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Monthly General Meetings are held the **First Tuesday** of the month 7:00pm at Tom Oates Chevrolet in Chester Springs PA 19425

Officers:

President:	Joe O'Fria
Vice President:	Dan Bourdon
Secretary:	Tom Gillespie
Treasurer:	Joseph O'Fria

Directors/Coordinators:

Membership:	Denise Stoltzfus
Activities:	Connie Robinson
Cruise To's:	Harry Panson
Webmaster:	Brian Gomez

Hello !

Here is some food for thought...

The Benefits of Belonging to a Car Club

The Camaraderie, Reaffirming our own opinions and beliefs, Friendships (sometimes life long), Networking with other people and vendors, Learning from others experiences , Available Technical Help and Moral Support, Socializing and Supporting each other, The Activities, Shows, Cruises...but most importantly its the people, without each other we would not have a club. Our members make club, the club doesn't make the members....

See you cruising!

~ Joe O'Fria , President

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The Follow-up (Old Business)

Club Apparel: Hats \$15.00, T-shirts \$18.00 and Jackets (coming soon!) all available to club members at meetings and certain events. See Joseph O'Fria to purchase.

Sponsorship: To help support our efforts as a club, its important for us to have sponsorship...Welcome to our newest sponsor-**Ernie Meade, Realtor**

New Members:

Please welcome...

Phil Guzzardo
C. W. Hibbs
Matt Hopkins
Tom Alberici
Frank Shimer

...to the club

We hope to see all at outings and events we have planned!

An updated 2010 Membership List will be e-mailed to all members following this newsletter under separate cover-Be on the lookout!

For the Ladies:

"Its ladies night and the feelings right..."
On May 7th 2010 7:00pm at Gerry O'Fria's home, a Mary Kay Representative will be on hand to demonstrate the newest products on the market. Come on out and socialize with the "ladies of the club" and also help support us as a 10% donation will be made the club based on the total amount purchased that evening! RSVP to Gerry O'Fria at **610-389-0919** by Tuesday May 4th (also meeting night)

New Business (Continued)

Treasury Summary: With disbursements made for stamps, advertising, and hat payments the club has a balance of \$1,025.97 in the checking account and \$75.00 in cash on hand.

Parade Participation: The club applied and was accepted to participate in this year's Wawa Welcome America 4th of July Parade in the City of Philadelphia. **We will be asking those that would like to be a part of the parade to attend the May meeting as we will be drawing participants names in a lottery format to be fair to all.**

The same organization that puts on the 4th of July Parade also organizes the Old Fashion Christmas Parade in West Chester, PA and has asked us to attend as well.

Insurance Quotes: The club is waiting on insurance quotes from three carriers. Once received we will need to select a carrier and purchase a policy.

Powder Coating Demo: We have been invited to Brooks Powder coating in West Chester on 895 Fernhill Road, for a demonstration and hands on participation, by way of bringing a piece of your own car or item to powder coat yourself! More info at May meeting

The Pledge of Allegiance will be said at the beginning of each membership meeting beginning in May as voted on by the membership. Flag will be purchased.

PAY PAL will be up and running on our website very soon, keep checking the site for updates and details about events and to purchase club apparel

Activities/Shows:

As a club we would like to participate in other activities, beside the normal show and cruise night schedule, we want to be able to gather socially and get to know one another and do something that doesn't necessarily involve cars...but can involve spouses/significant others and family!

Bowling Outing-We had a great time at bowling at Fraser Lanes. There were about 10 members in attendance with their families!

TDC Tool Time – Is an event/service to help out fellow members with their rides and socialize and in some cases learn something at the same time. So if you need help with something on your ride contact Harry Panson at harry@tdcmotorclub.com and he'll coordinate

Guest Speaker: Our guest speaker for the evening was Mac Thomas of the Cruising Magazine and Mac Thomas DJ's. Mac told us of his love of cars, music and the magazine which he is very dedicated to. He is relocating out of the area in the near future but will be returning several times throughout the year to DJ his favorite events. If you have any questions for Mac you can contact him at Packard54@aol.com Thanks Mac for a great presentation.

“ONE LAP FOR DOGS”: Brian Gomez and Harry Panson are sponsoring and competing in the “One Lap of America” Race. Time is running out.....Please RSVP Right Now!
On April 28th, The One Lap for Dogs Send Off Party is at Hoss's in Lionville, PA at 5:30 (or arrive later, no worries!) Come to see off Brian and Harry and help them reach their fund raising goal of \$5,000.00!

