car supposed to compete with Subaru.



Sketch T.J. did for a local national.

Birthdays/Anniversaries

Member Birthdays

May 8

Paul Klemetson

May 13

Allen Braun

May 17

Kari Zimmerman

May 26

Mark Kamphuis

May 29

Robert Wagner

May 31

Mark Engwicht

Spouse Birthdays

May 4

Susan Braun

May 8

Gail Baron

Marcille Rohrich

May 17

JV Wiener

Linda Ohlsen

May 20

Phyllis Larson

May 25

Arlene Davis

May 29

Cherie Freidt

Anniversaries

May 4

Al & Verena Schauer

May 14

Mike & Karen Lalonde

May 20

Mike & Diane Paul

May 22

Chris & Donna Frey

May 26

Kevin & Cindy Schatz

May 27

Larry & Phyllis Larson

Doo Wop Oldies Quiz - Part 2

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!!!!

6. For which label did Elvis Presley first record?

- (a) Atlantic
- (b) RCA
- (c) Sun

7... He asked, "Why's everybody always pickin' on me?" Who was he?

- (a) Bad, Bad Leroy Brown
- (b) Charlie Brown
- (c) Buster Brown

8. In Bobby Darin's "Mack The Knife," the one with the knife, was named:

- (a) MacHeath
- (b) MacCloud
- (c) MacNamara

9. Name the song with "A-wop bop a-loo bop a-lop bam boom."

- (a) Good Golly, Miss Molly
- (b) Be-Bop-A-Lula
- (c) Tutti Frutti

10. Who is generally given credit for originating the term "Rock And Roll"?

- (a) Dick Clark
- (b) Wolfman Jack
- (c) Alan Freed





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Model T Practice

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Doo Wop Quiz Answers

6. (c) Sun
7. (b) Charlie Brown
8. (a) Mac Heath
9. (c) Tutti Fruitti
10. (c) Alan Freed



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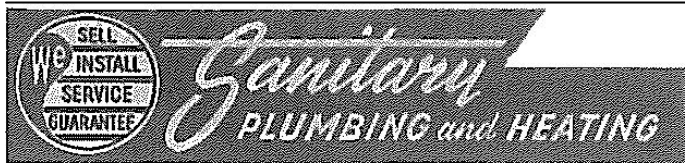
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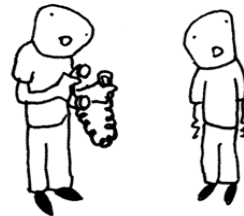
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If you haven't had a chance, check out the changes to the website. It has an updated look as well as some new functionalities. Members will soon be able to view the entire newsletter, post photos of their cars, communicate in the Members Forum, RSVP to PAC events, and much more! This is a very exciting addition to our club. Once the website is completed, we will email or mail your user name and password along with instructions to access the Members area of the website. Members of the communications committee are Kari Zimmerman, Kathy Setterlund, and Robert Schatz. If you have any questions or suggestions regarding the updated website, you can email the communications committee at info@pioneerclub.com

look, i attached
an old telephone
hand set to
my cell phone



that's pretty
awesome... do you
think you could
hook a horse up
to my car?

Term of the Month

Phaeton

An open-type body with two cross seats. It usually accommodates five passengers. A folding windshied, folding weatherproof fabric top, and removable side curtains are usually standard equipment. The four-seater was called a double phaeton and the six-seater or seven-seater was called a triple phaeton.

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

Up coming events ...

May 8, 2010- 34th Annual Band Day & Car Show - Williston, ND

May 16, 2010 - 37th Annual Swap Meet and Car Show - West Fargo, ND

May 20, 2010 – PAC Meeting, Buckstop Jct, 7:30pm

May 22, 2010 - Acres of Iron - Mandan, ND

May 23, 2010 - Roughrider Chevrolet Show N Shine - Bismarck, ND

May 24, 2010 - Amvets 4th Annual Car Show - Bismarck, ND

Jun 4, 2010 - Devil's Run - Devils Lake, ND

Jun 5, 2010- Baker Car Show - Baker, MT

