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FROM THE PRES-

OMG, with a whole bunch of Camaros in front of me (and behind at times) the Club put on the most ambitious Tour d'Michigan to date. Even with the rain on my day I would have to say it was an astounding success. Sixteen of our members cars made all or parts of the trip. I wish to thank Joann, John, Sharon and Mark for all the planning and work they did to pull this off. With all the adventures we never had an issue other than maybe, parking. Which is a good problem to have, otherwise we didn't do our job. It was a blast and can't wait until next year when the "rookies" take over. I've talked to our activities director "DJ" and plans for some shorter "day" trips are in the works. I know you've heard that before but I think with the talent we now have onboard we can actually pull it off. The focus is to let those of us with older (and I don't want to say less reliable) Camaros participate in these. Keeping the fleet within a couple hours of home does have a comforting feeling sometimes. Maybe just a drive for lunch, much like the Port Huron trip was a couple of years ago. Anyway, think of places and or even just roads you might like to travel and let "DJ" (Don Jorgensen) or myself know. All input is considered and

there are no dumb suggestions. DJ has been doing a bang up job keeping our cars going places and I don't want to stop just because it's winter. Even though it might not be good weather for our beloved Camaros, doesn't mean we can't drive the "other" cars we have. Might be fun to just visit with members somewhere fun.

The CSF Team, (mostly Barry and Mark) have made some great strides for next years CSF. Should be able to go "live" a whole lot sooner than we previously have. That should make planning for the event even easier. Please keep in mind our event and the dates so we can have as much help as possible. I have put together a "flyer" explaining just who we are and what we do if anyone would like to give it to any prospective sponsors. Or, if you want, let me know who they are and I will visit them personally. I know everyone has plans for the summer, but keep in mind those dates for CSF. We really do have some fun. Would love to see some new faces helping out. The CSF team will be having a meeting prior to the regular club meeting and we will update everyone there. I'll try to keep it short and sweet so as to enjoy the dinner and company and as always, Kathy will be close by with the napkin.

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That's it for me, just returned from the "sunny" south and my fall visit to Walt Disney World, so the weather here is somewhat of a shocker. But then I guess that's what Halloween is all about. Hope you had a good one. Boy, are there some great roads throughout the south. Kathy and I drove mostly back roads all the way back and really got to see America.

Snook OUT!

MEMBERSHIP NEWS

We had two new members this past month. Please welcome Tony Alioto and Sandy/Jim Hollingshead! EMCC membership is at 89 members! EMCC 2019 DUES are DUE!!! Your 2019 EMCC dues can now be paid anytime. You can pay at the next EMCC meeting, or mail in to our Treasurer, Sharon Harpootlian. To mail them, send to-

EMCC 2019 Dues
23710 Samoset Trail
Southfield, MI 48033

THANKS FOR BEING AN EMCC MEMBER!!

EMCC BIRTHDAYS!

Happy Birthday to all our NOVEMBER EMCC Birthdays!

Barry Hensel	.....	Nov 1
Kristi Hoff	.....	Nov 1
Brad Petriko	.....	Nov 7
Mark Harpootlian	...	Nov 11
Julianne Hall	.....	Nov 14
Mark Kramer	.....	Nov 16
Peter Anderson	.....	Nov 24
Carolyn Worrel	.....	Nov 25
Joseph Medley	.....	Nov 27
Paul McPherson	.....	Nov 28
Judy Miracle	.....	Nov 29

Hope all your birthdays are great! If we have missed your birthday, we're sorry! Please email your birthday to Sharon!

EMCC MEMBER CAR LIST

PLEASE register your Camaro on our web-based database ... log on to- www.harpoweb.com/camarostuff/camaros.asp If you have questions or problems with the database, email Mark. This isn't mandatory, just for fun! **Please email a picture!** mark@majormicro.com

EMCC WEBSITE UPDATE

The EMCC website has been updated! Check it out - www.emcamaro.org

CAMARO MEMORIUM

You are no longer with us, but you are not forgotten!

Tom Hawke	EMCC
Karen Lewis	EMCC/WMCC
Doug Warren	WMCC
John Glister	WMCC
John VanOrsdal	EMCC
Russ Sarns	EMCC
John Hancock	EMCC
Joan Turon	EMCC
Rich Worcester	EMCC
Dan Theriault	EMCC

They are at peace with our Lord.

