

# *Wheel Issues*

Newsletter of the **Eastern Nebraska Western Iowa Car Council**  
**P.O. Box 106, Blair, NE 68008**  
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## **ENWICC OFFICERS - 2017-2018**

### **President**

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### **Treasurer**

Connie Johnson  
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### **Secretary**

Cindy Wimmer  
2031 Surfside Dr.  
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### **Committee Chairs**

#### **Rocky Manginelli Memorial Swap Meet**

Kerry Fox	524 W Harvest Dr., Lincoln, NE 68521	402-499-9711
Frank Wimmer	2031 Surfside Dr., Lincoln, NE 68528	402-450-8490

#### **Paul High Memorial Scholarship**

Roy Murabito	1005 Fern St., Plattsmouth, NE 6804	402-298-8204
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#### **Legislative**

Dave Vollmer	17670 Ida St., Bennington, NE 68007	402-238-2396
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#### **Webmaster**

Kurt Balhorn	5525 N 113 <sup>th</sup> Street, Omaha NE 68164	402-492-8009
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#### **Car Council Directory**

Alan Tast	14704 S. 227th St., Gretna, NE 6028	402-669-0513
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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 Center, 2823 South 84<sup>th</sup> Street. Lincoln meetings are held at the Pizza Ranch, 8420 Lexington Avenue.

## **MEETING DATES FOR 2018**

**LINCOLN:** January 17, March 21, May 16, July 18, September 19, November 21

**OMAHA:** February 21, April 18, June 20, August 15, October 17, December 19

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 December Meeting**

Centennial Model "T" Club	Classic T-Bird Club of Omaha
Classy Chassis Car Club – Red Oak	Cornhusker Corvette Club
Cornhusker Early Ford V8 Club-Lincoln	Cornhusker Model "A" Club – Lincoln
Crossroads Chpt-Buick Club-America	Crossroads Car Club – Plattsmouth
Dave Volmer (Independent)	D.J. Hogan (Independent)
Heartland Chevelle Club	Hudson-Essex-Terraplane Club
Husker Chapter Studebaker Drivers	Kingsmen of Lincoln
Meadowlark Model "A" Club	Midwest Antique Auto Club
Midwest Early Corvette Club	Midwest Street Rod Ass'n – Omaha
Misfits Hot Rods Car Club	Mustang Car Club of Omaha
Nebraska Region AACA	Nifty Fifties Ford Club
Omaha Early Ford V-8 Club	Plymouth Owners Club – Prairie Region
Rebels Auto Club-Lincoln	Slo Rollers of NW Missouri
Street-Tiques-Oma ha	

-GUESTS-

Nebraska Rod and Custom Association

## **MEETING MINUTES – December 20, 2017**

The Pledge of Allegiance was presented.

### **INTRODUCTIONS**

Meeting started at 7:30 PM

Acting President Boyd Ready asked that everyone sign in on the attendance sheet and to correct their information as needed on the Car Council representative list.

### **GUESTS ADDRESSING THE COUNCIL**

None

### **APPROVAL OF MINUTES**

There were two corrections to the minutes. Change the date that the ads need to be to the publisher for the 2018 Car Club Directory to January 5<sup>th</sup>, 2018 not the end of January.

And the next meeting will be in January 17, 2018 not February 2018

Motion to approve the minutes as corrected by Curt Wagner. Motion seconded by D.J.Hogan. Motion carried.

## **TREASURER'S REPORT**

Treasurer Connie Johnson read the treasurers report. Marvin Cooper made a motion to approve the Treasurer's report as presented. Gayle Hanshaw seconded the motion. Motion carried.

There were 5 bills presented this evening. Secretary Cindy Wimmer presented bills in the amounts of \$71.88 for the printing and postage of the newsletter, \$28.02 for flash drives for the Car Council and \$265.01 for materials for the upcoming swap meet. Frank Wimmer presented a bill in the amount of \$51.48 for copies for the swap meet. Roy Murabito presented a bill in the amount of \$87.06 for scholarship materials.

Motion to approve payment of the bills as presented by Jim Snyder. Motion was seconded by D.J. Hogan. Motion carried.

