THE HOOD SCOOP

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THE HOOD SCOOP is published as an informative news bulletin to keep our members up to date on past, present and future events.

GATEWAY GTO ASSOCIATION MEETINGS are held monthly. Dates, times and locations are listed in the UPCOMING EVENTS section of the newsletter.

GATEWAY GTO ASSOCIATION PHOTO ALBUM: If you have photos of past events or if you take pictures of future events that you think would be good for the photo album, please put your name, the date and description of event on back and send to the Photo Album Editor Vic Nettle.

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PREZ SCOOP--JULY 1994

Fellow Members,

Where do we go from here?? It's hard to believe that what we've worked on and planned on for so long- has come and gone. I feel as if we should be still doing something regarding the Nationals. Cathey put it all in perspective, however, when she mentioned it was like giving birth to a child and then giving it up. There is a bittersweet flavor to all this--a certain feeling like that of being alone or without something you've become very attached to and at the same time having feelings of great accomplishment knowing you've done your best to achieve excellent results that have been recognized as such. It will take some getting used to trying to remember what our meetings and functions were like B.N. (Before Nationals).

I do think it is appropriate and safe to say that our 1994 National Show was a great success. I'm very proud of all of you ladies and gentlemen who played a part in it. You're all to be congratulated on a job well done-- and this was our <u>first effort</u> at this! I had many conversations with the guests and heard nothing but good, positive comments.

Again, it is a time for getting back to normal -- Whatever that is! But I'm sure we'll have no problem. It will be nice to plan to go to cruises and sit around and talk cars or whatever, or just hang out. No matter how you look at it -- the Gateway Group in St. Louis is definitely on the map!

Good Goating

Darrell

Video

The Gateway GTO Association is having a video of the 15 Annual GTOAA Nats. made. This video was filmed and is being edited by a professional. We highly recommend that you get your copy ordered as soon as possible. The meet received coverage from local news channels, (5, 4 and 11) and will be added to the video. Great stuff, don't miss getting yours. Contact Darrell 1458 Arapahoe Way, St. Charles, MO 63304-7310 (314) 928-8030

Minutes of July 7, 1994 Meeting by Marty Howard

The meeting was called to order at 7:07 p.m.. About 17 people were present at Buster Murphy's. A new member, Tim Putnam who owns a '65 GTO was given our warm Gateway Welcome. Old business discussed:

- * Darrell was begging for a new president so that he can relax. Ya want it?
- * GTO Nationals (can you believe that this is now 'old' business?)
- Darrell received a letter from Mike Radke thanking him for our effort.
- Mike Harding (Indy Chapter) sent a letter to Darrell and said that he had a grarrreat time.
- A postcard was received, by Cathey from a member, and said "Thanks for the great Nationals. Nice candy apple car and good drag strip driving, too". Way-to-go Cathey. That's our girl!
- Don't forget about the GTO National's video. Call Darrell. Let's buy our own club's product, huh? We had about a thousand people order the videos at the Nats. Well, maybe a few hundred. Anyway, a few people put down their bucks and ordered it.

- ITS FINALLY OVER!!!

- Now that the stage is set for the Nats to be in Buffalo, N.Y. for '95 and Colorado in '96, it was rumored that Cathey was overheard saying "I'd love to do it again in 1997". I wonder what she was referring to?
- Lots of new members signed up for the GTOAA since they had to be members in order to participate in showing their car. We even signed a few in our club, too. One of the ladies on my registration team, Mary Doom, signed up for the GTOAA and promised to join our club shortly Hey, Mary. For doing such a great job at the Nats, I'll pay for your membership for the first year if that's OK with you?!
- Some trophies will have to be mailed to the winners. They left early and now they will have to pay for the shipping of their own trophy. That will teach them to leave early.
- Some talk about new Concourse rules. Documentation is becoming more of an issue as time goes on. Options that could be put on the car, factory or dealer installed, may be allowed. Only in the talking stages. If you have an opinion, let the GTOAA know. That's what they are there for.
- John Johnson, who is on the GTOAA judging team, requests that if anyone mails him something, please make sure that you send it to Mexico, Mo (USA). Not New Mexico. He has more stamps from around the United States on mail he receives than I have working at the Postal Service.

