



November 2023

The View from the Top.

Hi everyone.,
There will be no meeting in November. It has been a crazy few weeks for me and I simply have not had the time to plan anything. Our next meeting will be at the Christmas party on Saturday Dec 2.

WMCC Christmas Party 2023

Saturday December 2, 2023

This year Shelley and I will once again be hosting the Christmas party at our home In Three Rivers. Party will be Dec 2, 2023. Party Officially starts around 4pm Dinner will be around 5:30—6:00pm, but feel free to arrive anytime on the 2nd after noon. Dinner will be potluck style. The club will be providing a the main dish. If you would like to bring a dish to pass, please do so, however don't let not bringing a dish stop you from coming. Party is BYOB, so bring your favorite beverage.

The Crippin's Address is 56055 Woodridge, Three Rivers, MI 49093.

We will be doing a gift exchange again; however, we are not doing a White Elephant gift exchange this year like we have in the past. Gifts should be

something that you wouldn't mind taking home. Gifts Limit is \$25. The Gift exchange is optional don't feel obligated to participate if you don't want too. Please Join us for a Night of fun with Friends, Games, Door Prizes and Memories!!!

Please RSVP to wmcamaro@gmail.com or on the face book event ASAP so we can plan food accordingly.

I look forward to seeing ALL of you there!!!

Below is hotel info for those that want to stay, these 2 hotels are located next door to each other.

Super 8
711 US-131, Three Rivers, MI 49093
(269) 279-8888

Holiday Inn Express
1207 W Broadway St, Three Rivers, MI 49093
(269) 278-7766

For those of you in town on Friday the day before the party. Please contact me as we have another fun place to hang out on Friday evening.

2023 WMCC Fall Color Tour—Recap

It's hard to believe that it has been 22 years for the WMCC Fall Color Tour. This year we went back to where it all started. M-22 INN Suttons Bay, formally known as the Red Lion Motor Lodge. 11 great Camaros and three other vehicles to make the weekend a great success Departing the Cedar Springs Meijer on Thursday morning and heading north, some of the route was a repeat but Cheryl and I did manage to find some places and roads



Doug Warren, WMCC Founder
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that we hadn't been on/to. Most of the new stuff started after we crossed M-37 at Sippy Flats, going through the beautiful lake town of Bitly over and up the back way into Walaha. cutting back east on US-10 to Branch and up to Irons from the west and then to the old standby Dublin Store. After leaving Dublin we made our way up High Bridge rd. through Brethren to Kaleva and had a nice lunch and the Kaleva Tavern. Next up was the town of Copemish and on to Interlochen and before you knew it we were at the M-22 Inn.

Getting in early was the plan on Thursday and it worked out that most of the group got into the Cove at Fish Town in Leyland for supper. Normally that is so busy on Friday or Saturday it was undoable. Dry enough on Thursday night some of got to sit by the campfire for the rest of the evening.

Friday leaving at 9 as usual the group did a great job of getting through Traverse City to Mission Point, with most of the wineries not opening until 11 we took a nice leisurely drive to the light house, then through Old Mission and over to Two Lad's Winery arriving slightly early. It was a nice stop, great views in the cloudy windy weather. No rain though. Two Ladd's was pleased enough to post a pic of all the Camaros on their Face Book page. Then by popular demand we went to the Jolly Pumpkin restaurant for lunch. the staff was great they got us right in. Then a stop at and orchard just for fun (and Angie). The group made its way back to M-22, the Verbergs had to make a detour to get a tire plug kit to take care of extras he had picked up. Good job jr.

Saturday, we headed north to Peterson Park which is slightly north of North Port and all the way on the west shore. It is a nice little park; the sun came out for some Camaro and attendees' pictures in the same tree that we used I believe in 06. Then over to Christmas Cove beach just to say we were there. nice place with a small parking lot so we had to cycle through. Up to Cathead Point but we run out of pavement there. From there backroads down to the great M-22 and making our

way to Good Arbor for lunch at Boon Docks. a little shopping while in town. Then over to Sleeping Bear Dunes National Park for a cruise on the Pierce Stocking drive. Always a great place and even had a handful of folks in the group that hadn't been there. Making our way over to Cedar and up the west side of Lake Leelanau and back to Sutton's Bay to finish the day shopping. Rain started shortly after, and most people went back to the Inn.

Thankx to the whole group for attending this year. Cheryl and I really enjoy finding new places and old one to visit with the club. Special thanks to new participants Keith and Brandy and the three foreign exchange students that I would only get wrong if I tried to put them in print. THANK YOU. Cheryl and John



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2023 Calendar of events

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Dec 2 **WMCC Christmas Party 2023** Detail TBA

Camaro shows

Car shows

Please email wmcamaro@gmail.com the info and/or flyers and dates for all the upcoming 2024 shows & events in your area so we can add them to calendar.



**Don't miss the
Next WMCC Meeting
Saturday Dec 2, 2023
See newsletter for details**

The Western Michigan Camaro Club

Is dedicated to the enjoyment, preservation and promotion of the Chevrolet Camaro as the premier four passenger sports car ever. The club was formed in 1975.

Meetings

The WMCC holds monthly membership meetings on the first weekend of each month. Times and location vary, so see the Newsletter or check the club's web site or face book page for specific times and locations, or call one of the officers.

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