

THE PUGET SOUND ROCKET

Newsletter of the Puget Sound Olds Club

An Official Chapter of the Oldsmobile Club of America

July 2016



The Greenwood Car Show

On Saturday, June 25, 10 members of the Puget Sound Olds Club gathered with their cars at 5:30 in the morning on Greenwood Ave. It was important to be staged at such an early hour in order to have all of our cars together. By 7am, the show was nearly full. This is perhaps one of the largest car shows in the Pacific Northwest with an estimated 800 cars in attendance. The show field stretches from 72nd and Greenwood Avenue to 90th. Cars are lined up on both sides of the street which makes an unbelievable sight. Our chapter member, Jim Edwards, is a member of the Greenwood Knights and was on the organizing staff of the show. Thank you, Jim, for arranging the location on the show field for the Puget Sound Olds Club.

An estimated 10,000 spectators filled the avenue all day long. At times it was so crowded that it was difficult to walk up the middle of the street. One of the highlights of the show was the appearance of Dennis Gage, the host of "My Classic Car." Additional photos from the show are on page .

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President's Message

PSOC Members,

As noted on the front page of this newsletter, 10 members of the Puget Sound Olds Club arose early on Saturday the 25 of June to meet at the Greenwood Avenue Car Show. Thank you again, Jim Edwards for saving the 10 spaces for our member's cars.

We were able to contact about 25 owners of Buicks and Pontiacs and present them with flyers for the BOP Show that our chapter is hosting on Sept. 4 at the XXX Drive Inn in Issaquah. Their response was very favorable and many stated that they would be pleased to attend the show.

Our next event is our annual Zone Show in Edmonds on July 9. It would be great to have a large number of our members attend this year. The show officially opens at 9am but the organizing staff will be there by 8am. If you can also be there early to assist in the set-up, it will be greatly appreciated.

The South Sound 442 Club show is the day after our Zone Show on July 10 at Griot's Garage in Tacoma. If you have a Cutlass or 442, this is a great show. Try to attend if you can.

See you at the Zone Show

Ed Konsmo

President

DEADLINE FOR SUBMITTAL TO THE NEWSLETTER:

Information to be considered for submittal in to the newsletter needs to be received by the 25th of the month. Please send your information as an e-mail or attach it to your e-mail in

word document form. If you have problems or questions, call Ed or Pam at 253-845-2288. Please e-mail your submittal to: ekonsmo@msn.com

“BETWEEN THE BUMPERS” ... By Ed

Photos from the Greenwood Ave Show



On the left,
Members Olds on Greenwood A

Left center photo,
Thousands of spectators

Below,
Dennis Gage viewing a Pontiac



On the left,
More members Olds on
Greenwood Ave

LET'S GET PERSONAL



July Birthdays

<u>Date</u>		<u>Lives in</u>
6	Sheree Corrigan	Olympia, WA
12	Pam Konsmo	Puyallup, WA
21	Laverne Gadbois	Edmonds, WA

2016 CHAPTER MEETING HOSTS *

July – Zone Show

August – Robert Kruse @ Rhodes River Ranch

September - BOP Show Triple X Drive Inn

*October – **Open***

November – Nina & Jim Rogers

December - Christmas Party

***Host provides refreshments**

MEMBER NOTES & CHAPTER INFO

This page features notes of interest for and about our members. If you have something interesting to report, please send an e-mail to your editor at ekonsmo@msn.com, or call and leave a message, 253-845-2288.

We would like to encourage members who have not attended a Zone Show In recent years to join us the Frances Anderson Center for the 2016 event. If you have not pre-registered, you can pay on arrival. Directions are below.

It is important to have as many chapter members assisting in the staging of the Zone Show on July 9. We open the field at 9 am and need four or five members to assist in parking cars. Would you be willing to help? If so, please attend the June meeting. If you are not sure of the location of the Newport Way Library, below are directions to the library.

Driving Directions to the Frances Anderson Center

From Exit 177 on I-5, take Hwy 104 toward the Edmonds Ferry. At 100th Ave W. (Just past Walgreens) turn right (north). Just past 220th St SW, name changes to 9th Ave S. continue to Main St. and turn left. Frances Anderson Center is on your left in one block.

