

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.

The **GATEWAY GTO ASSOCIATION** is an official chapter of the **GTO ASSOCIATION of AMERICA**

PREZ SCOOP

Greetings fellow members--

'Tis the Season! -- Hope all of you are jolly! Those of you that didn't make the party at Vic and Joyce's sure missed out on a fun evening. There were lots of great dishes and good drinks to be had, probably enough for the entire club, as well as some really neat door prizes and grab bag gifts. And as usual the Nettle house was decorated very nicely for the season. However this year had to take the cake -- Vic literally outdid himself with the huge commercial searchlight in front of the house setting the heavens aglow! I'm surprised we didn't have people from all over arriving and creating a traffic jam. I heard you could see it from the Jefferson Barracks bridge! Anyway, the last Goat couldn't take it anymore somewhere between 2 and 3 AM, I think? (Darrell was the last Goat, ed.) I want to sincerely express my appreciation to Vic and Joyce for doing such a great job and affording us the excellent hospitality in having us to their home for the party!

As most of you know this is the last time I will be writing to you in the "Prez Scoop." January will bring us a new "Head Tiger." After having served as your president for four years, I certainly leave the position with mixed emotions. I have immensely enjoyed working with the other officers and club members throughout my term and appreciate all the support and effort of everyone. Together, we have made this club what it is today. I feel that with all our people and our resources that there's nothing we couldn't do! Not only has the club been a gathering of different people from all walks of life who share a common interest, it has served me well in the sense that I have also gained a lot of friends--one of life's treasures.

I was very touched at the party upon receiving the very nice plaque. It will always have its place on my wall and hold a special meaning. I really appreciate your thoughtfulness. See you at the pizza meeting on January 15.

Good GOATing--
Your friend,

Darrell

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Place your order today \$25.00 covers
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Minutes of the December Meeting

as recorded by: Joyce Nettle

The regular monthly meeting of the Gateway GTO Association was held at our annual Christmas Party, December 10, 1994. After having given out the door prizes and having the grab bag presentation the 50/50 drawing was held. The winning number was held by Ferna Russell an associate member of two years. \$49 went to Ferna and \$48 to the club. Ferna then gave her winnings to help a friend suffering from cancer (not a club member).

Jack Menke, our vice president of MO. then took over and presented plaques and awards. Jack started with the points, presenting third place to Cathey Pacelli, second place to Darrell Carnal, and first place to Vic & Joyce Nettle. Jack continued with presenting our three OLD Goat Racers with a trophy for all the races they participate in during the year (only Tony Bezzole was there to accept his trophy; the others will be given to Pete Fahle and Axle Weiss later). Then Jack presented a special plaque to Darrell Carnal for his service to the club for the past four years.

Darrell, our president, then took over to discuss what a great job Margo Sample did on the 1994 GTO National video and to present Margo with a special plaque of appreciation. Darrell stated that 102 videos had been sold to date and the feed back was that everyone liked it. Darrell then mentioned that High Performance Pontiac had two articles on the Nationals and wanted a show of hands who had read them. It seems High Performance Pontiac had little if anything good to say and they focused on a lot of negative comments. Darrell would like to see members write in there comments to High Performance Pontiac Magazine.

This was about the end of the meeting and the party continued.

We had several members take the opportunity to renew totaling 22 to date.

There was a total of 58 members and guests at the party.

Our Members total 102 to date with 43 belonging to GTOAA also. Our new members are Richard & Norma Lauber . Welcome Richard and Norma!

1994 Gateway GTO Christmas Party



Mary Howard receiving one of ten door prizes!

UPCOMING EVENTS

November 1 - January 8 "CHRISTMAS IN LIGHTS": See B.T. Cruise 'N' Park transformed into a Christmas Wonderland! info. (314) 358-3493

January 7 - 8 WORLD OF WHEELS: Cervantes Convention Center, St. Louis, MO
Show Chairman - Gary Wenkel, (618) 281-8011

January 15 PIZZA MEETING: Imo's on Telegraph Rd. 4317 Telegraph Rd., South County in Missouri Plaza. 255 to Telegraph Road, turn South go down hill turn right into Missouri Plaza. Be there around 12 noon, meeting starts at 1:00. **SNOW DATE January 22**

February 2 GTO Meeting: Buster Murphy's, 2033 Dorsett, Dorsett & McKelvey in Dorsett Village Shopping Center. Meeting starts at 7:00 pm. Come early for supper.

