



FOUNDED 1989

Thunderbird NEWS

MAY 2019 VOLUME 21, #5

21
YEARS
ANNIVERSARY

PROUD ORGANIZER OF THE ANNUAL TROPICAL PARK CLASSIC CAR SHOW

SPONSOR OF THE FELIPE COS MEMORIAL FLORIDA 500 MILE RALLY

WINNER OF THE PRESTIGIOUS 2017 CTCI GOLD AWARDS

CTCSF at RM SOTHEBY'S AUCTION



INSIDE THIS EDITION

RM Sotheby's Auction

ITC & CTCI Convention Applications

Bird Watching

Cruis-In and Car Shows Events

International Thunderbird Clubs Events and Memberships

Thunderbird Appreciation Day & Club Brunch MAY 19th



Ford Thunderbird Appreciation Day



Your Thunderbird is "Unique in all the world" and it's time to show it to the world!

Thunderbirders around the world will take their Thunderbirds into the public for others to enjoy. To work or church, a diner or coffee shop, on a family picnic, to the movies, it doesn't matter. Use your car like it was used when it was brand new! Let others see it, ask questions about it, hey, maybe even let them drive it! Then post your pictures and stories about the day on the on the CTCI Facebook page.

It's all about the Thunderbird!

ITC International Thunderbird Club Membership

ITC The International Thunderbird Club

The International Thunderbird Club (ITC) is open to all 1955 to 2005 Thunderbird owners and enthusiasts along with other T-Bird club organizations. Numerous ITC members, including me, belong to CTCI and VTCL.

ITC encourages all clubs to join the other clubs to help support the Thunderbird, share ideas, T-Birds, and technical advice. ITC has one of the largest Thunderbird Facebook pages in the world with over 4,400 T-Bird Facebook members posting daily from around the world.

Numerous CTCL and VTCL chapters have joined ITC. Last year the ITC/VTCL chapter, Hoosier Vintage Thunderbird Club, hosted the ITC chapter. This year the convention will be hosted by ITC/CTCL chapter Buffalo Thunderbird Club. ITC/CTCL chapter Pitt Birds Thunderbird Club has stated that they are happy with the support ITC's provides them. ITC/VTCL Water Wonderland Thunderbird Club from Michigan has stated they are also pleased with ITC's support and never have received support from VTCL.

ITC is very proud of the number of clubs that have joined ITC.

Recently three new chapters have joined ITC La Louisiane Thunderbird Club, Louisiana; Classic Thunderbird Club of Central Ohio; and Central Alabama Thunderbird Club with a few more chapters being they have organized.

The benefit of becoming an ITC chapter is the additional exposure to the T-Bird world. Chapters have stated, grown as a result of their ITC relationship. ITC promotes its chapters by listing their major events in the ITC Script magazine and on the ITC website. ITC also promotes chapters events and members on ITC Facebook. ITC has Technical Advisors for all T-Birds, Marvin Hill, Hill Automotive, is one of the technical advisors for the 1955-57 TBird. Steven Legal is Technical Advisor for the 20-05 Retro Birds.

ITC is sponsored by most of the Thunderbird vendors including Thunderbird Specialists for 2002-05 Retro-birds.

There is no charge to become an ITC chapter. Three ITC members are required for approval with a total of six by the end of the year. If you are not satisfied with being an ITC chapter, you can simply request to end the chapter relationship.

As president of the International Thunderbird Club, I encourage some of your members to join ITC and become an ITC chapter.

Feel free to email or call me anytime if you have any questions.

Sincerely,

Gerard (Bart) Bartasavich
ITC President



Created by serious people just for fun ...



Created by serious people ... just for fun

INTERNATIONAL THUNDERBIRD CLUB

MEMBERSHIP APPLICATION

The International Thunderbird Club, the ONLY International Thunderbird Club in the world whose common goal is to preserve and enjoy all Thunderbirds with family fellowship, shows, tours, seminars, technical help, parts availability, meetings, and a magazine. Our local and national meets provide concours judging. The ITC Thunderbird Script magazine is published bi-monthly for our members.

Annual dues are as follows:

USA & Canada

January-April.....\$30.00

May-August.....\$20.00

*September-December.....\$30.00

*Valid to end of following year

International

January-April.....\$40.00

May-August.....\$26.80

*September-December\$40.00

*Valid to end of following year

Please fill out application:

New Member

Renewing Member
ITC # if known _____
\$30.00 or \$50.00 2 years US & Canada
\$40.00 or \$70.00 2 years International

Updating Current Info
ITC # if Known _____

Mail to:

INTERNATIONAL THUNDERBIRD CLUB
Karen MacCord, Treasurer
PO BOX 1211
Middletown, DE 19709

Referring ITC Member _____

Name: _____

Email _____

Spouse's Name: _____

Street: _____

City: _____

State/Province: _____

Zip: _____

Country: _____

Phone [home]: (____) _____

Phone [cell]: (____) _____

Thunderbird Information:

Year: _____ Model: _____

* VIN refers to your Vehicle Identification Number

*VIN # _____

Year: _____ Model: _____

*VIN # _____

Year: _____ Model: _____

*VIN # _____

Year: _____ Model: _____

*VIN # _____

Thunderbird Club Affiliations _____ Position _____

Thunderbird Club Affiliations _____ Position _____

Visit ITC website: www.intl-thunderbirdclub.com

(GEB) July 2016

Gerard (Bart) Bartasavich
President
International Thunderbird Club
P O Box 24041
Pepper Pike, OH 44124
(216) 375-2808
gebart@ameritech.net



Thunderbird news

MAY 2019 VOLUME 21, #5



International Thunderbird Club (ITC) 2019 Convention

1100 Crocker Rd., Westlake, Ohio 44145
 Tuesday, August 6th – Sunday, August 11th
 Co-Chairs: Bart & Vera Bartasavich
 gebart@ameritech.net (216) 375-2808

Name/Guests: _____

Address: _____ City _____ State _____ Zip _____ Country _____

Phone: _____ Email: _____

Year	Touring/Touring Modified	Senior/Formal	Show Case	Senior Participant
1)				
2)				
Touring/Touring Modified: 1955-2005		Arrival Date (Circle): Aug 6 th 7 th 8 th 9 th 10 th 11 th		
Senior/Formal: 1955-1979		Will be a Judge on August 10th: <input type="checkbox"/> YES <input type="checkbox"/> NO <input type="checkbox"/> MAYBE		
Showcase: Peer Judged (by ballots)		Trailer Parking: <input type="checkbox"/> YES <input type="checkbox"/> NO		
Senior Participant: Prior Achieved Senior Status		Specify Dietary Needs:		

