

Pontiac Regional Car Show Check Presentation

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As covered in the September edition of *The Hoodscoop*, our 10th Annual Regional Car Show at the Pontiac Museum was another successful event raising money for the museum. We ended up with 173 cars.

After the show was over, we tallied our net proceeds from the weekend. As usual, our largest expense was the trophies, but we had great sponsorships this year that fully offset that cost. Once it was all added up we determined that we had raised a total of \$4800 for the Museum at the event. A lot of that money was cash raised by Earl's amazing 50/50 efforts.

This year, Paula and I drove up with Gail and Terry Schott for the check presentation on October 29th. Tom Raufer from the Heart of Illinois GTO Club also traveled to Pontiac and met us there for the presentation.

We had coordinated with Tim and Penny as well as Liz Vincent, the Director of the Department of Tourism for the City of Pontiac, for our visit and we all met up at the Museum.

The check presentation was made at about 11:00. Pictured in the photo from left to right are Liz Vincent, Chris Winslow, Paula Winslow, Tim Dye, Penny Dye, Tom Raufer, and Terry Schott.

Also joining us at the museum, but not in the picture, was Gateway GTO member Alan Finkenbinder and, of course, Gail Schott. Liane Finkenbinder joined us shortly after we took the photo.

Afterwards, we all enjoyed lunch at Bob and Ringo's Grill before heading back to St. Louis.

The City of Pontiac prepared a video of our event this year. Click here to view it: [Pontiac Video](#)