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Monthly General Meetings are held the **First  
Tuesday** of the month 7:30pm at Tom Oates  
Automotive in Chester Springs, PA

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**NEXT MONTHLY MEETING**

**TUESDAY - 7:30 PM**

**DECEMBER 2, 2014**

**TOM OATE'S AUTOMOTIVE**

**ROUTE 113**

**CHESTER SPRINGS, PA**

## Presidents Message

Dear TDC Members,

Our shows are over for the year, but we still have ideas for 2015 to go over and plans to be made.

The Halloween Show was "FANTASTIC". The participants and spectators filled the parking lots. This year we even had adults dressed in costume. And, as usual, great competition with the burn-out contest.

Again, we had great success with our Drive-out Hunger Show benefiting the Chester County Food Bank and our Halloween Show, with the proceeds helping to fund the TDC Automotive Education Scholarship Fund.

Now, it's time for us to relax and have some fun with members and friends at our annual Christmas Party on December 6th at the Marsh Harbour House beginning at 7:00pm. An "Evite" has been sent out to all members, with a separate email to let Gerry know what "item" you would like to bring to share with others. \*More information on the party inside.

I would like to take this time to thank all the volunteers who have made our "Cruises" and "Shows" such a success. It takes a lot of planning and work to have them run smoothly.

Joe O'Fria, President

**ADD AN EXTRA CHRISTMAS  
CARD TO YOUR LIST TO SHOW  
SOMEONE THEIR APPRECIATED**

**A Recovering American Soldier  
c/o Walter Reed Army Medical Center  
6900 Georgia Avenue  
NW Washington, DC 20307-5001**

**Thank You**

**CRUISE FOR THE TROOPS**

**There was a discussion at this month's meeting to move our Cruises from the 2nd Saturday of the month to the 4th Saturday of the month. Also the Cruises would run from April through September.**

**A vote will be taken at the December meeting.**

**PUMPKIN COUNTING**

The "Pumpkin Count" in last month's newsletter was thirteen (13).

There were those who came up with 12 and I bet many missed the one in the headline of the newsletter.

We also had a lot with the correct answer of 13, but Bob Sheller had the faster fingers to email back first with the correct answer.

Congratulation Bob! You have won a \$10.00 WAWA Gift Card.

**2014 CALENDAR**

- Nov. 23rd ... Pollock Auto Restoration Fall Open House and Shop Tour 10am - 3pm  
70 S. Franklin St. Pottstown, PA
- Nov. 27th ... Frostbite Run - Thomas Massey House  
8am - 12pm Thanksgiving Morning  
Lawrence Road - Broomall, PA
- Dec. 6th .... County Corvette 10th Annual Christmas Toy Drive  
315 Westtown Rd - West Chester, PA  
10am - 1:30pm (rain or shine)
- Dec. 6th .... TDC "Christmas Party"  
Marsh Harbour Club House  
Downingtown, PA - 7:00pm

**Ideas for 2015**

Three Dog Garage - a revisit for January or February

It was discussed and voted on by members present at the October meeting to move the picnic to Spring in 2015. Due to the uncertainty of the weather and how busy the month of October is, the club felt members would be more receptive to a Spring picnic after being cooped up all winter.

Pronto's Comedy Night

Myer's Museum in Birdsboro, PA

If you have a place in mind that you think we would all like to visit please email one of the officers or bring it to everyone's attention at the next meeting.

Maybe a nice place we could go for **brunch**!!

## CHRISTMAS PARTY

TDC is having it's 6th Annual Christmas Party and it will be held at the Marsh Harbour Community Club House located at 100 Marsh Creek Drive - Downingtown, PA on December 6th beginning at 7:00pm.

An "Evite" was sent to all members. Please respond asap - there's still time. Respond by December 1st.

BYOB - Beer or Wine ONLY!!

Please let Gerry O'Fria know what you would like to bring to share with the other guests. You can reach Gerry at 610-389-0919

New this year - "Re-Gifting Game" Anyone who would like to play must bring an *Unused Gift* in it's original packaging that you've received in the past and have thought about re-gifting or you may buy something, but the value limit is set at \$20.00. The gift must be wrapped with no tags.

Please come and enjoy a relaxing time with friends. Play the new "Re-Gifting" game and have some great food and desserts.

## BIRTHDAYS ANNIVERSARIES

### November Birthday Wishes To:

11/1 - Terry Abdill  
11/4 - Marie Sholl  
11/8 - Kristie Michaels  
11/11 - Pastor Larry Weed  
11/20 - Patrick Donahue  
11/22 - Don Macleod  
11/22 - Joe Spagnola

### December Birthday Wishes To:

12/5 - Carolyn Hibbs  
12/6 - Frank Dubeck  
12/6 - Dawn Lowe  
12/11 - Mary Sheldon  
12/12 - Joseph O'Fria, III  
12/13 - Rose Hervey  
12/17 - Jack Steczak  
12/18 - John Corrigan  
12/25 - Melissa Russo  
12/31 - John Allen

### NEW SPONSOR

TDC would like to welcome a new sponsor. Ken's Towing LLC located at 1389 Valley Road Coatesville, PA 19320 610-857-1578 Kenstowing@comcast.net

### WINTER STORAGE

Rob DeGrandis is offering a heated garage for any member at the cost of \$100.00 a month. It is a secure garage with spaces for several vehicles. If interested, you can contact Rob at 610-644-6990

## CLASSIFIEDS

**If you have an item to sell or a specific item you are looking for and would like to place an ad on Top Dead Center Motor Club's website please submit it to [jason@tdcmotorclub.com](mailto:jason@tdcmotorclub.com) or you may send it to:**

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