Day(s)	Event(s)	Cost Per Person	Number in Party	Total Cost
	Registration Fee: Convention Attendees (family members)	\$50 per family	N/A	\$50.00
	Convention T-Shirts: Please Specify number of each size: S M L XL XXL XXXL	\$17 each		
Tuesday	Welcome Party – Meal 7 PM to 10 PM	\$15 per person		
Wednesday	Cruise to Port Clinton – Ferry Ride to Put-in-Bay Island (\$34 round trip for car; \$12 per person) Lunch & Dinner on your own. 9 AM to 5 PM	\$34 per car \$12 per person		
Thursday	Bus Trip: Rock & Roll Museum; Crawford Auto Museum, Lunch & Tour of Cleveland. Dinner on your own. 9 AM to 5 PM	\$85 per person		
Friday				
9:00 AM	Concours Participants & Judges Meeting			
10:00 AM	Annual General Board Meeting			
1:00 PM	Dr. Steve Legel Seminar (Author & Car Enthusiast)			
5:00 PM	Pool Party - Meal at DoubleTree Pool Side	\$35 per person		
Saturday	Concours Show 9 AM to 3 PM (Judging starts at 10 AM)			
	Awards Banquet – DoubleTree (Dinner, Entertainment, Awards) 6 PM to 10 PM	\$75 per person		
Sunday	Break Buffet & Departure – Safe Travels			
ALL CONVENTION REGISTRATIONS DUE BY SATURDAY, JULY 13th			TOTAL	\$

Convention Registration: Make Checks Payable: International Thunderbird Club
 Mail Check & Registration to: **International Thunderbird Club P.O. Box 1211 Middletown DE 19709**
 Karen MacCord smokeybear546@msn.com (302) 378-4295

Hotel Reservations: DoubleTree by Hilton, 1100 Crocker Road, Westlake, Ohio 44145 (440) 871-6000
 www.intl-thunderbirdclub.com (convention info under “News & Events”)

Mention: International Thunderbird Club to receive the special rate of \$109 per night. Complimentary full breakfast buffet with room. Deadline for DoubleTree guaranteed rate is **Saturday, July 13th**. Late registration is subject to availability & increased room rate.





editor's CORNER

ITC South East District Chapter MAY 2019 Volume 21, #5

Hi Thunderbird Club Members,

The RM Sotheby's Auction is history and history was made! Their best Ft Lauderdale action results in 17 years. 23.2 Million dollars, 76% sell thru and almost 400 cars. The top-seller at 3 million + dollars was the 2015 Ferrari La Ferrari!

I was able to participate during the pre-auction prep and the quality of cars coming in far exceeded previous years. The RM Sotheby's marriage has brought a new level of excellence to the Auction. While I was not able to attend the Auction itself Gail reported our Team performed in a competent and professional manner.

I am sure the return to the traditional one-way pass thru the block helped to reduce the anxiety of our drivers. Many thanks to the members who volunteered. We are looking forward to next year in a new Venue as the Convention center will be renovated during 2020. Thanks also to everyone who sent pictures! From the many, I chose pictures with our volunteers primarily although there were plenty of beautiful cars there!

May 19th is Thunderbird Appreciation Day and our Annual Brunch at the Miami Shores Country Club. Please drive your Thunderbird or Classic for a photo opportunity in front of the beautiful Golf Links and Club building. Register on line ASAP

PLEASE READ THE PROPOSED BY-LAWS CHANGES

We will be voting on the changes at our June Meeting.

The CTCI Convention is in May and the ITC Convention coming up FAST! See the Applications and web links in this issue.

Cheers and Happy Birding!

I surely appreciate the articles that are being contributed to our Thunderbird News by our members. Please keep them coming! Thanks to you all for contributing to this month's edition. If you haven't seen yours' yet I assure you it will be in a future issue!

Please remember to support our advertising partners and don't forget to tell them you saw it in The Thunderbird News!

NEWSLETTER CLOSING DATE

To all members: Remember that this newsletter goes to press the 15th of each month.

Our monthly News magazine has lots of useful information, including upcoming Car Shows and Cruise-ins, Club contact information and technical articles. From time to time information becomes outdated. If you see an error, please let us know.

Thunderbird News is the official newsletter of the Classic Thunderbird Club of South Florida. Our purpose is to inform our membership about, club meetings, club activities, Classic Car events and articles of interest to Ford Thunderbird owners.

Articles may be reproduced with the permission of the author.

The views and opinions expressed in Thunderbird News are those of the named author and do not necessarily reflect the opinions of the Editor,

The Board of Directors of the Classic Thunderbird Club of South Florida or those of the membership

Thunderbird News Winner of

OLD CARS Weekly GOLDEN QUILL AWARD for a Car Club Newsletter.

CTCI 2017 Newsletter Competition GOLD AWARD for our October Rally 2016 Edition.



Classic Thunderbird Club of South Florida CTCI CHAPTER #114 MAY 2019 VOLUME 21, #5 REGULAR MONTHLY MEETING

Our meetings are held the Third Wednesday of each month at The Trattoria Pampered Chef 7347 Miami Lakes Dr. Miami Lakes FL 33014 Our Host is Gabriel Nash.

CLASSIC THUNDERBIRD CLUB OF SOUTH FLORIDA BOARD OF DIRECTORS OFFICERS

PRESIDENT

Paul Werner
561-613-5715
drpaul4kids@gmail.com

SECRETARY

Gail Corenblum
305-799-1956
gailstu@bellsouth.net

VICE PRESIDENT

Leo Saladino
718-812-0991
leolashlarue@aol.com

TREASURER

Oscar Castro
305-467-8196
oscar@benefitcarshows.com

EVENTS & INTERNET DIRECTOR

Oscar Castro
305-467-8196
oscar@benefitcarshows.com

DIRECTORS AT LARGE

Stuart Corenblum
305-588-5646
stuartcorenblum@bellsouth.net

PAST PRESIDENT

Oscar Castro
305-467-8196
oscar@benefitcarshows.com

Daniel Romagnoli

305-799-8328
daniel@daroma.us

EDITOR THUNDERBIRD NEWS

Ed Raabe
954-383-8111
ed.raabe@gmail.com

Richard Manso

786-343-6523
richardmanso@bellsouth.net

Elizabeth Barry

305-989-4660
elyb@me.com



20925 SW 238th Street
Homestead FL 33031-1053

Phone: 305-467-8196 E-mail: Oscar@benefitcarshows.com

Editor Ed Raabe: Ed.raabe@gmail.com

www.TBirdFL.com

Facebook Page: www.facebook.com/ThunderbirdClubSouthFlorida

CTCI Chapter #114

ITC South East District Chapter

Felipe Cos Founder

PAST PRESIDENTS

Felipe Cos 1999
Ken Lemming 2000
Felix Hernandez 2001
Norm Gabe 2002
Andre Fournier 2003-2004
Connie Danluck 2005
Ed Brown 2006-2007

Connie Danluck 2008
Ed Brown 2009
Daisy Hernandez 2010-2011
Peter Klein 2012-2013
Ed Raabe 2014-2015
Oscar Castro 2016-2017



MAY 2019 VOLUME 21, #5



BULLSEYE
www.bullseyepowdercoating.com



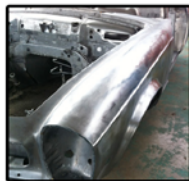
POWDER COATING



CERAMIC COATING



SANDBLASTING



CAR STRIPPING



305-278-2111
info@bullseyepowdercoating.com

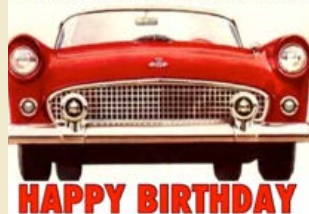
\$35.00 MEMBERSHIP ARE DUE by DEC. 1ST
To become a member or renew your membership
Please go on line to www.TBirdFL.com

HAPPY BIRTHDAY MAY

2019

Ed Brown	6
Jim Post	7
Leo Saladino	8
Ernest Saladino	9
Angel Luis Morales	11
Georgina Dominguez	16
Melanie Manso	16
Richard Manso	17
Melissa Manso	20
Myrna Wishnick	20
Leo Smith	30

**You're Not Old
You're a Classic**



My apologies, If I have missed your birthday it is because I do not have your information. Please contact me to update your records.

