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DIRECTOR'S MESSAGE Paul Marchi

Greetings and Salutations! I hope that everyone who showed at the meeting in Richfield had a great time, the food was phenomenal, the location was great, and the weather held out for us as well. A huge thanks to the Minch's for putting it on this month!

I hope that you are all ready for the silly season of shows this month. Two full weeks of automotive madness in Flint is

about to befall us. If you need additional info, please check any of the numerous sources that are out there for what is going on: newspaper, Crier, Back to the Bricks website, Facebook, and the list goes on. If you need a parking pass for the Saturday show for Back to the Bricks, please let me know and I will try and get you one (or e-mail you one to print out) We have Court Street West of Saginaw this year since so let's fill the block (and then some).

Otherwise look forward to seeing you at this month's member meeting (see details further in). There will be NO Board of Directors meeting due to the Back to the Bricks stuff going on. Have a great month and hope to see you all on a regular basis, and as always "Let's keep it between the lines out there!"





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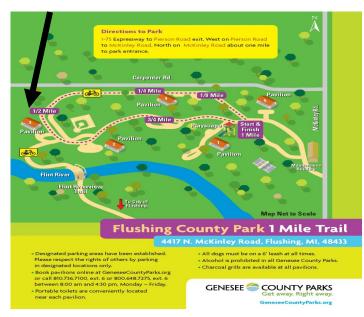
August 7-11, 2012 Back to the Bricks Tune Up Parties

August 14-20, 2012

Back to the Bricks, Flint, MI

August 22

Buicktown Regular Meeting hosted by Dan and Rosemary Emerton—Flushing Park.4417 N. McKinley Road, Flushing, MI 48433 Pavillion #3 Bring a dish to pass. Social Hour 6PM, Dinner 7PM, Meeting 8PM



August 25

Abbey Park Car Show, Grand Blanc, 10 AM— 1PM

September 8

Michigan Buick Bash hosted by the SEMBCA See Flyer, back page

September 26

Buicktown Regular Meeting, Sloan Buick Gallery Social Hour 6PM, Dinner 7PM, Meeting 8PM

September 29

Whaley House Car Show 11AM-3PM Bring single sheets,towels etc, Lunch will be provided October 24

Buicktown Regular Meeting TBD Social Hour 6PM, Dinner 7PM, Meeting 8PM

November 14

Buicktown Regular Meeting TBD Social Hour 6PM, Dinner 7PM, Meeting 8PM

December?

Christmas Party TBD

2013 Great Lakes Regional Tour

July 14-16, 2013, Michigan

2013 BCA National Meet

July 17-20, 2013 South Bend, IN **Hotels** Hilton Garden Inn \$99 574 232-7000 Inn at St. Mary's \$89 574-232-4000 *Registration Form, online hotel booking and updates will be found here:*

http://www.buickclub.org/2013

2014 BCA National Meet July 23-26, 2014 Portland, OR

2015 BCA National Meet June 10-14, 2015 Springfield, MO For more local car show and cruises check this out http://www.buickclub.org/buicktown/Carshows.htm



July 25, 2012 Buicktown Regular Monthly Meeting Richfield Township Hall Hosted by Debbie and Gary Minch







LET US COOK FOR YOU!

Experience a Fundraising Car Cruise Event Benefiting the Susan G Komen for the Cure

Come share an evening of cars, music, great food, good friends and fellowship time together

Help support walkers Rita Collie and Kendra Metcalf test their skills behind the grill!

> Thursday, August 2nd, 2012 5-8 p.m. Bd'Mongolian Grill 4205 Miller Rd, Flint

All tips around the grill benefit the Susan G. Komen for the Cure Breast Cancer 3-Day

Schedule of Events

Tuesday, August 7, 2012 - Clio

Start Joes Garage 11:00 am – 1:00 pm Simms Chevrolet & Clio Chrysler 12:00 noon – 2:00 pm Auto City Speedway 10205 N Saginaw 1:00 pm – 4:00 pm End at Clio Square Shopping Center 3:00 pm – 7:00 pm T-shirt give-a-way at 6:30 pm Clio Amphitheater 7:00 pm Credence Clearwater Revival Tribute (optional)