LaRICHE/EMCC FUND

The Lou LaRiche/EMCC FUND is now FULLY funded!! The "Lou LaRiche Family/Eastern Michigan Camaro Club Community Fund" is always open to your donations. **DONATING IS VOLUNTARY!!** And it is tax deductible! We are set-up through the Canton Community Foundation and you go to their website to donate online. The link is www.cantonfoundation.org

Make sure you select the Lou LaRiche Family/Eastern Michigan Camaro Club Community Fund in the pull down menu of where you want your donation to go. THANKS for your support!!

EMCC NOV MEETING

Our next regular meeting will be on **MONDAY, NOV 19, 2018** and will be at STATION 885 located at 885 Starkweather St, Plymouth, MI This is in the Old Village section of Plymouth. We will have a room to ourselves and a nice limited menu. (we were here before and everyone seemed to enjoy it!) This is our LAST meeting for 2018!! Lots to talk about, so please attend! Dinner starts at 6pm, meeting starts at 7:30pm. We hope to see YOU there!

EMCC MEETING REPORT

Our October NON-meeting was at the Parshelville Cider Mill. This is a GREAT place for us and families. We had a record turnout as the weather was excellent! 21 Camaros were there with 2 of those waiting for us. Our drive through the country was great and we all kept together nicely. Thanks to the cider mill for the excellent parking on the lawn right across from the mill. We did NOT discuss any business, but enjoyed the cider, donuts and caramel apples! Hope to see you at the NEXT EMCC meeting!! **MONDAY, NOV 19th!**



REMINDER!!! PLEASE GO VOTE on Tuesday, November 6th !!!

28th annual CAMARO SUPERFEST 2019

July 5-6-7, 2019

Riverside Park, Ypsilanti, MI, USA

Here are the basics of the event..

July 5-6-7, 2019

Riverside Park, Ypsilanti, MI

HQ hotel - Marriott Eagle Crest

Friday - laps at MIS!!

Charity - **Fallen and Wounded**

Soldiers Fund - Michigan based!!

The hotel is now accepting reservations. Registration will probably open early... in January, instead of February!

We've got a preliminary flyer and the sponsor letter is completed with just a few more tweaks and the letter will go out to past and proposed sponsors. Mark is making great progress on a new website for registration, so that is looking great too! Plans to purchase clear folders for registrations is also underway and stuffing those as registrations come in will be easy! More to come....

CSF-2019 is only 8 months away!!

CAMARO FUNNIES!

But officer why didn't you pull over the Camaro too?



Because it was too fast, I knew I could catch you... I'm also driving a Ford!



CALENDAR OF EVENTS

NOVEMBER 2018

SUN	MON	TUE	WED	THU	FRI	SAT
				1	2	3
4	5	6	7	8	9	10
11	12	13	14	15	16	17
18	19	20	21	22	23	24
25	26	27	28	29	30	1

EMCC Official events.....

**NOV 19...EMCC Meeting at STATION 885
885 Starkweather St, Plymouth, MI**

**DEC 1 – EMCC CHRISTMAS PARTY at the
Denski Barn, Plymouth, MI**

OTHER EVENTS-

Oct 30-Nov 2.. SEMA, Las Vegas!

Nov 3.. FALL BACK, daylight
savings time ends!

Nov 6.. Voting Day - GO VOTE!!!!

Nov 8.. Open House- GR Automotive
3175 Martin Road Suite A

Commerce Township, MI 6pm-10pm

Nov 10.. Cars, Caffeine &
Croissants- Pasteiners Auto Zone
33202 Woodward, Birmingham 8-10am

Nov 11.. Veterans Day - **THANK-YOU!**

Nov 11.. Detroit Auto Modelers
Macomb Comm College Sports Ctr

Nov 17-18.. Corvette & Muscle Car
Nationals - Chicago

NOV 22.. HAPPY THANKSGIVING!!

Nov 23-24.. Kazoo Antique Toy Show
Kazoo Expo Center/Fairgrounds

Nov 24.. Cars & Coffee - Gateway
Dearborn 9am-12noon

Nov 24.. Cars, Caffeine &
Croissants- Pasteiners Auto Zone

Dec 9.. Layout Tour - Barry Hensel
Model RR, Canton 12noon-5pm

For more events, times, locations-
subscribe to Cruis'News Magazine!!

FUTURE EMCC EVENTS-

No December EMCC meeting!!