The "snack list" for meetings has not been filled for 2016. At this time, the October meeting needs a volunteer. If you are willing to bring the snacks to the October meeting, please call 253-576-1128 and leave a message if no answer. Thanks in advance

Chapter Meeting Minutes

OLDSMOBILE CLUB OF AMERICA PUGET SOUND CHAPTER

MINUTES

June 5, 2016

President Ed Konsmo convened the meeting at 1 p.m. 13 members were present.

The chapter treasury is solvent.

No minutes from the May meeting.

There are still three spaces available for the Greenwood Car Show on June 25.

Three chapter members attended the Ford Car Show at the Bellevue Community College before our chapter meeting. Attendance was very poor this year. There was two Other shows in the area that took away attendees, the MoPar Show and the Convertible Only Show at the XXX Root Beer Drive Inn in Issaquah.

The menu for the Zone Show picnic was discussed. The members in attendance expressed a desire for chicken and beans, no hot dogs.

It was decided by the members present that we would reduce the number of trophies to six. We will also have the 50/50 raffle.

The Rhodes River Ranch Show on Aug. 7 was discussed. It was moved by Jim Edwards to Replace the regular August chapter meeting with the R.R.R Show. There is a meeting room That we can use if the need for a meeting arises. Members present approve the motion.

A program ad for the National Meet Program was approved and will be sent by Ed K.

**No additional business was discussed.
The meeting adjourned at 2 pm**

Ed Konsmo (Temp Secretary)

Swap Meets & Shows to attend in July

The swap meets and shows are selected based on convenient locations.

- JULY 2 Tacoma, WA; Caffeine & Gasoline**
Griot's Garage Store & Events Center; 3333 S. 38th St; Tacoma, WA 98409;
8am – 10:30am; No Adm. Fee; No Reg. Fee; 253-922-2400;
info@groitsgarage.com; <http://www.groitsgarage.com>
- JULY 9 Edmonds, WA; 31st Annual Oldsmobile Car Show & Picnic**
Frances Anderson Center, 700 Main St, Edmonds, WA 98020; 9am – 3pm; No Adm. Fee;
Reg. Fee - \$20; Puget Sound Chapter OCA; 425-485-3093; ekstraw@comcast.net;
www.pugetsoundoldsclub.org
- JULY 10 Tacoma, WA; 442 & Cutlass Car Show**
Griot's Garage, 3333 S. 38th St; Tacoma, WA 98409; 10am – 3pm; No Adm. Fee;
Reg. Fee - \$10; South Sound 442 Club of Tacoma, WA; 360-895-3389;
rallyedave@yahoo.com; <http://glorene.com/auto/442/>
- JULY 13-17 Bellevue, WA; 37th Annual GTOAA National Convention**
Bellevue Hilton Hotel, 300 112th Ave SE, Bellevue, WA 98516; 8am – 5pm each day;
No Adm. Fee; Reg. Fee - \$30; Vendor Fee - \$100; NW GTO Legends; 206-243-3390;
wallys@northwestlegends.com; www.northwetlegends.com
- JULY 16 Auburn, WA; 4th Annual Car Show 4 Kids**
Parking Lot of Coastal Farm & Ranch, 1425 Outlet Collection Dr. Auburn, WA 98001;
9am – 4pm; No Adm. Fee; Reg. Fee - \$20; Car Show 4 Kids; 253-735-8974;
algonataz@comcast.net; www.facebook.com/carshow4kids
- JULY 16 Tacoma, WA; All Pontiac GMC Car Show**
Griot's Garage Store & Events Center; 3333 S. 38th St; Tacoma, WA 98409;
7am – 3pm; No Adm. Fee; Reg. Fee - \$20; Puget Sound Chapter, Pontiac-
Oakland Club International; 360-426-3156; bsk1@msn.com;
<http://pugetsoundpoci.com>
- JULY 17 Shoreline, WA; Shoreline Classic Car Show**
Meridian Park Elementary, 17077 Meridian Ave. N, Shoreline, WA 98133; 10am – 3pm;
No Adm. Fee; Reg. Fee - \$20; Vendor Fee - \$200; Meridian Park PTSA/Greenwood Knights;
206-789-7226; mpcarshow@live.com; <http://meridianparkptsa.org>
- JULY 29-31 Puyallup, WA; Goodguys 29th Pacific Northwest Nationals**
Washington State Fair Events Center, 110 9th Ave SW, Puyallup, WA 98371; 8am – 5pm each
Day. Adm. Fee - \$20; Reg. Fee - \$70; Good Guys Rod & Custom Association; 925-838-9876;
info@good-guys.com; www.good-guys.com