Wednesday, August 8, 2012 - Flint Township

Start 1:00 pm - 4:00 pm Genesee Valley Center - between Bar Louie and Logan's Steakhouse Dukes Car Stereo, Miller Rd 5:00 pm - 8:00 pm T-Shirt give-a-way at 7:30 pm

Thursday, August 9, 2012 - Linden/Fenton

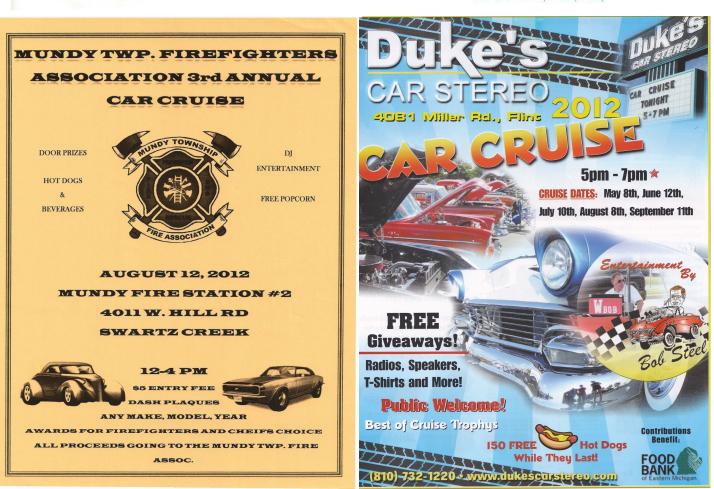
Start Downtown Linden, 11:00 am - 3:30 pm Shirt tickets at 3:00 PM, get tickets punched on Owen Rd locations 5 or more punches for a t-shirt Downtown Fenton 3:30 pm - 9:00 pm Entertainment DJ til 7:00 pm, Mototown/50s band at 7:00 pm T-shirt give-a-way at 8:30PM at Post Office

Friday, August 10, 2012 - Richfield Township/Davison Township

Start Richfield Township Park 5381 N State Rd 1:00 pm - 5:00 pm Shirt tickets at 4:30 PM Hank Graff Chevrolet, M-15 Davison 4:00 pm - 5:30 pm John's Pizzeria/VG's Davison 5:00 pm - 10:00 pm T-shirt give-a-way at 9:00 pm at John's Pizzeria

Saturday, August 11, 2012 - City of Mount Morris Start Downtown Mount Morris 10:00 am -11:00 pm T-shirt give-a-way at 8:00 pm

Note: One T-shirt per car per day



Assistant Director: Roberta Vasilow



Hey Buicktown Folks, the time is now, to enjoy our Buicks in town and with friends! The Back to the Bricks Tune Up Parties, includes the communities in the Genesee County area, to get some action from the success of Back to the Bricks weekend in Flint. But just before that, Member Rita Collie and friends will be cooking up a storm at BD's Mongolian BBQ on Thursday,. August, 2 for their trip to Tampa in October for the Susan Komen Walk. Includes at Car Show, see flyer in this newsletter.

And the schedule for the Back to Brick Tune Up Parties is on page 5 of this newsletter!

On Sunday, August 12, the Mundy Township Firefighters Association will hold their 3 Annual Car Cruise, see flyer in this newsletter.

HOT NEWS, during the Back to the Bricks Rolling Cruise on August 15 and 16 all Buicktown Members will park on the grass at Hemphill and Saginaw!!! You can invite your friends, and family, we will help with keeping the daily drivers in the regular parking area.

Like I said before, we have moved the Buicks to Court Street during the Back to the Bricks event, Reatta Division and Michigan Turbo Buicks are going to be east of Harrison and the rest of us, Buicktown and my Michigan Performance Buick Friends will be west of Harrison on Court Street, there is access to the MTA bus that can take you to the Marketplace on Kearsley, the Farmers Market or the Flint Cultural Center, that includes the Sloan Museum and Buick Research and Gallery and it is free for the weekend. Remember to bring the parking pass below or the one handed out at the meeting so there's no problem parking with us on Court St.



