



Bluewater Region – Running Board News

April 2023



President's Report

A note from President Fred...

Welcome to Spring everyone ...! With this great weather upon us, let's hope it stays around and we can enjoy getting the vintage vehicles on the road again for another season of touring together in our great area.

Your executive has been working hard to come up with ideas for a great season on the roads of Grey and Bruce counties, but we always need input from you the members, so if you have an idea that you might think could be of interest to the club, please step forward and let us know ...!! In speaking with Dianne Morrison, who is working on the 2023 Tour to Yesteryear committee, it would seem that the interest has been quite exciting for them as most rooms have been booked at the host hotel and all events are filling up quickly!!

Many thanks to our own executive members for looking after such things as the dinners at the Legion, pizza and games time together, people stepping up to host events in the upcoming season such as a possible excursion to the Blythe Summer Festival ...and our fantastic bulletin editor for keeping us all in the know as to what is coming in our Bluewater Region... a great way to stay in touch. We have had a couple of retirement and nursing home requests for vehicles, but more information on that as the season unfolds.

Take care everyone ...looking forward to seeing you soon...!! Think Spring!!

Fred Parsons, 519-371-4149



FIRST SATURDAY OF THE MONTH COFFEE AT MCDONALD'S MAY 6th 8:30 AM Sunset Strip, Owen Sound

A reminder that Saturday (May 6th) is the first Saturday of the month and it is our standing date for coffee and perhaps some breakfast at McDonald's on the sunset strip in Owen Sound.

Hope you can join us at 8:30 am.



Bob and June's 60+ Anniversary Party was a huge success and those of us who attended (about 25 or so from our Club) enjoyed an afternoon of celebration, reminiscing and a serving of delicious black forest cake, or carrot cake or white cake with coffee or tea. Hearing their son speak opened our eyes as to who Bob and June are to family and friends alike. Thank you so much for inviting us.

Happy Anniversary Bob & June



JOIN US FOR ROAST BEEF DINNER

OWEN SOUND ROYAL CANADIAN
LEGION

FRIDAY, APRIL 21st AT 5:00 PM
Dinner at 5:30 pm – Cost: \$18 each

Perhaps the weather will encourage us to dig out our cars!

Please CONFIRM your tickets with Murray and/or Mary Hall at 226-622-7454 or by e-mail at maryandmurray@hotmail.com by Wednesday, April 19th.



Regular Board Meeting

April 17th at 3:30 pm at the Royal Canadian Legion in Owen Sound at 1450 2nd Avenue West

Agenda to include summer tours, financial report, etc.

All are welcome.





Kent and Great Pine Ridge Regions invite you to Tour to Yesteryear
"The Place to be in 2023" - Chatham Ontario.

September 10th to 16th

Make your reservations - Holiday in Express and Suites, 575 Richmond Street
Chatham, ON. N7M 5K8. Call: 519-351-1100

\$132.99 for 1 King Bed or 2 Queen Beds - Block Code: #ACC

Registration Forms will be included in the Spring Reflector OR you can download it
from the email you received today.

For more information contact TTY Committee Chair,
Diane Morrison, griftonmorrison@gmail.com

This year the Antique and Classic Car Club of Canada will celebrate its 64th Tour To Yesteryear. The "Tour To Yesteryear" is a week-long summer tour, hosted by one of 12 Regions. These tours take place in a different Ontario location each year. Typically, about 75 to 90 vehicles participate in the tour. All active members of the A.C.C.C. are invited to attend. The 2023 tour will be held Sunday September 10th to Saturday September 16th, 2023.

NEWS - Updated April 4, 2023, 12:19 p.m. EDT

CTV News Release

It appears the ownership of one of Ontario's most famous beaches is changing hands.

In a tersely worded news release Tuesday morning, the Town of South Bruce Peninsula (SBP) said its received the Sauble Beach land claim decision "which is not in favour of the town's position on the matter."

Since 1995, The Saugeen First Nation has laid claim to a 2.5 kilometre stretch of Sauble Beach's shoreline stretching from Main Street north to 6th street, encompassing the most used and popular section of Sauble Beach waterfront.

The Town of South of Bruce Peninsula claims it owns that stretch of waterfront that attracts hundreds of thousands of visitors each year.

Testimony lasted until May 2022, when the judge in the case reserved her decision.

According to the Town of South Bruce Peninsula, that decision came out Tuesday in favour of the Saugeen First Nations claim to the stretch of beachfront.

Calls for comment to the town of South Bruce Peninsula and Saugeen First Nation have not yet been returned.



In the past, Saugeen First Nation has said if it were to win the land dispute, public access to Sauble Beach's waterfront would continue and beach goers would not notice many changes.

In today's news release SBP Mayor Garry Michi said, "This is a complex issue that requires time to formalize a position. Council understands how important this issue is to the town and thanks all residents in advance for their patience."

