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FROM THE PRES-

Well, this is just crazy talk! Halloween is done and gone, and it's November. Most of us have retired our Camaros for the winter and some of us have long lists of things to do on them (me). Forgive me for saying, but what the heck happened to summer? Seems we completed (well Mark did) Virtual Superfest and bingo shoveling snow. We did pack a whole bunch of stuff into the last few weekends and what a blast it was. Again, it goes without saying, if you can go on any of our planned outings, whether club sponsored or member planned, get up and go. October found us boating in Munising in da yoooper eh!, to a two hour tour to go what was, by the way the crow flies, 4 miles. The first time in my memory that we saw full color on the Tour D' Michigan and then found good color weeks later in the sunny southern part of this peninsula. Some of us are venturing to Chicago in November for MCACN and I'm finding my way to Florida with the whole family. I'll drive as many back roads as I can each way. Perhaps discovering the next EMCC road trip. Always looking for those roads that are just a riot to drive.

OK, some serious stuff, EMCC wants you! That's right just like the Uncle Sam posters of the past. EMCC is looking for a few good

members (well, we are all good members) that want to serve on the Board of Director's. Positions available are President, Treasurer, and Member at Large. Come on now, who doesn't want to be a President? Any-who, think about serving your club in any of these positions. Each term is two years and all of us are here to help with any transition that needs to take place. Barry and I have stated that we will run again, and Mark needs a break. So, buckle up, hang on and let's go. And just because Barry and I are running does not mean you need not run. Please consider making that commitment. WE need at least one person to run for treasurer so Mark can get some needed rest time from all he does for the club. We are having a November meeting for the express purpose of discussing CSF. The venue is listed later in the Hugger so plan on attending. Ideas for our charity plans for the next year are also on the table. Might even have a special guest speaker. We will see if that can be arranged. Looking forward to seeing you all then.

Snook OUT

EMCC NOV MEETING

Our next regular meeting will be on **THURSDAY - NOV 18, 2021**. The meeting will be at **Aubree's Pizzeria & Grill located at 21775 Pontiac Trail, South Lyon, MI**. The meeting will start at 7:30pm. If you're interested in eating please arrive by 6pm. We hope to see YOU there! **PLEASE NOTE THE NEW TIMES!!** We hope you can attend. It's good to "see" and talk with everyone!

MEMBERSHIP NEWS

We have no new members this past month! EMCC membership for 2021 is now at 102 members!

THANKS FOR BEING AN EMCC MEMBER!!

Membership renewals are now being accepted!! Please send your renewals to EMCC Secretary Sharon Harpootlian 23710 Samoset Tr Southfield, MI 48033-2861 Dues renewal is \$20 You can also pay at a meeting.

CAMARO MEMORIUM

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

Tom Hawke	Karen Lewis
Doug Warren	John Glister
John VanOrsdal	Russ Sarns
John Hancock	Joan Turon
Rich Worcester	Dan Theriault
Vicki Angelosanto	

They are at peace with our Lord.

EMCC NOV EVENTS

While there are many events listed on the calendar, there are always a few that are considered "club" events, where we hope more members will try to attend those select events. In NOV, we have these -

NOV 20-21, Saturday/Sunday

MACACN in Chicago! A great show of all things muscle car!! EMCC members have made this event a nice weekend trip in the past. Stay tuned for details and please contact DON if you are interested in going! Tickets are \$25 in advance, \$30 at the door. See the website- www.mcacn.com

THE CORNER CAMARO

This month's Corner Camaro is EMCC member Kristi Hoff's 1978 Camaro Sport coupe! Here is her story.... I have always been interested in cars, particularly older cars, and hot rods. Growing up in my grandfather's garage, I spent years pretending I was driving his 1928 Buick. It was routine for me to visit Greenfield Village or a car show with family. I have always known someone who had a "cool car". During a drive on a sunny spring day in May 2012; I made a spontaneous decision to make a "cool car" mine. Let me introduce you to my 1978 Sport Coupe/Camaro. She was born in Norwood Ohio; she was given the heart of a 250ci. straight 6, 105hp she was the 513,127th child. And MY FIRST car love. A few of the modifications that make her unique: 350 V8, Edelbrock intake manifold, 650 4 Barrel Carb, THM 350 Automatic Trans, Replaced with Medium Red interior, 14" Cragars with BF Goodrich T/A Radials on the Front, 15" Cragars and BF Goodrich T/A Radials for the rear.

