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Presidents Report

January 2020

The Annual Club Christmas Party and the year 2019 is behind us and we look forward to an exciting year 2020 with new events in the coming months.

January Our first event of the year is **Saturday January 18**, at St. Paul's Presbyterian Church, 27475 Five Mile Rd., Livonia. **Larry Seyfarth** will share behind the scenes events leading up to the **Ford versus Ferrari** 1,2,3 winning sweep of the 1966 24- hours of Le Mans Race. We will meet at 12:00 for lunch of pizza and salad at \$10.00 per person to be paid at the event. Please RSVP to JoAnn Rodriguez via phone/text 248-719-0160 or e-mail joannbill801@comcast.com by Thurs January 16. Also let JoAnn know if you would like to bring a salad or dessert. Soft drinks will be provided.

February Sat. 22 – Chi Town Union Station, 8275 Cooley Lake Rd., Commerce Twps. 1:00 cost \$5.00 per person. This 10,000 Sq. Foot building with more than 12000 feet of track stacked many layers deep from the floor to the nine-foot level which has the world's largest O-Scale model railroad and is the home of the world's longest model train. We will have lunch at Prime 7, 8635 Cooley Lake Rd, Commerce Twps.

The board is confirming the event for March and will be available in the February Newsletter.

We hope everyone had a wonderful Christmas with family and friends and wishing everyone a very Happy New Year. We will see you at our upcoming events.

JoAnn Rodriguez

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2020 Schedule of Events:

Jan 18 (Sat) – Larry Seyfarth presentation – Ford Racing.

Feb 23 (Sun) – Chi Town Train and Prime 7 for Lunch (JoAnn)

March - TBD

April 26 (Sun) – Tech Talk (David & Rick)

May – Date TBD – Annual Dust Off (David)

June – Date TBD – River Cruise (George)

July 12 (Sun) – Annual Club Picnic – Merriman Hollow (JoAnn)

July 31 (Fri) - Non sanctioned Club Event – Chelsea Car Show and Jiffy Mix Tour (George)

Aug 9 (Sun) – Pre-Dream Cruise (JoAnn)

Aug 30 (Sun) - Non sanctioned Club Event – Hines Park Cruise (JoAnn)

Sept 13 (Sun) – TBD – All T-Bird Day or **Sept 26 (Sun)** 65th Anniversary to include Thurs 24th, Dessert Bar at Hotel, Fri 25 Tour (TBD) and Michigan Dinner at Hotel, Sat. Car Show at Automotive Hall of Fame, need volunteers and a design for T-Shirt.

Oct 18 (Sun) – Annual Hines Park Cider Cruise (Nancy & JoAnn)

Nov 14 – 2021 Planning Meeting – (JoAnn & Marie)

Dec 6 (Sun) – Annual Christmas Party (Venue and Entertainment TBD) (Nancy & JoAnn)



WWTC MEMBERSHIP RENEWALS ARE DUE

Don't be left out of the 2020 fun. Get you renewals in the mail to WWTC P.O. Box 2597, Taylor, MI 48180, by January 1, 2020.

Name(s) _____

Email Newsletter, \$25.00/member family/year 2020 _____

Mailed Newsletter, \$35.00/member family/year 2020 _____

International Membership VTCI# _____ ITC# _____ Other _____

INCLUDE THIS FORM WITH YOUR CHECK. SHOULD YOU NEED TO MAKE CHANGES, YOU MAY PRINT A MEMBERSHIP FORM BY VISITING www.michigantbirds.org

Date _____ Check # _____

For Sale: 1963 Ford Thunderbird convertible with Roadster package.

Original rose beige color with matching interior and new white top. V-8 engine, 390 CID, 300 HP. Options: Power windows, steering, brakes, and seat. Swing-away steering wheel. Purchased July, 2002 with odometer at 23,449 miles. Currently reads 36,177 miles. Asking \$38,500.

Owner: Jim Brady, 734-358-0556. Ann Arbor, MI.



For Sale: 1995 Ford Thunderbird LX 2 Door Coupe 3.8L V6

Horsepower: 140 hp, Transmission: 4 Speed Automatic, Rear Wheel Drive, MPG: 19 City/25 Highway
Fuel Tank Capacity: 18 gal., Odometer Reading: 118,795, Condition: Good, Well-maintained, One Owner
New Battery, New Tires, Features: Cruise Control, Exterior: Champagne, Interior: Tan
Location: Fenton, MI

This is a classic Ford T-Bird, with luxury details and aerodynamic style. The car was garaged for many years, it is in good condition with years of life remaining.

Asking Price: \$2600/OBO

If Interested Please Call: (810) 750-0489

For Sale: 1961 Thunderbird. Early Restoration, Factory Colors. Excellent running car. \$13900.



Karl Schipper 313-605-1541. Car stored in Livonia

2019 Christmas Party





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