The Gents Auto Club of Spokane

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A Note From Our Vice President

club We as are We aging. are losing family and friends it seems It's too often. hard not to dwell on our losses. My wife died two years ago and I have just started get past to remembering her davs of illness and started recalling all of the good times we had. I don't look at pictures taken when she was ill, I look for the ones when she was healthy and happy. It's taken me a long time to realize what а

great time we had versus what we may have missed. I think my grief is sometimes iust me feeling sorry for myself. I don't feel sorry for her as her suffering is over and I believe she is in heaven. (I also think she haunts me every once in a while. She hides things, I'm sure.) For those that have gone before us, if you are religious, you find comfort in there being a heaven. If you are not particularly

Paul Inman

have some comfort that our friends and loved ones are no longer suffering.

I hate to point it out, but this is a journey we must all take.

Rest in peace brothers and sisters, family and friends, we will remember you fondly.

religious, you can

GENTS REGULAR MONTHLY MEETING MINUTES—February 2, 2022

- **Call to Order:** President Steve Williams called the meeting to order at 6 pm.
- **Pledge of Allegiance:** The Seargent at Arms, Ben Curtis, led the members in the pledge of allegiance.

Visitors: Robert Milton introduced his father, Bob Milton.

Prospective Members: Victoria (Tori) McCracken (2nd)

Approval of the Minutes: approved as written.

Reading of **Correspondence**: Dean Carriveau read the THANK YOU letter from 2nd Harvest.

Report from the Treasurer: Tabled until further notice **Committee Reports**: INCCC:

INCCC Banquet was discussed. A request was made to buy a gift basket for the raffle. Tawnia Littell moved to approve the purchase. Seconded by Barnetta. Club approved.

Calendar of Events will be available at the banquet

- The INCCC Downtown Scholarship show is back in downtown. The details are still being worked out.
- Cops and Kids hopes to be held in the Arena this year. More info to come.
- The Collector Car Appreciation Tour (July 8) will begin this year at SCC and end in Higgins Point in Coeur d'Alene.
- The Duke's picnic is moving from Sonntag Park to Franklin Park this year. It is open to all clubs.

Old Business: Sign up for committees

New Business: Steve announced that 2022 Membership Information Cards will be launched via email in the near future.

- Most Improved Car Award: An open discussion held regarding our annual membership awards
- Only 6 spots are left for the 2023 Gents calendar

Announcements for the Good of the Order: News of Les Seidel's cancer was shared

Steve announced that Rick Milward's uncle's car is for sale: a 1986 Corvette. Contact Rick or Steve

- 50/50 Drawing: The Board decided that all the money from tonight's drawing will go to the Eagles.
- Raffle: Tori McCracken drew the tickets for winners Rick Milward (stereo speakers) and Dale McHargue (window tint package).

Next Meeting: March 2, 2022.

Adjourn: The meeting adjourned at 6:40 pm.

THE ONLY THING NECESSARY FOR THE TRIUMPH OF EVIL IS FOR GOOD MEN TO DO NOTHING.



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Chef John's Corned Beef and Cabbage

It's almost St. Patrick's Day, and for many that means boiling up a nice authentic Irish dinner of corned beef and cabbage. The original Irish recipe actually used a type of lean bacon, made with a cut of pork similar to Canadian bacon. Corned beef came into the picture as a lowercost substitution, to replace the more expensive and harder to find cut. Prep: 15 mins Cook: 3 hrs 50 mins Additional: 10 mins Total: 4 hrs 15 mins Servings: 8 Yield: 8 servings



By Chef John

Ingredients

1 (4 pound) corned beef brisket with spice packet

3 quarts water

1 onion, quartered

3 carrots, cut into large chunks

3 stalks celery, cut into 2-inch pieces

1 teaspoon salt

2 pounds red potatoes, halved

1 small head cabbage, cut into eighths

Directions

Step 1

Combine corned beef and spice packet contents, water, onion, carrots, celery, and salt together in a large pot or Dutch oven; bring to a simmer, skimming off any foam that rises to the surface.

Step 2

Cover the pot, reduce heat to low, and simmer until meat is almost fork-tender, about 3 hours. Add potatoes and simmer, uncovered, until potatoes are almost tender, about 30 minutes more.

Step 3

Place cabbage pieces on top of and around meat, cover the pot, and simmer until cabbage is tender, 20 to 30 minutes more.

Step 4

Remove meat to a cutting board and let rest 10 to 15 minutes. Cut across the grain and serve in a bowl; ladle vegetables and broth over the top.

Nutrition Facts

Per Serving: 380 calories; protein 22.4g; carbohydrates 29g; fat 19.6g; cholesterol 99.5mg; sodium 1504.1mg.