Every mile I drive, every new part added, every show I enter her in, is something I have worked towards. If I must change my route, I find a new path or a different road that will lead me to my destination. I'm so thankful for this car, what it has brought me, and introduced me too. Now that I'm a mother, I Love raising my son as a car family (including my EMCC car family) I have so many opportunities to teach him about growing, working to achieve goals, and having fun. Great Camaro Kristi and Ethan!! Thanks for being an EMCC member!!



31st ANNUAL

CAMARO SUPERFEST 2022



The EMCC Board of Directors is looking at many different plans, locations, etc.... so that we can make these needed arrangements, before we can announce anything to the public.

We are looking for a CSF Chairman for 2022! We can also have a Planning Team if wanted. If no one or Team of person's steps-up, the BoD will continue to make decisions on our event.

Riverside Park has been secured for our 2022 event with the normal 4th of July dates, but prices have significantly increased.

MIS is also charging more for events at their location.

EMCC 2022 ELECTIONS

In January at our EMCC meeting, there will be elections of some officers on the EMCC Board of Directors. Per the By-laws, this next election has the members voting on President, Treasurer and Member-at-Large. Paul has stated he is willing to run again as President. Barry is willing to run again as Member-at-Large. Mark will not be running again as Treasurer, so a new Treasurer will be needed. AND, just because Paul and Barry have decided to run again, any club member is welcome to nominate someone else or even yourself for these positions. We are hoping that we can gather indoors for an official vote, but if "things" have not cleared up enough, a zoom meeting and/or email vote will take place. Nominations will open at the November meeting and accepted until the January meeting.

LaRICHE/EMCC FUND

The "Lou LaRiche Family/Eastern Michigan Camaro Club Community Fund" is open to your donations. **DONATING IS VOLUNTARY!!** And it is tax deductible! We are set-up through the Canton Community Foundation. Go to their website to donate online.

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. Here is another link....

<https://localimpactalliance.org/funds/canton/donor-advised-funds/the-lariche-family-eastern-michigan-caramo-club>

THANKS for your support!!

EMCC WEARABLES

If you want a shirt, please contact PAUL/DON!! 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 MEMBER CAR LIST

PLEASE register your Camaro on our web-based database ... log on to-

www.emcamaro.org/ClubCars/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 **NOTE!!** - we have LOTS of members in the registry, but no pictures!!

NOVEMBER 2021						
SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
	1 Barry Hensel Kristi Hoff	2	3	4	5	6  Daylight Savings time
7 Brad Petriko	8	9	10	11  Mark Harpootlian	12 Rick Andrews	13
14 Joe Rysztak	15	16 Mark Kramer	17	18 EMCC MEETING	19	20 MCACN
21 MCACN	22	23	24	25  THANKSGIVING	26	27 Joseph Medley Richard Pomerantz
28 Paul McPherson	29	30				
						

CALENDAR OF EVENTS

EMCC Official events.....

NOV 18 – EMCC meeting! Aubree's Pizzeria & Grill in South Lyon, MI. 7:30 pm

NOV 20-21 – MCACN in Chicago

OTHER EVENTS–

Nov 6 – Daylight Savings time!

FALL BACK at 2am

Nov 1, 8, 15, 22, 29 – Monday's!

Cruise night Ram's Horn Westland

Nov 2-5 – SEMA in Las Vegas

Nov 14 – Detroit Auto Modelers

Macomb CC, Warren 9am-3pm

Nov 27 – Cars/Coffee Gateway in

Dearborn 9am-12noon

FUTURE EMCC EVENTS–

JAN 17 – EMCC Meeting (no Dec mtg)

March 4-6 – Detroit Autorama

EMCC BIRTHDAYS!

Happy Birthday to all our NOV EMCC Birthdays! See the calendar for those names and dates! Hope all your birthdays are great! If we have missed your birthday, we're sorry! Please email your birthday to Sharon!

