



Tell Tale

Next meeting: Officer nominations, perpetual trophy returns.
Please RSVP for TC Christmas party!

2024 Membership form is active on MSR!

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President's Message

By Joe Harlan



Hey, Happy Nov! Remember to bring your nominations and willingness to serve to the next general membership meeting! We have elections coming up for our club so please participate. Now is the time to bring ideas and change to the club. We are closing in on the end of the year and cars are resting or being rebuilt for the winter. With that thought in mind, we need to be thinking about promotion: roadster show? swap meet? What do you think? What are you willing to help with? Finally, Christmas Party! Big event coming in Dec! Look for the flyer in the Tell Tale and thank you to the ladies that are working hard on it! Oh wait, not finally, yet! We have our yearend banquet in January also! Details in the newsletter! Get signed up early so we know who's joining us!

I'd like to take a moment to ask for a little prayer for members and friends we have lost over this past year and for those that may be struggling right now. Part of being a club is knowing you matter to the people in the club! God Bless and Godspeed!

Joe Harlan , TC President

P.S. Tell your friends! Recruit new and old members!

Perpetual Trophy Returns Announcement

By Jon Wilson

Perpetual Trophy Recipients;

It is time to return your trophy to the Trophy Committee.

Please bring it to the November general membership meeting or

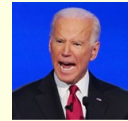
contact Jon Wilson to make arrangements. jonwils72@gmail.com or 971-219-3184



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The Tell Tale

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MEETINGS

General Meeting
Buster's BBQ Tigard, OR
7PM 11/15/23

Board Meeting (tentative)
Wild Hare Saloon, Oregon City, OR

7PM 12/6/23

TC Christmas Party
Sat. 12/9/23 6PM

(see announcement on page 5!)

Team Continental
October General Membership Meeting Minutes
Wednesday, October 18, 2023



Meeting called to order at 7:20pm by President Joe Harlan at Busters BBQ. 17 Members in attendance, 1 Guest.

Board Reports:

President Report, Joe Harlan: An inventory of TC Assets was taken at ORP, continuing to work on it.

Vice President Report, Jeff Menor: In contact with Beaches Cruise-In & Tim Jorgenson to coordinate a date for TC to participate in Wednesday Night Cruise-In.

Secretary, Tiffany Neil: Absent. No Report. Kristine Craine will take minutes.

Treasurer, Cynthia Wilson: Absent. Report provided by Jon Wilson. The Club has money, complete report available. Board will discuss interest Savings Account/Money Market options for current funds at November Board Meeting.

Communication Director, Bill Murray: No Report.

Committee Chair Reports:

Executive Board Rep, Jon Wilson: ICSCC Banquet Announcement was sent out. Sign up available on MSR.

Contest Board Rep, Jon Wilson: Rule Change Meeting was held prior to general meeting, 4 Members voted; results will be submitted to ICSCC.

Trophy Chair, Jon Wilson: Please return perpetual trophies to next general meeting.

Merchandise Chair, Jon Wilson: We have swag!

Assistant Driving Master, Jon Wilson: No Report.

Membership Chair, Dennis Roberts: 2 Renewals were received this month. Kevin will post Membership Renewal Form to MSR November 1. Membership Dues were addressed. Motion to keep Membership Dues at \$45 for 2024 by Bob Smethers, seconded by Jon Wilson. Motion Passed.

Track Event Chair, Jim Larfield: A Track Event Committee Meeting was held Tuesday, October 10th. Dates for PIR were selected and submitted to PIR for approval but have not yet received confirmation.

Banquet Chair, Tony Hauser: Absent. Per Tony's announcement in the Tell Tale - TC Awards Banquet is January 19 – 21, 2024 at Best Western Plus Agate Beach Inn in Newport (same location as last year.)

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TC has a room block in place until December 21st at 5pm for \$134/night for Hillside rooms and \$164/night for Ocean view rooms. Reservations must be made by calling hotel at 541-265-9411, extension 2, and identify yourself as a Team Continental Banquet participant. Party theme is 1970's DISCO! Reserve your room and start planning your outfit now!

Old Business:

Storage at PIR? Need to speak to Track Manager & possibly Adam to see if any space would be available to TC.

