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# **Badgerland F100's Truck Club**

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## Club Meetings

April April 13<sup>th</sup> hosted by Mark & Cindy Favor  
May May 10<sup>th</sup> at Boondockers Car Show hosted by Mike & Chris Connor  
June June 29<sup>th</sup> hosted by Roger & Barb McDermott  
July open

## Car & Truck Shows/Swap Meets

Note: Please contact the Editor if you have show information you would like posted in the newsletter.

4/26 & 4/27 Spring Jefferson Swap Meet & Car Show - Jefferson, WI  
5/09 & 5/10 32<sup>nd</sup> Annual Boondockers Car Show @ Concord House – Concord, WI  
5/15-5/17 F100 Supernationals @ Chilhowee Park - Knoxville, TN  
5/17 & 5/18 Dells Automotion at Noah's Ark - WI Dells  
5/17 Wonewoc Car Show - Wonewoc, WI  
5/18 26<sup>th</sup> Annual All Ford Show featuring the 50's - Cudahy, WI  
6/06-6/08 Goodguys @ Indy Raceway Park  
6/13-6/14 Twin City F100's Midwest Nationals  
6/07-6/14 Hot Rod Power Tour from Little Rock, AR to Madison, WI  
6/07-Little Rock, AR, 6/08-Springfield, MO, 6/09-Topeka, KS, 6/10-Lincoln, NE, 6/11-  
Ames, IA, 6/12-Rochester, MN, 6/13 & 6/14-Madison, WI  
6/20-6/22 Back to the 50's – St. Paul, MN  
6/28 Big Brothers/Big Sisters Car Show - Fitchburg, WI  
7/4-7/6 Goodguys @ Des Moines, IA  
7/10-7/13 Iola Swap Meet & Car Show - Iola, WI  
7/11-7/13 Show Me F100's - 21<sup>st</sup> Annual Ozarks Run - Branson, MO  
7/19 Reedsburg Classic Car Show - Reedsburg, WI  
8/02 & 8/03 Summer Elkhorn Swap Meet & Car Show - Elkhorn, WI  
8/15-8/17 Goodguys 9<sup>th</sup> Annual Great Lakes Nationals @ Willow Island - Madison, WI  
8/16-8/17 14<sup>th</sup> Annual Ford & Mercury Truck Show @ Ontario, Canada  
8/23 Spring Green Car Show - Spring Green, WI  
8/30-8/31 Goodguys @ Kansas City, KS  
9/12 & 9/13 Badgerland F100's 19<sup>th</sup> Dash to the Dells & 5<sup>th</sup> Unofficial Panel Nationals –  
Wisconsin Dells, WI  
9/14 Beloit Car Show - Beloit, WI  
9/19-9/21 Goodguys @ Joliet, IL  
9/27 & 9/28 Fall Jefferson Swap Meet & Car Show - Jefferson, WI  
10/12 Hunnert Car Pileup @  
10/24-10/26 Goodguys @ Lowes Motor Speedway – Charlotte, NC

The following websites have more information and show locations:

[www.olderide.com/events/wisconsin.html](http://www.olderide.com/events/wisconsin.html)

[www.wisconsincollectorcar.com](http://www.wisconsincollectorcar.com)

# CLUB NEWS

## Membership Dues – This Will Be Your Last Newsletter if not paid.

Annual membership dues of \$20 were due January 31, 2008. Unless you are a Lifetime Member, please forward your checks made payable to Badgerland F-100s Ltd. to the club Treasurer:

Chris Connor  
2315 S. Syene Rd.  
Madison, WI 53711

If you are interested in becoming a Lifetime member, the cost is \$200 and you won't ever have to worry about remembering to send in your annual dues again. If you are a new member and have joined the club at the truck show in September 2007, or since then, and paid \$20, then your 2008 dues are considered paid.

Remember if you pay your dues after January 31<sup>st</sup>, you'll have to pay an additional \$2 for each month that you are late.

Thanks and hope to see all of you continue to be a part of a really great club!

