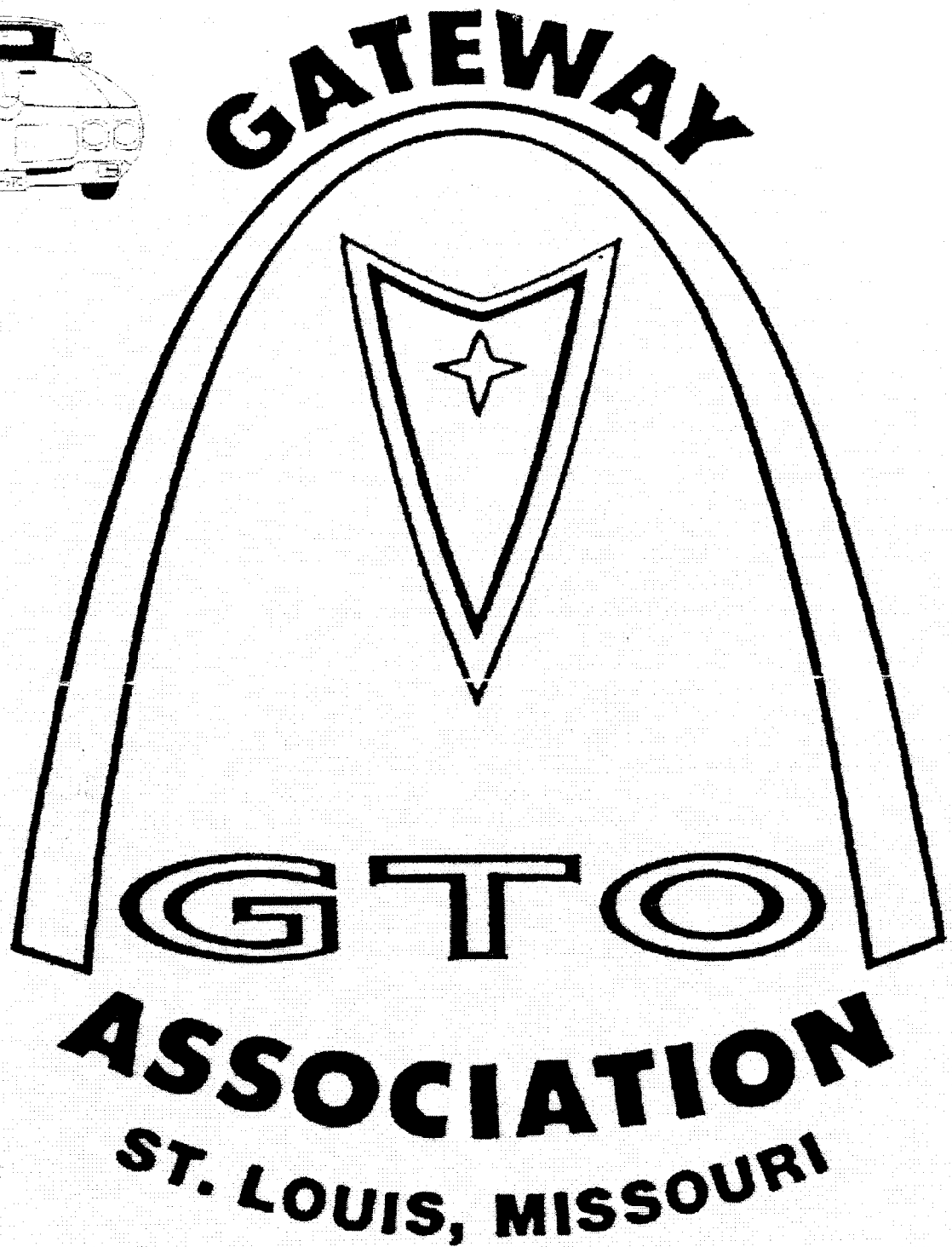
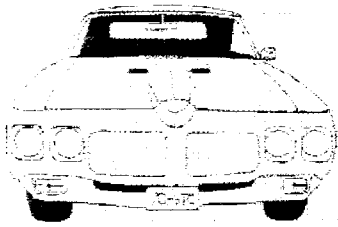


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are held monthly. Dates, times and locations are listed in the **UPCOMING EVENTS** section of the newsletter.