New Business:

Election Nominations:

President:	Joe Harlan
Vice President:	Jeff Menor
Secretary:	Tiffany Neil Steve Adams, respectfully declined
Treasurer:	Cynthia Wilson
Communication Director:	Eric Howell, will consider Kristine Craine, respectfully declined

Announcements:

TC Christmas Party: Save the date! Saturday, December 9th – 6pm, Holly Remington's House in Vancouver, Wa. Formal announcement and party details coming soon!

TC Awards Banquet: Save the date! January 19 – 21, 2024 Best Western Plus Agate Beach Inn in Newport. Party theme is 1970's DISCO! See Tell Tale Party Announcement for further details!

Motion to adjourn meeting at 8:02pm by Steve Leonard, seconded by Jon Wilson.

TC Christmas Party Announcement



Electronic invitations have been emailed to all TC members by Holly and Kristine. Please check your inbox and follow the link to RSVP and to find out more information.

Wear your best TC Christmas Red

Please bring fun cocktails or desert to share

6:00 pm Hosted casual dinner 7:00 pm (Optional - but always worth the laughs) World Famous Unapologetically TC's Politically Incorrect Gift Exchange

After that, let the games and bench racing begin!!!!

TC November 1st Board Meeting Minutes

Submitted by Kristine Craine



Meeting called to order at 7:21pm by President Joe Harlan at Wild Hare Saloon, Oregon City.

Board Members in Attendance: Joe Harlan, Jeff Menor, Jon Wilson, Jim Larfield, Bill Murray.

Guest Members in Attendance: Kristine Craine.

Board Reports:

President Report, Joe Harlan: Report will be addressed under Old Business Section regarding ORP Inventory.

Vice President Report, Jeff Menor: No Report. Echo report under Old Business Section regarding ORP Inventory.

Secretary, Tiffany Neil: Absent. No Report. Kristine will take minutes.

Treasurer, Cynthia Wilson: Absent. Report provided by Jon Wilson. Discussion regarding Bank Account took place and the complexities involved in changing accounts/banks, but acknowledged the importance of earning interest on money. Board directed Kristine to research Money Market Accounts /CD's and report back to Board for direction. Cynthia will contact Bank to verify who current signers on account are. Per bylaws, current President, Vice President and Treasurer should all be listed as signers on account.

Executive Board Rep, Jon Wilson: ICSCC Banquet is November 11th in Olympia. Annual E-Board Meeting takes place at Banquet. TC will be represented at meeting by either Joe or Jon.

Contest Board Rep, Jon Wilson: Waiting to hear back from Conference if Contest Board Meeting will be held in person at ICSCC Banquet or virtually as it has been for the past few years. Joe Motioned if Meeting is held in person TC cover 1 Night Hotel Stay for Contest Board Rep to attend Meeting (as club has done in previous years) seconded by Jeff.

Trophy Chair, Jon Wilson: Collection of Perpetual Trophies in progress. Trophy Committee will meet to order Trophies for January Banquet.

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Track Event Chair, Jim Larfield: Dates were submitted to PIR, waiting to hear back from Track for confirmation before further planning takes place.

Communication Director, Bill Murray: No Report.

New Business & Announcements:

Christmas Party: Party will be held at Holly's House in Vancouver Saturday, December 9th at 6pm. Hosted Dinner, Please bring favorite Holiday Beverage or Dessert. Facebook Event was created and Evite will be sent out to all members registered with MSR.

Membership: Membership Drive? Group outreach to previous members? Start thinking about ideas for 2024. Membership retention and growth should not fall on Membership Chair, it is a group effort.

Old Business:

Inventory at ORP: Discussion regarding assets at ORP took place. Board working on clean paper trail of assets stored at ORP. It was established Joe will fill out formal paperwork with ORP to ensure TC and ORP are on the same page regarding storage of Green 40Ft. Container (& contents), White 2-Wheel Trailer (& contents), and White & Blue Ford Van.

Additional Clarification on assets stored at ORP included:

Cooking equipment belongs to TC. Bill built it with TC Purchased Equipment, ORP has stored and Maintained Equipment as a mutually beneficial asset.

"Marketing Roll Cart" belongs to ORP and is believed to be currently stored in TC Container.

Location of Title for White & Blue Ford Van: It may be in TC Boxes stored at Jon's Home. Jeff volunteered to go through boxes to look for it, will coordinate with Jon, also a possibility it is in container, or....anyone know? Per Bill, Van was originally purchased from Mark Hanken.