February 4 VALENTINE DANCE: Hosted by Cruzin' Classics Chevy Club. Alton Fireman's Convention Center, Eastgate Plaza, East Alton, IL. \$10 per person, snacks, free beer and soda. info: Nancy (618) 259-7826

GATEWAY GTO ASSOCIATION ADS

CARS AND PARTS FOR SALE:

1965 GTO, hood scoop \$45; 65/66 transmission (auto) \$35; 1966/67 GTO nose pieces \$35 to \$50; tail lights \$25; 1967 GTO steering column, floor shift \$75; Tri-powers -64, 65, 66 buying, selling, or restore yours to show quality; 69 muncie close ratio trans \$350; Pontiac vacuum gauge \$70; power antenna masts \$45; Darrell Carnal (314)928-8030 (feb)

OKI 910 hand held cellular phone, leather case, standard/stubby antenna, battery charger.
3 extended life batteries, 120 minute talking time, 20 hour stand by.
1 standard battery, 60 minute talking time, 10 hour stand by.
car adapter. \$300.00;
Joe Wirthlin, 790-0324 (jan)

EdelBrock Pro-Flo 1000 air filter \$10. Pair of original 71 LeMans front fenders w/ inner wheel wells, some rust, no dents, (repairable). Will fit 70 - 72 LeMans/GTO \$150. Auto Meter Sports-Comp Monster 5" Tach # 3980, originally \$80 sell \$50. Auto Meter Sports-Comp 2 5/8 water temp gauge, originally \$40 sell \$25, all wiring and senders included, new, still in original box, never used.
Don Bright (314) 240-2229 (feb)

1964 GTO HDTP (Correct Numbers) 4 spd, posi, Tri-Power, \$4,500.
1965 GTO HDTP (Correct Numbers) PS, PB, AC, AT, and Tri-Power, \$8,500.
1966 GTO HDTP 4 spd, Tri-Power, Red/Parchment int, gauges, \$9,500.
PLUS 1964 - 1967 Parts and Cars
Jim Weaver (913) 872-3445 (feb)

ADS cont.

JR competition headers for GTO, no PS or AC, 2" primaries, 3.5" collector, no street hook up flanges, for round port heads, \$150; Holly 850 DBL. pumper 4150, \$250; 2 solid lifter radical cams (1 Crower and 1 Competition Cam), less than 2 hours running time on each, call for specs, cheap; .060 RAIV S.R. block w/balanced 66 Armasteel crank \$650; ATI full comp valve body for 400 TURBO, \$100; Torker and Street Dominator intakes \$50 each; 67 GTO Drivers side door glass and vent & frame \$15; 2 15X6 Rally II rims, no rings or caps \$10 for both; GTO, GP rear sway bar \$25; 77-78 TA hood & scoops & headlight reinforcement panels, cheap; 79-81 TA rotors & spindles & A-frames, cheap. Steve Cook, (314) 337-7449 (feb.)

400 short block make offer; 73 400 2 bbl complete \$150 ; 64 GTO bent frame, parting out; 65 GTO Parchment seat cover set best offer; 65 rear, red seat base cover best offer; Chris Simmons (314) 397-8710 Hm, (314) 739-0221 Wk. (feb.)

68 GTO rust free doors & decklid \$75 each; complete 68 Firebird 400 WQ engine \$300; 74 400 block bare \$75/obo; 67 GTO black convertible top w/ window new-in-box \$100; four 14" & one 15" Pontiac snowflake aluminum wheels with Goodyear Eagle ST tires \$125/obo; miscellaneous 68 & 69 Firebird small parts; Ron Fiebiger (314) 892-4712 (feb)

67 GTO project car, no engine, many new parts, best offer. Steve Lengerer (314) 225-1442 (feb.)

65 Lemans grill pair \$50; 66 & 67 dash pad \$60 each; 66 GTO grill complete \$150; 66 AM radio x2 \$15.00 each. Bill Milligan (314) 947-8022 (feb)

NOS nitros spread bore (complete) 125 power shot \$200; EdelBrock Performance manifold (like new) \$85; Tony Bezzole (314) 878-6892 (feb)

PARTS WANTED:

Anyone with a HOOD RELEASE LEVER for a 71 - 72 GTO for sale or loan (so I can make one), also POSI 12 Bolt GM. Don Bright (314) 240-2229 (feb)

66 GTO cvt. restorable; Lynn (314) 731-1707 Mon.-Fri. 9 to 6 CST (feb)

65 GTO Parts, ignition switch w/key; wiper switch w/washer; lower dash chrome; grab bar handle; dash pad; mirrors-door and rear view (inside); 65 389 engine,(date code prior and close to 3rd week of Feb), Darrell Carnal (314)928-8030. (feb)

Need for 64 - 65 convertible pair sun visors, rear seat both cushions and one bucket seat, condition or color of covers unimportant. Will Bowers (618) 288-4187 (mar)

Get your renewals in. Renewal forms are in November Issue. Please use them. Deadline is December 31. Next news letter will be after January 15th Pizza Meeting. Only renewed members will receive one.

Gateway GTO Club Information:

The Gateway GTO Association was initially formed in the summer of 1984, by a group of seven. They all had a common interest in the Original Muscle Car, the Pontiac GTO. As a form of communications we publish a monthly newsletter called "The Hood Scoop" The purpose of this newsletter is to keep our members informed of all upcoming activities as well as providing interesting event coverage.

Membership dues are \$18.00 per year, all renewals required to be paid by December 31. You are allowed to have one associate member.

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