OLDSMOBILE CAR SHOW

31st Annual Pacific Northwest Zone Show & Picnic
Hosted by the Puget Sound Chapter, Oldsmobile Club of America



Fred Steik- My Fathers' Oldsmobile 1978 Cutlass Supreme

Saturday July 9, 2016

9:00am-3:00pm

*****Frances Anderson Center*****

***** 700 Main St Edmonds WA 98020 *****

Dash Plaques Trophies People's Choice Awards Raffle Prize

Entry Fee \$15.00, pre-registered - \$20.00 Day of Show

Please make check payable to: Puget Sound Chapter OCA

P.O. Box 82042 Kenmore WA 98028

Name _____

Address _____ Phone _____

City _____ State _____ Zip _____

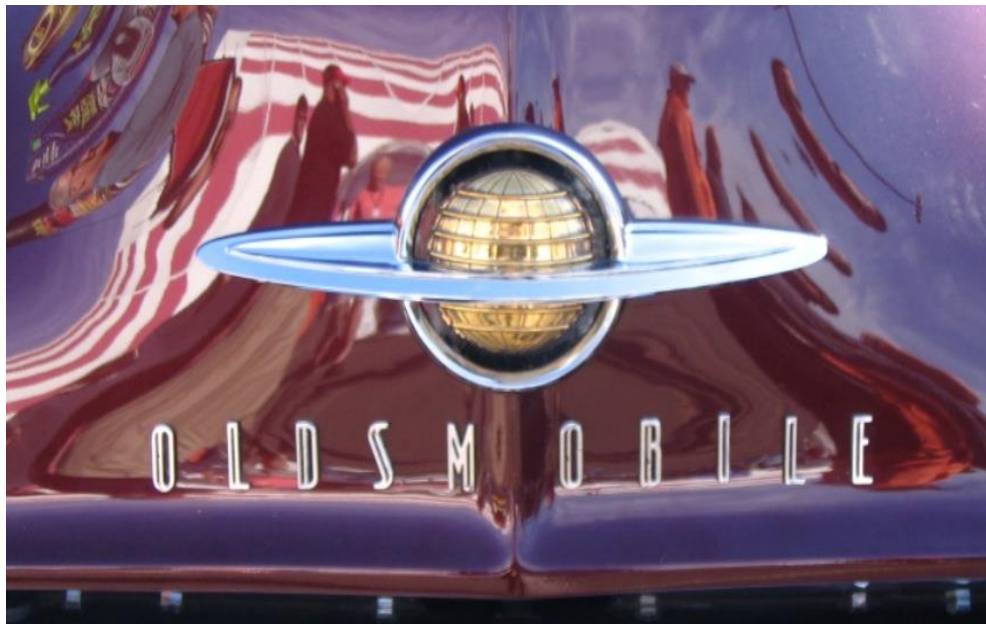
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For further information, contact Ed or Kathi Straw **425-485-3093** ekstraw@comcast.net

FIRE EXTINGUISHER IS REQUIRED WITH YOUR CAR

Future Oldsmobile National Meets and OCA News

- 2016 July 19-24; Kingsport, TN; Meadow View Resort and Convention Center – Hosted by the Olds Club of America.**
- 2017 July 18-23; Albuquerque, NM; Hosted by the OCA**
- 2018 No site selected**



******* OCA News *******

Zone Director Jamie Cox sent to us the link to the new OCA Merchandise site.

