

# 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.

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

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

## FROM YOUR EDITOR

First of all I would like to thank you all for such a warm welcome. I will try to live up to the standards of the past news letters. I think Ron Fiebiger has done a terrific job, I hope I can also. I will strive to keep the format the same, with the exception of "The Goat of The Month". If someone has a GTO that they wish to run as a feature article, please write up an article and send it and some pictures to me. I will be more than happy to run your article, and I welcome any articles that are of interest to our members.

This month's newsletter is missing a few articles due to the fact we wanted to get it to you in January. We wanted to start the New Year out with a January Newsletter and we were running out of time fast. There have been a lot of projects going on and our newsletters had been slipping. One of my main issues will be to get a newsletter out even if it is not packed. I will be gathering information for future **HOOD SCOOPS** in the weeks to come. There will be a February Newsletter in approximately two weeks.

Guidelines to advertise in the **HOOD SCOOP**: Classified Ads up to 50 words are free to members (members need to update ads at 3 month intervals or ads will be dropped). Classified Ads up to 50 words for non-members are \$5 per issue. Advertising rates per issue are: full page \$25, 1/2 page \$13, 1/4 page \$7. Payment is due upon submission, discount of 10% for one year prepaid, 5% for six month prepaid. Acceptance is at sole discretion of the editor and staff. All ads should be submitted to Joyce Nettle by the 10th of each month, camera ready.

MINUTES (OR SHOULD I SAY 'HOURS') OF 1/23/94 GGTOA  
as reported, in no particular order, by your on the spot  
reporter, Marty Howard

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Our club welcomed one new member and son (Pete and Nick Rudanovich, car = 65 GTO hardtop), and one previous member (John Sample, car = 64 GTO convertible). Glad to have you aboard!

The new/old officers' of the club was discussed in some detail. Since this is the beginning of the new year, we were expecting the new officers to 'come on down'. Due to some unexpected events, some officers are remaining on board thru '94 and some new faces are taking on new responsibilities. Darryl will continue to be President. Jack Menke will be the new Vice President of Missouri, while Paul Middendorf will be the new Vice President of Illinois. The Treasurer will continue to be Will Bowers. Secretary will be Micki Monnig with Marty Howard as her 'back-up'. A new position has been added to our Club, "Director of Communications" (as if we needed one). Joyce Nettle volunteered and was accepted. Dave Kries remains on as chapter rep. Cathy Pacelli will have her hands full as our "1994 GTO Convention Coordinator".

Misc. Notes:

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- \* We were promised that our newsletter will be published and go out on a monthly basis. This makes for something good to read at least once a month. Joyce will be in charge of this, so don't blame yours truly.
  - \* Your "dues" are due by the end of February. Please pay, We need the moolah. At least 15 members renewed at our meeting.
  - \* Our meetings will now be held on different days of the month as follows (if you've read this far, you can figure it out):
    - Winter months = October thru March meetings are held 1st Sunday of the month
    - Summer months = April thru September meetings are held 1st Thursday of the monthThis so that Summer Sundays can be for car events. This was voted on and passed.
  - \* All committee meetings will be held at the host hotel

MINUTES OF 1/23/94 GGTOA (CONTINUED)

\* Club plaques and trophies will be displayed by our sponsor. It has yet to be determined if that will continue to be Moore Pontiac. \* Drag racing - Trying to line-up The Corvette Club, Mopar Club (tell Ford Club we're busy). Will be discussed at future meetings, since all of our efforts need to be channeled into the Nats.

\* August 28, 1994 - our annual picnic. Same Bat-Place as last year, Maryland Heights Park. The club will supply all the food this year.

\* Another Bobbie's Custard cruise is in the works. Was great last year. My first. Looking forward to this one.

Achievement Awards were given out. I am sure that they were well deserved.

\* 1st Place = Darryl (What'd he do???)

\* 2nd Place = Vic and Joyce Nettle (We know what they do).

\* 3rd Place = Dave Kries (What a guy!)

CONGRATS!!!