GATEWAY GTO ASSOCIATION PHOTO

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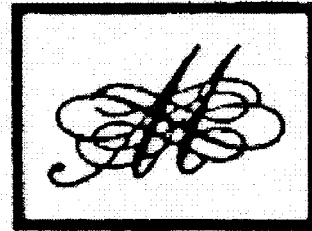
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Gateway GTO Club Information:

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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PREZ SCOOP

Hello Everyone,

If you plan to attend the MAR opening event March 30th please call them at 314-673-2434. This is just to give them an idea of the crowd to expect. Admission is \$8.00 and of course, weather permitting. Expect a big crowd if its nice weather.

To bring your Pontiac out, just take HW 70 west to the Pearce Blvd. exit. Turn right and follow the signs to the track. The club usually pits in the field to the left of the participants entrance.

Some basic rules are: All drivers must wear long pants and a shirt. All cars must remove any trim rings or hub caps. You must have 2 throttle return springs, a 16 oz. Min. radiator overflow bottle (even if its temporary), and a seat belt. Any shifter that is not OEM must have a reverse lockout, and batteries must be bolted down, and if they're in the trunk, you must have a master kill switch. At 13.49 convertibles require a roll bar, helmet and 3 inch belt. Cars with slicks need a drive shaft loop. 13.00 street tire w/ DOT soft compound need a drive shaft loop also. 11.99 or faster need a rollbar, 3 inch harness, jacket, and if you have a clutch, it must meet spec.'s and be shielded. Helmets required with any rollbar or cage and track rules can require them any time if they want.

If you have any questions, give me a call.

See You At The Races,

Chris

GRAND TOUR

As you all may know the GTOAA NATIONALS will be June 30 - July 3, 1996 in Denver, CO. This will most likely be the biggest event of the year. As for Vic and me, we are looking forward to the Nationals. It should be a fun drive for our GOAT and us.

Our new GTOAA president, Stan Rarden, has contacted us on arranging a ST. Louis stop over for the GTO travelers. Stan is calling this group from the Northeast and Southeast the Grand Tour. He would like to stop in St. Louis, June 28, have a parking lot party with our club participation, then head out to Denver the next morning.

Stan feels there will be several groups leaving different times and traveling different speeds. He seems to think we could be stretched from one end of the state to the other. Neat!

I have blocked 60 rooms at the Holiday Inn St. Louis Airport North (314-7312100). We encourage all our members to participate in this event. We are looking forward to the tour and all the good memories it is sure to bring. For those of you that will not be able to attend the Nationals please consider coming to the Parking Lot Party. This will be a good time to visit with fellow GTO owners and friends.

For reservations call: Holiday Inn Airport North

4545 North Lindbergh(from I 70 take exit 235B, go north 500 feet to "Long Road U-turn Ramp" to Holiday Inn) room rate \$69.00, mention GTO Grand Tour Date: June 28 (Friday)

See you there!

Joyce

Minutes from the March Meeting of the Gateway GTO Association

The March meeting was called to order at 7:05 pm by President Chris Simmons, with 13 members present.

There was no Treasurer's report available.

A discussion was held regarding whether our club should make a contribution to an organization that supports anti-Clunker laws. It was decided that we as a club would contribute \$100.00, and any member that wished to contribute more could add to that amount. Darrell Carnal made a motion for acceptance, and it was seconded by Marty and approved by the members present. The money will be sent to SEMA. Chris also suggested that known companies that supported these "Car-Crusher", be put on a Shit-List so we can boycott them!

President Chris Simmons is working on renewing our club sponsorship with Moore Pontiac. We need to find out if they intend to sponsor our club again this year or not. John Folluo let Moore know that the reason he purchased from them was that they are our club sponcer. If any other members have similar circumstances let me know.

The Easter Car Show in Forest Park was discussed. Marty wanted to know if we wanted to make it a joint event with the POCI Arch Chapter. A vote was held with a NO result.