This is a developing story."

This news should not affect our summer plans as the dispute was one of the reasons we began looking at a street level location for Sauble Beach Sunset Cruisers back in 2019. Our organizers look forward to working with both Saugeen First Nations and the Town of South Bruce Peninsula to the benefit of residents, merchants, visitors and classic car owners of the region.

Sauble Beach Sunset Cruisers Team
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MORE FROM SAUBLE BEACH SUNSET CRUISER TEAM

Kincardine's three Cruise Nights cancelled ... BUT...

Due to Queen Street reconstruction Kincardine's Friday night car extravaganzas will be cancelled this summer. In its place there will be a **"Kincardine Cruise Day"** being held **Saturday, Aug. 5** from noon to 4 p.m. at the **Kincardine Municipal Airport** on Highway 21.

The event features pop-up vendor booths from downtown businesses, a 50/50 draw by the Kincardine & Community Health Care Foundation, and prizes, including a shopping spree.

Kincardine Cruise Day is free to participants and spectators.

For more information about this and other special events in Kincardine this summer, visit www.kincardine.ca/visit.



**Owen Sound
GARDENS**
RETIREMENT RESIDENCE

Friday June 23, 2023

*An Evening with
Elvis*



A limited number of Sauble Beach Sunset Cruisers are invited for a late afternoon classic car show and barbecue and an evening with Elvis.

Friday June 23, 2023
Car Show 4:30 to 6:30 PM
Entertainment 7:00 PM

Refreshments and entertainment provided for Exhibitors and escorts

Registration: Contact Morley before April 15th
eMail: SaubleBeachSunsetCruisers@gmail.com

Sun, Sand & Classy Cars

Take a stroll along Lakeshore and view an amazing array of Vintage, Classic, Restored and Hobby Vehicles



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CORVETTE CLUB



BEACH BURGER
LICENCED PATIO

Every Tuesday Night
June 13 to September 12
5:00 PM to Sunset
Crime Stoppers of Grey Bruce
50/50 Draw at 8:00 PM
Live and recorded entertainment each night



CRIME STOPPERS
OF GREY BRUCE INC.

TEMPORARY ROAD CLOSURE
Classic Car Show in Progress
LOCAL TRAFFIC ONLY
NO ACCESS TO LAKESHORE
Use Second Avenue to Alternate

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CRIME Stoppers Grey Bruce Gears Up For Classic Car Tours

[Nathan Shubert – Bayshore Broadcasting.ca](#)

Apr 9, 2023 | 6:59 AM

Car Show (Photo provided by Drew Kalte)



Crime Stoppers Grey Bruce is getting ready to welcome back classic car owners for a series of more tours across the region.

Chairperson for Crime Stoppers Grey Bruce Peter Reid says following the success over the past three years, the organization has planned three car tours for this summer.

“We started these car tours back during Covid with the help of the members of

the classic car community and we are back again once again,” says Reid.

The tours will kick off on June 25 with a tour and show in South Bruce County. The tour will invite drivers to hit the back roads, farms, rolling hills and villages of south-central Bruce County, with the organization hosting a stationary car show at the Paisley Palace Park from 1 p.m. to 5 p.m. The event will also include a 1 p.m. shotgun start from Sauble Beach, Port Elgin and Kincardine.

Classic car owners will be invited back on Aug. 13, where classic and hobby cars will gather in Port Elgin, Sauble Beach, Wiarton, and Lion’s Head and move out on a shotgun start at 1 p.m. on various routes around Northern Bruce Peninsula. Crime Stoppers volunteers will be handing out route maps for participants. The event will end at the Wiarton Keppel International Airport for an afternoon stationary show until 5 p.m.

The tours will come to an end on Sept. 24 with the third annual Keppel Classic Colour Tour. It will feature a 1 p.m. shotgun start from Sauble Beach, Wiarton, Owen Sound, and Port Elgin, and take car enthusiasts on a fall colour tour of old Keppel Township in Georgian Bluffs. Maps will be supplied by Crime Stoppers volunteers at all locations and will show a number of scenic routes across forests, cliffs, and waters around the area. The tour will come to an end at the Wiarton Keppel International Airport for an afternoon stationary show until 5 p.m.

“We raise funds two ways with these, we accept donations at the locations. There is no fee to attend, and then there is no fee for entry, but if you can donate, that’s great. Last year we raised about \$3,000 from donations and we also run a 50/50 draw at Sauble Beach for the car shows there. We raised about \$1,000 last year from that as well,” says Reid.

There will be a 50/50 draw at all events, and Reid says he is aiming to raise between \$6,000 to \$7,000 from this year’s event.

The funds go towards Crime Stoppers Grey Bruce operating costs.

More details on signing up for the tours can be found on the Crime Stoppers website [here](#).