Misc. Stuff:

- * If you respond to an ad in The Legend, say you saw the ad in The Legend. The Legend people like that.
- * Don't forget about the 'klunker bills' that are now flying all over the U.S. They are at state levels and federal levels. I will try to dig up some info for a future article in the Hood Scoop as soon as I can find it since it is still covered up from all the National junk on my desk. I belong to 2 such organizations that are fighting these bills. Get involved or someday you might wish that you did.

Minutes cont.

Also, the GTOAA is looking for a volunteer to spearhead the club and represent us in this endeavor If interested call Darrell. Just kidding. Get in touch with the officers at GTOAA.

- * We currently have 93 members in our Gateway Club. Almost 50% are National members. The rest should 'get going'.
- * Bobby's Custard Cruise is still in the works. Keep your eyes on the events' calendar that Joyce and Vic keep putting together for us.
- * POCI Nats next week!!! July 13 16. A few of us are going to be leaving on different days. I'm going Saturday morning and coming back Saturday night, July 16. Think I got plenty of room in my car. Anyone want to join me or maybe cruise together? Call me!
- * Joyce forgot the 50/50 raffle tickets. Just when I had a real good feeling that I was going to win. That's the main reason I showed up at all. Thanks, Joyce.
- * Treasurer's Report "We're In The Money. La la la la la". Want to know more? Come to our next meeting.

Meeting adjourned at 8:25 p.m.

Bye, bye.		 	

Our Members total 93 to date. Our new members this month are, Ron Hinote and Tim Putnam. Welcome Ron and Tim.

AUGUST 28 GGTOA PICNIC

Now that I have your attention let's talk picnic. This should be a must on your calendar of activities. We always have a great time rain or shine. It will be at the same place as last year. The club will be providing all the food and soda this year. If you want to bring a special desert call Shirley Bezzole 878-6892

UPCOMING EVENTS

July 13 - 16 P.O.C.I. NATIONAL CONVENTION: Springfield, Illinois

July 16 DRIVE-IN THEATRE CRUISE: Pine Hill Drive-In, Piedmont, MO info (314) 223-7985 after 8pm

July 17 PALACE OF POISON REUNION: Fuddruckers, Sunset Plaza, South Lindbergh and Watson Roads, 10 AM - 10 PM

July 23 BIKINI CAR WASH: Saturday 10am - 4pm Fantasy Coachworks 6034 S. Lindbergh (So. County)

July 23 CRUISIN' AT THE QUEEN: Dairy Queen, 770 Jeffco Blvd, Arnold, MO. 6:30pm-10:30pm

July 23 BT CRUISE 'N' PARK: Bonne Terre. MO, 5:00 - 11:30 pm. Flashbax

July 23 5TH ANNUAL RIVERFRONT NATIONALS: Lacledes Landing, St. Louis, MO. (314)298-SHOW

July 23 - 24 5TH ANNUAL GTO CLASSIC: formerly GTO Northern Nationals info: (810) 239-6571 or (810) 647-8135

July 24 BT CRUISE 'N' PARK: Bonne Terre, MO, 5:00 - 11:30 pm. Swap Meet

August 4 GGTOA MEETING: Buster Murphy's, 2033 Dorsett, Dorsett and McKelvey in Dorsett Village Shopping Center.

August 5 CRUISE AT BASKIN ROBBINS: 7pm till..... Fenton Plaza Shopping Center

August 6 BT CRUISE 'N' PARK: Bonne Terre, MO, 5:00 - 11:30 pm. Steve Davis "In Memory of Elvis" & The Memphis Mafia

August 7 WESTPORT CAR SHOW: info (314) 469-0977

August 7 3RD ANNUAL CAR SHOW & SWAP MEET: Lions Park, Eureka, MO. info:938-4929 or 645-5424

August 13 SUPER CRUISE NIGHT: American Roadhouse, 1215 S. Duchesne, St. Charles, MO, lot opens at 4pm. 946-3500

August 13 CRUISIN' AT THE QUEEN: Dairy Queen, 770 Jeffco Blvd, Arnold, MO. 6:30pm-10:30pm

August 13 STEAK'N SHAKE CRUISE: 5pm, 10220 West Florissant

August 13 MCDONALD'S OF OAKVILLE CRUISE: 6:00pm - 11:00pm, \$5.00 reg. fee 5537 Telegraph Road, info: Dave 846-6050 or 892-1310

EVENTS cont.