THUNDERBIRD INFORMATION SUPER HIGHWAY:

Our Club's web page: www.TBirdFL.com

2005 Thunderbird: www.fordautomobiles.com
Ford racing: www.fordacing.com
Speedvision: www.speedvision.com
CTCI's Home Page: www.ctci.org
Daytona's Turkey run: www.carshows.org
Metroplex EarlyBirds: www.geocities.com
Arizona Classic T-Bird Club: classic-thunderbird.org
Santa Clara Valley T-Birds: www.tbird.org/scvt
Sierra Nevada Classic T-Bird: www.tbird.org/snctb
Connecticut Area Classic T-Bird: www.tbirdsofconn.com
Chicagoland Thunderbirds: www.thunderbirds.org
Potomac Classic T-bird: www.hydratech.com
Old Cars www.greatoldcars.com
Classic T-Bird Club of Chicagoland_ www.ctcc9.com

NUMBERS TO KEEP

The following are contact numbers and e-mail address you need to have on file:

Intl Thunderbird Club, Bart Bartasavich, ITC President
216-375-2808 gbart@ameritech.net
www.intl-thunderbirdclub.com

ACA South Florida Region. President, Manny Garcia
www.aacasouthflorida.club

Auto Appraisal Network: John & Bret Layzell
305-899-9963 www.autoappraisalnetwork.com/miami

Benefit Car Shows: Oscar Castro
305-467-8196 www.benefitcarshows.com
oscar@benefitcarshows.com

Gerry Car Show: Gerry Perez
786 344-4228 email.gerryrcarshow@bellsouth.com

Magic Mustangs: Frank Alonso
305 551-6077 Fadatec@aol.com

Muscle Stangs of Miami: Ayanidys Martinez
305 321-0437

Jumpin' Jack Productions: Jack Corssino
305-214-2277 www.jumpinjackproductions.com

DB Entertainment Inc.: Dick Barten
954-563-4000 Bandsouth@bellsouth.net

Cruisin South Florida: Scott the MusicMan
scott@cuisinsouthflorida.com

Ft Lauderdale Mustang Club: Mark Patterson
www.flmustangclub.com

Cobra Joe Productions: Joe Bevelacqua
jbevrs@msn.com

VMCCA Sun Coast Chapter. President David Bobbitt
305 661-1340 bobbitt@comcast.net

Russ G Events: Russ Gagliano III
russ@russgevents.com

INTERNET PAGE

Have you seen our internet page? We have changed our address www.TBirdFL.com and we have a Facebook page too! Search Classic Thunderbird Club South Florida or www.facebook.com/ThunderbirdClubSouthFlorida

We encourage participation on our Facebook page. Send Posts about everything Thunderbird related and we will enjoy other "car stuff" too.

Like Museum Visits, Car shows and Cruise Ins you attend. And other stuff you think we T-Bird lovers would like. Just keep it as clean as your T-Bird on "Detail Day"!

UPCOMING CLASSIC CAR EVENTS-CAR SHOWS



Dream Car Classic
DOWNTOWN HOLLYWOOD

FIRST SUNDAY OF THE MONTH
10:00AM - 3:00PM
HOLLYWOOD BOULEVARD

CLASSIC CARS, MODERN CLASSICS & CUSTOM CARS
REGISTRATION FROM \$40-100
TO REGISTER, VISIT COBRAJOEPRODUCTIONS.COM
(SHOW CAR ENTRANCE: 20TH AVENUE & HOLLYWOOD BLVD)

TOP 80 VEHICLES AWARD
FAMILY FRIENDLY
SPONSORED BY
Cobra Joe Productions

HOLLYWOOD
INFORMATION: 954.825.1027
COBRAJOEPRODUCTIONS.COM

Florida's 4th PONTIAC Nationals
POSTPONED TILL MAY 4TH

Sponsored by: Xtreme

Saturday, March 16, 2019
(rain or shine)

Car Show 4PM to 9PM
Awards @ 8:30 PM
Advance Registration \$20
Day of Registration \$25

WWW.FLORIDAPONTIANNATIONALS.COM

*POSTPONED TILL SAT. MAY 4 2019
SLEEP IN THE TENT TO BE IN THE SHOW



Cheetah's ANNUAL Car & Truck Show

SUNDAY MAY 26TH 11AM - 4PM

\$20 REGISTRATION FEE
FREE TO THE PUBLIC

DJ MUSIC, FOOD, DRINKS AND AN AMAZING COLLECTION OF CLASSIC, MUSCLE, CUSTOM CARS & TRUCKS

cheetah
HALLANDALE BEACH
100 Ansin Blvd, Hallandale Beach
954-455-2131



2019 CLASSIC CAR SHOW
MAY 19 10AM - 2PM

Free dash plaques, breakfast and 3 shirts for the 100 first registered cars
Top 10 awards
Free face painting for kids
Live DJ/dance...

CAR REGISTRATION FEE \$20+* (AT THE DOOR)

FREE DOG DAY EVENT
VISION CARE
PERFORMING: PET ADOPTIONS, GROOMING SERVICES, COCKATIE CONTEST AND FOOD FOR DOGS

OPEN CAR AND TRUCK SHOW




Annual CTCSF Club Brunch
Sunday May 19th
Miami Shores Country Club



Ford Thunderbird Appreciation Day



Your Thunderbird is "Unique in all the world" and it's time to show it to the world!

Thunderbirders around the world will take their Thunderbirds into the public for others to enjoy. To work or church, a diner or coffee shop, on a family picnic, to the movies, it doesn't matter. Use your car like it was used when it was brand new! Let others see it, ask questions about it, hey, maybe even let them drive it!

Then post your pictures and stories about the day on the on the CTCI Facebook page.

It's all about the Thunderbird!

WEDNESDAY - MAY 1ST 6PM
SEASON KICK OFF PARTY
FREE T-SHIRTS FOR THE FIRST 50 CARS

#CRUISEBOCA
Wednesday Night Cruise-in

FIRST WEDNESDAY OF THE MONTH
\$10 BUFFET
\$2 BEERS
BEST OF SHOW & TOP 10 PRIZES
DJ MUSIC & RAFFLE

SEE YOU THERE!



OPEN CAR SHOW & AIRPLANES

SATURDAY MAY 25, 2019
10:00 AM TO 2:00 PM

14710 SW 128 STREET MIAMI, FL 33196
WWW.BENEFITCARSHOWS.COM

AIRPLANES & CARS

DETAILS & DISCOUNTED PRE-REGISTRATION



CENTRAL FLORIDA STREET ROD ASSOCIATION'S 31st Annual FATHERS DAY ROD RUN

Saturday June 15, 2019 8 am - 3 pm

Proceeds from the show will benefit: Rotary's Camp Florida





Top 5 Picks: 50/50, Raffles, Games, Grand Prize, Door Prizes, Silent Auction, Photo Plaque

Visit CFLSRA.COM for more details
For the 4th year the show will be held at Christina Park, W. CR-540A, Lakeland, FL

COOLER with "lots of shade and grass"



4 GREAT SOURCES FOR On-Line CAR SHOW INFORMATION

-  Benefitcarshows.com
-  Flacarshows.com
-  Cruisinsothflorida.com
-  Southdadedecarshow.com



MONTHLY CLASSIC CAR SHOW & CRUISE-IN

NEW LOCATION
FOR FRIDAY NIGHT CRUISE!



