

Wheel Issues

Newsletter of the **Eastern Nebraska/Western Iowa Car Council**

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Regular meetings are held on the third Wednesday of every month alternating between Omaha and Lincoln. Officers and representatives of member organizations are asked to sign in before the meeting, and guests are always welcome. Meetings begin at 7:30 PM - many arrive early for dinner.

Omaha meetings are held at the Tangier Shrine Temple, on the east side of 84th Street, south of Center Street. Lincoln meetings are held at the Golden Corral, 3940 North 27th Street.

MEETING DATES FOR 2015

LINCOLN:

OMAHA: December 16

If a weather advisory exists for a meeting, it will be canceled and business is carried over to the next month.

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Clubs in Attendance at the November Meeting

Classic GM Truck Club	Cornhusker Early Ford V8 Club-Lincoln
Cornhusker Model "A" Club – Lincoln	Crossroads Chpt-Buick Club-America
Crossroads Car Club-Plattsmouth	Cruisin' Classics
Fremont Antique Car Club, Inc.	Heartland Chevelle Club
Horseless Carriage Club- Omaha	Husker Chapter Studebaker Drivers
Mead Star Dusters	Meadowlark Model "A" Club
Midwest Earl y Corvette Club	Nebraska Corvette Assn.
Nebraska Model "T" Club	Nebraska Region – AACA
Nifty Fifties Ford Club	Omaha Early Ford V-8 Club
Rebels Auto Club-Lincoln	The Slo Rollers of NW Missouri

GUESTS

Nebraska Rod & Custom Assn.

MEETING MINUTES - November 18, 2014

INTRODUCTIONS

Meeting started at 7:29 PM

In the absence of the President, Roy Murabito called the meeting to order. He asked that everyone sign in on the sign-in sheet. He also asked that everyone also check the membership roster to verify their contact information. We also had the swap meet jobs list available for verification of members that will be working the 2016 Swap Meet.

GUESTS ADDRESSING THE COUNCIL

No guests this evening

APPROVAL OF MINUTES

Leonard Bouc made a motion to approve the minutes as printed in the November newsletter. Motion seconded by Boyd Ready. Motion carried.

TREASURER'S REPORT

Treasurer Boyd Ready read the treasurer's report. Motion to approve the treasurer's report by Ray Moyer. Seconded by Chuck Garber. Motion carried.

Multiple bills were submitted. One by Cindy Wimmer for \$95.49. Secretary Cindy Wimmer reported that the November bill was more than usual because of a color insert that she was directed by the President to add to the newsletter. The printers charged a considerable amount of money to print and insert this flyer. There was discussion on this cost and the attendees agreed to not include this insert in future newsletters. Motion was made to approve payment of this bill by Leonard Bouc and seconded by Gayle Hanshaw. Motion carried.

A second bill was submitted to pay Old Cars Weekly for a dues subscription in the amount of \$104.98. This is for a 3 year subscription (114 issues).

Jim Snyder made a motion to approve the payment of this bill. He feels that we should have a presence in their publication. Motion seconded by Bob VonKaenel. There was some discussion on this subscription which is currently being sent to Ray Moyer but in the future will be sent to the PO Box for the Car Council. The last item on the treasurer's agenda was about charitable giving from the Administration Account. Last year we gave \$250.00 each to 4 charities for a total of \$1,000.00. Jim Snyder made a motion to approve giving to the same 4 charities as last year again this year and to add one additional charity this year. After discussion it was decided that the recipients this year will be the City Mission of Lincoln, Matt Talbot Kitchen, Siena/Francis House, Tangier Shrine Club Transportation Fund, NW Missouri Child Advocacy. Motion seconded by Ray Moyer. Motion carried.

Dues for 2016

If your club has not paid your dues, please get that done before the 1st of the year.

SWAP MEET

Kerry Fox said that he has started to talk to the building managers. He would like the clubs to confirm their jobs after the meeting tonight. We now have insurance thru Elite Insurance in the amount of \$1,545.00 for one year.

Insuring the Kawasaki mules is an additional cost. Kerry Fox has been talking to a couple of people that might donate mules to our cause or we may have to rent golf carts. There is a charge of \$300.00 for the rental of those carts. If we

damage them, we would have to fix them ourselves. That insurance coverage is for 4 days only. We need to be careful that our current insurance policy will not exclude us as a result of those mules.

Secretary Cindy Wimmer read a letter from one of our members that will be passed on to the publishing company in regard to some suggestions for the Car Council book next year.

Ron Gillis asked when the book will be on the website after the swap meet. He didn't think it was a good idea to release it to the website too soon after the swap meet. This would insure that more people would actually attend the Swap Meet in order to get their books.

NEW BUSINESS

There was some discussion again on the swap meet. Something to think about in the future is changing the date of the swap meet, changing the season of the swap meet and possibly consider changing the venue to another place possibly in the summer or fall.

The Fall Foliage Tour at Wabonsi State Park has been rented for October 2nd of 2016. That is the first Sunday of the month,

Elections of Officers for 2016 - 2017

Elections will be held in March 2016. If you, or someone that you know would be able to attend meetings every month, and you think will be dependable and do a good job for the Car Council, please contact Vice President Roy Murabito , Secretary Cindy Wimmer or Treasurer Boyd Ready to submit your nominees. We need good, dependable people to help us lead our Council.

