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2011 Awards Bar-B-Que

Twinkling lights, a sea of black and white tables and Sammy Hagger's "I Can't Drive 55" greeted members as they walked down the steps into the Old Mill Emporium.

140 members and guests attended. Beverages flowed while guests snacked on munchies. The brisket and pork were delicious and the desserts quickly disappeared.

It was wonderful to see so many people attend the event and we hope to see you all back next year.

Kathy Giordano



Sharlene Smith & Norma Williams



"The Lizards"

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A message from our Regional Executive:

Our Annual Awards Banquet was on Jan 21st, and was very well attended by 140 of our Kansas City Region Members, Families and Guests. Our site for this years Awards banquet, was the Old Mill Emporium in Parkville, MO, where we all enjoyed the cocktail reception followed by a buffet style dinner. The Presentation of the Awards began at 8pm and concluded about 9:45pm. It was a wonderful evening and I want to thank our Banquet Chairman, Kathy Giordano and everybody that helped to make our Banquet a huge success.

Membership – as we start into 2012, we have 485 members in our Kansas City Region. I have set a Goal to increase our Membership by 10% in the coming year. On Jan 31, we will hold our first Board of Directors meeting, and I will be presenting my views on how we can achieve our Goal.

In Feb, I will be attending the MiDiv Convention in Springfield, MO, and the SCCA National Convention in Las Vegas March 3-4-5.

Spring is right around the corner – with our Racing Schedules, there are exciting times ahead.

Best Regards,

Joe Tasler



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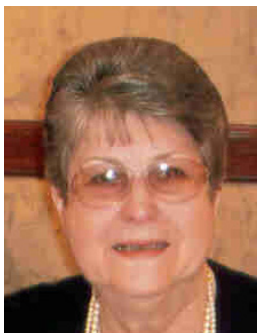
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Dear Mom:

On January 11th, 2012 Miss Indigo Ixchel Williams was born at 7:42pm. She weighed in at 8 lb 2 oz and was 21" long. Her proud parents are Brian and Jennifer, her big sisters are Brittney and Seven and grandparents are Charlie and Norma Williams. She is being called Indi and is sure cute.



Ken Snyder celebrated the big "50th" birthday on December 23rd, 2011. Chelsea says he is now qualified to be an official AARP member! Happy "belated" birthday Ken.

Kyle Rohde and Chelsea Fitch have announced their engagement and will be married on Sept 2nd, 2012 at the Olde Mill Emporium in Parkville, MO. They have a fun weekend planned with around 120 of their friends and family. Chelsea grew up in Iowa/Nebraska and Kyle was from Wisconsin. They will continue to live in the Kansas City Northland after they are married.

Ed Sodano is moving to Austin, Texas in the spring. He has lived in the Kansas City area 30 years. He has been saying for the last few years that he was moving South to get away from the nasty KC winters. It seems he is finally going to do so and after this mild winter we have had!!

Update from Jarold Boettcher. In regards to his selling his race car, tow truck and trailer, he said that all three were now sold, the car went to New Orleans, the truck to Dallas and the trailer to Indiana. He advertised them in August and the truck sold within a week and the race car and trailer sold in 4 months.

Mirl Swan and Kera Yelkin were married on 11-11-11. Mirl said they figured that was a good date and easy to remember. They reside in Olathe, KS.

Dan Haugh wasn't able to attend the Kansas City Awards Bar-B-Que on January 21st as it was the same day as the Awards Banquet for the Bonneville Nationals held in California. Dan drove a Saab 900 turbo to a land speed record in October at an ECTA event at Maxton, and plans to campaign a car at Bonneville in the future.

Our condolences to the Kent and Sue Ann Edmondson family on the death of his mother. Wanda Edmondson, 87, passed away on January 20th, 2012. She and her husband, Eddie were living in Arkansas at the time but were formerly from Camdenton, MO. She loved to sing and play the organ.

DON'T LOOK BACK

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FEBRUARY BIRTHDAYS

- 2 Tyler Hermans
(s) of Albert & Sandra
Adam Morris
- 3 Paul Brown
Everett L Watts II
- 6 Glenn Gustitus
Deborah Hammann
- 7 Mark Bracewell
- 8 Michelle Fredrick
- 10 Gabriel Taylor - 7 yr old
(gr-grs) of Bill & Dodie Rinke
- 11 Jesse Reynolds 6 yr old
(gr-grs) of Ron & Jan
- 12 Ian Moylan - 7 yr old
(s) of Paul & Alicia
- 13 Alex Serrano - 16 yr old
(grs) of Brian & Bonnie Haupt
- 16 Dan Haugh
Karin Roberts
- 17 Mirl Swan
- 21 Michael Kennedy
- 24 Anthony Taylor
- 25 Wynn Cote
Tony Giordano
Kennedy Ann Wallen -6 yr old
(gr-grd) of Bill & Dodie Rinke
- 26 Chris Funk
- 27 James Lorenzetti
- 28 Edward Ozment
Hayley Peter - (d) of Hans & Susan



FEBRUARY ANNIVERSARY

- 11 Ken & Joyce Pruett - 50 years
- 14 Matt & Irene Smith
- 17 Rodney & Sandy Winters - 21 years
- 20 Brian & Jennifer Williams



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Kansas City Region SCCA 2011 Awards Banquet held January 21st, 2012

