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MVR Annual September Steak Fry, SUNDAY SEPT. 25th

Please call or email President Mary and tell her what and how many dinners you need by FRIDAY, SEPT. 16th

You will pay for your dinners at the Steak Fry.

563-340-3266----- email mbartemeyer@yahoo.com

MEMBERS — \$10.00 EACH (subsidized by your Club funds)

Ribeye steak number of dinners _____ \$10.00 each

Chicken Breast number of dinners _____ \$10.00 each

GUESTS — \$12.50 EACH

Ribeye steak number of dinners _____ \$12.50 each

Chicken Breast number of dinners _____ \$12.50 each

Total amount enclosed \$ _____

Please make check payable to MVR

MVR's Annual September
Steak Fry hosted by Jim Smith and Fred Bartemeyer
Sunday, Sept. 25
IEBW Hall, 1700 52nd Ave., Moline
Arrive and display your car from 1-4
4 pm— We Eat

Menu:
Ribeye Steak
Or Chicken Breast
Salads and dessert

White Elephant Auction

Last years White Elephant Auction was such a success that we will again feature it at this years Steak Fry on September 25th starting promptly at 2:00 IEBW Hall, 1700 52nd Ave., Moline, IL. Bring your items early so you can get a bid number from Barb and we can run the auction before eating at 4:00.

Master Auctioneer Alvin Elmore will again auction off your good items to the highest bidders with the proceeds benefiting our club activities.

So as you come across items in your garage, house or basement that someone may want and you can part with, please start a box up and bring your items with you. We will have some fun and you may see some treasures that you just can't do without. All purchases will be tax-free!!!!

Questions: Call John Brewer 326-2111

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



From Your President



What a week this has been. Heartland Fieros and Pontiac Engineer John Callies helped us celebrate my son's 50th Birthday. It was a surprise weekend and one that will be hard to top. Starting out with an informal dinner at Hickory Gardens on Friday night where Mr Callies surprised him. On Saturday there were 47 Pontiac Fiero's in the Village of East Davenport and then they all went to Fred's lawn for a cook-out/bonfire. 135 people including many members of the MVR AACA enjoyed the wonderful evening. Fiero members have formed new Non Geographical Region of the AACA and are in awe of what the older cars have to offer. Jim Smith gave Model T rides and members enjoyed talking with the Perry's, Phieffers, Gary Smith, and Jim Conrad and learning about their vehicles. Hopefully we can continue to have a joint event with them in the future. My son is of course deep into Pontiac Fiero and has made good friends with many of the designers of the Fiero. When Fiero was discontinued these designers went on to many other well known GM projects. How can he be that old when I'm only 22 mentally.

So at any rate I have been recouping for the last few days. Our Board of Directors Meeting was held on Wednesday. After a short Board Meeting, we convened a 2017 Central National Meet Meeting. Things are moving along nicely. Our host hotel and show venue is the Isle in Bettendorf. They are rolling out the red carpet for our event and have been most gracious to help in our planning. Here is what we have currently:

Meet Co-Chairs - John Brewer and Mary Bartemeyer-
Registrars - Jim and Kay Scott
Treasurer - Gary Gleason
Field Marshall - Jess Hanson
Chief Judge - Fred Bartemeyer Jr
Trailer Parking - Jim Conrad
Banquet Chair - Jan Brewer
Meet Booklet/Dash Plaque - Annette Wilson

In the past Hart Bondi has sent out all our letters to those who might advertise in our meet booklet. He is unable to do this for us so we need volun-

teers to assist in this endeavour. If you would be willing to help please let me know. Our National Meets keep us going financially and we will need all your support to make this event happen. Please help when asked.

Thursday will be LeClaire Day and our evening welcoming event.

Friday - Out of Town people can enjoy our local attractions, Judges School, and National Round Table. In the evening we hope to take a ride on the Celebration Belle.

Saturday is our National Show and banquet.

Coming up is our Steak Fry and White Elephant Sale. Each man's trash is a treasure to someone else with the club's treasury benefiting. There is a short turn around time so please email me mbartemeyer@yahoo.com or give me a call (563-340-3266) with your selection of Steak or Chicken for only \$10. each. We will collect the funds on the day of the event. What a deal!

October is our Fall Tour. The Gleason's have stepped up to the plate with a great tour planned with lots to see and fun to have. Details in this Autograf.

Please take part in our election and vote your wishes. Ballots will be coming out shortly via mail. I urge you to write in a new candidate for President. There has got to be someone with new ideas, more zip, and less flack than I have given to everyone over the last 9 years. Yes 9 NINE years.

See you soon. Mary B

Fall Tour Hosted by Gary Gleason
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

Mary Bartemeyer 563-332-7326

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MVR Board Meeting

ACA Board Meeting – September Meeting
September 7, 2016
Butterworth Center, Moline IL

Present:

Mary Bartemeyer, President
Board Member
John Brewer, Vice President
Barb Hansen, Treasurer
Jan Brewer, Secretary
Dick Perry, Past President
Fred Bartemeyer, Board Member
Jess Hansen, Board Member
Sharon Hoaglund, Board Member
Steve Sabbe, Board Member
Jim Smith, Board Member
Jim & Kay Scott, Editors

Absent:

Gary Smith,

Meeting was called to order at 7:00 p.m. by Pres. Bartemeyer

Minutes:

A motion was made and passed to approve the August minutes.

Treasurer's Report:

Treasurer Hanson gave the monthly financial report. The report will be filed for future audit.

Sunshine: Numerous get well cards were sent out.

Roster: Nothing reported

Membership: Nothing reported

Web Master: Nothing reported

Historian: Nothing reported

Old Business:

The Perry's hosted our last to the Wharton Field House to learn about its history We had a good turnout.

New Business:

Election ballots will be sent out for the 2017 board. The steak fry cost this year is \$10, reduced from \$14.50. The Gleason's have planned the fall tour to Mt. Pleasant with lots of things to see both days.

Motion made and approved to adjourn meeting at 7:25 p.m.

Submitted by: Jan Brewer, Secretary

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

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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.

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.

Countryside Christian Church

3817 - 230th Street N.

Port Byron, IL

5th Annual Cruise-In

FOOD September 17, 2016 LIVE MUSIC
11:00 - 4:00

Anything on wheels is welcome!

Shine 'em up and Show 'em off!

Fun for Everyone!

Games for Kids

NEW!

FAMILY EVENT!

Bob Gipson, former owner of the Cordova Dragstrip, will be there, along with dragsters Sean and Bill Kruse, Chris Murphy, Jerry Smeltzly, Gary Klavon, Larry Griffith, Bill and Tim Dyer, and Jake and Al Connor Also on display will be Junior Dragsters. If you are a dragstrip fan, here is your chance! Come get a close up look at these drag cars.

Dash Plaque to first 50 cars!

All donations will go to I.D.E.S.

(International Disaster Emergency Services)

NO ENTRY FEES



FREE REFRESHMENTS
(Donations accepted for IDES)

Prizes will be awarded to oldest car and car traveling furthest distance.



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