BOWLING ALLEY
5325 S UNIVERSITY DRIVE
DAVIE, FL 33328

CLUBHOT
Powered by Veterans
CARS AND COFFEE

Last Saturday of every Month
Time: 8am - 11am

4000 Highway Beach Drive
Miami, FL 33149
@clubhot_miami
www.clubhot.com/venue



The **Big Apple Shopping Bazaar**
Car Show

Every 2nd Saturday of every month!
10:00a.m. - 2:00p.m.

FREE ADMISSION For Spectators.
Fun for the whole family!

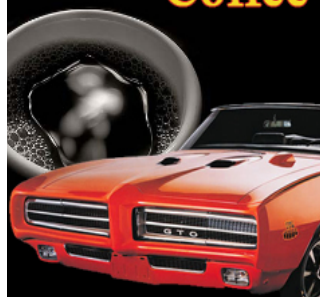
- Trophies Awarded!
- DJ and Music
- Food Trucks
- \$20.00 Entry Fee

60 specialty stores open for shopping!
5283 W. Atlantic Avenue • Delray Beach, FL 33484
Presented by Cobra Joe Productions • www.CobraJoeProductions.com



GatewayClassicCars
Tampa ~ Orlando ~ Ft Lauderdale

Last Saturday of every month....
Cars & Coffee



9 a.m. to Noon
Complimentary Coffee and Pastries

Worlds Largest Classic & Collector Car Company

CAR CRUISING
FOOD, DRINKS & HOT CARS

CARDINAL ALE HOUSE

EVERY 1ST SATURDAY
\$3.25 SINGLES • \$5.50 DOUBLES
\$2.50 DRAFTS

5665 NW 35TH ST. DORAL, FL 33186
780-544-4238



CAR CRUISING
FOOD, DRINKS & HOT CARS

CARDINAL ALE HOUSE

EVERY 3RD SATURDAY
\$3.25 SINGLES • \$5.50 DOUBLES
\$2.50 DRAFTS

5665 NW 35TH ST. DORAL, FL 33186
780-544-4238



Stack Repairs & Maintenance
Restorations
Frame Offs
Performance Upgrades
Mild to Wild

AS
CERTIFIED
CLASSIC CAR RESTORATION

Precision Auto Works
318 SW 14th Ave. #1
Pompano Beach, FL 33069
954-247-9362

Hot Rod Friday
Cruise-in
2nd Friday of every month
Top Show Trophies
Beer Cool Over Prices
Food Trucks and DJ
5pm - 11pm
SMOKE 'EM UP!



NEW SHOW LOCATION!

FIRST SHOW SATURDAY FEB. 2ND
FIRST SATURDAY OF EVERY MONTH
5:00 - 8:00 PM

ALL MAKES AND MODELS WELCOME
DJ ENGINE WILL BE THERE

SHOPPES OF ATLANTIS
5949 SOUTH CONGRESS AVE.
NW CORNER OF CONGRESS AVE. AND LANTANA ROAD

DOORLITE'S TEX. - MEX. GRILL
OFFERING 10% OFF FOR ALL CRUISERS
PLENTY OF PARKING ... FULL BAR

KEEP UP TO DATE AT
WWW.FACEBOOK.COM/CARSHOWJEAN
CARSHOWJEAN@AOL.COM



Shula BURGER
America's Burger
BEER, WINE, BEEF

CAR & BIKE NIGHT
WED. JUNE 7TH
6PM TO 10PM
12311 S. DIXIE HWY.
PINECREST, FL 33156



2nd Wednesday of Every Month
6:30pm-9pm
Back out to some Classic Rock & Roll
D.J. Jammin' Jimmy

For more Information Contact
Car Show Johnny
561-790-3003

CLASSIC and CUSTOM CAR SHOW

Location: Ellie's 50's Diner
2410 North Federal Highway
Delray Beach, FL 33483

WED 11 - 12 BBS - 10% OFF FOOD
OPEN TO ALL MAKES & MODELS

Art of Speed
PICTURE PERFECT STUDIO
DCOT WARRIOR



Wings Plus Ramblewood Lunch Cruise

1235 North University Dr. Coral Springs (954) 757-4950

Saturday, 12pm-3PM.
Now/Each First Saturday Of The Month

FOOD & DRINK SPECIALS

- 5 for \$20 Import Bottle Buckets
- 5 for \$12 Domestic Bottle Buckets

Come Check Out Rows of Classic Custom & Cool Cars In Our East Parking Lot!



BARREL OF MONKS BREWERY CRUISE NIGHT

BARREL MONKS BREWING

SATURDAY, APRIL 27th 2019-SHOW HOURS 5PM TILL 8PM
OPEN TO ALL CLASSIC, CUSTOM, OR COOL! FREE TO ENTER!

LOCATED AT 1141 S ROGERS CIRCLE, BOCA RATON FL 33487
10% DISCOUNT FROM BREWERY FOR SHOW VEHICLES
FOOD TRUCK
\$25.00 "MONKS" GIFT CARD TO "MANAGERS CHOICE" WINNER
MC/DJ ROCKIN RICH BEDFORD
GREAT CRAFT BEERS, GAMES, NICE PARKING FACILITY

MORE INFO: 954.675.8679...WWW.ROCKINRICH.NET



ANOTHER SMME EVENT!

Pinecrest Bakery

CROQUETAS & MOPARS

7pm - 9pm
1st Thursday of the Month

15% Discount for all SMME and Guest!

Pinecrest Bakery
9710 SW 88th St Miami, FL 33176



Bahama Breeze Mopar Meet

Every 4th Wednesday of the Month! 8PM

12395 SW 88 St Miami, FL 33186



BUFFALO WILD WINGS
WINGS, BEER, SPORTS

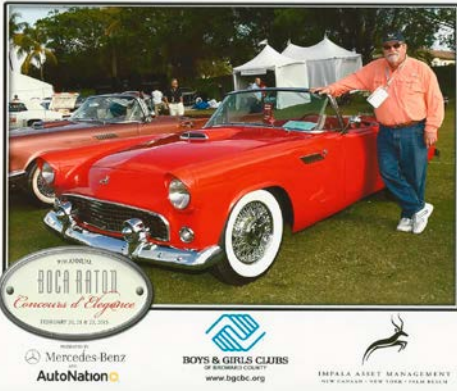
EVERY 2nd SUNDAY OF THE MONTH!

Buffalo Wild Wings **MOPAR meet** 12pm
ALL WELCOME

11555 Pines Blvd. Pembroke Pines, FL 33026

15% off Entire Menu \$4 22oz Bud Light
\$12 Buckets Domestic Beer



At our meeting last night, the bylaw changes proposed by your board, were read for the first time. They will streamline things and bring up the by-laws to be consistent with the way we actually have been running things for quite some time. For instance, it will make email the official method of communication, rather than snail mail. They will declare that the club is not only for owners of "Baby Birds", but also owners of all "Birds", and those who

appreciate them. It will also simplify and streamline our elections.

I urge you to approve these changes. There will be a second reading, and vote on them, at our June general membership meeting.