EMCC MEETING CHG!

Our November EMCC meeting is on a different day/date – **THURSDAY, Nov 18** at 7:30pm!!! Please note!!



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Camaro Superfest -**volunteer needed**

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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 7pm. 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.

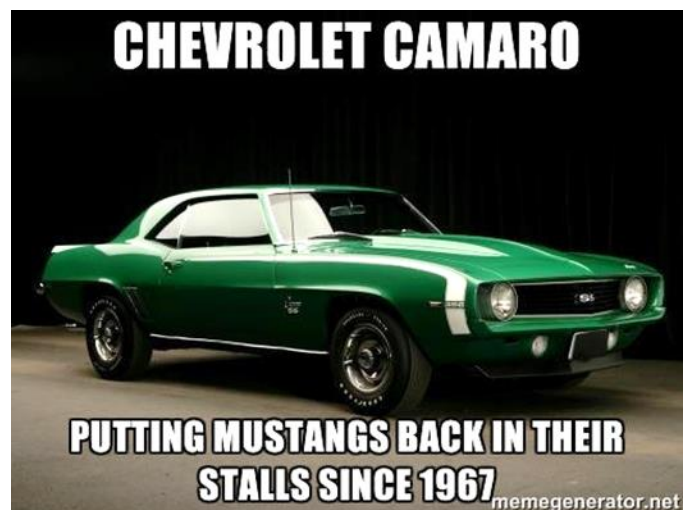
Membership renewals are also \$20 per year. Membership and dues are renewed every January.

Club web site- www.emcamaro.org

Club Address-

43642 Lotus DR Canton, MI 48188

CAMARO FUNNIES!



PUN OF THE MONTH: Will glass coffins be a success? Remains to be seen.

THE LAST WORD: A man being treated by a female psychiatrist said, "I keep dreaming that you're my mother." "Don't worry about it," the psychiatrist replied. "That's transference. It happens all the time." As the man was leaving, she asked, "Where are your overshoes?" "I don't have any," he replied. "What's wrong with you?", she said. Do you want to catch your death of cold?"



AUTORAMA 2022

The annual Detroit Autorama 2022 is scheduled for March 4-5-6, 2022. Now is the time to get our applications in for this event. So far, we have Don, Barry and Larry entering, but we welcome any and all EMCC members that want to be part of this show. If you are interested, please go to the Autorama website and copy an application. Fill it out and then GET IT TO BARRY! Do NOT send it is by yourself, or you could not be in the club display!

<https://autorama.com/>

EMCC MEETING REPORT

The October EMCC meeting was a bit of a short meeting, but fun and informative as always! And we had a GREAT venue - the Lingenfelter Collection!! THANKS to Ken and Kristen Lingenfelter for hosting us! We had about 16 members attending the meeting and the check presentation. As mentioned last month, we gave Folds of Honor \$15,000!!! WOW!! See page 8 for the presentation photo.... cool!! Back to the meeting part... Paul talked about the up-coming elections that happen in January. We also discussed CSF and what has been done so far and things yet to be done. And we're still hoping a Chairman would come forward, but the BoD is not waiting as arrangements need to be made. Don also talked about several up-coming events that we still have before most of our Camaros get put-away for the winter. Hoping you can join us on some of these events! We hope to see you at the NEXT EMCC meeting!

EMCC CHICKEN RUN!!

EMCC Members gathered on Sunday October 17th for our annual CHICKEN RUN! The weather was great, maybe a bit cool, but sunny and dry! We had many show-up for an early breakfast and then more showed-up for the RUN! We had a very "spirited" drive through many country roads and communities, taking about 3 hours to arrive. Once there we gather in the sun on a grass spot and had a great lunch. Thanks to Paul and Don for the wagon service on our pre-ordered food. After lunch many scattered into town and some shops. Then most of the group traveled south to Uncle Rays ice cream shop in Linden for dessert! THANKS!! After dessert, everyone headed home to relax. Thanks to all that attended!! Pictures are on page 7 of this HUGGER!

EMCC SWAP AND SELL

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

FOR SALE!! - LOTS of items!!!

