

# **CRUZIN' FEW**



**Monthly Newzletter** 

January 2015

# On The Horizon

Jan 1st - NEW YEARS

Jan 6th - Regular Meeting @ Thursdays!!

Jan 10th - Christmas In January Party-See Below

Jan 19th - Martin Luther King Day



January 10<sup>th</sup>, 2015 - Patterson Twp Fireman's Hall \$30 Couple/\$15 Single - Hors D'oevres @ 6PM – Dinner @ 7PM - Gift Exchange - \$15 Per Gift Moneys Due By Jan 3<sup>rd</sup> to Treasurer Wagoner Mark Check – "<u>Christmas Party</u>"

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### PREZ SEZ

## **Happy New Years!**

I want to remind everyone that the January 6, 2015 Club meeting will be held at Thursdays in Bridgewater. During this meeting nominations will also be accepted for the Officers and Trustees positions as well as the need for volunteers to participate on the by-laws committee. As previously mentioned, the February 3<sup>rd</sup> meeting will be held at The 19<sup>th</sup> Hole in Chippewa. After the election of the Officers and Trustees at the February meeting, a vote will be held as to where the Club will meet for the coming years.

I look forward to seeing everyone at the January meeting as well as the Christmas party on January 10. Please remember to send in your checks for the party to William Wagoner as soon as possible!

"Tomorrow, is the first blank page of a 365 page book. Write a good one." — <u>Brad Paisley</u>

#### FEATURED CAR OF THE MONTH



Art & Mary Krepps'
1961 Chevrolet Corvette

## **Pearl Harbor - Quiz Answers**

- 1) Hawaii was not yet a state on Dec. 7, 1941, so no U.S. states were attacked during World War II. FALSE
- 2) Almost four hours before the air attack on Pearl Harbor began, a U.S. minesweeper ship reported seeing a periscope outside the mouth of the harbor. What was the name of the minesweeper? The USS Condor
- 3) What ship fired the first American shots during the attack on Pearl Harbor? The USS Ward
- 4) The first Japanese prisoner of war was captured during the attack on Pear Harbor. What was his name? Kazuo Sakamaki
- 5) The architect who designed the USS Arizona Memorial in Pearl Harbor had been detained in an internment camp during the war. TRUE
- 6) How many people were awarded the Congressional Medal of Honor for their service during the attack on Pearl Harbor? 15
- 7) How many aircraft were destroyed during the attack on Pearl Harbor? 217
- 8) U.S. aircraft carriers were a main target for the Japanese at Pearl Harbor, but no carriers were damaged. Why not? The Enterprise and Lexington were ferrying soldiers to and from Wake and Midway islands during the attack.
- 9) After the attack, Congress unanimously voted to declare war on Japan. FALSE
- 10) Investigations conducted after the attack said U.S. commanders at Pearl were blameless and couldn't have done anything to prevent the attacks.FALSE

# **Global Warming Update**



## **DID YOU KNOW**

The first speeding tickets were given out in 1902, when the top speed of most cars was around 45 miles per hour.

Even before the Model T, the first popular American car was the Curved Dash Oldsmobile, which sold new for \$650.

The first car ever produced in America for sale was known as the Duryea. Only one model is known to still exist.

Before the 1920s, cars didn't have gas gauges. Drivers had to estimate how much fuel was left, or risk running out.

Cleveland was the first city in the United States to get a traffic light in 1914.

The average American will spend two weeks of their life stopped at red lights.

To drive on all of the paved roads in the United States, you would have to drive nonstop at 100 miles per hour for over four years.

Before becoming one of the best-selling cars of all time, the Volkswagen Beetle only sold about 300 models during its first year in the United States.

The 1948 Tucker Torpedo was designed with three headlights, including one in the center of the grill.

The first car to be recognized as setting a land speed record used an electric motor. Today the fastest cars in the world use turbojets or rockets and drive 20 times as fast.

One out of every seven cars sold in the United States is sold in Southern California.

The average car contains over 3,000 feet of electrical wires.

Most car horns have perfect pitch, playing in the note of F.