UPCOMING “CRUISE TO” DATES

THIS YEAR THE CLUB HAS CHOSEN A SHOW OR CRUISE (OR MORE) TO BE THE DESIGNATED THE CLUB PARTICIPATION FOR THAT MONTH. THAT “CRUISE TO” WILL BE LISTED HERE AS WELL AS OTHER UPCOMING SHOWS/CRUISES

TDC SPONSORED

**RELAY FOR LIFE SHOW- DOWNTOWN WEST HS
MAY 22ND 11AM TO 3PM –
ARRIVAL FOR VOLUNTEER:8:00AM
REGISTRATION OPENS: 10AM
CHAIR: TOM GILLESPIE
VOLUNTEERS WILL BE NEEDED-MORE AT MAY MEETING!**

**FIRST ANNUAL ALL AMERICAN CRUISE AT TOM OATES
CHEVY- MAY 8TH 2010 12:00-6:00PM-BURNOUT
CONTEST, \$500 IN PRIZES, TROPHIES AND DASH
PLAQUES-PROCEEDS BENEFIT LIONVILLE FIRE HOUSE**

**POTTSTOWN CRUISE NIGHT- SATURDAY MAY 1ST
2010 5:00PM TO 9:00PM THE FIRST CRUISE NIGHT OF THE
SEASON**

**LINVILLA ORCHARDS SHOW, MIDDLE TOWN PA
(HCCP)- MAY 16TH 2010 9AM TO 4PM- FOOD, FUN AT THE
ORCHARD, DASH PLAQUES, FLEA MARKET**

**PEP BOYS EXTON SPEED SHOP GRAND
OPENING-MAY 15TH AND MAY 16TH 9:00AM TO 6:00PM
BOTH DAYS- MANUFACTURES AND SPECIALS ALL WEEKEND!**

Activities/Shows: Cont'

First Cruise Night May 12th 2010

CRUISE NIGHTS-Changes for 2010

Extra, Extra Read all about it! The former Birchview Support the Troops Cruise Nights, have now officially come under the wing of Top Dead Center Motor Club as the Support the Troops Cruise Nights! These will now be held on the **Second Wednesday** of each month **May thru September 5pm until Dusk**. New Location for 2010 will be Village Hardware on Route 322 West Guthriesville, PA (just outside of Downingtown). This promises to increase attendance for participants and spectators which will also increase donations and care packages sent to the Troops. Dan Bourdon, Connie Robinson and Jack & Joyce Wright will be the contacts as before, and the club will be helping in any way we can.

Birthdays/Anniversaries:

We have a lot of folks celebrating either their 19th, 29th or 39th birthday again this year...

Happy Birthday to....

Miguel Hernandez	April 2 nd
Dan Bourdon	April 7 th
Ernie Meade	April 11 th
Denine Summer	April 11 th
Bob Bodek	April 12 th
Bob Kaczynski	April 15 th
Bob Sheller	April 20 th
Al Spina	April 21 st
Rusty Canfield	April 29 th

Happy Anniversary to....

Paul & Lynn Kain	4/9	16 Years!
Bob & Stephanie Sheller	4/25	24 Years!
C. W. & Carolyn Hibbs	4/28	48 Years!

If you see or talk to any of these folks be sure to wish them a Happy One!

Re-Cap

Mark you calendar –Next Meeting, May4thth 2010 @ Tom Oates Chevrolet 7:00pm

Snacks- Thanks to George and Wendy Corbett for providing snack!

Don't Forget: Talk up sponsorships, Check the website and your e-mail for updates on events, shows and cruises and Have FUN!

Looking Ahead-

Classifieds:

If you have an item that you would like to sell, or a specific item you are looking for you can submit it for the newsletter and we'll advertise it here! –Check out the website- e-mail Brian Gomez at brian@tdcmotorclub.com to add your item to the classified section

1986 Mustang GT 5.0 Convertible, Maroon 65,000 Original Miles, \$10,000 OBO Call or E-mail John Corrigan dahamaso@verizon.net or 610-476-4697

Design your own custom made NEON wall sign! All signs are hand crafted, and mounted to a PVC backing, which can be hung in your den or garage. This would make a great collectors piece for any Auto Enthusiast. Signs vary in size and price due to the colors and artwork. Prices start around \$ 165.00. To order, contact Bob Bodek at (RBodekNEON@aol.com) , or call 484-881-2000. Leave a short message and your number, and I will return your call as soon as possible

Need a Notary Public? Don't know where to go? Let Joseph OFria come to you! Contact Joseph at joe.ofria@gmail.com or 610-316-9349 PA NOTARY PUBLIC

Sponsors

Hudson Rod and Custom, Pottstown PA
Steve Giordano www.hudsonperformance.com
610-705-9360

T&E Fabrications, West Chester PA
Tom Snyder www.snyder-fab.com
610-429-0669

Pennsylvania Promotions Inc, Lansdowne PA
Joe O'Fria www.papromo.com
610-622-2800

Tom Oates Chevrolet, Chester Springs, PA
Tom Oates www.tomoateschevy.com
610-827-7400

North Star Electrical Service, Norristown PA
Bill Tutrice
610-539-2200

Bench's Automotive &Towing Service
Robbie Bench – Worthington Road, Exton
610-363-7109

Ernie Meade- Hot Rod Realtor!
Long & Foster Real Estate
610-304-5649

Want to be a sponsor? Know someone who would want to be? Give them an application!

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