The World of Wheels event was held at the Cervantes Convention Center on January 8,9. Many fine cars were there including some of our own. The following participated and some even took home (multiple) trophies. Mark and Terry Clatto's Judge got 5th in altered restored, Kenand Lisa Edwards entered their 57 Chevrolet "non-comp", Dave and Michelle Kries entered their 68 GTO convertible "non-comp", Bob and Paula Swiecicki took 2nd in late conservative hardtop with their UFO, and Joyce and Vic Nettle took 1st and 2nd in post-war convertible with their 70 GTO and 72 Grand Prix, they also got a 4th in late conservative hardtop with their 70 GTO hardtop. Give them all a pat on the back the next time you see them. They brought their cars out in the worst weather I've seen here, yet (and believe me, I haven't seen any good weather).

Newsflashes concerning the 1994 GTO Nationals:

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\* The art work for the drag day t-shirts is in. We viewed it and it was 'awesome' to say the least. A really fine piece of work. Thanks to whoever is responsible. I loved it (although I would have loved my GTO to be on the shirt. Oh, well. I can dream, can't I?).

MINUTES OF 1/23/94 GGTOA (CONTINUED)

\* Volunteers are being solicited to head-up and participate in various events. A list of all that goes with this will be in the next newsletter.

Good showing at this meeting. Lots of members showed up (do ya think the free pizza had anything to do with it???) . This meeting was a combination of a January and February meeting. The next meeting will be on March 6, 1pm, at the same place, Imo's Pizza, located at 4317 Telegraph Road.

Well, 'till next time, when it's Micki's turn to do this...  
Bye, Bye.

P.S.

"Axle" Weiss made contact with Moore Pontiac on Tuesday Jan. 25 and determined that they do wish to continue to be the GTO club sponsor for 94. The check is in the mail.

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**GGTOA Members**

Thank you for your commitments over the years. You have all played an important part in the success of our club. Please renew your membership and spend another year participating in all our activities. I'm sorry to say this is your last reminder. Don't miss out on this exciting year.

Send Membership Dues payable to the Gateway GTO Association to:

Will Bowers, Treasurer  
Gateway GTO Association  
24 Sierra Drive  
Glen Carbon, IL 62034

Dues are \$18.00 per year, which includes you and an associate member (spouse, girlfriend, etc.). Dues are required to be paid in January.

## UPCOMING EVENTS

**Feb. 3rd GGTOA MEETING:** canceled due to the rescheduling of the pizza meeting.

**Feb. 6th GTOAA NATIONAL COMMITTEE MEETING:** Stouffer Concourse Hotel, 1:00pm Lindburg A/B Room.

**Feb. 12 CRUZIN CLASSICS 55-56-57 CHEVY CLUB VALENTINE DANCE:** Alton Fireman's Convention Center, Eastgate Plaza, East Alton, 8:00pm-Midnight.  
Call Ken or Lisa Edwards #618-4655218.

**March 1 GGTOA MEETING:** Imo's Pizza, 4317 Telegraph Rd., South County in Missouri Plaza (same place as pizza meeting)  
If you want to eat be there by 6:00pm, meeting is at 7:00pm.

**April 1 GGTOA MEETING:** This will be the start of the summer meetings all to be held at Buster Murphy's, 2033 Dorsett, Dorsett and McKelvey in Dorsett Village Shopping Center.  
If you want to eat be there by 6:00pm, meeting is at 7:00pm.

**May 22 O'Fallon Boosters May Fest:** Auto Fest Swap Meet, O'Fallon City Park, O'Fallon, Illinois. Registration 9am-12

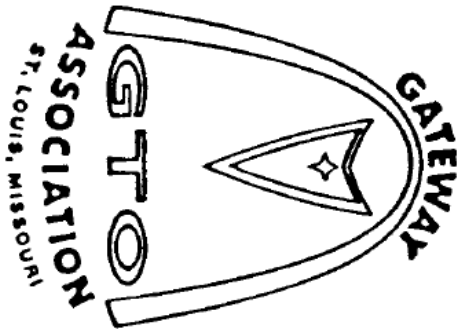
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## GATEWAY GTO ASSOCIATION ADS

### CARS AND PARTS WANTED:

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