Copy and paste the link below into your browser

<https://gm-photo-gifts-com.myshopify.com/collections/oldsmobile-club-of-america-collection>

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3rd ANNUAL CAR SHOW

Hosted by the Puget Sound Chapter, Oldsmobile Club of America



September 4, 2016 9:00 AM-3:00PM

XXX ROOTBEER DRIVE-IN

98 Gilman Blvd Issaquah, WA 98027

For further information, contact Ed Konsmo 253-576-1128



GOODEGUYS
Rod & Custom Association

GIANT CAR SHOW!

**JULY
29-31**



29TH PACIFIC NORTHWEST NATIONALS

WASHINGTON STATE FAIR EVENTS CENTER / PUYALLUP, WA

OLDSMOBILE CLUB OF AMERICA

PUGET SOUND CHAPTER

2016 MEMBERSHIP RENEWAL

NAME: _____

SPOUSE'S NAME: _____

ADDRESS: _____

CITY: _____ STATE _____ ZIP CODE: _____

____ Check here if this is an address change

HOME PHONE: (____) _____

E-MAIL ADDRESS: _____

BIRTHDAY MONTH _____ DAY _____

SPOUSE MONTH _____ DAY _____

\$15.00 annual dues. Make checks payable to Puget Sound Chapter and mail to:

**Kathi Straw
PSOC Membership Chairperson
P.O. Box 82042
Kenmore, WA 98028**

Please assist us in updating our roster by listing your current Oldsmobile(s) below:

1) YEAR _____ MODEL _____ COLOR _____

2) YEAR _____ MODEL _____ COLOR _____

3) YEAR _____ MODEL _____ COLOR _____

4) YEAR _____ MODEL _____ COLOR _____

Please print this form and mail to Kathi

CLASSIFIED – For Sale/Leads & Needs

Classified ads are free, unlimited words, within reason. **Ads will ONLY run for three consecutive months unless renewal is requested.** Please submit your classified advertisement in electronic format by the 20th of the month to ekonsmo@msn.com.

FOR SALE:

- **1957 Olds Super 88 2 Dr Ht;** solid no rust car ready to restore. \$7500 Steve Sutton 604-535-7477. (2)

1957 Super 88 Fiesta Wagon; The car was purchased in Arizona and is truly a RUST FREE car. I've started the restoration about a year ago and haven't gotten very far. The motor and tranny are out of the car and also have \$6K in NOS parts that go with the car. The price is \$40K. I'm in Bremerton-call 360-479-9896 Thanks for all your help, Willie #044413

- **1960 Dynamic 88 Bubble Top;** New Motor and Transmission - \$28,000 OBO
Call Jim or Nina; 360-651-6246 (1)
- **1963 Cutlass Convertible;** Red with white interior; 215 V8, Automatic, PS, PB, Very good condition;
Owned by Mary Lindholm; \$11,000 Contact Ed Straw 425-485-3093; ekstraw@comcast.net (3)
- **1963 F85;** 20,000 miles on the odometer; Call Jim at 206-618-7641 for price and information.
- **1963 conv** Robert Banks 425-454-2289 (3)
- **1965 Starfire;** Needs engine, rust free body. \$2000; Jim Long 360-893-8293 (1)
- **1969 350 Block,** Looking to sell or trade for an Oldsmobile diesel 350 block: 1969 Olds 350 long-block. Oil pan and original cast iron 4-barrel intake manifold included. Partially disassembled. Will consider any offer. It's just collecting dust in my garage and I'd like to see it go to a good home. Contact: samandw@gmail.com or 425-210-7040 (1)
- **1970 Toro** Two for sale, one for \$1,000, second for \$500 needs engine – Jim Long 360-893-8293 (1)
- **1982 Toronado** – Need engine, body good. \$300 - Call Mick Preston, Cell 425-622-8294 (1)
- **1985 Oldsmobile Cutlass Supreme Brougham** 5.0L V8 4BBL Coupe 2D 49,444 ORIGINAL miles - runs great! Car has always been in the same family. Free AutoCheck Vehicle History Report Interested? Please email oldsmobilecutlass85@gmail.com Car located in Indianola, WA (2)
- **1988 Toro** – 15k miles, \$5,000 OBO – Jim Long 360-893-8293

- **1959 Fiesta Wagon** 4 doors and a hood for sale. Contact at Kathleen Gamble at snohomishironinc@hotmail.com (1)

