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## Final Word from this Secretary

Honor Flight Car Show 2021 is in the books. We had 154 registered cars—six shy of our record two years ago. Many thanks and heartfelt gratitude to those that stepped in and helped make this show a success. If you missed it, then we hope to see you next year.

The financial totals will be shared with everyone later this week. The American Legion already handed over their donation of over \$300! INWHF raised \$2000 at their table. I'll get together with our Treasurer and combine the registration monies with the funds collected at breakfast and at the raffle table. Then we'll get the check presentation scheduled.

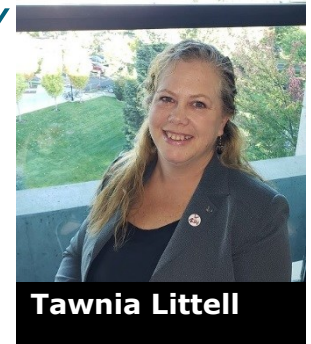
At this point, the October Honor Flight will happen as

scheduled. We'll probably do the check presentation at this time. I'll let you know.

The Gents have one more club-sanctioned car show this year. On August 28, we hope to see you at the Spokane Valley Mall (out front) to benefit Team St. Lukes. This also promises to be a great show! If you can help with this show, please arrive at the Valley Mall between 7 and 7:30 am.

And, while that may be our last club hosted car show, we do have other events planned this year. Several of us have signed up to show our cars at the Interstate Fair, we have our club picnic, and we still get to plan our holiday banquet.

I just realized this is my last newsletter article as a club officer. Now I have to



**Tawnia Littell**

change the title of my article...

It has been an honor and a pleasure being the secretary of this car club for the past decade. I am sure the next secretary will have just as much fun as I've had. Actually, I hope the next secretary has more fun.

Y'all are great and we'll see you at the next meeting!



*Thanks for the memories!*

## Meeting Agenda:

Prospective Members:

Reading of Minutes:

Reading of Correspondence:

Report from Treasurer:

Report of Committees:

Old Business:

Volunteers are still needed for upcoming car shows

Thrifty Auto

Debrief from the Honor Flight Show

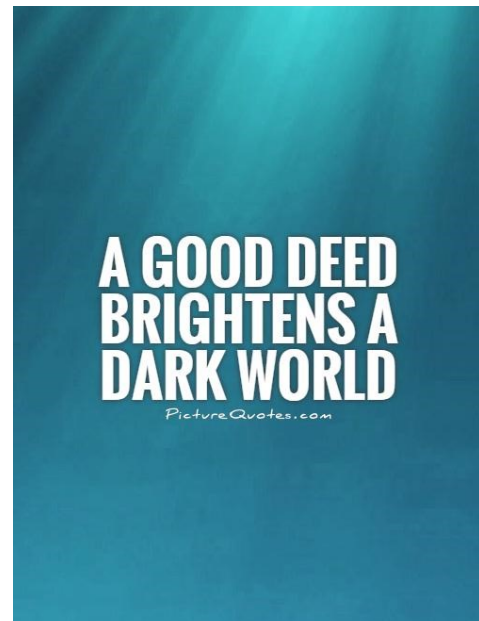
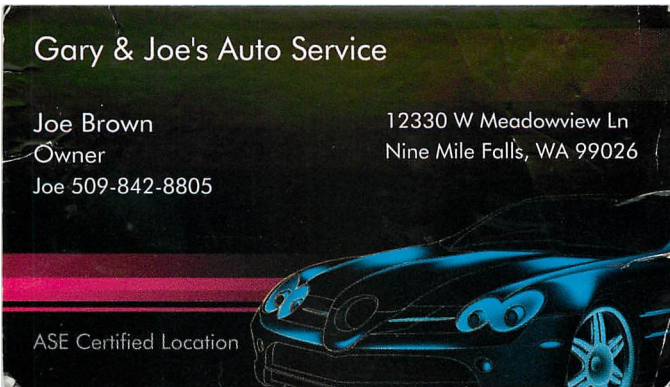
Election year—all positions up for election, except treasurer

Voting procedures, term limits, etc

New Business:

TBD

Announcements



# Introducing John Scofield



My name is John Scofield; I am a new member to the Gents Auto Club. I was accepted into this great car club on September 20th 2020. I am married to Jessica Scofield and together we have two small children; Lincoln who is almost three and Reagan who just turned one. I also have five adult children and five grandchildren and yes four of those grandchildren are older than my two youngest children. In 2015 my dad passed way and I purchased his 1940 Ford 2 door deluxe sedan from his estate.

My Dad Jack Scofield chased the 1940 Ford down for most of my life. Finally in 2010 he found it and traded two very nice cars for it. You see in 1968, my Dad had to sell his 1940 Ford 2 Door Deluxe Sedan to feed and take care of his new baby boy (Me). When my Dad and I would go to car show, he would always gravitate to the 1940 Fords and said I had one of these when you were born, but had to sell it. I am so very proud to say this is my car now and I hope to have it for the rest of my life God willing.

I would like to give a big thank you to my sponsor Jack Haley for introducing me to The Gents and for his friendship.





## NOTABLE DATES



- **August 3, 6PM: Regular monthly meeting**
- August 28—Thrifty Auto/Team St. Lukes
- September 10—Gents day at the Interstate Fair



If you have any questions or comments about the meeting or INCCC in general, [contact Dean Carriveau](#). Meetings are held at Darcy's on the last Tuesday of each month.