There will be no regular meeting in May, as we will have our "Annual Thunderbird Appreciation Brunch" that month. Sunday MAY 19th The website is now open for registering for this event. Some consider this our best event. The brunch has a wide selection of great food, and we have a chance to look at each-other's cars in the daylight. I want to thank Oscar for all the work he does on these social events. Let's eat, drink, and be merry.

The auction went very well this year. We made a lot of money for the club, and everyone had a great time. One new member told me that he "had a blast". This was due to the leadership of Gail and Leo and others, as well as all of you

who showed up. Thanks all. The auction and our car show are the Club's main source of income, that totally or partially subsidizes our club social events. Speaking of these events, we have the rally, road trip, and holiday party coming up, as well as possibly some other events.

See you on the road,



Paul Werner - President - 2018
Classic Thunderbird Club of South Florida

May 4th-9th, 2020: CTCI International Convention "Birds On The Bay" Sarasota, FL

CTCI 2020 INTERNATIONAL CONVENTION

Hosted by the Trail Birds of Southwest Florida

Held at the Hyatt Regency Hotel in Sarasota, Florida May 4 - 9 2020

PRE-REGISTRATIONS: First 75 registrations are eligible for a drawing for \$200.00. (host members are not eligible).

To pre-register send \$50.00 to Betty Tulowitzky, 14191 Tudball Ave., Port Charlotte, FL 33953 Please include address, email address, phone number, and CTCI number.

Hotel reservations can be made after May, 5 2019. Call 1-877-803-7534 Code is CTCI.



Hyatt Regency - Host Hotel



CTCI Classic Thunderbird Club International Membership



It's called the **Classic Thunderbird Club International**, and you will find members throughout the United States and all over the world.

Why a Thunderbird Club?

Classic Thunderbird Club International (CTCI) was formed to band together owners and admirers of the 1955-57 Ford Thunderbird — to serve as a medium of exchange of ideas, technical information, and sources for parts. Lasting friendships have been formed through local chapters, Regional Conventions and International Conventions. Moreover, CTCI is recognized and sanctioned by the Ford Motor Company, which extends cooperation and support.



CTCI Classic Thunderbird Club International Membership

I encourage all New Club Members to join CTCI as soon as possible and Current Members to keep your CTCI membership up to date.

Felipe Cos founded our CTCI Chapter, #114 for South Florida in November 1998. Since then our club has hosted a CTCI International Convention in 2004 and grown to include 50 member families.

Look at the benefits of membership. For myself, I have saved a lot of time and money by visiting Gil's Garage, hosted by Gil Baumgartner CTCI Authenticity Chairman and 'Thunderbird Guru' and the Early Bird Club magazine is full of great articles and Club stories!

I have included the current CTCI membership application, which is available www.ctci.org in an editable .pdf format.

Online Renew for 1 year 2018 for \$37.50 or signup for 3 years at \$105.00 (35.00 a year)



What Membership Means

Whether your Classic Thunderbird serves as everyday transportation, a relaxing hobby or both, you will find valuable help in your restoration and maintenance problems in the TECH TIPS printed in the club publication, the **EarlyBird**. This informative, illustrated periodical is distributed every two months and contains a variety of interesting features. Articles about historical data, members and their cars, news of chapter events and activities, are all profusely illustrated with photos. In addition, the **EarlyBird** offers an advertising service to those wishing to buy, sell, or swap parts or cars. You can review the contents of the current issue on our web site: www.ctci.org.

Tours, meets, road rallies, picnics and other outings designed to encourage group participation are regularly conducted by the various chapter groups. Check our web site www.ctci.org for a chapter near you. You are cordially invited to attend any of these friendly chapter meetings or events. CTCI members may also participate in Concours d'Elegance competition at CTCI conventions.



SCAN ME!

Standard or Premium Packet

Every new member receives a Standard New Member Packet upon payment of the initiation fee and dues. This includes a striking windshield decal, the latest edition of the **EarlyBird**, a membership roster with our club By-Laws, 3"x5" CTCI logo dash plaque and other general information. The optional Premium Packet includes the above plus a beautiful metal CTCI grille emblem. Many items such as service and transmission manuals, decals, handbooks and numerous self help items are available and sold to CTCI members only. See our Member Store at www.ctci.org.

OUR OBJECTIVE:
EVERY CLASSIC-T-BIRD OWNER IS A CTCI MEMBER

CTCI Classic Thunderbird Club

Classic Thunderbird Club International

1308 E. 29th Street, Signal Hill, CA 90755-1842 USA • 562.426.2709 • Fax: 562.426.7023 • Email: ctcioffice@ctci.org • Web site: www.ctci.org
Phone Toll Free 1.800.488.2709

MEMBERSHIP APPLICATION

PLEASE TYPE OR PRINT:

Name _____ Spouse's Name _____

Mailing Address _____

City _____ State/Province _____ Zip/Mail Code _____

Telephone (_____) _____ Email Address _____

CTCI Chapter Affiliation (if any) _____

- New members please fill out application and send payment (in U.S. funds ONLY*) to the address above.
- Make checks payable to CTCI, or pay by credit card by email, fax or phone.
- Current members may renew dues online at www.ctci.org.

Please select one of the following prorated amounts:

Month Joining	One Time Initiation Fee +	Dues	=	Total
<input type="checkbox"/> January thru March	\$15.00	+ \$35.00	=	\$50.00
<input type="checkbox"/> April thru June	\$15.00	+ \$26.50	=	\$41.50
<input type="checkbox"/> July thru September	\$15.00	+ \$18.00	=	\$33.00
<input type="checkbox"/> October thru December	\$15.00	+ \$9.50	=	\$24.50

NOTE: Add \$16.00 to select Premium Packet with CTCI Grille Emblem.

Annual dues renewal will be \$35.00, payable January 1 of each year.

Premium Packet with Grill Emblem = Add \$16.00 to total

TOTAL ENCLOSED: (\$US) _____

*NOTE: Members outside the U.S. may pay dues by credit card.

You may send credit card information by email, fax or phone.

U.S., Mexico and Canada: First Class..... Additional \$15.00/year

Other Foreign Countries: A/O Rate..... Additional \$35.00/year
(not including Mexico and Canada)

Signature _____ Date _____ Check here if you wish to be listed in the CTCI roster, as of April 1st.

I give permission for my phone number and/or email address to be listed in the CTCI roster.

(NOTE: Phone numbers & email are for office use only, or for the roster if you choose to have it published. Roster addresses may be sold only to T-Bird vendors to be used only for catalog purposes.)

Are you a former member of CTCI? Yes No If Yes, what is your former CTCI membership number? _____

Sponsored or Referred by _____ CTCI # (if known) _____

CAR DATA

This section is optional, but will help us to complete our historical data base registry. Your ownership information will be kept confidential and will be used only for statistical purposes. This data will be found on the fire wall, inside the engine compartment; left hand side by the heater box. Please fill in the number and letters as stamped on the data plate. If you have more than one T-Bird, please copy this form and submit each car's data. How many Thunderbirds do you own? _____ 55's _____ 56's _____ 57's

Year _____ Serial Number _____

For 1955, 1956, and early 1957's: (see example)

Body _____ Color _____ Trim _____ Production Code _____

For late 1957's:

Body _____ Color _____ Trim _____ Date _____ Trans _____ Axle _____

Registered Owner (if other than member) _____

Address _____

License Number _____ State/Province _____ Is your T-Bird primarily Original or Modified?