1) Original GM Chevrolet 427 Valve Covers, Die-cast aluminum with silver numbering and lettering. Can be used on any big block chevy. Tall-style. Used on 427 anniversary edition crate engine. Black powder coated. Pair, NEW, with breather cap. List at \$560, sell for \$425 pair.

2) Chevrolet Aluminum Big Block intake manifold. "Winters" stamped. Date cast 5/1969, #163 intake for 396/427/454. Correct aluminum thermostat housing included. No cracks or welds. List for \$350, sell for \$250.

3) Holley 850 CFM dual feed carburetor, rebuilt with proper jetting. Electric choke. Part # 80531-3397. Half inch spacer plate included. List at new for \$750, sell for \$275.

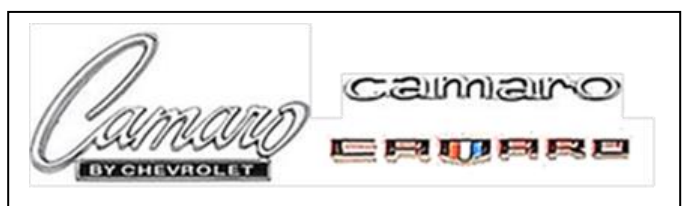
4) Chevrolet GM Performance Mechanical water pump. Aluminum, natural finish, dual hub pattern Short leg, big block. NEW. List for \$201, sell for \$125.

5) Chevrolet High Energy Ignition (HEI) billet aluminum distributor. NEW, List for \$80 sell for \$50.

6) Brad Penn High Performance oil- 20W-50. Partial synthetic, 10 quarts (the green oil with zinc) List \$7.50 qt. sell all for \$60. Contact EMCC member Paul McPherson Pictures are available on request pauldo555@msn.com

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RECENT EMCC EVENTS

The EMCC members have been getting out and about!! Here's our group at the Chicken Run....



Pictures from our Oct meeting



Here's our club outing to the Obstbaum Orchards Cider Mill. Thanks Jen for the great drive!



CHICKEN RANSOM??!!

It seems that the chicken on the front of Don's car went missing while on the EMCC Chicken Run. It was thought it simply "flew off" but now, we know it was chicken-napped!! YIKES! Here is the picture Don received.... OH MY!!



EMCC CHRISTMAS?

We had a fabulous Christmas in July party/gathering this past summer. MANY THANKS to Kathy and Paul for hosting another great EMCC event. It was thought that this made-up for not having our usual gathering in December, so it was suggested that perhaps, we could do our usual gathering in December of this year. Kathy and Paul cannot host a December event, so we would need a new location. This could be a dinner out, club house, etc. If this is of interest to you, please let a BoD member know. We can discuss this more at the November meeting.

EMCC DUES ARE DUE

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Here is our CSF 2021 check presentation!! \$15,000 !!!!!



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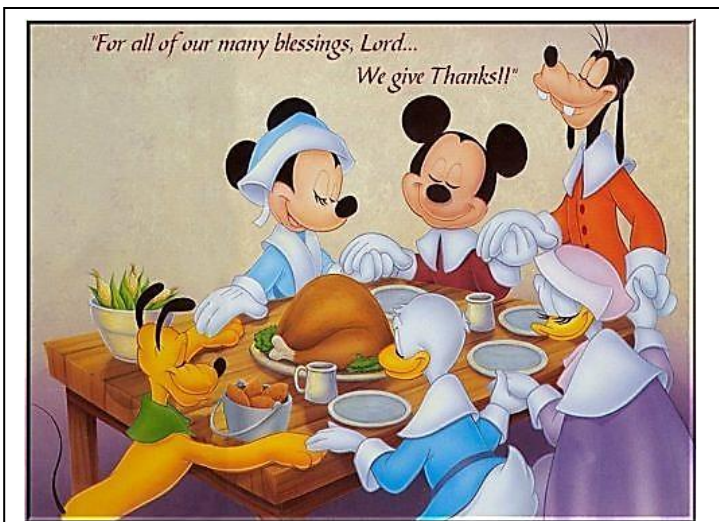


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