

THE HOOD SCOOP

January 2023

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Gateway GTO Annual Pizza Party

By Chris Winslow



Our first event of 2023 was our annual Gateway GTO Pizza Party on Sunday, January 22nd.

This was our second year for the event at our new venue at Crusoe's in South County. We were in the same room as last year, but we had a larger crowd in 2023 compared to 2022, so the room was a little tight. This was despite the fact that we were competing with NFL playoff football. The restaurant was also a somewhat shorthanded as some staff had called in sick, so that slowed things down a bit as compared to last year.

The good news was that the pizza was still excellent (if a bit slow coming out) and everyone had a good time. It gave us all a chance to catch up and we got to see some members who normally cannot make it to our regular meetings.

Thanks to everyone for coming!



Presidents Scoop



The President's Scoop

By Chris Winslow

I hope everyone's new year is getting off to a great start.

2023 is going to be a busy year. In addition to all of our usual activities like the Wheels In Motion Car Show and the Regional All Pontiac event we host at the Pontiac Museum, we will also be the host chapter this year for the GTOAA National Convention in Springfield. The hotel is filling up and as are the indoor parking spots for the Concours cars. So, if you have not already done so, you will want to get registered for the event and reserve your hotel rooms. We have had great response from all of you filling the worker slots for the event, with only a few slots left to fill. If you have not already signed up for a few slots, please contact Dan Jackson or Tom Oxler. Remember that if you sign up for and work 2 slots, your basic registration for the event will be refunded by GTOAA.

Speaking of the Wheels In Motion car show that we do every year with the Horseless Carriage Car Club and other local clubs, Paula and I along with Barb and Earl Lewis recently attended an event sponsored by the National Children's Cancer Society (NCCS). This is an annual event to recognize the groups that have supported that organization and also to raise more money for the NCCS. As I mentioned last month, Wheels In Motion has been a major contributor to NCSS for many years now. For this year, due to all of the money we raised at the event in 2022, Wheels In Motion was recognized at the event as a "Home Run Sponsor". (See program for the event on the next page) So, our efforts have been making a real difference to the NCCS and the work that they do to support children with cancer and their families.

Right now we have a lot of dates open in the calendar in the spring for some cruises or other activities. Hopefully by now the construction on Highway 79 has been completed so we will be taking another look at a cruise up to Hannibal this spring. But that is just one possibility. If anyone has other ideas for some cruise events or other activities, please let me know.

Finally, I have attached the Gateway GTO Financial Summary for 2022 on page 4. (Thanks to Will for doing a great job as usual keeping track of all of this!) For 2022 we spent just over \$1400 more than we took in. For 2023, I expect us to have a positive cash flow since we will have some additional income as a result of hosting the GTOAA convention.

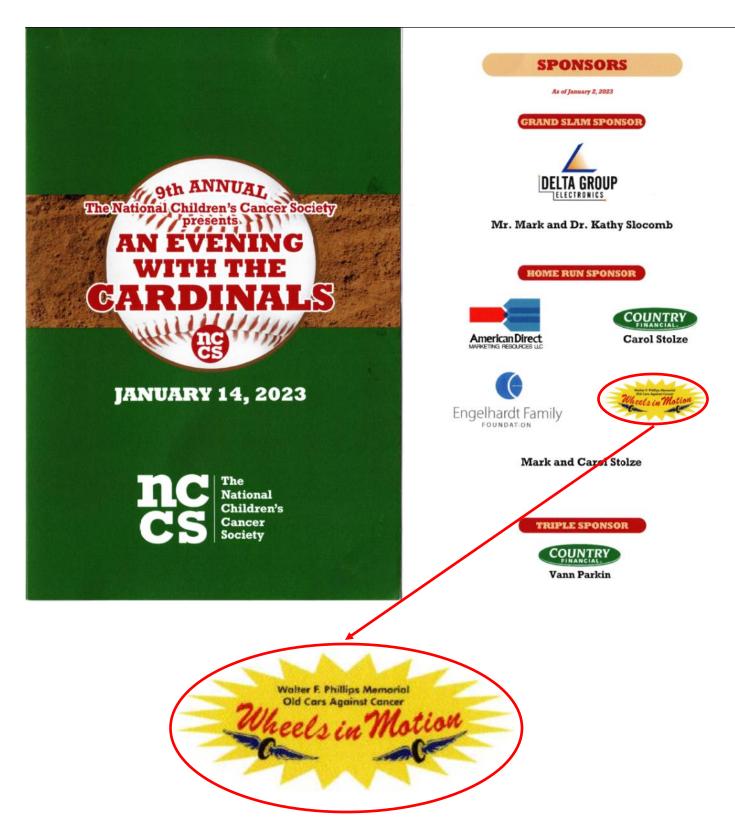
See you all at our first regular meeting for 2023 at Gingham's on February 2nd!