August 13 & 14 ROYAL PONTIAC NATIONALS: Pontiac bracket racing 13th, Milan Dragway; evening Woodward Ave, cruise; all Pontiac Car Show, Sunday, 14th; info. (313)270-0770 or (810)681-03090

August 13 & 14 PONTIAC MAGAZINE DAYS: All Pontiac car show - drags - swap meet. Grate Lakes Dragaway, Union Grove, WI. info: (414) 878-3783

August 20 CLASSIC CAR CRUISE '94: High Ridge Civic Center, #1 Community Dr. High Ridge, MO info: (314) 789-5334 or (314) 942-4300 ext. 5334

August 20 STEAK'N SHAKE CRUISE: 5pm, #5 N. Hwy.67

August 20 BT CRUISE 'N' PARK: Bonne Terre, MO, 5:00 - 11:30 pm. David Lee and The House Rockers

August 21 LEMAY VFW POST 4223 CAR SHOW: LeMay Ferry & Military reg. 8am, awards 4pm

August 27 STEAK'N SHAKE CRUISE: 5pm, 10220 West Florissant

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August 28 GGTOA ANNUAL PICNIC: Maryland Heights Park (same place as last year) Club will supply all the food this year.

September 2 CRUISE AT BASKIN ROBBINS: 7pm till..... Fenton Plaza Shopping Center

September 3 - 4 SHOW - ME - REGIONALS: 3rd Annual Show-Me-Regional Show & Swap. Overland Park, KS. info: (816) 763-5734 or (816) 353-3771

September 4 G.F.M.C. 19TH ANNUAL CAR SHOW & SWAP MEET: reg. 8am-noon info: 837-7755 or 291-4864

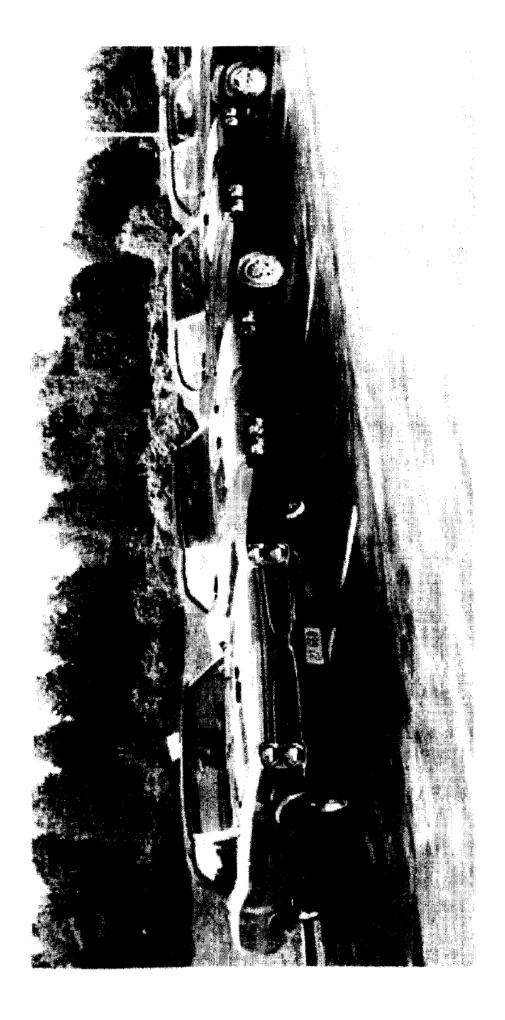
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September 10 BT CRUISE 'N' PARK: Bonne Terre, MO, 5:00 - 11:30 pm. King of Hearts

September 11 DUPO AMERICAN LEGION CAR SHOW & SWAP: reg. 8am-noon awards 3:30pm. American Legion Post 485. info Mary (618) 286-3785

September 11 GOLDEN TRIANGLE ANNUAL CAR SHOW &SWAP: reg 8am-noon Noah's Ark Motor Inn, 1-70 & 5th Street, St. Charles, MO. info: 947-1969 or 724-3431

September 16 - 18 6TH ANNUAL FALL STREET MACHINE NATIONALS: Springfield, MO. Info (317) 236-6522



The Nettle's GTOs (67 conv., 70 conv., 70 ht.)

