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Well did you all get to enjoy those 2-3 days of spring that we had throughout the month of March? Well with any luck this long COLD and lately wet and snowy winter will break soon and we will be left with a wonderfully warm late spring and summer.

Mark your calendars because May 17 is once again our annual rendezvous we call Acres of Iron, and it is quickly approaching. After many years of having this show at Riverwood RV the club has decided to try a new location for the show. This year Acres of Iron will be held at Gateway Mall in the south parking lot near the over flow parking for Paradiso. Our VP Mark Engwicht has been doing a great job of getting donations for the show from businesses north of the interstate along State Street. However we can use some more support! So as you visit your favorite business or establishment ask them if they would be willing to donate a door prize. The PAC will be selling refreshments in the form of pop and water (and if it doesn't warm up we may have to find a way to make coffee and hot chocolate). Along with our show Rough Rider Chevy is once again holding their show at Elks in Bismarck on Sunday the day after Acres of Iron. We will be partnering with them on the Grand Prize again this year for anyone who attends both shows!

We have had the same representative to Buckstop Junction for many years and we should all thank Duane Jangula for his years of dedication to this job. The club's new delegate is Jerry Zimmerman, he is a newer member to the club but is very eager to take this job on. I am very excited to see newer member getting involve and stepping up to help the club out so when you see Jerry at shows and club events thank him for stepping up and taking on this job. And thank you once again Dwaine for your years of dedication to this position.

In the new event category or perhaps more accurately called resurrected event category, some of the club members have been working on organizing the Motor to Medora. This will be a caravan starting at Riverwood RV in Mandan to Medora. We will be leaving at 8:00 in the morning on Friday June 20 and will be driving at a comfortable cruising speed for Model T's and Model A's, about 30 MPH. We will be traveling on as much of Old Highway 10 as we can and only driving on the interstate for about 15 miles. There are scheduled pit stops for a half hour in each town along the way to help keep the cars from overheating. At lunch the group will stop in Richardton to have a picnic lunch. The scheduled arrival time in Medora is 3:30 Mountain Time so if anyone would like to join in the drive and has their car in the Winners Circle at the Medora Car Show, we will be there in time. If any of you are interested and would like to know the full itinerary and map you can learn more at www.motortomedora.com

The next meeting is 7:30 on April 17 at Dale's Auto Restoration.

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MINUTES – PAC meeting, March 20, 2014

The meeting was called to order at 7:30 by President Jerome Zimmerman at Riverwood RV, Mandan.

Secretary's Report: Minutes were approved as printed. Chris Kocourek, Joe LaFave 2nd, voice carry.

Treasurer's Report: Steve Ellefson gave treasurer's report. Motion by Steve Ellefson to pay Jerome Zimmerman \$56.00 for delivery and use of enclosed trailer for Jamestown Car Show, Pat Fricke 2nd, voice carry.

New Business.

1. PAC received thank you letter from Jamestown Car Club for bringing the T-Build.
2. DJs invited club to hold a meeting at their location, they will supply dinner, decision tabled until future.
3. Thanks to Cheri Freidt for providing food at the meeting.
4. Upcoming events are on the website.

Old Business

1. Buckstop Junction Delegate: Jerry Zimmerman volunteered and was appointed, voice carry. Mark Engwicht will fill in if needed.
2. Audit committee: Kevin Schatz reported that the financial records look good.
3. Valentines Dinner: Mixed feedback, flowers were good, food was slow. Ideas for new location tabled until July.
4. Acres of Iron: May 17 - Gateway Mall 10am - 3pm. Club will sell pop and water but not food. The club is willing to do the 50/50 flyer split with Roughrider Chevy. Motion by Pat Fricke to purchase 200 Hot Wheels Cars to give out the kids, the purchase of 50 dash plaques, and a 50/50 split with Roughrider Chevy for prize who do both shows, Chris Kocourek, voice carry.
5. Buggies-N-Blues: June 8th
6. PAC t-shirts: Tabled until next meeting.
7. Motor to Medora: June 20 - website at motortomedora.com - initial interest indicates 15-20 cars

Committee Reports

1. Communications: Requested updated membership list.
2. Model T Build: Steve Ellefson, chair. Jamestown build went well. Need to fix the High/Low lever. Velva requested T-Build for July 12. Need to answer at next meeting. Discussion on revising charges for the T Build. Committee will look into it (Jerome Zimmerman, Mark Engwicht, Steve Ellefson, Pat Fricke, Kevin Schatz)
3. Gas Truck: Steve Ellefson, chair. Nothing new.
4. Grill Truck Project: Dale will bring it in the shop soon. Do need tires soon.
6. Buckstop Junction: Lease/Security agreement with MHVS is still outstanding.
7. Used Car Lot: Roloff, chair. Asphalt will be done some time in May. Kevin Schatz will talk to Menards about lumber. If you would like to help raise funds, please contact Laura Engwicht for copies of personal donation letters.