PAST EVENTS

Buick club has an event in North Omaha on November 13, 2015 at Sortino's Pizza place. Nice Buicks attended.

UPCOMING EVENTS

Shows, Swap Meets and Auctions Promoted at the Meeting

Please withhold discussion of your upcoming events in the Agenda Pay attention to who will be deserving of a position on the Council.

No upcoming Events

ADJOURNMENT

Meeting ended at 8:05 p.m. Motion to adjourn by Jim Snyder. Motion seconded by Dan Wesolowski. Motion carried.

NEXT MEETING

Omaha on December 16, 2015

MEMBERSHIP DUES

Dues are 25 cents per member per year for each club, with a minimum charge of \$10.00 for each club. Dues are due October 1st and are delinquent **December 31st**. If not yet made, bring payment to the next meeting, or mail dues to the Treasurer.

**Each club is entitled to receive two copies of the Wheel Issues newsletter. It is the responsibility of each club to inform us of any changes in mailing information. You can submit changes in writing by mailing them to:
Secretary, ENWICC, PO Box 5838, Lincoln, NE 68505,
or at the next meeting of the Eastern Nebraska Western Iowa Car Council.**

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It costs the Car Council to print and mail on average \$1.50/newsletter for each one sent. Help us lower our expenses and get your copy of "Wheel Issues" by e-mail. Please provide your e-mail address to the Secretary at the next Council meeting to receive it directly.



HOUSEKEEPING ITEMS

GOLDEN CORRAL MEETING POLICY FOR USE OF ROOM REMINDER

Prior to the November 2012 meeting, the manager of the Golden Corral brought to the attention of Vice President Roy Murabito that his staff have reported instances of meeting attendees not paying for food taken from the buffet lines. We are allowed to use the meeting room for free *provided that meeting attendees purchase meals*. If there are future instances of people not paying for meals or other items consumed (coffee, pop, etc.), we run the risk of losing our present Lincoln meeting location. **Please** do not abuse or jeopardize our current arrangement with Golden Corral.

COUNCIL BY-LAWS – CURRENT EDITION AVAILABILITY

A copy of the most-current revision of the By-Laws, which was made in 2004 and does include the current dues policy, is available. Those wishing a copy of this are asked to contact the Secretary to obtain one.

LINCOLN MEETING ROOM REMINDERS

The meeting room at the Golden Corral in Lincoln is to be configured to place the Council's officers against the west wall in an effort to improve communication during the meeting. **Please help us by holding tables on the west center side of the room open for officers.** Thank you for your cooperation.

PLEASE STAND AND SPEAK UP!!

Due to the open layout and large size of the Crescent meeting room in Omaha, as well as the configuration of the meeting room in Lincoln, it is difficult for many attendees to hear conversations and discussion during the meeting. PLEASE stand and speak up for the benefit of attendees and the Secretary so that accurate notes can be obtained. It would also be appreciated if non-related conversations be kept at a minimum during the business portion of the meeting as a courtesy to attendees.

AGENDA ORDER – NO EVENT DISCUSSION BEFORE IT'S TIME, PLEASE

Representatives are reminded that meetings of the Council follow an established agenda as follows (* - When Required):

1. **Opening/Introductions** - President
- 2.* **Guests Addressing/Presenting to the Council***
3. **Approval of Minutes** of Last Meeting
4. **Treasurer's Report** - Treasurer
5. **Old Business** (Items carried over from previous meetings)
6. **New Business** (Items new to the agenda not previously discussed, **excluding** events discussion/promotion)
7. **Past Events** (Discussion of recently-held events)
8. **Upcoming Events** (Promotion/Discussion of upcoming events)
- 9.* **New Clubs** wishing to join the Council*
10. **Adjournment** - President

NEW AGENDA ITEMS: If you have an item that should be included in the Agenda for the next meeting, please notify the Secretary prior to the beginning of the meeting by calling the President or emailing president@enwicc.com to arrange for its addition.

EVENTS DISCUSSION: Discussion of past and upcoming events is to be held following close of New Business as the last items before adjournment. Please help meetings proceed in a more-orderly fashion by withholding discussion of events until that portion of the agenda is opened by the President or presiding officer.

ENWICC'S MISSION

To serve all member clubs and their individual members in a spirit of cooperation and fraternity.

To encourage the acquisition, restoration, preservation, and maintenance of collectible old and special interest automobiles.

To serve as a clearing house for historical and technical information beneficial to and required by member clubs.

To support sound and protective legislation and regulatory actions. To defend vigorously the rights and privileges of the old car and the special interest hobbies to use of the public highways, byways, and streets. To protect and assure sound licensing provisions in State Laws and local ordinances.

To publicize our hobby: to bring favorable public reaction to bear upon the hobby, and to make legislative authorities and the general public aware of the existence of the hobby and the intrinsic value of preserving a part of automotive history.

To perform such other promotional and community service programs as will reflect to the credit and success of the automotive hobby

