



# **THE STEERING COLUMN**

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## **President's Letter**

It is with a heavy heart that I have to inform all of you about the death of Carl Giambrone. Carl was an active club member for a very long time. He was a good friend to all of us. Besides displaying his white T-Bird and Buick Riviera, he was an avid model train collector with an award winning American Flyer layout. He will be missed.

Our covered dish dinner was a huge success. We had a total of 50 members and guests. The corned beef, potatoes, cabbage, and carrots were supplied by Foley's Market. The meat was extremely tender. Thanks to all the members who provided homemade foods and desserts and to those who worked to make the dinner a success. Since we had a lot of leftovers, Pat Thayer organized a group to deliver the food to shut-ins and families in the Trenton area. Thank you, Pat!

We have 2 events in April. One is our **Karl Mey's show on April 16** and the second one is the **Hobby Night on April 20**. As we discussed at our meeting, we need all hands on deck to help at the Karl Mey's show. Please come early ( 8:00 A.M.) if you would like to help. We need assistance in parking, registration and check-in. There are many other tasks, so please contact Rob for an assignment. This year we are trying a new voting system which should make the judging fairer. We are placing the cars into 2 categories; one category will be those cars 20 years and older and the other category will be those cars 21 years and newer. We are also color coding the ballots and using a computer to tally the votes. It is hoped that this method will eliminate voting controversy. Peer judging will still be done.

Years ago our hobby night was popular and we hope that it will be so again this year. If anyone wants to participate, please bring a sample of the hobby and prepare a presentation to include how you became interested in it; you could include a short history of interesting facts. Please limit your discussion to 10-12 minutes. In order to accommodate everyone and still end the meeting at 8 P.M., we will begin the meeting at 6 P.M. Hopefully, many of you will participate.

I hope to see all of you at the Karl Mey's show and at Hobby Night.

**Edward J Tirello, Jr.**

**President**

## **CARS' N PARTS FOR SALE OR WANTED**

Vintage lawn and garden tractors wanted. Anyone who has or knows of anyone disposing of said items, please contact Rob Chamberlin 609-865-5907

The next regular monthly meeting of the CJAACC will be held on **Thursday April 20, 2023 at: The Hamilton Library**. The meeting will start at **6 p.m.** Guests are welcome to come and find out more about our club! Please email articles for consideration to: [CJAACCNews@aol.com](mailto:CJAACCNews@aol.com). All articles are subject to editing for appropriate content and length. Club Phone Number: 609-310-5261. We will keep all of you informed as to future decisions and changed dates.

## **PARTS FOR SALE**

1. 1984-89 Corvette Steering Wheel - black - good condition **\$50 b/o**
2. 1990. Corvette Seat -manual, light gray (not graphite), no tears, overall good condition, one mounting pad is rusted **\$35 b/o**
3. Holley Carburetor: type 4165 - list 6210-2 spreadbore double pumper-complete, should be rebuilt **\$60 b/o**

Call Fred: 609-638-9634



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**OUR NEXT MEETING IS:**

**APRIL 20, 2023 AT 6 PM.**

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