This **<u>BUICK</u>** is allowed to park on Court Street West of Saginaw as part of the Buicktown Car Club.

August 18th, 2012 Only

SOCIAL COMMITTEE

The social committee sent Get Well Cards were sent to: John Daily, Bill Renico, Charlie Jones, and Lois Jensen Please notify the Social Committee if you are aware of any situation needing our consideration.

Gary and Debbie Minch

Social Committee Chairpersons (810) 653 1967



Happy Birthday!

Larry	Sherman	8/2
David	Bothamly	8/3
Janet	Martin	8/3
Carol Anne	Walker	8/3
Benne	Hawker	8/5
Lana	Baich	8/6
Marsha	Loafman	8/6
Dennis	Manner	8/7
Barbara	Callard	8/7
Joe	Taubitz	8/10
Shar	Kile	8/10
Ted	Hamady	8/11
Dan	Emerton	8/12
Barbara	Horton	8/12
Terry	Hanson	8/15
Diane	Callard	8/15
Mary Anne	Bowen	8/18
Janet	Ewing	8/21
Jerry	Walker	8/22
John	Jaworski	8/23
David	Barker	8/24
Michael	Carter	8/25
Ernie	Callard	8/26
Bill	Harris	8/26

MEMBERSHIP UPDATE

We have 149 paid memberships as of July 25, 2012 Please welcome Kip Darcy as our newest member with 3 Buick Convertibles, a '73 Centurion and 2– '75 LeSabre

See you at the meetings!



Happy Anniversary!

Charles &	Janet	Anderson	8/2
Leonard &	Barbara	Callard	8/4
Jim &	Caron	Litten	8/6
Dave &	Deloryes	Langdon	8/14
Melvin &	Pamela	Conway	8/17
Ed &	Sherrill	Martin	8/17
Gil &	Penny	Mervis	8/17
William &	Barbara	Salisbury	8/17
Gary &	Ruby	Congdon	8/23
Gene &	Janice	Ezop	8/24
Jerry &	Carol Anne	Walker	8/24
Ed &	Margie	McQuigg	8/25
Marshall &	Diane	Callard	8/28
Tom &	Karin	Cloutier	8/29
Duane &	Eunice	Williams	8/29
Frank &	Mary	DeNicolo	8/30



In 2011 the Chapter's newsletter, the Crier, was modified to comply with IRS criteria due to advertising income. Simply stated, the IRS defines advertising income as unrelated to the <u>purpose</u> of the club. Their point being advertising receipts may provide member benefits by decreasing dues or increasing services. If total unrelated business income is in excess of a calculated value, based upon membership income for the fiscal year, then IRS form 990-T shall be filed.

The club's goal should be to publish the club newsletter with the costs being underwritten solely by the membership. However, the IRS does permit limited non-member income in support of club activity, including the newsletter, which is unique to the 501 C 7 classification. The club treasurer must monitor club receipts and advise the board of the situation. If non-member income exceeds limits, the club would lose its exempt status. Non-Member Advertising:

Advertising will be limited to "business card" style graphics. Advertising charge will be \$ 20 for a 12 month period. A copy of the newsletter, mailed, is included in the price. For-Profit businesses shall not receive free advertising. Non-profit organizations may receive free advertising if space is available. All advertising must have a purpose that is related to the club's activity. A club member must sponsor and vouch for each advertiser.

Please send paid advertising to Rosemary Emerton, Buicktown Treasurer, 2476 Ketzler Dr Flint, MI 48507 Include your business card.



CLASSIFIED ADVERTISING

Classified Ads are free to members of the Buicktown Chapter and run for 3 consecutive months. Ads must be to the Editor by the 15th of the month prior to the month in which the ad will run.

BUICKS FOR SALE

1982 Buick Riviera 64,049 original miles. V6, Gold on Gold. Elderly owned. Excellent condition. Stored in garage. This vehicle has not been driven for 3 years since my Grandmother passed away. Selling this for my mother. Looking for Buick enthusiast to restore and enjoy this beautiful car.

