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Presidents Report September 2023

Where has the summer gone??? The Thunderbird Reunion at the Double Tree Hotel this past week was very successful. It was a great day on Saturday for the Car Show at the Ford World Headquarters with beautiful cars from many states. It was a joy meeting so many people coming to Detroit for this event. Thanks to all our members who volunteered to help at all the events.

With all the rain during the past week the Hines Cruise was cancelled due to flooding in the park. It will be rescheduled for 2024.

All T-Bird Day – Sunday September 17 at Wilson Barn.

Please find the pre-registration in this issue and mail to arrive by September 13. We are still in need of Goodie Bag items. Contact your local merchants for items then contact JoAnn (248-719-0160) to decide for pick-up or delivery. Also contact JoAnn or Marie Brucker (517) 304-2627 if you can volunteer for set up in the morning, registration, membership, parking, tear down at end of day and many any other positions. There will be a Food Truck and tickets for baskets with lots of different items. It will again be a great show.

Hines Park Cider Cruise – Sunday October 15 – We will be meeting at the Parr Picnic Area at Hines Park and Telegraph entrance at 2:00 and cruising thru Hines Park to enjoy the fall colors at 3:00. We will then arrive at Mr. Migels Mexican Restaurant, 39305 Plymouth Rd., Livonia for early dinner. Taco Bar will be available for \$15.00 per person which includes a soft drink. We will collect money for the Taco Bar at the meeting location. You can also order off the menu and you will be responsible for your own check. Please RSVP to JoAnn via phone/text (248-719-0160) and please include your name or e-mail joannbill801@comcast.net by Wednesday October 11 with your preference. After dinner there will be Cider and Donuts for members.

Hope to see everyone at All T-Bird Day.

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2023 Schedule of Events:

Jan 21–Sat. Cranbrook Institute of Science

Feb 18 – Bee’s in Detroit

Mar 12– Classic Car Collection & Willis
Sainte Clare Museum

Apr – Stahl’s Automotive Collection

May 27th – Sat. Spring Dust Off

June 11th – Sat. Cars & Stars Breakfast

July – Sun. 16th Annual Club Picnic

Aug – Sun. 13th Pre-Dream Cruise

Sun. 27th Hines Park Cruise

Aug - 22 - 27 ITC Reunion

Sept. – Sun. 17th All Thunderbird Day

Oct 15th – Sun. Hines Park Cider Cruise

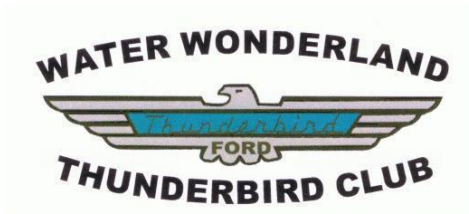
Nov – Sat. 11th 2024 Planning Meeting

Dec – Sun 3rd Annual Club Christmas Party



ALL T-BIRD DAY REGISTRATION FORM

September 17, 2023



Date Received _____

Name _____ Spouse _____

Address _____ City _____

State/Province _____ Zip Code _____

Home/Cell Phone _____ E-mail _____

EVENT FEE

CARS: Members: \$15.00 per car preregistration

Non-member & day of event: \$20.00 per car

Year _____ Body Style* _____ Color _____ \$ _____ Year

_____ Body Style* _____ Color _____ \$ _____

*Open = Convertible; Closed = Hardtop

VENDOR: I wish to reserve a vendor space - \$15.00 per space \$ _____

CAR CORRAL: I wish to reserve _____ spaces in the Corral -\$15.00 ea. \$ _____

Total Enclosed (Cash \$ _____ Check # _____) \$ _____

Contacts: JoAnn Rodriguez 248-719-0160 or Barry Burnham 586-703-4435

Please mail check or money order with registration form to arrive:

No later than Tuesday September 12, 2023 to:

Water Wonderland Thunderbird Club

P.O. Box 2597, Taylor, MI 48180

Date Rec'd _____ Check # _____ Amount _____

Wilson Barn – West Chicago & Middlebelt, Livonia, MI48150



Our 42nd Anniversary
All Years Of Thunderbirds
Welcome

ALL T-BIRD DAY 2023

68th Anniversary of Thunderbird

**FREE TO
SPECTATORS!**

**THANKS TO OUR
GREAT MEMBERS!**



HISTORIC WILSON BARN ~ LIVONIA

LOCATED AT 29350 W. CHICAGO Rd. @ MIDDLEBELT RD.,

SUNDAY, SEPTEMBER 17th

10 am to 4 pm

DASH PLAQUES TO 1ST 50 T-BIRDS CLASS AWARDS PRIZES

LIVE DJ FOOD VENDOR 50-50 RAFFLE

Registration: **Member** Fee \$15/car prior to Sept. 12; **Non-Members** & After Sept.12 \$20/car

Vender or Car Corral: \$15

Registration Forms are available by contacting JoAnn Rodriguez or website

For more information call:
248-719-0160 JoAnn Rodriguez, President
586-703-4435 Barry Burnham, V. P.

Location: Wilson Barn is located at northeast corner of Middlebelt and West Chicago Roads

Visitors please park in the school lot located east of the barn

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PLEASE NO SMOKING OR ALCOHOLIC BEVERAGES ON PREMISES

SOCIAL DISTANCING RECOMMENDED

Pre-Dream Cruise and Moose Preserve



For Sale: 1956 Thunderbird Mileage on rebuilt engine 29439. Garage kept in Macomb New brakes, heavy duty water pump and radiator. Has a neutral switch so it will start in park. All new locks. Carburetor is rebuilt to its original status, new exhaust system new carpeting in trunk, new floor mats. \$40,000 firm. Gary Jamerino 586-770-5340



FOR SALE: 1963 teal-blue hardtop Thunderbird fully restored in mint condition when stored near Marysville, MI. A clearcoat paint job, rebuilt transmission and engine, excellent chrome. Has bucket seats, 390 engine, A/C, PB, PS, radio, interior in excellent shape. If seriously interested, contact Micki Mapletoft at 810-990-8334.



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