GATEWAY GTO ASSOCIATION ADS

CARS AND PARTS FOR SALE:

1965 GTO tail panel, tail light bezels, wheelwell opening moulding, 4 core AC auto radiator, headlight bezels, grills.

1966 GTO nose piece, rocker mouldings, tail lights, rally gauge set, 2 speed transmission out of running car (cheap).

1967 GTO nose piece.

Tripowers-64,65,66. Restored to show quality.

QJETS-68-70

Darrell Carnal (314)928-8030 (sept)

Carburetors Restored-Specializing in tripowers; QJETS also Includes dichromating, plating on metal parts. Also buying tripowers.

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67 GTO rt front fender (some rust) \$95, 66-67 big car 8 track \$100, 67 GTO parchment buckets \$25, 66-67 rear window stainless trim \$50, 66-67 glove box door \$10, 67 rear window defog \$100, 69 Buick auto consol \$10, NOS center link (fits 63-70 big car & 69 Firebird 6 cyl.) \$100, 6 large moving size boxes of NOS Cadillac parts plus one box used parts \$395 OBO; Dan (314)225-1100 (aug)

Parting Out - 1971 LeMans 4 door, 350-2 automatic (running condition), power steering, air, Limekist green with Jade interior. All original, some rust, not bad. also 4-15x7 honeycomb wheels from 71 GTO (needs paint) only one center. Don Bright (314)272-2229 (july)

Complete 4 speed set-up for Pontiac: transmission linkage, flywheel, bellhousing, pedals & linkage. sell or trade;
Mark Feldman (314) 544-0730 (july)

67 GTO doors (very good condition), deck lid, 4 64 fenders (need some amount of work) sell or trade for parts for my 64 Street Strip car; Chris Simmons (314)278-8710 (july)

65 LeMans, 2 dr HT, runs, fresh paint 64 GTO, numbers match, wood wheel, tach, console, 1 family, stored since 81, needs restore for show; Dan Gregory (614) 474-4614 (july)

67 GTO hood \$150, 67 passenger side quarter/panel (/4 car used) \$ 375, 67 LeMans grills \$75, 67 aqua dash pad \$135, 70 GTO 400 engine (auto) complete (disassembled); Cathey Pacelli (314) 839-4882 (aug)

ADS cont.

Rally II wheels 14" and 15" any size you need, any condition; Rodney Paradise (314) 230-0009 (sept)

66 GTO Ht., 4 spd., 4 bbl., 3.55:1 posi., original, documented, nice interior, red/red, runs strong, some rust, needs paint, good tires, \$4900.00 66 LeMans Ht., rust free Calif. car, working AC, power windows, good interior, perfect dash pad, V8, auto on floor, \$4900.00; Will Bowers 618-288-4187 (sept)

PARTS WANTED:

Crossmember for a 65 GTO conv.; Darrell Carnal (314)928-8030 (july)

71 GTO front signal lenses, rear brake lenses, hood hinges rear valance w/cutouts, hood, rear bumper, hood release lever; Don Bright (314)272-2229 (july)

65 GTO Convertible, any condition; Darrell Carnal (314)928-8030 (sept)

12 bolt posi traction; Vic Nettle (314)892-3639 (sept)

All for 66 GTO: Canceling cam for directional signal assembly #382931; Horn bar #9783137; Deluxe steering wheel (black); Distributor #1111054 (casting date code A136 & H245); Bezel #9783136 w/ornament #9783134 for horn; Underhood lamp assembly #9780477; Steering column at instrument panel opening cover #9785452 (black); Console (man. trans.) w/mounting brackets and wire harness, Base #9774995, top front #9780589, top rear #9781522, escutcheon #9780577; Harmonic balancer pulley (2 groove 7 1/4") #9783144; PW pump w/brackets #5696861; 66 AM radio w/push buttons #7293502 w/verba-phonic & wiring harness; Rear window defogger w/wiring harness; Left hand door w/remote mirror; Oil splash shield used under valve covers on 093 heads; Instrumentation-rally cluster w/heater control only, w/wiring harness; Rear back-up lights; Under dash heater core cover assembly; Tri-power manifold #9782892 (casting date codes A136 & H245) Jim Morris (210) 560-1507 (sept)

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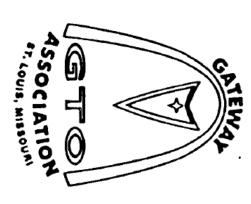
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