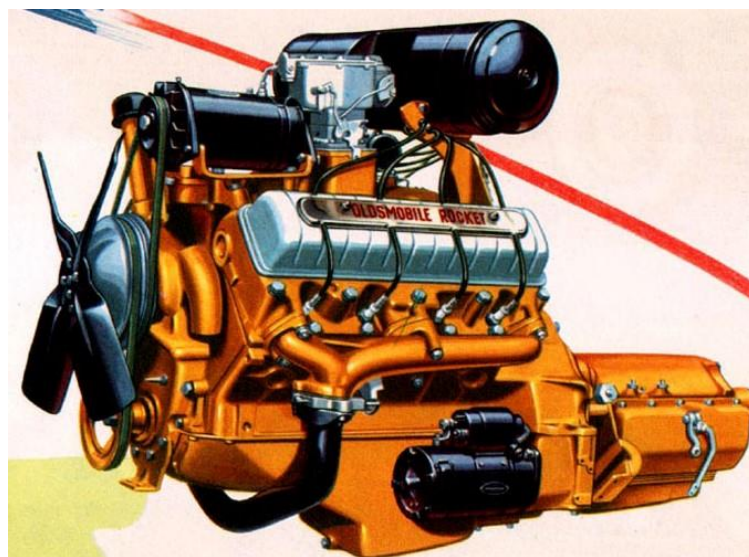
NEEDS:

- **Radiator shroud for '57, '58 or '59.** Call Erik (425) 433-6480 (1)
- **4 Barrel Carb for 394 Cu. In. motor** – Jim Long 360-893-8293
- **Fender skirts, driver's door latch and ash trays for 1973 98;** Hugh Russell 206-524-2785 (1)
- **Bumper jack, Driver's door handle w/key;** For 1950 Olds; Call Ken at 206-930-1741 (3)
- **Power Antenna and the name of a Wonder Bar radio repair person.** Call Ed Booth; 253-752-6158 (1)
- **Gravel guard for 1949 88 Coupe;** Call Brian McAdams – Cell, 206-618-8647 (3)
- **425 Engine for Delta 88** – Call John Woolworth; 206-524-6142 or woolworthart@yahoo.com (1)

LEADS:

Bumper jacks; Call Hugh Russell; 206-524-2785 (2)

IMPORTANT NOTICE REGARDING ADS: A number at the end of each listing indicates how many issues of the newsletter that the ad has already run. The ad will run for three months. If you have a **THREE** after your ad, you need to contact us if you wish to renew the ad for following issue.



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A SINGLE BATTERY OF 4 “LONG TOM” CANNON can deliver a dozen 95-lb. shell per minute into enemy positions as far as 15 miles away. That's more than a ton of fighting fury every two minutes!

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Imagine a gun that can smash heaviest enemy armor, that can sink a heavy cruiser at a ten-mile range. That's what you help to keep firing when you Buy War Bonds!

KEEP BUYING BONDS!

Heavy-hitting 155 mm. shell are now rolling out by the thousands to help deliver the knock-out blows!

Up front, the doughboys are stalled by stubborn fortifications. To rush through would be costly. *But it isn't necessary...* The long arm of the Artillery is swinging into action. WHAM!... A giant “Long Tom” fires to probe the target. There's a deadly silence at the battery; then the distant thunder of the exploding shell. From a tiny plane overhead, an observer spots the hit. “Base deflections one two zero. Battery right, quadrant four one zero.” WHAM!... A second gun speaks. Finally, from the observer, “On Target!” and the whole battery leaps to life! Like clockwork, the sweating loaders pass

up more powder and shell. Like clockwork, the guns keep booming. There is no letting up, no resting, until the target is reduced to rubble and the Infantry is ready to move on.

That's how the Artillery co-operates with the doughboys. And here in America, it is Oldsmobile's privilege to co-operate, too, with volume production of shell to feed the “Long Toms” and many other sizes of cannon. Oldsmobile also produces shell for the Navy, and cannon for planes and tanks and tank destroyers, and powerful plane-launched rockets, to help deliver the knock-out blows!

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