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Presidents Report

August 2019

With all the hot weather and storms the annual picnic was successful at Merriman Hollow. Some members could not attend due to power outages but the Bruckers (Jim and Marie) were able to attend with no power for 96 hours and several trees down on their property in Brighton. Hope everything is back to normal at their house. A big **thank you** to those members who donated items, at the picnic, to be used at All T-Bird Day.

The **Pre-Dream Cruise** is scheduled for Sunday August 11 meeting at 3:30 at 26454 Woodward Ave., Royal Oak (North of 696) and cruising at 4:30 to Moose Preserves, 43034 Woodward Ave., Bloomfield (North of Square Lake Rd) for dinner at 5:30. To assure ample seating and wait staff at the restaurant please RSVP to JoAnn Rodriguez at [joannbill801@comcast.net](mailto:joannbill801@comcast.net) (ONLY) or phone/text 248-719-0160 by Thurs August 8. This is also a rain or shine event.

See **Other Car Events** page for 2019 Cruisin' Hines Park

The T-Bird Club annual **ALL T-BIRD DAY** is Sunday September 15 at Wilson Barn, 29350 W. Chicago, Livonia – 10:00 am to 4:00 pm. We are still in need of items for Goodie Bags, Stuff the Box and the Free Give Away Table. Contact JoAnn (248-719-0160) with these items. The Registration Form is included in this edition of the Newsletter. Don't forget to return your registration form with your check by September 9. We need volunteers for set-up, parking, registration, and manning other tables. Please contact JoAnn (248-719-0160), Marie (810) 227-5379 or Nancy (313) 436-8327 to volunteer.

Don't forget the October Election. Submit your candidate to JoAnn Rodriguez [joannbill801@comcast.net](mailto:joannbill801@comcast.net).

See you Sunday August 11 for Pre-Dream Cruise. Don't forget those warm cookies at Moose Preserve. Yum Yum

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## 2019 Schedule of Events:

Jan 26 (Sat) – Speaker St. Paul’s Church

Feb 23 (Sat) – Tour Detroit Public Library

March 30 (Sat) - Roush Industries

April 6 (Sat) – Stahl Mfg.

May 18 (Sat) – Spring Dust Off Road Trip

June 23 (Sun) – Automotive Hall of Fame

July 21 (Sun) – Annual Picnic

Aug 11 (Sun) – Pre-Dream Cruise

Aug 25 (Sun) – Hines Park Cruise

Sept 15 (Sun) – All T-Bird Day

Oct 20 (Sun) – Hines Park Cider Cruise

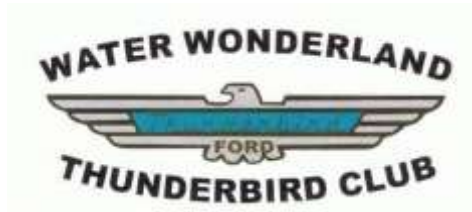
**Nov 9 (Sat) - Planning Meeting**  
(please note date change)

Dec 1 (Sun) – Annual Christmas Party



# 2018 ALL T-BIRD DAY REGISTRATION FORM

September 15, 2019



Date Received \_\_\_\_\_

Name \_\_\_\_\_ Spouse \_\_\_\_\_

Address \_\_\_\_\_ City \_\_\_\_\_

State/Province \_\_\_\_\_ Zip Code \_\_\_\_\_

Home/Cell Phone \_\_\_\_\_ E-mail \_\_\_\_\_

## EVENT FEE

**CARS: Members: \$10.00 per car preregistration**

**Non-member & day of event: \$15.00 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 George Roscoe 734-347-0715

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

No later than Monday September 9, 2019 to:

**Water Wonderland Thunderbird Club**

**P.O. Box 2597, Taylor, MI 48180**

Date Rec'd \_\_\_\_\_ Check # \_\_\_\_\_ Amount \_\_\_\_\_

Please no smoking or Alcoholic beverages on premises

## **ELECTION OF OFFICERS**

The Board of Directors for WWTC consists of (4) four elected officers that are nominated and voted into office by the membership. These terms are for (2) years and the current Boards terms will end December 30 2019.