Additional TC Assets to note: Steve Lovejoy gave Jon Wilson TC Projector for Drivers Training Classroom sessions.

Motion to adjourn meeting at 9:13pm by Jim Larfield, seconded by Jon Wilson.

Reservations for 2023 TC Banquet

By Banquet Chair Tony Hauser



Howdy folks! I (still) have not yet put together a snazzy event announcement for our 2023 TC Awards Banquet, however, now is the time to get your rooms reserved for the weekend of Friday, January 19, to Sunday, January 21, 2024, at the Best Western Plus Agate Beach Inn in Newport.

This is the same venue as this past year, with pretty much the same events planned. This year's theme is 70's Disco (yes, most of us probably remember that era).

Scheduled events:

- Friday night drinks with Jon and Cynthia
- Saturday morning breakfast with Jim and Toni
- Saturday afternoon wine tasting with Don and Gayle
- Saturday evening cocktail hour/banquet/awards (dinner options will be determined next month)
- Sunday General Membership Meeting

In order to get the reduced TC rate on your room, you will need to reserve directly with the hotel no later than 5:00pm, December 21st!!!

We have 37 rooms blocked off with Hillside rooms for \$134/night and Oceanview rooms for \$164/night, single or double occupancy. Any additional adults will increase the per-night cost by \$10 each.

To book your room, please call 541-265-9411, extension 2, and identify yourself as a Team Continental Banquet participant to receive the discounted room rate.

A Note From TC Member Don Crawford



For Your Consideration

Dear TC members:

Gayle and I attended the TC Banquet last January (as we have for almost every year since 1985). I noticed that there were no candidates for the Driver of the Year award. Upon inquiry I learned that there are two parts to this award: win a championship and win the vote of TC members.

Over this last year my sponsor and I entered all races in the Oregon Region SCCA Vintage Championship in the VFSR class (Vintage Formula and Sports Racer). This series included the three SCCA regional race weekends plus the Rosecups. We won the VFSR championship with the most points of any Vintage class. There were a number of very fast cars in the VFSR class including: Jason Perkins in 87 Swift DB2, Tom Hendrickson in 80 Crossle 42S, Allen Zorich in 72 Titan MK 6 and Steve Timpson in 84 Crossle B-50. The Haggispeed's only DNF was in the last 3 laps of the last race of the season.

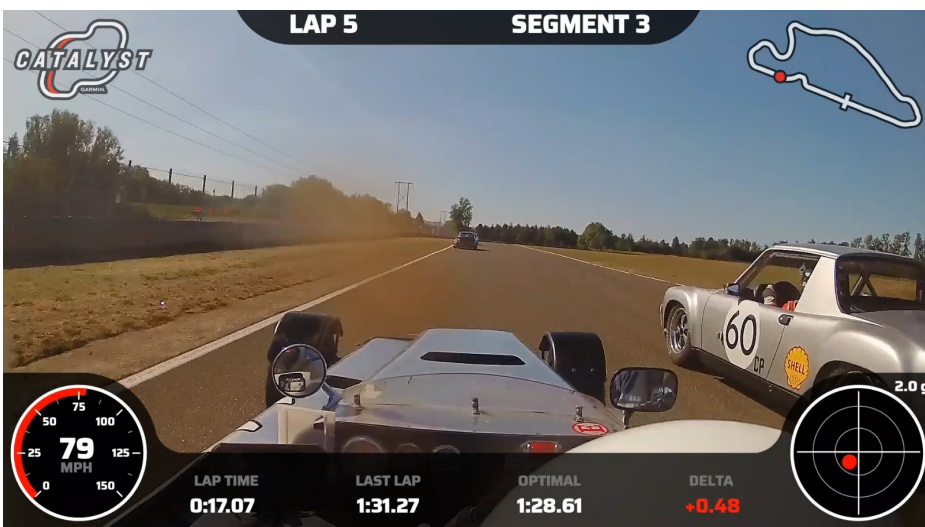
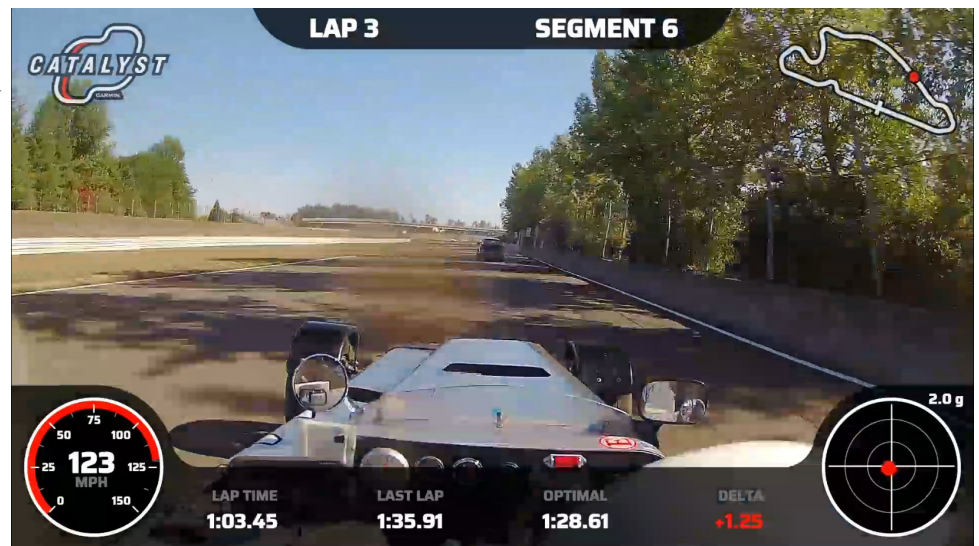
This was the last year that I can devote to this championship goal. I am getting older (many have noticed) and my sponsor is tired of the cold, rain, and heat.