Chris Connor  
Membership Chair/Treasurer  
Badgerland F-100s



## Birthdays

### April

Nancy Kerzner 4/7  
Michael Jackson 4/15  
Bruce Mohr 4/17  
Linda Pofahl Holly 4/17  
Barb Mohr 4/22  
Amy McDermott 4/22  
Rick Pribbenow 4/28

### May

Shane Hilgers 5/1  
Roger McDermott 5/11  
Abby Schneider 5/14  
Megan Favor 5/15  
David Kerzner 5/24  
Roberta Rush 5/24  
Jasmine McDermott 5/30

# March Meeting Minutes

The March meeting was held during the Winter Banquet at the Prairie du Sac Town Hall on March 9<sup>th</sup>. We had 25 adults, 1 child and no trucks attending. Our fine cuisine was provided by all who attended and it was delicious. Thank you to everyone for bringing various food items and a special thank you to Dave and Julie Farmer for preparing the meat for our sandwiches. The BBQ pork was yummy.

The meeting was called to order at 1:52pm.

## Reports from Officers

**Secretary:** Rick briefly reviewed minutes from the February meeting consisting of officer nominations. Also Rick stated per an email from Dick & Dee Dee of Twin City F100's that their show dates have changed to June 13 & 14 for the Twin City F100's Midwest Nationals. They will be sending some flyers to us soon and hope that some of our members can attend. They also said they enjoy getting our newsletter. Rick stated the Dash 19 beg letters will be going out soon and that there were extra beg letters here today for members to take with them.

**Treasurer:** Chris gave us the status of our bank account. Chris also stated there was a financial statement prepared by her that will be passed around to members at the meeting. She had one last reminder for club dues- if they are not paid, you will get one last newsletter and then be taken off the club member roster

**New Members:** Chris reported no new members at this time, but we have new lifetime members- Greg and Kim Schneider.

**Vice President:** Dave talked briefly on club shirts. Members need to decide what style of shirts to purchase-embroidered/denim/polo-he needs to know so he will be able to order in bulk for the best price. He has a catalog today with 2 styles to choose from. Please see Dave Farmer to discuss. Dave also told us of an email he received from Wally about his vehicle troubles and not being able to attend the Winter Banquet and what his email response was. (It was great to see he made it anyway despite all the problems)

**President:** Mike mentioned how busy he was working on Sean's '59 thunderbird. He then asked if there was any old business to discuss.

## OLD BUSINESS

Shirts were discussed and people should see Dave Farmer. Dash 19 was officially moved to the Great Wolf Lodge. Mike touched briefly on chairpersons for the Dash as follows:

Promotions – Roger Mc Dermott  
Door Prizes – Rick & Ros Pribbenow  
Registrations – Dave & Julie Farmer  
Kids Games – Julie Zeien

Mike advised us that the Hilgers had kept our incorporation papers for us all these years, and now that we have them for review, we can do the new electronic filing to the IRS. It is mainly to continue to update the IRS on our continued eligibility for our not-for-profit status.

Mike asked for any further old business-hearing none, moved on to new business.

## NEW BUSINESS

No new business.

Mike moved forward and reminded all club members to get photos of themselves next to their trucks and send them to Lisa Watkins for the yearbook she is working on. (Some members handed photos to Rick Pribbenow to forward to Lisa)

Mike reminded us of the Dash 18 Chairpersons and gave them his thanks:

Promotions – Dean Malin & Trevor Rush  
Registrations – Lori Burnett  
Door Prizes – Jeff Burnett  
Van Usage – Scott Jackson  
Kids Games – Tammy Barth  
Valve Cover Racing – Greg Schneider  
Hot Wheels Racing & Show Parking – Greg Masters  
Trophy Chair/Logos/Artist – Dave Farmer  
Cruise – Mike & Chris Connor  
Food – Chris Connor

Mike had a special thank you for all the videographers taping the show, racetrack and cruise. Mike also thanked the tireless efforts of all the volunteers and cleanup crew.

All of the members make this show a huge success.

Mike asked if there was any volunteer for the April meeting-Mark Favor volunteered. He and Cindy will host the April meeting on Sunday, April 13 in Viroqua, WI.

