



LEGENDARY LINES



May 2023

6 Days Until the largest PONTIAC show on the West Coast Kicks off!!

May 26—28 **Memorial Weekend**

A weekend full awesome cars, good friends, fun activities and great weather.

Events include

Friday - Car Cruise to [Hot Rod Café](#) (90 are signed up)

Saturday - **THE SHOW** at [Rocky Reach Dam Park](#)

Sunday—Lake Chelan tour or Leavenworth Tour and Sunday night at the [Rail Station & Ale House](#)



Tigers on the Columbia - Wenatchee

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Additional TOTC Happenings

Thursday—Cruise to Wenatchee meet 10 am at [TA Travel Center](#) North bend

Friday—Cruise to Wenatchee meet 10 am at [TA Travel Center](#) North bend

Saturday— Taps at 11:55 and Start your engines

Saturday— Raffle Prizes for Pontiac Enthusiastic and their Kids



More details [on page 6](#)

Saturday— 50/50 Raffle



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The President's Pen - By Bill Nelson



Hello Legends members,

We're now just days away from Tigers on the Columbia. I would imagine many of you are like me, scrambling to get things done for your car in the final days.

The event is shaping up quite nicely and promises to be the biggest Tigers event that we've had. The number of cars is expected to reach the mid-90s, but the temperature is not.

Temperatures look like mid to upper 70's in Wenatchee for the weekend so it's perfect!

The side events for this event are also doing quite well. Go to www.northwestlegends.com for details if you're interested in one of these events.

Just a reminder if you want to cruise over on Thursday morning or Friday morning meet at the TA travel center in North Bend, right on interstate 90. It's the next exit after North Bend.

I will be the cruise captain on Thursday and Charles Fredericks will be the cruise captain on Friday.

My phone number is **206-218-8771**. Charles phone number is **253-480-0369**. Cruise directions and details will be presented at the TA travel center.

For you procrastinators out there, the weather is going to be great next weekend, get out there with your Pontiac friends in the wind where you belong.
See you all in Wenatchee!

PS.... The Firebird club has several events that they have created to go along with ours. One thing planned is a Thursday night mixer at an undetermined location in Wenatchee and they are also planning a cruise after our cruise in the vicinity of the hotel. So, watch for these.

There's **90** signed up for the cruise on Friday night to the Monitor Hot Rod Cafe. This is the big one folks, don't miss it!

Thank you all,

Sincerely, Bill Nelson president Northwest GTO Legends.



2023 NW GTO Legends Sanctioned Events

June 25th - 9th Annual NW American Muscle Car Show - Tacoma- Griots Garage

August 6th - 35th Annual Northwest Muscle Car Meet - Issaquah - XXX Drive-in

August 19th - Ted and Jacque Knapp Hosted Barbeque - Gig Harbor

December - Club Christmas Party - Enumclaw - Thunder Dome Car Museum

Club Officers

PRESIDENT

Bill Nelson

SECRETARY

Bob Stevenson

TREASURER

Tom Willett (Julio)

Vice President

Gary Tischer

CAR SHOW CHAIRMAN

Ted Knapp

AT LARGE

Steve Martin

Pacific Northwest Historics
June 30 – July 2, 2023 at Pacific Racev

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<https://sovrenracing.org/pacific-northwest-historics/>



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44th Annual GTOAA Nationals

Springfield, Illinois

6/27/2023 - 7/1/2023

More information

<https://www.gtoaa.org/2023-gto-nationals>





2023 Tiger on the Columbia – Wenatchee

Dear Club Members,

We have made great plans for this year's Tigers on the Columbia event. It will be held in Wenatchee, WA during the Memorial Day holidays, on **May 26th/27th/28th**. We want our Pontiac Nation folks in the Pacific NW to plan their 3-day Spring Vacation around Tigers this year because there is a lot to see and do in Wenatchee. On Friday registration check-in will take place at the Wenatchee Convention Center. On Friday night we have planned a car cruise to the famous Hot Rod Café. On Saturday, we will hold our All-Pontiac Car Show at the Rocky Reach Dam Park, followed by the Award/Banquet in the Ballroom of the Wenatchee Convention Center. On Sunday we have a tour of Lake Chelan, with lunch at the Stehekins Lodge, a tour of Leavenworth with lunch at Gustav's, and later that night, dinner reservations at the Rail Station & Ale House.