If you have a chance to vote for this award, I would appreciate your support.

Thanks!

Don Crawford

1967 Haggispeed Clubman #14



Photos of Don in his Clubman during this year's Columbia River Classic at PIR.

Above right: flooring it on the back straight.

Above left: putting it to a C-Production 914.



Team Continental Membership Application/Renewal

Full Name: _____

Nickname or Preference: _____

Street Address: _____

City: _____ State: _____ Zip Code: _____

Home Phone: _____ - _____ - _____ Work Phone: _____ - _____ - _____

Other Phone: _____ - _____ - _____

E-Mail: _____

New Membership _____

Renewal Membership Status _____ (See explanations below)

Active – A New Member after attaining ICSCC Senior Competition or SCCA Regional License or a member in good standing for one year.

Senior – An Active Member who has won an ICSCC, SCCA Regional or National Championship, or other recognized championship, or at least ten first in class wins in races comprising more than four cars, or who has been an Active Member in good standing for more than three years will attain Senior status when present at a formal meeting.

Team Continental relies on volunteers to put on our racing, driver training, and other club events. Please indicate below any areas where you would be willing to help:

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|---|--|
| <input type="checkbox"/> Driver services | <input type="checkbox"/> President |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Registration | <input type="checkbox"/> Secretary |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Tech Inspection | <input type="checkbox"/> Treasurer |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Scales | <input type="checkbox"/> ICSCC Executive, Board Rep. |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Timing & Scoring | <input type="checkbox"/> ICSCC Contest Board Rep. |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Pre-grid | <input type="checkbox"/> Race Chairman |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Turn Worker | <input type="checkbox"/> Driving Master |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Flat tow | <input type="checkbox"/> Membership Chairman |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Paddock Marshall | <input type="checkbox"/> Communications Director |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Driving Master | <input type="checkbox"/> Telltale/Newsletter Editor |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Driving Instructor | <input type="checkbox"/> Picnic Chairman |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Other | <input type="checkbox"/> Banquet Chairman |
| | <input type="checkbox"/> Christmas Party Chairman |

Please present this completed form to the TC Membership Chairman or send it to:

TC Membership Chairman, PO Box 2273, Portland, OR 97208-2273.

Please include \$45.00 for a one year membership, or \$90 for a two year membership along with your application/renewal.

Signature _____ Date : _____

<p>Official Use Only:</p> <p>Year: _____ Membership Number: _____</p> <p>Notes: _____</p> <p>Status : Novice Active Senior Inactive</p> <p>Fee received: \$ _____ (Check # _____ or Cash) New card sent: _____</p>
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Link to online MSR.com registration form: <https://www.motorsportreg.com/events/team-continental-membership-2024-tc-228612>

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