Color (if not per data plate) _____ Mileage _____ Condition (rate from 1-5, 1 is best) _____

Special Features or Remarks _____



For Office use Only

CTCI # _____ Date: _____

Ck # _____ Amt Rec'd: _____

rev 1/2015-WEB

Online Renew for 1 year 2018 for \$37.50 or signup for 3 years at \$105.00 (35.00 a year)

Thunderbird
news

MAY 2019 VOLUME 21, #5

Bird Watching

Recently Arlene and I have been traveling around Florida on business and visiting Family. I like to take pictures of Thunderbirds wherever I go. Many of them are at Car Shows or Auctions, but there are some just parked by the roadside.

The Carlisle Lakeland Auto Fest is held February.

This 1956 Rest-o-Mod T Bird was a real show stopper! 5.0 Cobra V8 power, modern suspension and brakes.



Done in a beautiful Coral color, sold with no reserve at only \$31K! Stolen is more like it!



CTCSF Members Ed Raabe and John Virginio showed their Baby Birds at the Festival Flea-Market Spring show. The Connely's have owned their 56 for 53 years! All original with one respray in Raven Black, and just the addition of front disk brakes, the only modification.



John Virginio's white 56 is just out of restoration by McHugh's Automotive Group. This car required extensive pannel and door repair. The paint pops! As it should and I will do a profile on the restoration in a future magazine. I had to detail mine again after seeing his!



This 1963 Chalfonte Blue Bullet Bird has the 390 with Tripower, Landau roof and rare cloth interior.



The Retro Birds were shown by 2 guys from out of state, Steve and Howie. They attended our Club meeting on the 17!



Concours Parts & ACCESSORIES

YOUR 'ONE STOP SHOP' FOR OVER 30 YEARS!

♦55/57 Thunderbird ♦58/66 Thunderbird ♦49/59 Ford, Mercury & Edsel Car
♦48/72 Ford Truck ♦60/72 Galaxie ♦62/72 Fairlane ♦68/71 Torino

**FREE SHIPPING
ON ORDERS OVER \$300.00***

**CALL OR GO ON-LINE
FOR OUR
FREE CATALOG!**

NEW OLD STOCK!
WE HAVE A LIMITED SUPPLY OF **NOS FENDERS**
& **INNER FENDERS** AVAILABLE FOR YOUR 1955-57 T-BIRD!



CALL FOR PRICE & AVAILABILITY!



COOLING SYSTEM



WEATHERSTRIP



UPHOLSTERY



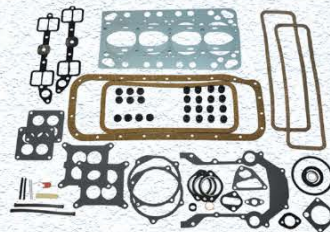
SHEET METAL REPAIR PANELS



DASH & DASH COMPONENTS



SUSPENSION & STEERING



ENGINE & TRANSMISSION



WIRING



CHROME & EMBLEMS



FUEL SYSTEM

**ORDER ON-LINE @
WWW.CONCOURSEPARTS.COM**

(800) 722-0009

**Concours Parts
& ACCESSORIES**

3655 Arrowhead Drive #120
Carson City - Nevada - 89706



WEBSITE
*Free standard shipping (UPS Ground or Post Office)
over \$300.00 in parts will be available in the lower 48 states only!
Free freight does not apply to any parts deemed oversized.
In that case, actual freight charges will apply.



RM Sotheby's Auction 2019

This year our club once again was accepted to support the RM Sotheby Auction Team as they held their most profitable Ft Lauderdale Event yet, 23.2 Million Dollars!

Covering 3 days of prep and 2 days of Auction our team did a great job. Personally, I enjoy the set up where you get to really evaluate the cars. This year the value far exceeded previous years as the RM Sotheby marriage matures. My time was cut short due to the birth of our grandson Conner! So, I missed the Auction excitement, but I was told it was great fun! Thanks to everyone who volunteered and for the terrific pictures you sent you will see in these pages for all the Club members to see!



The A Team is ready to get a car to drive!



The RM Crew has a challenge here!



Stuart drives a Porsche tractor



Rob directs Mike's Hudson into position



Mark is crazy about a Mercury



Stu & Frank admire a one-off Avanti



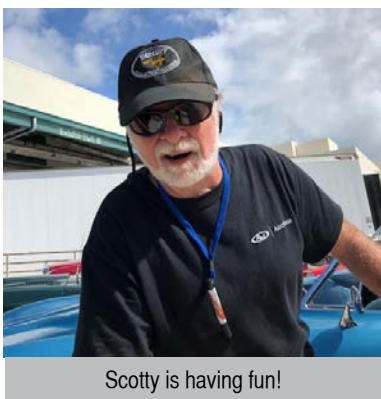
Brice drives in Cadillac style



Da Da Da Da ... Batmobile



At the staging que it's Muscle Car Mania



Scotty is having fun!




Is that a Peddle Car?

Auction results included the 2015 Ferrari La Ferrari \$3,080,000 and 1955 Mercedes SL300 Gull-wing \$1,155,000 as the top dollar cars. The Batmobile recreation went for \$137,500! As for Thunderbirds, 1957 Torch Red at \$40,700, a 1963 Candy Apple Red (custom color) at \$16,500 and a 1965 Radical Custom went for \$30,250. Club member, Don Frakes bought a 1950 Chevy Panel Rest-o-mod.

Now that's getting in to it!



PROUD PRINTER OF THIS NEWSLETTER



2818 NW 79th Ave
DORAL FL, 33122
ph_(305)477.2817
miami@minutemanpress.com
www.doralprinting.com

Follow us
minutemanpress_doral

Celebrating 50 Years
Thunderbird Specialists
CA500
SINCE 1969
Serving the Thunderbird Hobby

CLASSIC AUTO SUPPLY CO.
800-374-0914

Visit our new illustrated web site!
classictbird.com

1955-57 Thunderbird Parts & Restorations



Classic Thunderbird Club of South Florida



3140 S. Ocean Dr. FL 33009
Tel/Fax (954) 476-4887
E-mail: leolashlarue@aol.com
www.thunderbirdclub.us

Leo Saladino
Vice-President
Cell: (718) 812-0991

Peter Klein
First Vice President, Wealth Management
Financial Advisor
Portfolio Manager

Wealth Management
220 Alhambra Circle, 10th Fl
Coral Gables, FL 33134

tel 305 460 7825
fax 305 448 5738
toll free 800 637 4394

Morgan Stanley

www.fa.smithbarney.com/peter_klein
peter.klein@morganstanley.com



PRIMETUNE
Complete Auto Repair



2620 NE 5th Avenue • Pompano Beach, FL 33064
Call Paul at (954) 785-7779

- Comp. Reprogramming & Reflashing
- Computer Diagnostics
- Starter/Alternator/ Batteries
- Radiators/ Cooling Systems
- Major/ Minor Engine Repair
- Air Conditioning
- Brakes
- Front end work
- Carburetors
- Hi-Performance Work

www.primetuneauto.com

ANNUAL RATES
for advertising in the newsletter

Full page__	\$675.00
1/2 page__	\$375.00
1/4 page__	\$250.00
Card Size__	\$150.00 (Non members)
Card Size__	\$95.00 (Members only)



TRATTORIA PAMPERED CHEF
Classic Italian Cuisine

“Very Good” MIAMI HERALD
“A SOLID HIT” TRAVEL HOLIDAY,
GOOD VALUE DINING GUIDE

Catering • Parties • All Occasions
GABRIAL NASH

7347 MIAMI LAKES DRIVE
MIAMI LAKES, FL 33014

TEL.: (305) 825-8919
CELL.: (786) 210-3539
FAX: (305) 825-8918





CLASSIC THUNDERBIRD CLUB OF SOUTH FLORIDA

Executive Board Meeting . April 17th, 2019

MEMBERSHIP MEETING

CALL TO ORDER: President Paul Werner called the meeting to order at 7:00 pm. Paul wished everyone a Happy Passover and Easter and asked new members to introduce themselves. Howard Newman, who has a 2002 yellow bird and his friend, Steven Ward from Texas, met our members at the Festival Market car show. Poppy also brought a guest, Barbara Benjamin, who along with her husband, Ward, was a driver for the auction this year as well as in past years.