Our goal this year is to get over 100 cars to this event. Our Club has 123 active members (the largest GTOAA Chapter in the World), so our challenge to our club members is to get at least 50% of you to turn out for the Tigers on the Columbia – Wenatchee event.

So, put us on your calendar, and go to our Club Website (www.northwestlegends.com), where you can register online, make your hotel reservations, purchase your boat tickets if you are going on the Lake Chelan tour, and you will be set for a "good time, with good friends, good cars, and good things to see and do, at the Apple Capital of America".

Wally Santella/Ted Knapp/Jim Braden
Your Event Coordination Team





2023 Tiger on the Columbia – Wenatchee - Activities

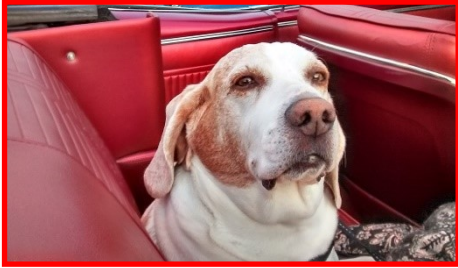
Dear Club Members,

We have planned some exciting and interesting activities to support your enjoyment at this year's Tigers on the Columbia in Wenatchee. Attached, are descriptions of each of these, which occur on Friday night (**Friday Night Hot Rod Café Car Cruise**), Sunday (**Lake Chelan Tour @ Leavenworth Tour**), and Sunday Night (**Dinner Reservations at the Rail Station & Alehouse**). Please consider these before you register for this year's Tiger event. Indicate, on your event registration, how many of your party are planning to participate (for our planning process). There are no Club fees, the Link Transit Bus Service is free, so any charges will be between you and the activity host (restaurants, lodges, Chelan LOL ferry tickets, shops, etc.).

PS: Oh yes, we added an attachment of our 2023 Tigers Event T-Shirt – it's cool in navy blue and the graphics are great! One more thing, **we have challenged our Club Members to get 50% of you (61)** to support this year's Tigers event. To-date, **we have 10 Club Members registered**, with 51 more to go! See you in Wenatchee, in May!

Sincerely,

Your Event Coordination Team
Ted Knapp/Jim Braden/Wally Santella



PAYTON'S CORNER

THE PLACE FOR GTO AND OTHER
MUSCLE CAR FUN FACTS



Greetings Legends Members!

As we approach the upcoming TOTC, preparations for the raffle portion of the show are underway. We will be in the Convention Center lobby on Friday afternoon for a preview of items we will have for the raffle. There will be a few silent auction items as well. Saturday we will be in the park for the car show. Please stop by to place a bid or purchase your raffle tickets. Prices for raffle tickets will be 1 for \$3, 2 for \$5, 5 for \$10 or 12 for \$20. Bring the kids by for complimentary raffle prize. There will be a large variety of items such as Griot's products, gift certificates and products from Ames, laser etched cutting boards, Pontiac sign, candles, blankets, car care, and so much more! We look forward to seeing you there.

Members Marketplace

A PLACE FOR MEMBERS TO **BUY** AND **SELL** SERVICES, GTO AND OTHER MUSCLE CAR ITEMS

For Sale:

Factory 2004 GTO 17" wheels
With tires

Less than 500 miles on them before
swapping with aftermarket wheels

\$300 for all four wheels and tires

For more information, call Steve at
206-250-1627

Members Markeplace

A PLACE FOR MEMBERS TO **BUY** AND **SELL** SERVICES, GTO AND OTHER MUSCLE CAR ITEMS

FOR SALE: TH400 3-speed auto transmission with short tail shaft for Buick/Olds/Pontiac bell housing. Data tag: 76-OA-5678. I had this in my '66 GTO prior to restoration and it worked great, no issues whatsoever. It has a shift kit, so the shifts are nice and firm. New owner can run as-is, or freshen it up if desired. Includes dipstick and dipstick tube. Asking \$500.