PER INCCC: \*\*\*NOTICE\*\*\*  
\*\*\*COVID\*19\*\*\*

Due to the virus, the 2021 car event season will remain a very fluid situation for an unknown time. We strongly advise you, before going to an event, contact the event organizer for their latest updates. In our calendar of event line listings, event contact information is included.

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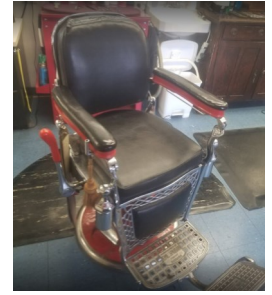
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# Hot Rod Barber Shop

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For 53 years Martin Weber has gotten his hair cut at a small shop in the Town & Country Shopping Center in North Spokane.

The name has changed over the years, but not much else has.

"It's a neighborhood barber shop and there's excellent service here," Weber said as Hot Rod Barber Shop owner Jim Warford brushed tufts of hair from his client's shoulders.

But there's a new barber at the old shop, and he worked at his last place for almost as long as Weber's been coming to the shop on North Wall.

"I worked at Dan's Barber Shop 53½ years," said Mike Tabit, 76.

Tabit didn't enjoy the enforced idleness of the statewide shutdown due to COVID-19.

"I drove my wife crazy moping around the house," he confessed.

He was glad to get back to work when the restrictions eased, but he was ready for a change.

Tabit left Dan's in July and started at Hot Rod in August. Dan's Barber Shop has since closed.

Warford, also 76, welcomed the veteran haircutter to the

shop he's owned for the past 18 years.

He found Tabit's resume impressive.

"Standing in one spot for 53 years – I couldn't imagine that," said Warford.

Tabit fit right in to the small shop with its red vinyl barber chairs and red tool chests that serve as barber stations. A 1920s-era red, white and blue pole perches near a chair reputed to once belong to Johnny Cash.

"I bought it at auction in Boise," Warford said. "I was told Johnny's wife bought the chair and put in the basement of their Hendersonville, Tennessee, home."

Warford enjoys hot rods and classic cars and often the parking lot in front of his shop fills with his customer's well-tended classics.

In keeping with the theme, boys who come in for a haircut can choose a toy car from a selection Warford keeps on hand.

This is haircutting Tabit understands. No colors, perms, or fancy 'do's, just regular men's haircuts, cuts with low or hide fades, and beard trims and styles.

"I'm happier than I've been in years," Tabit said. "I enjoy the

atmosphere here."

This is the third shop Warford has owned. He estimates he's been cutting hair for more than 40 years.

"It's a safe job," he said, grinning. "Hair keeps growing."

But his true passion is painting, and he can imagine retiring and spending more time in his studio.

Not so, Mike Tabit.

He's delighted that the majority of his former customers at Dan's have found him in his new place and he hopes the rest will follow.

"I've picked up a lot of new customers, too," Tabit said. "I love what I do, and as long as the good Lord gives me the health to do it, I'm going to keep on doing it."

*- The photo caption has been updated to correct the number of years Mike Tabit worked at Dan's Barber Shop.*

*~note: article reprinted from the Spokesman Review November 24, 2020. Article written by Cindy Hval for the Spokesman Review*

<https://www.spokesman.com/stories/2020/nov/19/longtime-barber-mike-tabit-joins-crew-at-hot-rod-b/>



# Easy Burrata Recipe

★★★★★ 5 from 1 reviews

**Prep Time: 5 minutes** **Cook Time: 0 minutes**

**Yield: 4** **1x** **Diet: Vegetarian**

This burrata recipe is the best way to serve this rich and creamy cheese! Pair it with summer fruit or tomatoes, olive oil and sea salt.

## Ingredients

1x

2x

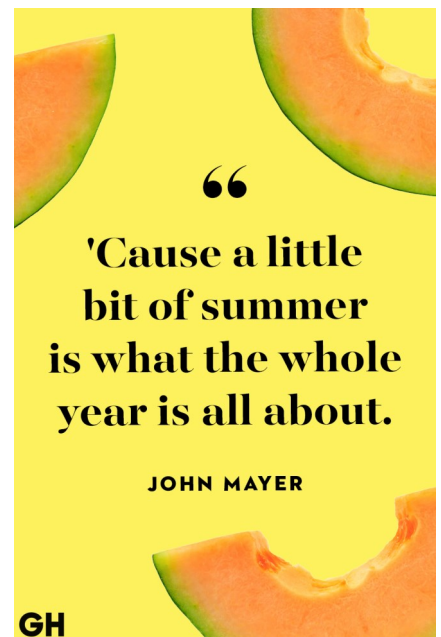
3x

- 1 to 2 4-ounce balls burrata cheese
- Summer fruit: heirloom tomatoes, ripe peaches, watermelon, cantaloupe or honeydew, berries, etc (we used 2 peaches and 1 handful cherry tomatoes)
- 1 handful fresh basil leaves and thyme sprigs
- Extra virgin olive oil
- Chunky sea salt

## Instructions

1. Place 1 ball burrata on the plate.
2. Surround it with the summer fruit (sliced tomatoes or peaches, or berries).
3. Top with torn basil leaves and other herbs. If desired, add torn pieces of another ball of burrata to add texture and visual appeal.
4. Drizzle with olive oil and sprinkle with chunky sea salt. Serve immediately.

*Find it online:* <https://www.acouplecooks.com/burrata/>



What are your favorite recipes? What are your go-to meals on show nights? Share recipes here for all to enjoy! Submit them to [GentsAutoClub@gmail.com](mailto:GentsAutoClub@gmail.com)

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