Please contact Michael Besant (Grandson) at 810-577-1330 for appointment to view this car. Asking \$5900 or best offer





1955 Roadmaster Riviera 2-Dr Ht. This is a complete parts car \$1,400 Contact: Kevin Hempton Goodrich Body Shop, Goodrich, MI 810-636-7992 khempbody@yahoo.com

1940 Buick Super convertible.

Sequoia Cream / brown leather interior. Twin Spotlights- skirts -radio heater. \$52,000 OBO drive anywhere 3.4 rear end,Roadmaster brakes, 263 engine. original drive line and parts included

1969 Sport Wagon 350 CI 4 barrel , dual Exhaust, 200-4R overdrive trans, power steering and brakes, cruise control , AC converted to 134A, Tennessee car, no rust ,paint and interior very nice. drive anywhere \$ 15,000 OBO 810-655-8988 Joe buickioet@comcast.net

1984 Buick LeSabre Limited 2

Door Coupe: Florida car, 106,040 Actual miles, needs engine work? White Exterior, Burgundy Exterior,Call Roger. 810-720-2288. 73 Riv GS Stage 1 Blue \$5500 .OBO 86 GN 63,000 miles \$10,000 OBO Denise Christian 586-574-0262

1958 Buick Special 2 door Hardtop, blue & white41,000 miles Call Ed Franks 989-723-5966



1960 Buick Invicta Red & white Call Bob Bonk,863-242-6044 or 863-242-1801



1982 Buick Electra, 67K original miles, 4.I L V6, 4bbl carb, Jade Green \$5500 Call Dan 810-732-0565

1989 Buick Reatta HT > Good Condition !!! 149,000 Mi / 3800 Engine> Runs Great !!!! New windshield (\$2,000) New plugs/wires New Tires, Brakes, Exhaust ect. \$3,800. or BO 810 444 9292



BUICK STUFF FOR SALE

1990 Reatta parting out white coupe with gray interior. Al (810)744-2191

Two car storage spaces in my pole barn available....\$35. per month...call Jim Drury 989-770-4541

Miscellaneous '37-38 and '48-49 Buick Parts, call Marvin 517-484-5188

'80s Buick Riv 3.8 turbo motor, trans, cradle, \$3000 obo, brand new call Dave 810-691-6814

Please let me know if your ads are outdated!!!

OTHER STUFF FOR SALE

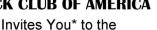
Guess it's all dried up, just like our yards!

Is it real or is it not? Very COOL!





SOUTHEAST MICHIGAN CHAPTER **BUICK CLUB OF AMERICA**



2012 BUICK BASH

Saturday, September 8 9 a.m. – 3 p.m.

Arrive by 9 a.m. at

Classic Auto Showplace. LTD

750 W. 14 Mile Rd, Troy, MI (northwest corner of Oakland Mall parking lot.) Review great cars. Enjoy donuts, coffee, juice and water. Depart 9:45 a.m. Follow map approximately 11 miles to

Museum Bronze

2600 Auburn Court, Auburn Hills, MI See a first class collection of more than 2000 handmade, functional models of cars, trains, planes, steam engines, boats, trucks, and much more! A box lunch will be served. Depart at 12:45 p.m. Follow map approximately 4 miles to

Walter P. Chrysler Museum

1 Chrysler Drive, Rochester Hills, MI 50/50 Raffle and Awards

Total Cost Per Person \$12. Pay upon arrival.

Please send reservations to Paul Clark, 1695 Three Lakes Drive, Troy, MI 48085-1434 or paclark@prodigy.net, by September 4. (Necessary for ordering refreshments, lunch, etc.)

Questions? Call Paul, 248-321-1997.

*Buicktown Chapter, Central Michigan Chapter, and West Michigan Chapter

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6186 Torrey Rd Flint MI 48507-5954

2012 CAR CRUISES Bubba O'Malley's Car Show Event

Featuring DJ Bob Steel - 50/50 & Door Prizes



MEMORIAL DAY and LABOR DAY Included he grill outside



50/50 & Donations is Support of Monthly Charities May - Whaley Childrens Center June - Relay For Life

July - Special Olympics August - Great Lakes Cancer Center September - Food Bank Of Eastern Mi.

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www.bubbaomalleys.com

I-69 @ Beslay Rd. Exit 141 Burton 810.715.9900

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