Presidents Scoop





Program from NCCS 2023 Event



2022 Financial Summary



GATEWAY GTO ASSOCIATION INCOME AND EXPENSE SUMMARY AS OF 12/31/22 CHECKING ACCOUNT BALANCE 12/31/21

16,436.86

INCOME

50/50	333.00
PAYMENTS RECEIVED AT REG. MEET	3,780.00
ADVANCE REG. REGISTRATIONS	290.00
REG. CLASS SPONSORSHIPS	1,150.00
GGTO SPONSORSHIP	600.00
GGTO GEAR	25.00
GGTO DUES 2021	1,520.00
EASTER SHOW	155.00
CHRISTMAS PARTY	1,305.00
TRIVIA	140.00
SHAMROCK SIGN	925.00
MISC	

TOTAL INCOME 10,223.00

EXPENSES

PIZZA PARTY	376.09
PICNIC	343.64
DUES TO GTOAA	55.00
REGIONAL MEET EXP.	1,855.72
CK TO MUSEUM	3,700.00
**WIM CHARITY	215.89
INSURANCE	504.00
TRIVIA	320.00
WEB EXP.	239.88
CHRISTMAS PARTY	2,536.14
EASTER SHOW	210.00
SHAMROCK SIGN	1,025.00
MISC. EXPENSES	278.60
	TOTAL EXPENSES

CHECKING ACCOUNT BALANCE 12/31/22

\$14,999.90

11,659.96



Gateway GTO Membership Renewal

Gateway GTO Dues for 2023 are \$20 and are due by the annual Gateway GTO Pizza Party.

 Send dues to Will Bowers by mail or pay in person at the Next Meeting

Will's Address:

4213 Napa View Lane

St. Charles, MO 63304

• In order to Renew with Gateway GTO, members must be members in good standing with GTOAA.

Contact Chris Winslow if you have any questions on renewing your Gateway GTO membership



GATEWAY GTO ASSOCIATION

Membership/Renewal Form

(Please print clearly)

New	Renewal	Returning
Name:		Date:
Associate Name (Spouse/Signi	ficant Other):	
Address:		
City, State, Zip:		
Home Phone: ()	Cell Phon	ne:_()
E-mail Address:		
Occupation:		
Year & Body Style of Car(s) A	LL PONTIACS:	
Auto related interests, hobbies	or talents:	
GTO Association of America	membership number:	<u>~</u>
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PLEASE FILL IN ALL FIELDS

And mail to:

Will Bowers, Treasurer Gateway GTO Association 4213 Napa View Lane St. Charles, MO 63304

Membership dues are \$20.

You are allowed one associate member (spouse, significant other, etc.).

All Gateway GTO Members must also be members in good standing with GTOAA

Go to WWW.GTOAA.ORG to join or renew GTOAA membership

GTOAA Membership Renewal

GTOAA Dues are to be paid directly to GTOAA

- Do not send GTOAA dues to Will Bowers. Instead renew directly with GTOAA by mail or at www.gtoaa.org.
- All Gateway GTO Members must be GTOAA members in good standing.
- Please contact GTOAA Chapter Representative Tom Oxler with any questions:

Tom Oxler Contact Info:

Phone: 636-928-5548

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2023 GATEWAY GTO CALENDAR OF EVENTS

February

2 - GTO MEETING 7PM at Gingham's

March

2 - GTO MEETING 7PM at Gingham's

April

- 6 GTO MEETING 7PM at Gingham's
- 9 Easter Car Shows Details to follow

SEE THE FULL CALENDAR AT <u>WWW.GATEWAYGTO.ORG</u>

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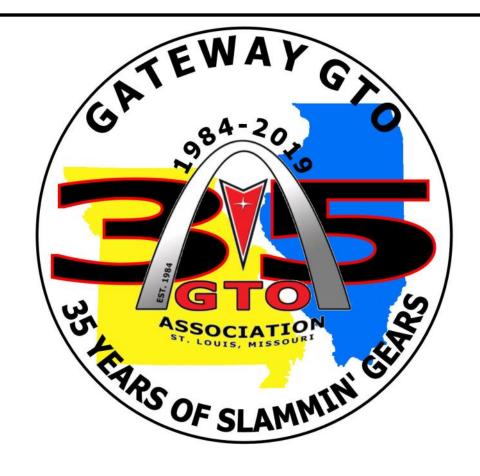
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Gateway GTO Association Photo Album

If you have photos of past events or if you take pictures of future events that you think would be good for our Photo Album, please send them to the newsletter editor.

The Hood Scoop is published as an informative news bulletin to keep our members up to date on past, present, and future events.

Advertising is free for members in good standing.

Advertising rates for non members are:

\$100 – Full page (Color or Black and White) ad in monthly *Hoodscoop* newsletter for 12 months, your logo on our Website Sponsor page, and a link to your website from our Related Website Link space.

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Classified ads are free to members. Classified ads up to 50 words for non-members are \$5.00 per issue.

Gateway GTO Club Information

The Gateway GTO Association was initially formed in the summer of 1984 by a group of seven. They all had a common interest in the Original Muscle Car, the Pontiac GTO. As a form of communication we publish a monthly newsletter called "The Hood Scoop". The purpose of this newsletter is to keep our members informed of all upcoming activities as well as providing interesting event coverage. The club meets every first Thursday of the month at Gingham's, 1566 Country Club Plaza Drive, St. Charles, MO 63303

The yearly dues for Gateway GTO is \$20. The dues are due by the Pizza Party in January. All Gateway GTO members must be a member in good standing with GTOAA. You are allowed to have one associate member.





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