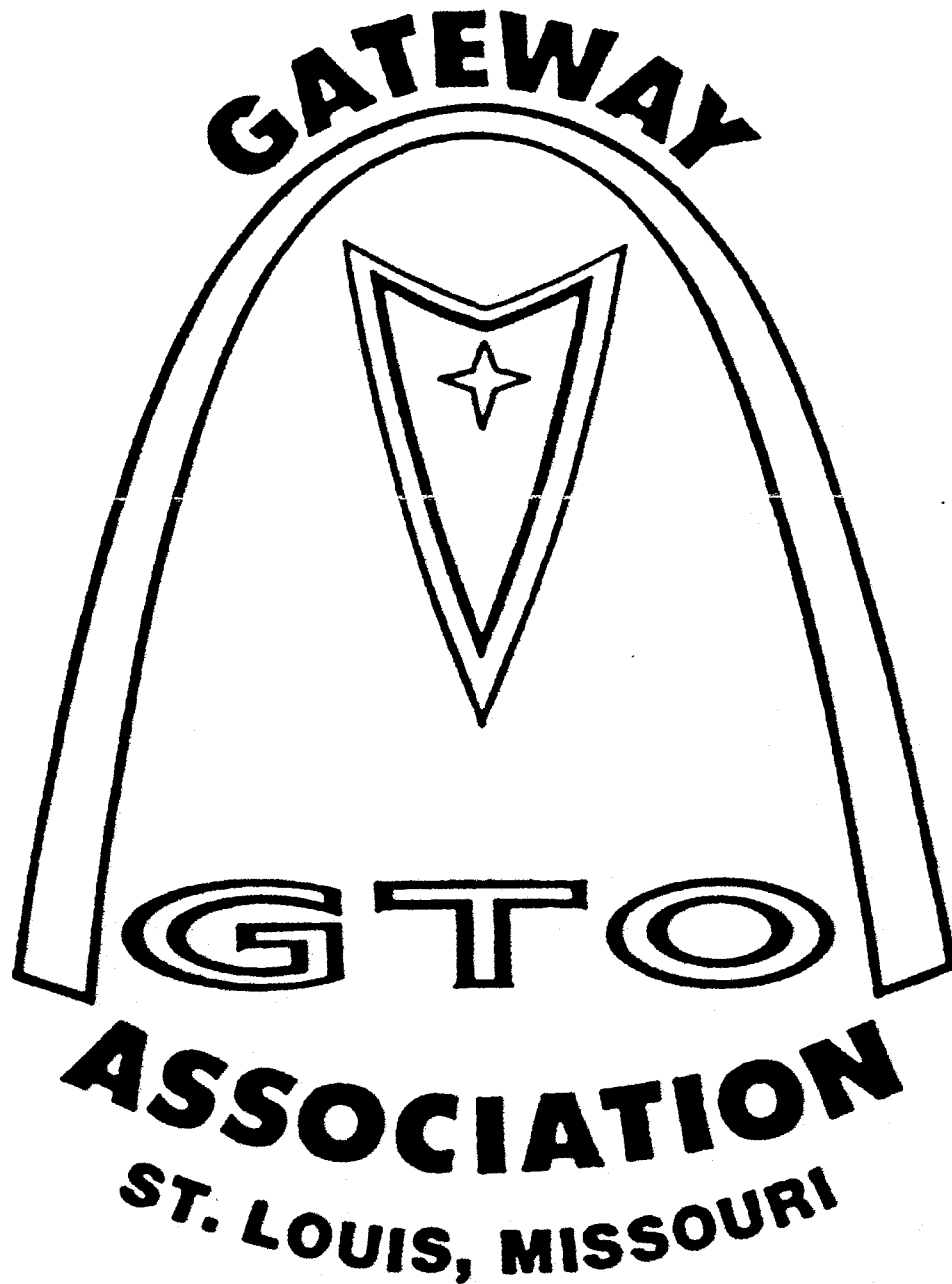


The Hood Scoop

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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 Joyce Nettle.

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

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. The club meets every first Thursday of the month at Barry's Sub Shop on Dorsett Road at 7 PM.

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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Minutes for the GGTOAA for April-1998:

The April meeting was held at Berries Subs as usual.

Will gave a Treasurers report stating a balance of ~1300 dollars.

A discussion was held regarding the sponsorship of the zoos tiger cub. We decided that the cut-off for any funds collection will be May--then we'll see what we have and what/if the club will match. Steve Hedrick has \$57.00 so far--please send any donations to Steve. Please attend the next meeting if you want input into this!