TREASURER'S REPORT: Treasurer's report was not given

SECRETARY'S REPORT: It was approved to dispense with the reading of the minutes of the last meeting.

FIRST READING OF PROPOSED BY-LAWS AMENDMENT: Board Members met to discuss a Bylaws change related to terms of office for board members and president. Under consideration was increasing terms to two consecutive years. President would also be elected to a two-year term and would have to sit out two years before being eligible for re-election. Bylaws change was emailed to the membership, then presented at the meeting for a first reading, (See the next pages for the proposed amendment changes) then during the May meeting for a second reading and vote.

The By-Laws changes were called to a first vote and all changes were approved.

MAY BRUNCH:

The sign-up is on the website. Event is May 19 at the Miami Shores Country Club. The price of the brunch including, great food, Bottomless Mimosas and Bloody Mary's, Coffee or Tea, Tax and Tip is \$45. Each member will pay only \$10 per person and the Club will pay the balance

Guests are welcomed, but they must pay \$45, the full price of the brunch.

There will be a special parking area set aside for our Classic Cars

When you REGISTER, please note if you will be bringing your car so that we can reserve your spot. You must REGISTER by Wednesday May 15th!

OLD BUSINESS:

ACKNOWLEDGMENT OF DEATHS: A discussion was held about sending platters or donations when a member loses a spouse, sibling, parent or child. Daisy had introduced us to the program at the Youth Automotive Training Center, a local specialty training for at-risk teens. A vote was called for donations to YATC or MacPherson. It was agreed that a \$25 donation would be made in memorial to MacPherson College, since their work is more geared to the classic cars.

RM/SOTHEBY'S AUCTION: RM was quite pleased, and the event went very well. No incidents were noted. The venue is changing as the Broward County Convention Center is being remodeled. We will be keeping in touch with the auction company. The auction company increased our compensation as additional days were added. Since the club members turned out strong, we had many more club hours this year and had to call on the other clubs primarily for the auction days. Our net last year for our club was \$3,500. This year it will be \$4,910.00 Stuart thanked all of the drivers. Ed thanked Stuart.

NEW BUSINESS: Grace brought up changing the name of the club to be more inclusive to other classics. The matter was tabled until more information could be gathered, especially as concerns event insurance, our non-profit status, and a corporate name change with the state.

ANNOUNCEMENT: Gail announced a car show benefiting the Youth Automotive Training Center at Quiet Waters Park on Sunday, April 28.

NO MEETING IN MAY: Since our brunch is in May, it will take the place of our regular monthly meeting in May. Our next monthly meeting will be on June 19, 2019.

ADJOURNMENT:

Stuart motioned and Richard seconded adjournment.

Respectfully submitted,

Gail Corenblum



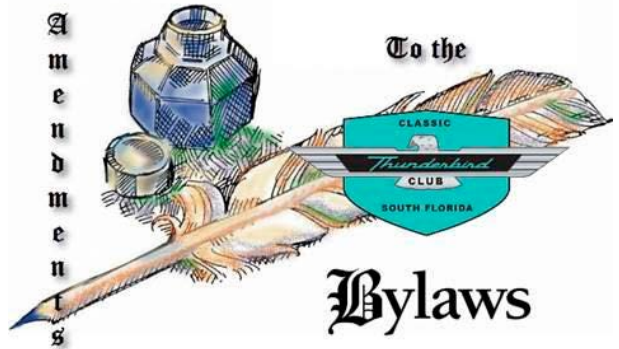
Amendment #1

Purpose: To better define the current PURPOSE of the Club, and specifically to include the later year Thunderbirds

Reference: ARTICLE II - Section 1

Old Wording: To encourage the ownership, maintenance (both physical and mechanical) and operation of the Classic Thunderbird (1955 to 1957)

New Wording: *To encourage the ownership, maintenance (both physical and mechanical) and operation of the all Thunderbirds and other Classic cars owned by the Members.*



Amendment #2

Purpose: Reflect the current meeting date

Reference: ARTICLE V - Section 1

Old Wording: The regular monthly meeting will be held on the first Wednesday of the month

New Wording: *The regular monthly meeting will be held on the Third Wednesday of the month*

Amendment #3

Purpose: Clarify how special meetings can be called and how meeting dates can be changed

Reference: ARTICLE V - Section 1

Old Wording: Special meetings may be called by the Secretary on the direction of the President, by resolution of the Board of Directors, or by petition of not less than 25% of the members.

A majority of members shall constitute a quorum at all meetings.

New Wording: *Special meetings or a change of the regular meeting day, may be called by the Secretary on the direction of the President, by resolution of the Board of Directors, or by petition of not less than 25% of the members, to be voted on at the next regularly scheduled meeting and location, as long as Notice of Meetings requirements (ARTICLE V, Section 3) have been met.*

A majority of members shall constitute a quorum at all meetings.

Amendment #4

Purpose: Ensure that all members are properly notified if a special meeting is called, a location is changed,

or a change is made to a regularly scheduled meeting

Reference: ARTICLE V - Section 2

Old Wording: Place of Meetings:

The officers shall designate any place at either a member's home or a selected convenient location as the place of meeting for any annual meeting or monthly meeting or special meeting called by the Officers of the Club.

New Wording: *Place of Meetings:*

The officers shall designate any place at either a member's home or a selected convenient location as the place of meeting for any annual meeting or monthly meeting or special meeting called by the Officers of the Club. as long as Notice of Meetings requirements (ARTICLE V, Section 3) have been met

Amendment #5

Purpose: Update the (outdated) requirements and method of communicating with the membership.

Reference: ARTICLE V - Section 3

Old Wording: Notice of Meetings:

A written or printed notice stating the place, date and time of each meeting of the members shall's home. (this TYPO exists now on the bylaws)

Notice of meetings will be considered "delivered" if mailed to the address on the Secretary's records or deposited in the mail box at that address.

New Wording: *Notice of Meetings:*

An EMAIL notice stating the place, date and time of each meeting shall be emailed to the member.

This is to be done within a week before a regularly scheduled meeting, at least 30 days if there is a change in the Place, Date, or Time.

Notice of meetings will be considered "delivered" if emailed to the email address on the Secretary's records.



