

# Gear Gossip



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## 2019 Veterans Car Show

On June 29<sup>th</sup> Golden Gears Car Club members worked diligently in the sun and heat to host another momentous Car Show for Veterans. Parking in the grass and shady areas helped to keep everyone cool as they waxed and shined their vehicles in preparation of delighting enthusiastic spectators. Many oohs and aahs were heard as the crowd snapped awesome photos of their favorite cars, trucks, motorcycles and military vehicles. We hope you had the chance to stop and see Chuck Timbrook's Black Out POW/MIA truck. Timbrook named his truck "Blackout" for prisoners of war and missing in action soldiers.

We also had new vendors come to support the cause such as the decorative license plate guy and our very own lovely Sharon Eber & her daughter who displayed and sold an array of innovative cork jewelry. We won't tell you how many bottles of wine they had to drink to support their craft!

The day was not complete until someone shouted out BINGO! That's right; we had a lively crowd at our Bingo for Vets game in the evening. Our spirited bingo caller, Roger Rothenhoefer had the crowd entertained and on their best behavior playing 16 games, several specials and the big Jackpot at the end. It was a fantastic day and our thanks go out to all who participated and the Lewistown Fire Hall for providing the building and good food. HOORAH!

**Give a man a car; he will be  
happy for the day.**

**Give a man a woman; he  
will be happy for a night.**

**Give a man a woman who  
loves cars; he will be happy  
for life.**

### Korean War Veterans Present the Colors



**Black Out POW/MIA Truck**

## 7<sup>th</sup> Street Cruise In

The Golden Gears Car Club co-hosted the annual 7<sup>th</sup> Street Cruise In. The roller skating and unicycle waitresses were a hit with the kids as well as the blow up monster truck. Great club participation for the day's event.



## Note from the President

Summer has arrived in a HOT way! Shows and Cruise-ins are going on just about every weekend. We need all the help we can get to set up and tear down. It doesn't take very long if we have the help.

We just had our 10<sup>th</sup> Annual Car Show for Veterans at the Lewistown Fire Company a few weeks ago. After a rough start in setting up and moving things around we had a great show again. With the space we had, we filled every place we could with vehicles and vendors. Some vehicles came as far as Delaware to support our event and the Veterans. Then we went inside that evening and had a very successful 2<sup>nd</sup> Annual Bingo for Vets with 97 people playing bingo. The show ended up being the 3<sup>rd</sup> largest money making event in the club's history. This show is a lot of work but at the end of the day it feels good to be able to say we have helped to achieve our mission by helping local charitable organizations like the Veterans.

I know there are many other car events and personal obligations that people have during this busy time of year. Just remember the Golden Gears Car Club is a family and we need whatever support & help you can give. Thanks and enjoy your summer and please try to stay cool and safe!

~Jay Henley~



Club meetings are held on the first Tuesday of each month at 6:30 pm at the Frederick Elks Lodge

## Letter from the Vice President

Sometimes we don't realize how far the contributions and efforts the car club can reach into the community. I would like to share this email we received about a young car enthusiast who used our web page for his research on classic cars.

"My name is Vanessa Stevens, I work at an after school program, and I wanted your club to know how helpful your web page is for a young man struggling to find activities or hobbies he would enjoy. I have been helping him with a science project about cars, horsepower, velocity and other forces! It has been great to see how much he's been engaged in learning – I believe his hobby is now classic cars!

James was showing me a few things he found on the Golden Gears web page and I suggested we send the club a note to let you know how much he enjoys reading the web site. He also wanted me to share with you and other car enthusiasts an article he found and thought you may find educational. The web page is [https://www.partsgeek.com/mmparts/history\\_of\\_the\\_auto.html](https://www.partsgeek.com/mmparts/history_of_the_auto.html)

James would like you to include this link on your web page, he would be thrilled to be able to contribute this cool auto history article!

Thanks again for this great classic car information and help with Jame's science project!"

Best Wishes,  
*Vanessa Stevens*



The Golden Gears would like to shout out a "special thank you" to our Web Master – **Bob Fowle** for his efforts and diligence to keep our web page up to date with the latest posters, pictures, articles and announcements. Awesome Job - Bob!

~Mike Locke~

### Automobile Trivia

1. James Dean was killed in 1955 driving what?
  - a. 1955 Porsche Spyder
  - b. 1955 Porsche Speedster
  - c. 1 955 Porsche 356
  
2. What is the name of the caped lady on top of the Rolls Royce radiators?
  - a. Flying Woman
  - b. Queen Elizabeth
  - c. Spirit of Ecstasy
  - d. Lady Liberty
  
3. In what year did Auto Insurance become available to drivers?
  - a. 1897
  - b. 1890
  - c. 1902
  - d. 1918

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*No one can drive you crazy unless you give them the keys!*



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**Trivia Answers:**

1. 1955 Porsche 550 Spyder while driving to an auto rally in Salinas, CA.
2. The Spirit of Ecstasy
3. The first auto insurance policy was purchased in Westfield, MA in 1897

## Save the Date

**Cruise-In's**  
**Westview Promenade**  
**5:00pm - 8:00 pm**

April 13  
 May 11  
 June 8  
 July 13  
 August 10  
 September 14  
 October 12

**Catoctin Breeze Wine and**  
**Wheels Show**

**When:** July 20, 2019  
**Where:** Catoctin Breeze Vineyard  
**Times:** Car Show 12pm-5pm

## Celebrations



### Birthdays

Vicki Stull	April 07
John Clemm	May 02
Chuck Bare	June 01

### Anniversaries

Ricki & Donnie Putman	May 11
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