Mike said he had a copy of the Great Wolf contract here at the meeting today for anyone wanting to read it. Dash 19 registration flyers were passed out to everyone at the meeting. The new flyer is also on the web site. Bruce Horkey has agreed to sponsor us again this year. Members are reminded to get a room at the hotel early, as the rates are not guaranteed after the cut-off date.

Our VP, Dave Farmer is currently working on the show art for Dash 19.

Mike asked for any other business-hearing none, we moved on to Officer voting. After the voters were tallied by Megan Connor, the outcome is as follows:

Secretary – Rick Pribbenow  
Treasurer – Chris Connor  
Vice President – Dave Farmer  
President – Mike Connor

Motion to adjourn by Wally Zeien and seconded by Floyd Johnson. All were in favor-unanimous.  
Meeting adjourned at 2:17pm.



# Winter Banquet-Traveling Awards

**Stock Truck of the Year – Floyd Johnson**



**Custom Truck of the Year – Rick Linskins (R)**



**Most Improved Truck of the Year – Dave Farmer (R)**



**Truck of the Year – Scott Jackson (L)**



**Member of the Year – Rick Pribbenow (L)**



**Family Award – Scott Jackson (L)**



# Winter Banquet photos





## The Next Meeting ...

The next meeting will be held at the home of Mark and Cindy Favor in Viroqua, WI, at 12:00pm on Sunday, April 13<sup>th</sup>. We will eat at 12:00 with the meeting to follow. Please bring a dish to pass, your beverage of choice and a chair to sit on.

Directions to Mark and Cindy Favor's house:

From Madison:

From Interstate 39/90/94, take Hwy 12 West (West Beltline Hwy) to Middleton. Take the Spring Green/University Avenue exit. Take Hwy 14 West to Spring Green and continue to follow Hwy 14 West to Viroqua (you will pass through Lone Rock, Richland Center and Reedstown on the way). Continue north through Viroqua about a mile and then turn left onto SPRINGVILLE ROAD. Their address is E7021 Springville Road. Their house is the first one on the left. Call (608) 637-8132 if you get lost or need other directions.

## Another Lifetime Member

Fellow member Andy Meysembourg of Hugo, Minnesota, recently became a lifetime member. He sent us this picture of his latest project truck, a 1954 C-500. Andy says it has new tires; he's added running lights and a custom-made headache rack. Sure is looking good Andy-nice truck. Maybe we will see this at the Dash this year.



## Photos

Club members; please send a photo of yourself or you and your family with your truck to Lisa Watkins. She will be gathering these photos along with names and addresses to put in the club yearbook. That way, club members can match up the people with their trucks. Lisa has volunteered to put this all together for us. Let's make it a little easier for her.

## From the Vice President

Dear Loyal Subjects,

Those of you who failed to attend the Winter Banquet missed my crowning. I was bestowed the title of “King Vice President” from Ruthanne Koeshall. She placed upon my head a crown, which surprisingly enough fit, and a camshaft to use as my royal scepter. Do not fear loyal subjects, I promise you shall see plenty of both before the year is up. I wish Dean had been able to come, as in the past; I spoke about Dean right away. However, unlike in the past, I only had nice things to say about him. I guess the old saying is true. You just can't do something nice for some people. Don't worry Dean; I won't make that mistake next year. I only received one complaint about the program this year. Megan Connor shared a story with me and was mad at me for not sharing with the group. Well, here you go Megan. On a cold late winter night, Megan and her fiancé Chuck arrived at the home of Mike Connor, President, and couldn't wait to get inside the house. Charles proceeded to write his name on the driveway on one side of the C-word-mobile, as Megan did an abstract on the other. I don't know why I didn't bring it up, it's obviously the story of decade, but I aim to please, so I hope you're happy Megan. Come to think of it, those skills might be handy at the fire pit. We'll talk. Once again I seem to have gotten off track (didn't that happen to me last year too?). At this point I shall bid you a fond farewell, loyal subjects. I must tend to the needs of my kingdom. Until next time I decree that thou must have fun with thine trucks.

Dave Farmer, “KING” Vice President



## Thank you

Club Members,

I just wanted to let you know how much it means to me to be receiving both the Family Award and Truck of the Year Award. I didn't get a chance to thank all of you at the Winter Banquet and tell you about the results of what had occurred since the last Dash to the Dells.