Amendment #6

Purpose: Change tenure of the board of directors

Reference: ARTICLE VI - Section 2

Old Wording: Number and Tenure:

The Board of Directors shall consist of eight (8) members (4 Officers plus 4) elected from the membership of the Corporation and the editor of the Thunderbird News.

The Director's term-of-office shall be one year. New members (4) of the Board of Directors will be elected each year in the month of November.

The only out-going Officer who shall remain a member (ex-officio) of the Board of Directors will be the President.

New Wording: *Number and Tenure:*

The Board of Directors shall consist of eight (8) members (4 Officers plus 4) elected from the membership of the Corporation and the editor of the Thunderbird News.

The Director's term-of-office shall be two years. New members of the Board of Directors, those replacing the members with expiring terms, will be elected each year in the month of November.

The only out-going Officer who shall remain a member (ex-officio) of the Board of Directors will be the President.

Amendment #7

Purpose: Ensure that board members are properly notified when a meeting is called

Reference: ARTICLE VI - Section 4

Old Wording: Notice of Meetings:

Notice of each Board of Director's Meeting shall be given by the Secretary several days prior to the date of the meeting. The notice may be oral or written and will indicate the date, time and place of the meeting.

New Wording: *Notice of Meetings:*

Notice of each Board of Director's Meeting shall be given by the Secretary at least 30 days prior to the date of the meeting. The notice may be oral or written (emailed) and will indicate the date, time and place of the meeting.

Amendment #8

Purpose: Conform to current practice, the terms of the Board officers (President, Vice President, Secretary, Treasurer)

Reference: ARTICLE VII - Section 2

Old Wording: Election and Term of Office:

The Officers of the Corporation shall be elected annually by the majority vote of the membership. The election of Officers shall be held at the annual meeting in November.

Other offices may be created by the members of the Corporation at any regular meeting. Such office shall be staffed by the Board of Directors.

Each Officer shall hold office until his successor shall have been duly elected and qualified.

New Wording: *Election and Term of Office:*

The Officers of the Corporation shall be elected for a two year term by the majority vote of the membership present. The election of Officers shall be held at the annual meeting in November.

Other offices may be created by the members of the Corporation at any regular meeting. Such office shall be staffed by the Board of Directors.

Each Officer shall hold office until his successor shall have been duly elected and qualified

Amendment #9

Purpose: Define the term of office for the President, to conform to current practice

Reference: ARTICLE VI - Section 5

Old Wording: President:

....The president will be elected for 12 months and could not be re-elected for the Presidency unless he or she has been a Past President for the term of 12 months.

All presidents after his term of 12 months will be automatically the Past President for the following 12 months.

The Past President will take the place of the President or Vice-President in the absence of both, and will have voting rights in the board of directors.

New Wording: *President:*

....The president will be elected for 24 months and could not be re-elected for the Presidency unless he or she has been a Past President for the term of at least 12 months.

All presidents after their term of 24 months will be automatically the Past President for the following 24 months or until a new Past President is created due to the president's resignation.

The Past President will take the place of the President or Vice-President in the absence of both and will have voting rights in the board of directors.



Toll free order line 866-949-1956
 Tech Support 740-949-2217
 www.hillsresto.com



Hills
 AUTOMOTIVE
 CLASSIC CAR RESTORATION & PARTS

*Check out our website for Cars for Sale and Restorations in Progress
 *Full & Partial Restorations Available
 *Classic, Antique, & Muscle

Your first choice in: 1955-1957 Thunderbird Sheet Metal; Used & NOS Parts

"We have everything you need...to make your vision come true!"



Drive Through Time with Peace of Mind

Proud to Support the Classic Thunderbird Club of South Florida

J.C. Taylor
 Antique Automobile Insurance Agency
 1-888-ANTIQUE (1-888-268-4783)
 www.jctaylor.com

©1999 JCT

Thunderbird Headquarters

Selling and Manufacturing 1955-1972 Thunderbird Parts and Upholstery for Over 40 Years



TB
ACC35TB:
 Thunderbird Key Fob



A
ACC35A:
 Ford Crest Key Fob



22051A
1955-1964 Style



B22051A
1965-1972 Style



These Deluxe Key Blanks are stamped on both sides. They come in pairs with 1 ignition/door key and 1 trunk key.

Leather Key Fobs, with chrome ring and Emblem. Also available with emblems of Ford Truck, Edsel, Lincoln, Mercury.

Toll Free: 800-227-2174 Email: parts@tbirdhq.com

Have you been to our website lately? www.TBIRDHQ.com

To all members

Remember that this newsletter goes to press the 15th of each month. Please remember the date!. If you want your article to appear, I need it by the 15th!
 We welcome any contributions that members can make to our newsletter! This year We want to feature stories about YOUR 1955 Thunderbird.
 Do you have any interesting photos of your car? Send it to me!. Do you have any interesting story about your car? Send them to me!



**We Fix it Right
the First Time
and Guarantee
it for LIFE!**

Brany Binker

**ALL WORK RESTORED
TO SHOWROOM
CONDITION!**

From
Minor Dents
To Complete
Collision
Repair

**Body & Paint Work
from People
You Know and Trust**



FREE ESTIMATES

Two locations to serve you better:

Original Location
3051 SW 38th Court
Miami, FL 33146
305-448-4100

New West Kendall Location
12539 SW 128th Street
Miami, FL 33186
(Near Tamiami Airport)
305-251-5133



Dedicated to Excellence

**Supplying Concours-
Quality, Parts
Upholstery and
Accessories
for Over 45 Years!**

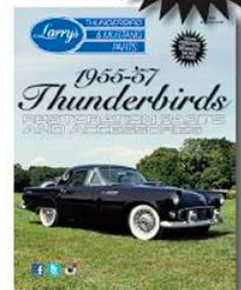


Teamco
GO FOR THE QUALITY

**Restoration Parts
& Accessories**



- ★ Great Prices!
- ★ Huge Inventory!
- ★ Experienced Parts Specialists!
- ★ Fast Shipping!



**Call Today!
(800) 854-0393**

**Larry's Thunderbird & Mustang Parts • 1180 California Ave. #B • Corona, CA 92881
Find us On The Web At: www.larrystbird.com**



Reputation

For the past 43 years, thousands of satisfied Thunderbird enthusiasts have been saying ours is unbeatable.

The best customer service, bar none. They will go out of their way to make sure you get the correct part and make sure their customer is satisfied. –Bill K.

NPD is outstanding! Whenever I order parts for my '55 T-Bird, the parts arrive in less than 48 hours. Thanks! –Dave M.

The quality of the entire experience is first rate. The ordering, fast shipping, and parts quality are all outstanding. –JJ C.

Trustpilot Reviews • Excellent



1955-1957
Thunderbird
RESTORATION PARTS & ACCESSORIES

NPD
NATIONAL PARTS DEPOT

NATIONAL PARTS DEPOT PARTS & ACCESSORIES CATALOG

NPD is not affiliated with or sponsored by the Ford Motor Company

Copyright © 2019 by National Parts Depot. All Rights Reserved

NPD
NATIONAL PARTS DEPOT

Florida: 800-874-7595

Michigan: 800-521-6104

North Carolina: 800-368-6451

- 3 Fully-Stocked Warehouses
- 1-3 Day Delivery to most of U.S.
- Expert Customer Support 24/7

Call for your free catalog today **800-874-7595**

Easy, secure online ordering **NPDLink.com**



Thunderbird
news