2011 Kansas City Region outgoing board member: Brian Landers (2010 secretary/2011 board member)
outgoing Regional executive: Charlie Clark (2011 regional executive)

2011 Event Chair: 2010 Awards Banquet : Kathy Giordano
 2011 Picnic : Sharlene Smith
 2011 Picnic Host : Willard King
 2011 Rally : Rich Bireta
 2011 Survival School : Mike Hill
 2011 Solo Chairs : Shawn Hill, Bob Buxbaum, Doug Hitchcock, Ron Williams,
 Al Hermans, Dan Wheeler, Todd Hesskamp, Don Gawf, Charlie Clark, Kent Edmondson

2011 Best Event Award - Midiv Divisional Solo - Al Hermans
 2011 Outstanding Kansas City Region members: Bob Buxbaum, Alexandra Clark, Paula Diehl,
 Barbara Garrett, Al Hermans, Donna Hill, Char Keith, Kyle Rohde,
 Sharlene Smith, Dick Van Benschoten, Norma Williams

2010 New member memento - Adam Morris
 2011 New member - Patrick Kern & Chance Kern

MidAm Club racing: 1st Super Touring U Champion - Guy Watney
 1st Super Touring O Champion - Matthew Miller
 1st GT America Champion - Stephen Wiles
 2nd Spec Racer Ford - Marc Wilson

The Midwest Division I. T. Tour: 1st Improved Touring 7 Champion - Ben Wolf
 3rd Improved Touring 7 - Charles Casteel





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National Racing:

1st Formula Mazda ChampionGary Phillips
1st Grand Touring 1 Champion.....Chris Stevens
1st American Sedan Champion.....Jim Wheeler
1st D Sports Racing ChampionTom Bootz
1st Grand Touring 2 Champion.....Tony Giordano
1st Formula F ChampionCliff Johnson
2nd Formula 500Timothy Friest
2nd Touring 1Mike McGinley
2nd E ProductionCharlie Clark
2nd STOMark Kirby
3rd Formula 500David Vincent
3rd Formula VeeBill Johnson III
3rd Spec Racer FordO.L. Kinney

Kansas City Region had 6 national champions and 13 awards in National racing, four in MidAm and two in the I.T. Tour. They also had two National Champions at the Runoffs - Tom Bootz and Justin Pritchard

Club racing awards:

2010 Crew Person of the Year memento - Drew Arnold
2011 Crew Person of the Year - Tom Holstrom
2010 Rookie Driver of the Year memento - Michael Kinney
2011 Rookie Driver of the Year - Ben Wolf
2010 Glen Shepard Most Improved Driver of the Year memento - Tim Friest
2011 Glen Shepard Most Improved Driver of the Year - Gary Phillips
2010 Regional Driver of the Year memento - Jim Cote Jr
2011 Regional Driver of the Year - Ben Wolf
2010 Edgar Alsbury Mechanic of the Year memento - Ed Sodano
2011 Edgar Alsbury Mechanic of the Year - Steve Wolf
2010 E Tom Newcomer Driver of the Year memento - Brian Haupt
2011 E Tom Newcomer Driver of the Year - Tom Bootz & Justin Pritchard
2010 Spouse of the Year memento - Neava Ford
2011 Spouse of the Year - Meredith Pritchard
2010 Vic Sadler Worker of the Year memento - Gary Kern
2011 Vic Sadler Worker of the Year - Chris Kern
Special Lizard award given to the Ken Kern family
2010 Norma Williams Award of Excellence mememto - Kent Edmondson
2011 Norma Williams Award of Excellence - Joe Tasler

5 years (2006)

Adam Asselta
Ashley Asselta
Lynnet Asselta
Michael Asselta
Rachel Asselta
Morgan Baskett
Paula Diehl
Jim Eisinger
Donna Hill
Mike Hill
Shawn Hill
Makenna Holstrom
Melissa Holstrom
Dale Leuck
Allen Newcomb
Scott Tucker

10 years (2001)

Bob Bornkessel
Don Buffon
Brian Clark
William Correll
Mike McGinley
Michael Walls
Marc Wilson

15 years (1996)

Paul Brown
Chuck Clark
Helmut Derra
Kittie McNamara
Harlan Moore
Scott Petersen
Meredith Pritchard
Jack Schneider

20 years (1991)

David Bennett
Nancy Johnson
Erik LaPrada
Paul Moylan
Steve Patterson
Kyle Ritter
William Schmidt

25 years (1986)

Norma Williams
Chuck Woloscuk

30 years (1981)

Terry Ozment
Donna Swift

35 years (1976)

Steve Nafus
Richard White
Steve Wolf

40 years (1971)

Dr Richard Hedden
Rodney Winters

45 years (1966)

Brian Haupt
Bill Johnson Jr

50 years (1961)

Marvin Wolf

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Regular member	\$65	Regular member	\$20	\$85
Family membership**	\$85	Family membership**	\$25	\$110
First Gear membership	\$45	Age 24 and under		\$45

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February 7	6:30pm	Solo Advisory Meeting, Westport Flea Market
February 7	8:00pm	General Membership Meeting, Westport Flea Market
February 21	7:30pm	Race Group Meeting, Westport Flea Market
February 28	7:00pm	Board Meeting, Westport Flea Market
March 1 through 4		SCCA National Convention, Las Vegas, Nevada
March 6	6:00pm	Solo Advisory Meeting, Westport Flea Market
March 6	7:30pm	General Membership Meeting, Westport Flea Market



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