



PONY TALES

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The March meeting will be held on Wednesday, April 13 at the Golden Corral. Come join us for dinner beginning at 6PM with the meeting to follow at 7PM.

Important Reminders

If you are interested in helping with the Club Car Show to be held Saturday, August 13, 2011, please send Scott Barker an email at tool_man24@hotmail.com.

April 2nd—Suds in Greenwood, Indiana opens for another season starting at 2PM, weather permitting.

47th Annual Birthday Bash Car Show—Saturday, April 9, at Jim O’Neal Ford in Sellersburg, Indiana. The car show begins at 9am.

Fall City Mustang Club Cruise-ins begins for the season starting Friday, April 15. Cruisers meet at the KMART in New Albany, Indiana in the parking lot from 6-9 pm.

Mann’s Harley Davidson Car Show—Saturday, April 23rd.



April 9—Russell Kuhn
April 14—David Kirchoff
April 5—Amanda Weidner
April 13—Steve Weidner
April 15—Bill Trimpe
April 15—Terry Thomas



Welcome to our new members!

James Sims

Treasurer's Report

We have a balance of \$1412.44 in the bank.

Club Outings

Club Car Show—MARK YOUR CALENDAR!! August 13, 2011 The Club will be hosting its first ever car show to be held in the parking lot of the Holiday Inn located on Jonathan Moore Pike in Columbus. Scott Barker is the Chairman of the Car Show Committee, so let him know if you would be interested in volunteering. We are going to need everyone to make this show a success.

Model T Museum—Saturday, April 16th—The Club will be attending the Model T Museum located in Centerville, Indiana. Make sure to attend the meeting on the 13th and to watch for emails pertaining to this event for more information.

Meeting Minutes

Wednesday, March 9, 2011

Frank Bayles brought the meeting to order.

Frank welcomed and introduced new members in attendance, James Sims and visitor Julius Bayles, Frank's father.

The 50/50 drawing was held and won by Frank Bayles for \$10.

Tieann Blackburn read the Treasurer's Report--Ending balance 1412.44.

Old Business:

-Car Show—volunteers for the car show met following the regular meeting. Progress for this event is moving along. The flyer is still in its tentative stage and the volunteers reviewed the second draft of the sponsorship letter.

New Business:

-**Activities Calendar**—Claud reported that Mann's Harley Davidson will have three car shows this year and they will be on April 23, June 18 and August 6. Christmas Party—Claud reported that the original date for this event will stand. Speedway Museum—the museum is open 9-5 everyday. The cost is \$3.00 an adult. Claud proposed making a trip to the museum a club outing for the month of March. It was agreed that the first club outing for 2011 would be to the Indianapolis Speedway Museum on March 19th—anyone interested in attending should be in the Target parking lot by 9AM. Baby Shower—there will be a surprise baby shower for Amanda Weidner on March 26 at 2:30 pm at Frank Bayles Upholstery Shop. Jim O' Neal Car show in Sellersburg, Indiana on Saturday, April 9th beginning at 9AM.

-Club Car Show—Frank donated a 32-inch television that will be given away at the car show. Participants can bring a canned food item, make a donation to Hospice or purchase tickets the day of the show. The car show committee will be meeting after the regular meeting tonight to discuss a sample judging sheet.

Frank Bayles made a motion to end the meeting and Steve Weidner seconded the motion.

Website--also if you would like to have your car on the website, please send a picture to Kyle and he will be happy to add it to the site.

Recipe Corner

Baked French Toast Casserole

Ingredients

dash salt
1/2 teaspoon ground nutmeg
1/2 teaspoon ground cinnamon
1 tablespoon vanilla extract
2 tablespoons sugar
1 cup milk
8 large eggs
2 cup half-and-half
Butter, for pan
1 loaf French bread (13 to 16 ounces)
Praline Topping, recipe follows
Raspberry Syrup, recipe follows

Praline Topping:

1/2 pound (2 sticks) butter
1 cup packed light brown sugar
1 cup chopped pecans
2 tablespoons light corn syrup
1/2 teaspoon ground cinnamon
1/2-teaspoon ground nutmeg

Raspberry Syrup:

1 cup raspberry preserves
3 tablespoons water
2 tablespoons raspberry liqueur (recommended: Framboise)

Directions

Slice French bread into 20 slices, 1-inch thick each. (Use any extra bread for garlic toast or bread crumbs). Arrange slices in a generously buttered 9X13 casserole dish in 2 rows, overlapping the slices.

In a large bowl, combine the eggs, half-and-half, milk, sugar, vanilla, cinnamon, nutmeg and salt and beat with a rotary beater or whisk until blended but not too bubbly. Pour mixture over the bread slices, making sure all are covered evenly with the milk-egg mixture. Spoon some of the mixture in between the slices. Cover with foil and refrigerate overnight.

The next day, preheat oven to 350 degrees F. Spread Praline Topping evenly over the bread and bake for 45 minutes, until puffed and lightly golden. Serve with Raspberry Syrup.

Praline Topping:

Combine all ingredients in a medium bowl and blend well. Spread over bread as directed above.

Raspberry Syrup:

Combine ingredients in a small saucepan and place over medium heat. Stir until warm and thinned out like syrup



MEMBER SPOTLIGHT

Sorry, but we do not have a member spotlight this month. If you would like to submit a photo and a small write-up, I would be glad to showcase your vehicle in this area next month.