The National Muscle Car Race is coming to Gateway International Raceway in May. Chris is getting some applications, and mentioned that Bruce Filper is offering some sponsorship money to those participants that are Pontiac Powered. For more info. call Chris.

Remember that March 30 is MAR Drag Race Test and Tune day.

As mentioned in a previous Hood Scoop, Chassis Fab Race Cars has offered a day for the club to bring their cars or just themselves to a open house. The date of the open house is April 27, 1996 and will run from 10:00 am to 4:00 pm. Please call Don Bright and let him know if you plan on going, so we can make all the arrangements for there to be enough people there to help everyone, and to get the directions.

President Chris Simmons asked if we want to increase the stock of jackets, etc. that the club keeps in its inventory, and whether the club should make a small profit from the sale of these items.

Marty and Darrell said that they had a good time at the Roof Rockers show at Blueberry Hill, and they will be appearing there again in May.

There was mention again about the GTOAA Nationals caravan coming through St. Louis on their way to Denver.

Marty mentioned that he is going to the POCI Nationals in Moline IL. July 13th. If anyone is interested in going or following etc., on a leave early/ come back late type day trip, please contact him.

Marty has booked the American Roadhouse Cruise for our club on June 8th like we did last year. The POCI club will be invited to participate. Also there will be a POCI show at Don Darr Pontiac on April 27th. Call Marty for info.

Mark Kiefer from Bland & Co. gave a very informative talk on collector car insurance. He said that he will donate \$5.00 to the club for each policy he writes. Thanks for coming out Mark. For more info. call Mark at 842-8162.

The Fabulous 50/50 drawing netted Darrell Carnel \$10.00.

A motion to adjourn was made by yours truly and seconded by Darrell, with the closing of the March meeting at 8:20 pm.

Till April: REL

GATEWAY GTO ASSOCIATION

ADS

65 tailpipes (2) \$125.00; 1967 GTO steering column; floor shifter \$75.00; 64-67 door reveal moldings (stainless/ alum.); conv. top corners; hood hinges; 70 TA RA exhaust manifold; Tri-powers 64-67 buying, selling or restore yours to show quality. 67 NOS. grill. Surrounds with grill \$350.00- will separate;
67 restored F/S tilt column \$275.00; 67 factory 8-Track (Mint) w/ harness, y duct \$600.00; 67 rechromed front and rear bumpers \$300.00 each or \$500.00 for both; 67 NOS. nosepiece \$80.00; 67 rust free decklid \$125.00; 67 Bucket seats \$75.00/pr.
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Darrell Carnal (314)-928-8030 (June)

70-72 door edge moldings
stainless steel, good condition (original GM)
68-72 auto console good condition(blk)
Don Bright (314) 240-2229 (April)

1981 Firebird Esprit. California package, Red-Eye wine wheel covers, am/fm/ stereo, V6, p/s,p/b a/c automatic. Sport mirrors. Just stripped, sanded, primed and painted. 55,000 miles . Rates a 2+. Must see. Extremely clean.
Call 314-394-2880 and leave message for Terry (May)

Have a set of 1969 #16 heads Date code F218 They are ported, stainless valves w/ bronze guides, hardened seats, new springs. MJB work. Have \$1,500 invested. Make offer. I'm Going with Edelbrock Heads.
1969 #48 heads, Date Code C189 in good shape \$350.00
Stock 4 barrel intake Date Code #E022 \$50.00
Borg-Warner Super T-10 4 Speed \$500.00
Webber Aluminum Flywheel \$100.00
Hay's 10 1/2" Clutch New \$200.00
Lakewood Scattershield \$100.00
Call Steve Agers at 314-349-3411 (June)

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1969 GTO Judge. Documented. Carousel red,
4 speed, no rust, good options \$12,000.00

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Contact Jim Weaver at: (913)-872-3445

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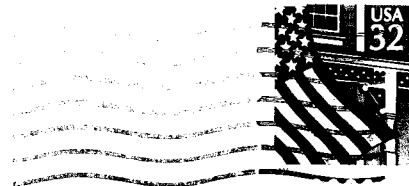
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