## **OLD BUSINESS**

### **SWAP MEET**

Frank Wimmer had no report to give at this time.

### **2018 CAR COUNCIL BOOK UPDATE**

Alan Tast gave a report on the Car Council Book. The deadline to submit your events and advertising will be on January 5<sup>th</sup>, 2018. Your clubs need to get their ads in by using the form in the 2017 directory or the website at [www.enwicc.com](http://www.enwicc.com). Also, your club contact information needs to get to Secretary Cindy Wimmer by the January 17, 2018 meeting in Lincoln. You can have up to 2 people as representatives of your club listed in the directory. We ask that you provide no more than 2 people as space is limited this year. He also had hoped to include a list of the "Hobbyist of the Year Awards" since the beginning of the Council. But he is missing a lot of people's names. He asks that if you know of someone that received this award in the past, please contact him to provide this information. He also asked for the Fall Foliage flyer for the upcoming Car Council Book. The Slo Rollers Car Club will provide this flyer to him. That event will be held on October 7<sup>th</sup> this year.

### **Scholarship Report**

Roy Murabito has everything ready to go to the post office. There are a total of 107 envelopes to be mailed. Will mail these out after the first of the year. He also has a few extras if anyone wants to take them tonight. This evening he brought a few free Car Council ball caps if anyone wants them.

### **Holiday Giving**

Treasurer Connie Johnson read the names of the 2016 recipients of the nonprofit donations from last year. There was some discussion on having the FoodNet collect any food that comes into the swap meet in 2018. D.J. Hogan will be spear-heading this process. A motion was made by Jim Snyder to give \$500.00 to each of the non-profit organizations that we gave to last year. Donations will be going to the following organizations:

Northwest Missouri Child Advocacy  
Lincoln's People City Mission  
Tangier Shrine Transportation Fund

Sienna Francis House  
Matt Talbot Kitchen

Motion was seconded by Gene Gau. There was discussion on increasing that amount.  
Motion stands. Motion carried.

We will hold off giving to the Foodnet this year to see how they respond to the 2018 Swap Meet in the spring. Also, next year, we will be giving money to somewhere in Iowa based on the Iowa clubs donation recommendations. They are to be thinking of who to donate to by this time next year. There was also some discussion on changing donation recipients in the future to expand our donations.

### **NEW BUSINESS**

Acting President Boyd Ready asked the group for their recommendations on how to run our club better. Please write down your motions so that it can be handed to the secretary ahead of the next meeting.

Also, Boyd asked that you check with the Secretary before you leave the meeting if you have changed your contact information to ensure that she is able to read your changes prior to your leaving that evening.

### **PAST EVENTS**

Monty Frost reported on the Mercedes Benz repair shop costs.

### **CAR CLUBS APPLYING FOR MEMBERSHIP INTO THE CAR COUNCIL**

There were no members present

**AMC's of the Midwest**

610 Miller Ave.

Red Oak, IA 51566

President Michael Dixon

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Gary Thoren

712-623-9010

[gar16ia@yahoo.com](mailto:gar16ia@yahoo.com)

Motion to approve their membership by Jim Snyder. Motion seconded by D.J. Hogan. Motion carried.

### **UPCOMING EVENTS**

**Shows, Swap Meets and Auctions Promoted at the Meeting**

None

## ADJOURNMENT

The meeting ended at 8:15 PM

Motion to adjourn by Alan Tast. Motion seconded by Curt Wagner. Motion carried.

## NEXT MEETING

In Lincoln on January 17, 2018

## 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 1<sup>st</sup> and are delinquent **December 31<sup>st</sup>**. 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 106, Blair, NE 68008, or at the next meeting of the Eastern Nebraska Western Iowa Car Council.**

## GET "WHEEL ISSUES" BY E-MAIL AND HELP US SAVE \$\$\$

It costs the Car Council to print and mail on average \$3.50/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

### COUNCIL BY-LAWS – CURRENT EDITION AVAILABILITY

A copy of the most-current revision of the By-Laws, which was revised in 2016 and does include the current dues policy, is available. Those wishing a copy of this are asked to contact the Secretary to obtain one.

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