Jan 5-6.. Detroit Swap Meet,
Suburban Showplace

Jan 21.. EMCC meeting

March 1-3.. Detroit Autorama!

REMINDER!!! FALL BACK on
Saturday, November 3rd night!!!

Eastern Michigan Camaro Club

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EMCC OFFICIAL STUFF

The Eastern Michigan Camaro Club is a registered non-profit club in the State of Michigan, with the purpose of promoting fun and fellowship between its members and other Camaro owners, and promoting the Chevrolet Camaro. Our meetings are on the **THIRD MONDAY** of each month and are held at various locations. Meeting locations are in our monthly newsletter and website. Meetings start at 7:30pm. The EMCC sponsor is **Lou LaRiche Chevrolet, Plymouth, MI.**

Dues are only \$20 per year! Those joining after Oct 1, will be good through the following year.

Membership renewals are also \$20 per year. Membership and dues are renewed every January.

Club web site- www.emcamaro.org

Club Address-

43642 Lotus DR Canton, MI 48188



TIRE-WHEEL SALE!!

As advertised in the latest Cruis'News magazine.... CSF sponsor Vanguard Auto Sales (one of our CSF sponsors) is having a LARGE tire & wheel sale! Contact GEORGE at Vanguard Auto Sales at 248-504-7363

FROM THE Vice-Pres.....

Wow, where did Summer go, not to mention Fall? With early below average temps folks are putting their cars to a long winter's nap much earlier.

Tour de Michigan 2018 was an awesome success! We had a record breaking (25) members and (14) member cars; (3) more cars and (3) people from folks on the West side of Michigan joined in for a time too. It was quite the "Camaro-van"!

Besides seeing some wonderful Michigan countryside, we took a tour of the Jiffy Mix plant in Chelsea, took a sand dunes ride in Saugatuck, and visited the always wonderful Gilmore museum in Hickory Corners, Michigan.

With all the good eats, drinks, driving, and comradery, a great time was had by all. Oh yeah, we really enjoyed the driving, too! We had some rain and wet roads, but on Saturday, the weather was cool and sunny. The whole weekend was a truly great time to be with a bunch of like-minded Camaro owners.

So, we hope to increase our numbers for the Tour de Michigan 2019....please consider joining us.

SSSEEYA at the next meeting.

PUN OF THE MONTH: Witches' parking only: All others will be toad.

THE LAST WORD: A boy doing his homework asked his father, "Will you help me find the least common denominator?" "It hasn't been found yet?" his father asked. "They were looking for it when I was a kid!"

John, SSSEEYA

EMCC WEARABLES

We are ready for another order!! If you want a shirt, please contact BARRY!! Again, depending on the size of the order, prices will vary (lower), but here are the base prices....

polo shirts... cotton (K500) or moisture wicking (K540).... men's or ladies... \$27 small-3XL
T-shirts.... cotton (5000).... men's or ladies... \$18 small-3XL
t-shirts.... moisture wicking (42000).... men's or ladies ... \$22.00 small-3XL

sweat shirt.... no hoodie, std collar (12000).... \$29 small-3XL

hats..... (C112) \$20.00

You can also have your name put on the right side and a second line if you wish too... maybe your car description? Your name is \$5, the extra line is \$3.50. (ex.- Barry 1976 Camaro Type LT)

EMCC AUTORAMA

OK... almost crunch time!! Will EMCC have a display in Autorama? We have heard from no one on putting their Camaro in the show!! You WILL have full EMCC support... but we need members to volunteer to put their Camaro in! With the show date moved up, NOW is the time to get registered!! EMCC has had a nice display for the past 3 years, and we'd like to continue that! The new dates are March 1-3, 2019. Please contact a BoD member!

EMCC TOUR deMICHIGAN

The EMCC Tour deMichigan was an over-whelming success! Congrats to the planning team and all that attended and had fun! As others have mentioned, it went well, fun and a great way to spend time with fellow EMCC members and friends!



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EMCC SWAP AND SELL

Swap and Sell items are FREE to EMCC members and friends. Email items to Barry.

FOR SALE - Generation 6 Stock Brake Light Assembly, Used for less than 12,000 miles \$50.00
Call Dale - 734-272-3362

FOR SALE - 1996 Camaro SS - Near perfect condition with only 12,700 miles. Bright red with graphite leather interior. All options including T-Tops, Bose stereo, and Group 2 option package. SLP SS options include Hurst 6 speed, performance exhaust, and Level 2 Bilstein sport suspension package. Everything works and fluids recently changed. Includes SLP cover. Asking \$19,900. If interested, please call EMCC member Scott at 313-806-7041 or scott.morris@comcast.net. Car located in Northville.