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NOTABLE DATES

 March 2—regular monthly meeting



- May 14—AutoNation car show
- June 11—JOYA Penny Drive
- June 19—Wendle Ford car show
- July 30—Eagles' show benefitting Honor Flight
- August 20—car show benefitting Team St. Lukes
- September 9—Gents' Day at the Fair

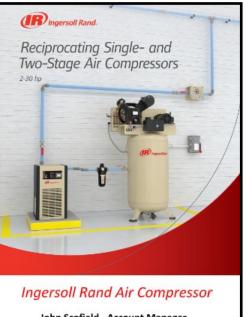


Inland Northwest Car Club Council

If you have any questions or comments about the meeting or INCCC in general, <u>contact Dean Carriveau</u>. 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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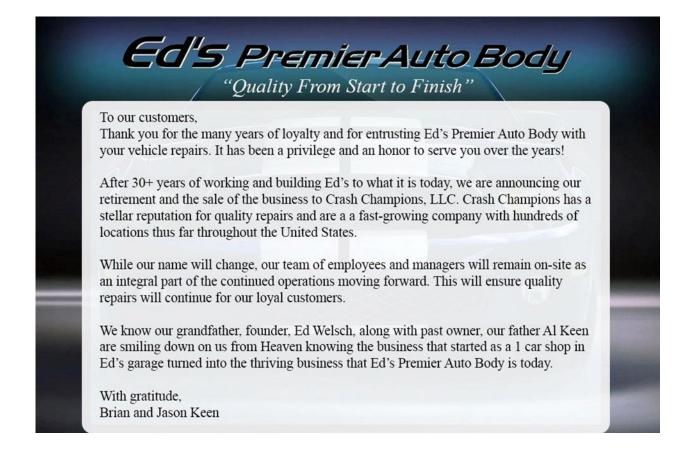
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CLUB DUES ARE DUE

Ram 1500 EV Shown in More Clarity With New Teaser Images

Joel Stocksdale Tue, March 1, 2022

Desides the first electric Jeep and other product Stellantis plans, gave yet another preview of the electric Ram upcoming truck. 1500 pickup The company isn't giving much but these new away, renderings do give us some more details on what the truck will look like. The most strikina features of the front are the pairs of LED lights above and below that meet toward the middle in a sort of doa bone shape. In the middle is the updated Ram logo that's been featured for its "Ram Revolution"

program that takes input from Ram fans for designing the

truck. The hood has creases that are suggestive of the

dual-level, semi-truck-inspired design that has stuck with the truck since the 1990s. It also have a seems to heatextractor vent design, which we're not sure would really be functional on an electric truck. Along the sides, the fenders appear to be pushed far outward. The edge where the cab meets the bed has a jog in it that pushes into the cab. It has us thinking the cab and

bed may be one piece, along the lines of the Chevy Silverado EV. That single piece will still ride on a separate frame, though, since the Ram 1500 EV will be built on the STLA Frame platform. Continuing on the topic of side styling, the window sill rises toward the rear pillar, and that rear pillar leans forward, again more like the GM electric truck designs.

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At the back, the electric Ram has taillights that connect into



the tailgate like the Ford F-150 Lightning. The shape also echoes that of the headlights, along with the illuminated Ram logo. The rear shot also gives more clarity on the unique cab design. The electric Ram will go into

2024. production in As touched on, it will use the STLA Frame platform that features a traditional separate frame from the body. The

platform can accommodate 159 to 200 kWh of battery capacity with a range of up to 500 miles. Early renderings also show the platform using independent suspension both front and rear. Furthermore, Ram has said it will offer a plug-in hybrid variant based on the electric model to go on sale the same year.

And electrification won't stop at the 1500. Stellantis CEO

Carlos Tavares said. "Ram will continue delivering fully electrified solutions in the majority of its segments by 2025 and portfolio full of а electrified solutions for all of its segments by 2030." This certainly includes Ram's commercial offerings such as the upcoming electric ProMaster, but

one can assume that this

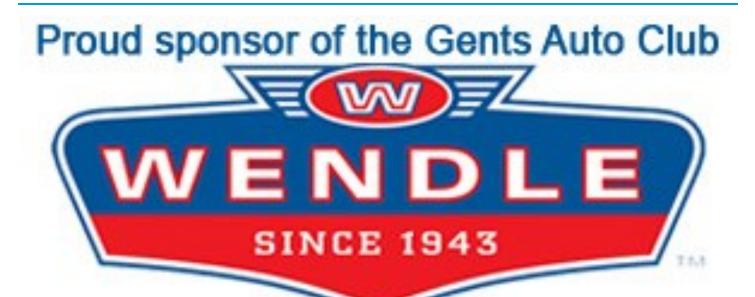
applies to vehicles such as Ram's heavy duty pickup trucks. We're curious if it may apply to a truck smaller than the 1500, too. Time will tell.

Watch a related video here: https://youtu.be/CRdA P5TCR S

https://autos.yahoo.com/ram-1500-ev-shown-more-160000409.html



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The day the Lord created hope was probably the same day he created Spring.

> Bernard Williams Philosopher



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