Gateway racetrack is now open.

Chris brought in some very nice samples of our club logo applied to vinyl seat type material--He would be the one to talk to!

April 19 is the annual Riverport swap meet.

Marty wants to look into a sign for our club.

Marty and Chris have been organizing the upcoming Behlman show set for June 14th. This should be good with hot dogs, soda etc.

The Don Darr POCI show will be April 18th.

John Folluo has a neat new Pontiac--a white '72 Lemans Sport convertible with the Endura front end.

He also won \$15 in the 50/50 drawing. Only our eagle-eyed Treasurer kept Mr. Howard from absentmindedly (ahem!) wandering off with the Clubs share of the pot.

till May -- REL

TIGER NEWS!

I would like to start by thanking everyone that has contributed to ST. Louis zoo adoption program for Alex. I think this is a great thing to be associated with, and I'm sure Alex think's so to.

Alex and his mother Raishia are doing fine, there still is not a determination on where Alex will be going in a few year's but wherever it is, I'm sure he'll be liked by all. One thing to remember is that Alex's dad, Max, is a St. Louisian and he will be here to enjoy for many years'. Some interesting point's to note. The Siberian Tiger is very much endangered, to date most wild tigers' live in Russia, China, and south east Asia, there are only about 4000 wild tigers' left, and those numbers are dropping all the time due to poaching. A Siberian Tiger at a zoo could live up to 25 year's, a tiger in the wild will be lucky to be born, with the dwindling space for them to live and hunt, zoos' and people who support zoos' will become more important for their survival. An adult male Tiger can eat up to 55 lbs. of meat a day. When cruisen this could put a big crimp in the drive thru line, "Yea that's right 200 cheese burgers, and a diet coke." Some interesting point to note about Alex is that he is growing by

leaps and bounds, at last check he was up to about 150-200 lbs. they stopped weighing him about a month ago because he was getting to big to handle, I can see that. He eats about 14 lbs. of food a day, and some day he will grow to be about 700 lbs. He is looking more like an adult, and he looks good. As the day's get warmer and all our lives get busier, I hope everyone will take some time to head out to big cat country and see Alex and his mom and the rest of the more than 6000 animals at the St. Louis Zoo, it's free and it's a great way to see allot of things' many people don't get a chance to see. I will be taking the club's donation to the Zoo at the end of April, so I can report back to the member's at the May meeting. If anyone would like to make a donation please contact Steve Hedrick at (314)942-4020, thanks to everyone for Supporting Alex and the St. Louis Zoo, Alex says
GRRRRRRRR.....!!!!!!!!!!!!!!
See you at the ZOO!



GATEWAY GTO ASSOCIATION ADS

FOR SALE

Cars:

1967 GTO Hardtop, basket case, rusty with good LeMans hardtop. AC parts car. \$1000.00

**Contact Cecil Morton at 618-452-9553 Days
618-451-6153 Eve.**

1971 GTO Hardtop. 400 CID, 4 Speed, Non air Painted in 1995, Red with black vinyl top and interior. New rebuilt engine in 1996. New 2 1/2" exhaust with headers in 1996. Too many other new items to list putting this back to as close to original as possible. Documented by Pontiac Historical Services. Over \$10,000.00 invested so far. Asking \$8,500.00.

**Contact Don Bright at 314-240-2229 Eve.
314-233-6841 Days**

Parts:

**1965 GTO Hood. Dent on the front edge \$85.00
Contact Steve Hedrick at 942-4020**

Intakes:

1963 tri-power #I62, 1964 tri-power #L63,
1966 AFB #C236

Round Port exhaust manifolds:

#478141LH H240, 9799721RH B231

Block:

1970 GTO YS400 F120

Heads:

#670, #061, #46, #6H

70 GTO rt. Fender, 70 LeMans valance, 67 GTO passenger door & trunk lid, 66-67 dash pads (needs repair or recovering), 64 bellhousings, Sell or trade for 12 bolt Posi, high performance, or 1964 parts

Contact Chris Simmons at 314-397-8710

PARTS WANTED

1970 GTO Trunk lid in good condition
Without holes from spoiler.

Contact Ray Logsdon at 314-225-3044

1964-1967 Power Antenna switch.

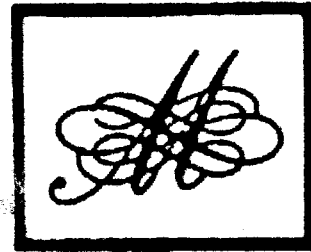
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