EMCC OTHER EVENTS

Activities Director Don "DJ" Jorgensen does not have any extra activities planned for this month. However... if something arises... he'll send out an email! Stay tuned...!

EMCC CHRISTMAS !!

Here is a REMINDER... NOW is the time to get your EMCC Christmas Party reservation IN!! The deadline is in TWO weeks, November 16th!! Call or email KATHY and get that payment sent in for a GREAT night of fun and fellowship!!

CAMARO NEWS!!



NEW '19 CAMARO FRONT END?

It is being reported that the 2019 SEMA Camaro SS with a new front end/grill is probably going into the production models ASAP!!!

<http://camaronews.com/camaro-news/concept-fascia-on-2019-camaro-ss-sema-car-said-to-be-expedited-for-production/?fbclid=IwAR1z7zCxZZd1SJfZ8XRgUT9D0wMgLR7cqQzDM5AP7MJqSYuDp3q7sQDJV6I>



IROC MOTORSPORTS TO OFFICIALLY DROP NEW IROC-Z AT SEMA 2018

http://camaronews.com/camaronews-bloggers/iroc-motorsports-to-officially-drop-new-iroc-z-at-sema-2018/?fbclid=IwAR06iD_a9wNKZrBlOTSI0RLo-dtQubC-NXOWH75KGAcOX1A3TpXhKI3pA4



Chevrolet Pitches 545-Horsepower Hybrid V8 Camaro in Customer Survey

https://www.torquenews.com/106/chevrolet-pitches-545-horsepower-hybrid-v8-camaro-customer-survey?fbclid=IwAR38udHoZi1LJvJS5mizF2gvxS3PQLo_kRa9LbepOI0R7hAPH6Kq3grKycY

VISITING DOW GARDENS

Eight club members took a day trip to the newly opened Canopy Walk in the Dow Gardens in Midland on Monday, October 22. The Whiting Forest of the Dow Gardens boasts the longest canopy walk in the nation. The walk is 40 feet off the ground and 1,400 feet long. We met at the Hartland McDonalds and cruised up to Midland on the freeway. After enjoying the Canopy Walk we drove the back roads to our lunch stop - the Back Forty Bar and Grill in Chesaning. We had a great meal and great service - very much up to EMCC standards! The highlight of the trip home happened when we had to get through a construction zone with lane closures. The highway workers were using two-way radios tuned to channel 5 and we got to hear them admiring our cars! Dale's black and red Camaro was definitely the fan favorite. Unfortunately Dale did not have a radio - but we shared their comments with him. Participants included John/JoAnn

Wrobel, Dawn/Dave Hlavaty, Mark/Sharon Harpootlian, Dale Baird and Don Jorgensen. We would all highly recommend visiting the Canopy Walk in the Dow Garden's Whiting Forest.



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EMCC CHRISTMAS PARTY

Get ready to celebrate at the EMCC annual Christmas Party. Last years party sold out so please get your reservation in asap, but the absolute deadline is November 16th. Capacity this year is 45 people, a slight increase from last year. The cost will remain the same as last year at \$30.00 per person. Our hostess with the mostest will provide you with dinner and refreshments, but if you want an outstanding desert please contact her, she is willing to accept help form our fine group of dessert makers. Beer and pop are part of your fare, however, if you are particular about your beverage please feel free to bring your favorite adult (or un-adult) beverage. Like last year the gift exchange should prove to be exciting. If you wish to participate, please bring a wrapped under \$15.00 in value gift. Only those that come bearing gifts are allowed to exchange. Please be creative in your choice and it is per person, not per couple. No need to sweat it if you don't want to participate as it is just plain old fun to watch.

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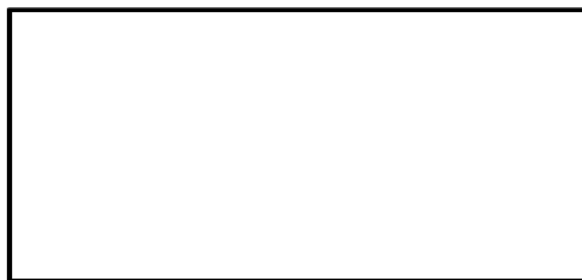


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