Duties of these officers are:

### **PRESIDENT**

Serve as Chief Executive Officer and chair meetings of the Board and General Membership Meetings. Administer policies and programs in an efficient manner. Appoint committees necessary to carry out club activities and appoint other nonelected members to the Board. Also responsible for, along with the Treasurer, for signing checks or any withdrawals from the club accounts.

### **VICE-PRESIDENT**

Will serve as WWTC Chief Executive Officer in the absence and/or incapacity of the President. Also perform other duties as assigned by the President or Board of Directors.

### **SECRETARY**

Will be responsible for recording and keeping records of all meetings of the Board or General membership. Also perform other duties as assigned by the President or Board of Directors.

### **TREASURER**

Will be responsible for keeping records of all bank transactions and depositing all income into the club's bank account. Responsible for, along with the President, signing checks or any withdrawals from the club accounts. At the end of every year the Treasurer will present the financial records to an auditor for audit.

Please consider submitting a nomination for officers to JoAnn Rodriguez  
joannbill801@comcast.net or mail to WWTC, P.O. Box 2957, Taylor, MI 48180 by July 31 2019.  
The nominations will be published in the August Newsletter and ballots will be published in the September Newsletter for your consideration of Board members to maintain the club 2020 thru 2021.

## *Other Car Events*

*August 2019*

### **Vietnam Moving Wall**

Thurs Aug 8 thru Mon Aug 12

Ford Field, 33841 Lyndon, Livonia

### **Back to the Bricks Extravaganza**

Tuesday August 12 – Saturday August 17

[Backtothebricks.org](http://Backtothebricks.org)

### **“Super Roll” Detroit Piquette Plant**

Saturday August 19 – 8 AM – 10:30 AM

Free coffee and donuts while touring the museum – its **Free**

### **Woodward Dream Cruise**

Saturday August 17

### **2019 Cruisin’ Hines**

Sunday August 25 – 9:00 am – 5:00 pm

\$5.00 entry fee per car

Car must be 25 years or older After 3:00 all years admitted

T-Birds can be found near Nolar Bend east of Inkster Rd.

*September 2019*

### **Frankenmuth Auto Fest**

Friday September 6 thru Sunday September 8

2019 Annual Picnic



Rolling Sculpture



Local Car Show



**For Sale: 2000 Ford Thunderbird, 75500 miles.**

2003 Ford Thunderbird, 75500 miles, Rare Whisper White with Black Convertible top/Whisper White hard top and Black/White interior accents. Driven daily in summer. Garaged in summer and barn stored in winter, this car has never seen salt and snow. Winter car cover included. This is one of the last true V8 Roadsters in a color combination that is hard to beat. This two-seater passenger compartment is very comfortable for two. Much roomier than a cramped 4-seater plus the full-size trunk will easily take luggage for 2 or golf clubs. No service needed, even changed the oil last fall before I put it away. Ready for summer fun! \$13000. Contact Frank McVeigh in Dexter 734-646-4995.



**FOR SALE: 1976 Ford Thunderbird, 64,513 miles**

This was the last year for the sixth-generation T-Bird, and this one is an especially well-maintained example. The Silver Starfire paint still appears as excellent. The true stylishness is also shown in the hood ornament and factory burgundy pinstripe that coordinates with the hard vinyl roof. The carpets, door panels, and headliner are all in a rich red wine color, and the leather seats are button-topped. Features power windows & air conditioning. Power driver's seat, factory AM/FM radio, cruise control and professionally installed 8-track player. The motor is strong and smooth. Plus, features like a three-speed automatic transmission, power steering and front disc brakes make this T-bird the perfect any time cruiser. Replaced the fuel pump and steering column rag joint in 2018. New battery. No service needed. Complete with owner's manual and car cover. Ready for fall color tours! \$11,200. Contact Linda or Keith Sopp in Ontonagon 906-314-0112 or 906-314-0111.



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