First, going way back to the 1995 show, (most of you didn't know us very well then), we were on our way home when my wife finally got a hold of her parents (she had tried several times), only to find out that my step-father had passed away on September 16, a day or two before she called (the details are sketchy now). When we got home, I asked my mom why she didn't call me to let me know what had happened, she replied, "I did not want to ruin your weekend". I guess she knows you guys (and gals) are as much family to me as she is.

Next, to bring everyone up to date, I got a phone call at the Dash to Dells 18 while my wife and I were out to eat with another couple. My son-in-law called and informed me that he had a brain tumor. I thought that he was pulling one over on me, so I told him where we were and that my food had just come and I would call him back when we got back to our hotel room. To make a long story short, he was actually in the hospital when he called and that everything came out fine. He has some vision loss that might come back (probably not), but that is all. Thank God!

Finally, the other problem with my son is a long story, but that is all going better now than I had expected.

Receiving both the Family Award and the Truck of the Year Award were unexpected and I am very thankful to have received them. It's nice to know we have such a great group of members who take the time to listen or help when needed. I feel truly blessed to be a part of the Badgerland family.

Thank you,  
Scott Jackson

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## Southern Ontario Classic Pickups

I received this email message from Michigan Rick:

Rick....the guys from the SOCP are wondering if any of you guys were planning on doing the Canadian truck show? Our club plans on making it a big show from our club standpoint. It is our clubs 20th anniversary this year.

I think I told you that you can go cheap by camping right at the show, there is a nice gymnasium to shower at and soft baseball field to camp on for the tenters. A big party all night going on and motels aren't to far away. About 5 to 10 miles from the show grounds.

Also, like I said, anyone who doesn't want to drive the whole thing in one day can stay at my house. I have beds for about 6 or 7 with lots of floor space also.

Michigan Rick  
His email is: [panelman54@yahoo.com](mailto:panelman54@yahoo.com)

# In the Garage

Fellow members:

Well, almost time to get those trucks out of storage, do your maintenance and get back on the road again. What better way to start the season by participating in the fun below. Think Spring!

## DRIVE THE MILE!

### PRE-REGISTRATION DEADLINE IS APRIL 15

The 6th Annual Drive The Mile classic car show and drive around The Milwaukee Mile Speedway event is Sunday, May 4. Car clubs take laps in the morning then display in the NASCAR garage area for the car show, with hundreds of race fans and gear heads taking laps in their passenger cars throughout the rest of the day during the car show. The **deadline** to pre-register you and your club is sooner than you think. **April 15th is the deadline**, pre-registration forms easy to print off of Mile website. Why pre-register? Your entry is just \$10 (save \$5), you will get an "Express Pass" information packet mailed to you with full event details, entry passes and a map, allowing you to review and coordinate with your club. Designate which club you're with on the form, please. The mailed packet and express entry privileges will only be provided to pre-registrants, and will not be extended to add-ons after April 15 postmark, so get the word out to get signed up for your own benefit. The event is open to the public from 11am-3pm, giving your club exposure and is well planned out - ran pretty smooth last year.

Reminder, two non-perishable food donations to The Hunger Task Force is a part of the admission. If you do not pre-register, there is no guarantee of parking together, nor will you get express privileges.

For event details, click here: <http://www.milwaukeeemile.com/drivethemile08>.

For a flyer and registration form, click here: <http://milwaukeeemile.com/pdf/DTM08.pdf>

Thanks to Mike Connor for submitting the article. We'll see how many members would like to participate in this.

Remember, your club members are a great source for information, locating parts or a helping hand. Call one sometime. You'll be glad you did!

See you down the road!

Rick Pribbenow

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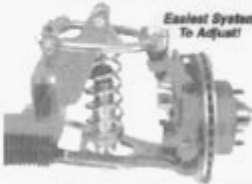
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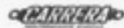
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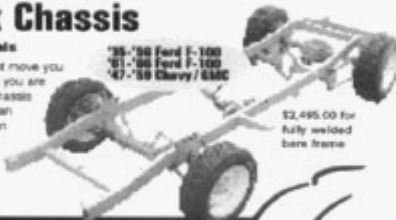
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