Location for April meeting will be at Dales Auto Restoration on April 17, 2014 at 7:30pm.

Meeting adjourned at 8:40pm. 1st Chris Kocourek, 2nd Tom Freidt, voice carry.

Respectfully, Kari Zimmerman

Birthdays/Anniversaries

Member Birthdays

Apr 4

Ida Miller

Pat Heinert

Apr 10

Ron Pickar

Sam Wangler

Apr 18

Les Linssen

Spouse Birthdays

Apr 1

Kim Conway

Apr 12

Carol Fricke

Apr 24

Gayle Bakken

Apr 27

Karen Lalonde

Anniversaries

Apr 3

Delmar & Debbie Markel

Apr 19

Les & Ellie Linssen

Apr 21

Pat & Lynn Heinert

Apr 28

Dana & Madonna Guenther



Jamestown Model T Assembly Team: Steve Thilmony, John DesRoches, Jerome Zimmerman, Kari Zimmerman, Ron Pickar, Laura Engwicht, Mark Engwicht

2 Big Car Shows



Pioneer Auto Club

1 Great Weekend
May 17 & 18, 2013



Roughrider Chevrolet Assoc

ACRES OF IRON

Saturday, May 17th

Gateway Mall, Bismarck
Southeast Lot
10 AM — 3 PM

Door Prizes
Dash Plaques for participants

Hot Wheels Giveaway!

SHOW-N-SHINE

Sunday, May 18th

Bis-Man Elks Lodge 1199
900 S Washington St in
Bismarck
11 AM - 3 PM

Door Prizes - Top 20 Trophies
Dash Plaques for
registered entrants

NO REGISTRATION FEES!

BONUS!

\$100 Cash/Gas Drawing
(Must enter both Shows to be eligible)





Motor to Medora

**FRIDAY, JUNE 20
2014
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SCHEDULE

(all times CDT)

8:00am Depart Mandan
9:00am Arrive New Salem
9:30am Depart New Salem
10:15am Arrive Glen Ullin
10:45am Depart Glen Ullin
12:00pm Arrive Richardton
1:00pm Depart Richardton
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2:30pm Depart Dickinson
3:15pm Arrive Belfield
3:45pm Depart Belfield
4:15pm Arrive Medora

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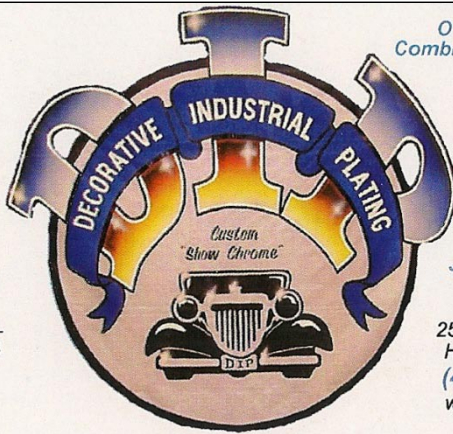
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Upcoming events ...

April

- April 5, 2014** - Toppers Car Show - West Fargo, ND
April 12, 2014 - Prime Steel Car Show - Grand Forks, ND
April 17, 2014 - PAC Meeting, Dale's Restoration, 7:30pm

May

- May 17, 2014** - Acres of Iron - Bismarck, ND
May 18, 2014 - Roughrider Chevy Show-N-Shine -Bismarck
May 30, 2014 - Devils Run - Devils Lake, ND

June

- June 6, 2014** - Classtiques Rod Run - Bismarck/Mandan, ND
June 8, 2014 - Buggies-N-Blues - Mandan, ND
June 20, 2014 - Motor to Medora Run - Bismarck - Medora
June 20-21, 2014 - Medora Car Show - Medora, ND



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