Email: karlsfreese@gmail.com Phone: (517) 402-8079



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1969 FIREBIRD

350 Pontiac/Turbo 350 Tranny matching numbers

Viper Red paint, Black interior, less than 2000 miles on rebuilt engine

New 17" Tiger Paw Redline tires from Diamondback, Trans Am style hood, Spoiler, 5 spoke mag wheels, PS/P disc Brakes. LED sequential taillights. \$45K.

Call Jerry at 206-550-5553



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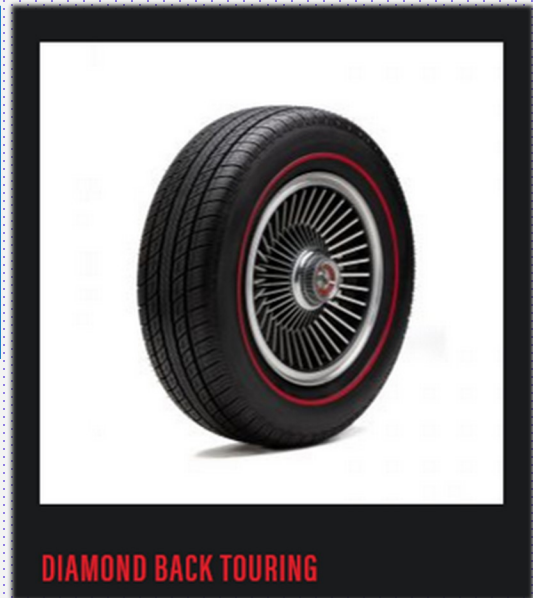


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I have 2 new (still in the plastic wrapper) Uniroyal Tiger Paw tires for sale. They are redlines from Diamond Back Classics. They are 225/55R17's. Nothing wrong with them, I just ordered the wrong size. I paid \$309.00 each for them and I'm asking \$200.00 each.

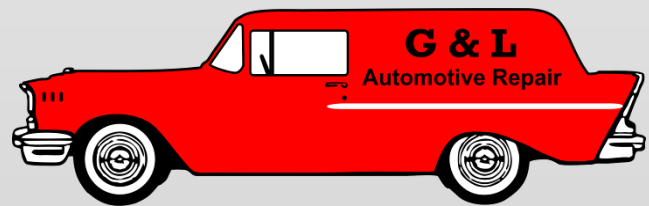
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Washington State Car Events

The Northwest GTO Legends has members that live up and down the I-5 corridor and east of the cascades and even out of state. Here are some car events throughout the state that I pulled from oldride.com. This List will grow as events are discovered. When you attend any events please send photos, so they can be shared between the **LEGENDARY LINES**.

Hagerty Cars & Caffeine car show at the Ridge	Toni Strollo	Sheldon
June 10, 2023 - June 10, 2023	8636988620	
Rakers Annual Car Show	lance rosmaier	Port Townsend
June 17, 2023 - June 17, 2023	360.531.3628	
Vietnam Veterans Chapter 165 12th Annual Car	Duane Holliday	Bellingham
July 16, 2023 - July 16, 2023	360-733-5119	
Summer Fun Rod Run	IngridBMarquart	Bellingham
August 25, 2023 - August 27, 2023	360-380-2733	
Wheels on the Waterfront	MICHAEL BEARDSLEY	Everett
August 26, 2023 - August 26, 2023	360-631-0727	
Back in 2023 - Kirkland Police Explorer Benefit Car	Patti Ball	Kirkland
September 9, 2023 - September 9, 2023	425-587-3408	
Power in the Park car show	Julie Mabry	Kennewick
September 16, 2023 - September 16, 2023	509-948-7375	Kennewick