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Fall Tour October 15 & 16, 2016 Mt. Pleasant, Iowa

AmericInn Mt. Pleasant

Phone 319-385-2004 Rate: \$89.99 + tax

Hot continental breakfast & indoor pool

Reservation deadline October 1st

Only 16 rooms available so reserve early

Points of interest:

Night Ghost Train, American Gothic House, Old Threshers Heritage Museum & more

As usual we will be traveling through the countryside on paved roads

Any questions contact

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From Your President



Wow, it's August already. Seems like the car season just started but here it is August. We have had a busy summer. Thanks to Sharon Hoaglund and the Gleasons for their planning of the tour to Geneseo. I'm sure that the corn was sweating when we drove the back roads to C & S Antique Mall. Many treasures were found before lunch at the Sweet Pea, which was scrumptious. Next up was our August Tour thanks Sandy and Dick Perry for planning the historical tour of Wharton Field House, lunch at Moe's Burgers and Brews, and a garage tour of the Brewer's rare and restored vehicles. Although John said the garages were already ready since the Velie Reunion and the Great Race had toured, he still got cars out with a broken wrist and recuperating from some surgery during the week. Weather broke so it was just a nice day to enjoy our vehicles.

We are supporting the 2nd Annual Quad City Vintage Football Game Aug 28th at 1 p.m. in Douglas Park, Rock Island. They are asking for 20's and 30's cars to help create the atmosphere and root on the Mutts (Moline Universal Tractors) and Rock Island Independents. It was great fun last year, the players are all in 20's uniforms, so if you have vintage clothes wear them.

September 3rd, Heartland Fieros of Iowa have invited the MVR to their yearly cookout/bonfire beginning at 6 p.m. and lasting until you leave. They are having their 13th Fiero show during the day in the Village of East Davenport from 11 a.m. to 3 p.m. and then have an evening of fun and food at the home of Fred Bartemeyer Jr/ Annette Wilson, 2210 Hickory

Grove Rd, Davenport, IA. The Heartland Fiero Club and it's guests from several states have been exposed to the larger car hobby over the years and the informal setting of the cookout is a great opportunity to encourage the participation of this younger generation to learn about and enjoy the antique automobile. Please bring your Antique Car! For \$8 you get your choice of brats, chicken breast, or hamburger and full compliment of other dishes, table service and drinks. You can bring a dish to pass if you wish but it's not mandatory. If you wish not to eat, MVR members are welcome to bring your antique car and lawn chair and enjoy the evening. The evening includes car related activities, plenty of car talk, and more than likely a needed tech session to help a fellow Fiero owner get his car home. The cookout will have kids in attendance, so do not hesitate to bring yours. PLEASE LET ME KNOW IF YOU ARE ATTENDING by email or phone 563-340-3266 so that there is enough food for everyone.

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See you soon Mary B

Jan Patting needs updated material for new roster.
Contact Jan if any information has changed, like email, phone, address, cars...etc. (309) 788-6985 janpatting@sbcglobal.net

MVR Board Meeting

MVR Board Minutes – August 3rd, 2016

Present: Mary Bartemeyer, Fred Bartemeyer, Barb & Jess Hansen, Sandy & Dick Perry, LaVonne and Gary Gleason, Gary Smith, Jim Smith, Sharon Hoaglund, Jim Conrad, Joel Daley

Absent: John and Jan Brewer, Dick Sabbe

Minutes of prior mtg. – approved

Treasurer's Report – approved and filed for audit

Chairman Updates:

Sunshine – sympathy card sent to Sharon Lohman on the passing of member Lee Lohman, get well card sent to Barb Hansen.

Roster, Membership, Webmaster, Historian – no reports

Old Business: July 23rd Tour to Geneseo led by Sharon Hoaglund was very successfully with 31 people in attendance and6 antique cars on the tour despite the hot weather. Thank you Sharon and Gleasons for such a fun tour to the antique mall and lunch afterward!

New Business: Southpark Mall Cruise-In scheduled for Sat., August 6 from 6 p.m.-?

Mary will schedule planning meetings for those in-

volved in the AACA National Meet scheduled for August 17 – 19 at Isle of Capri, Bettendorf, IA.

Monthly Activities:

August 6th – Perry's Stadium/Garage Tour

August 28 (Sunday) – Vintage Football Game – Douglas Field, Rock Island, IL. Cars of 20's-30's eras to park along 18th St. entrance – other cars welcome to park on other side of the field. Vintage clothing requested. Supper @ City Limits after the game.

Sept. 3 - BBQ and Bonfire with heartland Fieros @ Fred Bartemeyer home 6 p.m. This will follow the Fiero meet/show in Davenport's East Village noon -3 p.m. More details will be sent soon.

Sept. 25 – Steak Fry coordinated by Jim Smith & Fred Bartemeyer at the IBEW Hall, Moline, IL. Auction to start at 2 p.m. Supper scheduled for 4 pm. Letter will be sent RE cost of \$12.50 & choice of meat. Motion to approve the club subsidy of \$2 pp was approved.

Oct. 15th – Fall Tour ending in Mt. Pleasant, IA – Ghost Train Event included. Coordinated by Gleasons

November 12th – Fall Banquet

Submitted by Sandy Perry, Secretary Pro tem

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The Club is looking for an Editor for this Newsletter, the Autograf.

If you are interested in this position please contact President Mary.

Please contact our Clubs Sunshine Chair, Sharon Hoaglund if you know of a member who needs a little cheering up.

SHARON HOAGLUND — SUNSHINE 3641 8TH St. Court East Moline, IL 61244 755-4906 Hello! My name is Jerry Hansen and I am helping plan the 5th Annual Countryside Christian Church Cruise-In, to be held on Saturday, 17 September 2016 from 11:00am - 04:00pm . It will occur at the church in rural Port Byron off of Old Illinois Route 2 (map attached). The event will include refreshments, a bounce house and games for the kids, live music, and lots of tire kicking and "car-talk"! This year we will have a special display of drag racing cars from days past and the present from Cordova drag strip along with their owners to tell you about them. The first 50 cars to cruise-in will receive a commemorative dash plaque. Special awards will be given for the person and vehicle traveling the greatest distance to participate and for the participant with the oldest vehicle. There is no registration fee and refreshments are free, with donations accepted to support IDES (International Disaster Emergency Services). This organization helped many local people after a devastating tornado destroyed homes near Hampton/Rapid City this past March. We will also be holding another event one week after the cruise-in (Saturday, 24 September) to prepare food packets for IDES to be shipped world-wide to help hungry people recover from other natural disasters. We would invite you to participate in both events if you can. Free-will donations from the Cruise-In, which will be greatly appreciated but are not expected, will



help us to be able to prepare the food packets!.

We would like you and members of your car club to come and join the fun between 11:00am - 04:00pm. Stop and say "hello" and stay as long, or short, as you wish.

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