



Bow Tie

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Director's Notes

February's Chili dump was delicious. It's amazing how so many recipes blend together into something better than the individual recipes were alone. This made me think of the reminder during the February meeting that our Meet Committee co-chair, JoAnn Swanson, gave us. It will take a blending of all of our talents to make the regional meet that we will be hosting a great success. Every one of us has something to offer.

I want to thank Dave Ehlers for presenting the excellent DVD of the Flint Meet at the close of our meeting. I also want to thank him for agreeing to run our March auction. Dave has always provided us with an entertaining presentation as he slips into character.

Speaking of the auction, we would ask that everyone bring no more than two items. These can be baked goods, automotive parts or memorabilia or books. The auction is a fun way to support our region at a time when our other sources of income remain in question. Let's keep our region going strong.

Your director,

John Horvath

Auction

Our annual auction will be held this month. Please refer to the list below for this event.

- ✓ Please bring at least one, but no more than two items. Car related items, crafts and baked goods are always welcome.
- ✓ Don't forget to bring some money to spend and if you don't remember, borrow some from a fellow member!
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- ✓ Please remember to use our "NEW" paddles (thank the Caspersen's) when you are bidding for all of those items that you cannot go home without. It is a big help to those hard-working auction folks. Thank you!





1955 Mercury Montclair

Paul emailed us and stated that he found a buyer for his car through our ad. Hopefully it found a good home.

2013 MIDDLE WEST MEET MEETING

We will be having an initial Meet Meeting after the April Regular meeting for those that would like an update. Please join us!

1936 Assembly Line Video
courtesy of John Romppainen



The 9 minute video takes you through the assembly line process of the 1936 Chevrolet. There is no narration but it does have a music accompaniment so take a peek and see how they did it years ago. No PLC's like we have now. Just relays, pneumatics and hydraulics. Not much in the way of concern for safety (lots of pinch points)! The link is listed below.

<http://www.dump.com/2011/07/15/fascinating-1936-footage-of-car-assembly-line-video/>

Marlin's slides

Gene Schneider stated that he has several boxes of slides that our dear departed Marlin took many years ago. Marlin put on some fabulous shows for us as he took pictures of not only cars but of the places we visited and events we held. If anyone is interested in these slides, please contact Gene.

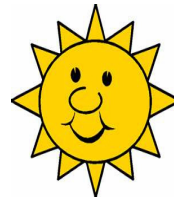
SUNSHINE – We were happy to see Gene Schneider at the February meeting. He conveyed to us that Carol is currently in a nursing home and he is unsure if she will return home. Gene, you both have been missed greatly!

Clarence Franklin unexpectedly had to go into the hospital which prevented him from attending the banquet. We hope to see you again soon!



Don Kastenholz was unable to attend the meeting but communicated to the board that Joan was in the hospital for surgery and she was out and recovering well. Since that time she has come home and is recuperating. They are looking forward to going to Florida.

Bob Hensel, we were told, has been in and out of the hospital a couple of times recently and back in as of this newsletter.



Janet Zimmermann is home nursing a broken leg.

Let's hope everyone gets back on their feet again real soon! Janet, we had this comment already written when we found out about your leg! Sorry, no pun intended.

Happy St. Patrick's Day

Don't forget to bring your pot of gold to the annual auction and pick up some great deals!

Thanks to all those that assisted with the Chili Dump at the February meeting. Not only was there Chili, but there were sweets as well. If you went home hungry, it was your own fault!

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WI Region VCCA Calendar of Events

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| March | 18 | Meeting (Auction) | McKinley Lodge |
| April | 15 | Meeting | McKinley Lodge |
| May | 4 | Cruise Night / Fish Fry | The Boneyard, Sussex |
| August | 19 | Annual Picnic | Rotary Park, Site #2 |
| October | 21 | Meeting and Nominations | McKinley Lodge |
| November | 18 | Meeting and Election | McKinley Lodge |
| December | 9 | Meeting and Christmas Party | McKinley Lodge |



All indoor meetings are held at McKinley Lodge. McKinley Lodge is located less than one (1) mile north of Capitol Drive on Pilgrim Road. Meetings are held at 1:30 p.m. typically on the third Sunday during the months of October, November, December, February, March and April.



March Birthdays

3rd CLARENCE FRANKLIN

30th JOYCE CEBULA



The deadline for the April Bow Tie is March 26th. Please send any information you have for this issue by then.

Thank you from your Bow Tie Editors

Welcome

We would like to extend a warm welcome to:

Brian and Robin Ische

Our newest members to join the WI Region VCCA!

Brian and his wife are the proud owners of a 1955 2 Door Hard Top. They have attended several of our car shows and are looking to having some fun with our group.

Please add them to your rosters

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Think nothing but good thoughts for the day

