

GMCMI 2019 Fall Convention – TENTATIVE

Friday, October 4 - Thursday, October 10

Richland County Fairgrounds, Mansfield, Ohio

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1:00 pm - 5:00 pm	Early GMCMI Arrival & Registration	7:30 am – 8:45 am	Coffee Hour – Donuts, Waffles, Bagels, English Muffins, Oatmeal, Juice & Fruit
Т	HURSDAY OCTOBER 3 PRE-CONVENTION	8:30 am	Announcements/Daily Drawings – must be present to win
7:30 am - 8:45 am 9:00 am - 5:00 pm 9:00 am - 12:00 pm 1:00 pm - 3:30 pm	Morning Coffee and Donuts Early Arrival & Registration Pineblock Derby Clinic Pineblock Derby Clinic	9:00 am — 11:30 am	Tech Session – Ty Hardiman GMC 101: Maintenance for New Owners This is a session for new or prospective GMC owners who want to learn some of the maintenance items needed to keep the GMC running reliably. Includes discussion of air bags, bogies, bearings, filters, fluid changes, CV joints, wheels & tires, specialized tools, and
3:30 pm — 4:30 pm 7:30 pm — 7:50 pm 8:00 pm	Pineblock Derby Tune-up Clinic Ice Cream Social Bingo (free cards, prizes awarded) FRIDAY OCTOBER 4	9:00 pm — 11:00 am	more. Non-Tech Session Let's Get Acquainted, Ladies A gathering of ladies to introduce themselves and share GMC adventures. Please do come.
7:30 am - 8:45 am 9:00 am - 4:00 pm 1:00 pm	Morning Coffee, Donuts, and Waffles GMCMI Arrival & Registration Choir Practice for Sunday Worship Service	11:30 am – 12:00 am	Tech Session – Ken Henderson GMC Motorhome Mentor Program Assignments will be made accordingly to the signup sheets previously posted on the bulletin boards.
3:15 pm - 4:15 pm 5:15 pm 6:30 pm -	First Timers Orientation Meeting – All Members Welcome Welcome Meeting & GMCMH Vendor Introductions Catered Meal, and Program	11:15 am – 12:00 pm	Non-Tech Session – Kassie Underwood Low Impact Yoga The objective of this session is to reconnect with yourself. This class will focus on breathing techniques and low-impact yoga moves you can use anywhere!
		12:00 pm	Lunch served for all attendees. (see board for menu)

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1:00 pm - 2:45 pm	Tech Session – Ken Henderson	S	UNDAY OCTOBER 6 WINDSHIELD CLINIC
	GMC Electrical System Review Familiarize yourself with the GMC chassis electrical system. The	7:30 am – 8:45 am	Coffee Hour – Donuts, Bagels, English Muffins, Oatmeal, Juice & Fruit
	Wiring Diagram for the '75/'76 Chassis with HEI will be explained from the top (batteries) down to the bottom (HVAC control), time	7:30 am - 8:30 am	Egg Breakfast – Ken Frey & Friends
	permitting.	8:30 am	Announcements/Daily Drawings – must be present to win
1:00 pm - 1:45 pm	Non-Tech Session – Kassie Underwood	9:00 am - 10:00 am	Worship Service
	Intro to Zumba Gold The objective of this session is to recreate the moves you love at a	10:15 am – 11:15 am	Tech Session – Paul Doane Why You Should Weigh Your Coach
lower-intensity. This class focuses on balance, range of motion, and coordination.	10:15 am – 12:00 pm	Non-Tech Session – Lucy Weidner "What the Health!"	
3:00 pm — 5:00 pm	Tech Session – Randy Van Winkle Fuel Injection The objective of this session is to provide information concerning various fuel injection systems covering what is involved in doing the installation while identifying the areas that need special attention.		Discussion about age related health information, including immunizations, various changes to vision, hearing, dental, and skin, dealing with depression, vitamins and supplements. Additional topics will include how to talk to your doctor and how to assess various health related websites.
2:30 pm - 5:00 pm	"The Shed" – What's shakin' at the The Shed? All attendees are invited for a fun session of craft projects, cards, chicken foot,	11:30 am – 12:00 pm	Mini-Tech Session – John Richardson Digi Panels for the GMC Motorhome
	socializing, snacks, and so much more! Check bulletin board for craft project signup and additional information.	1:15 pm - 2:45 pm	Parts Exchange, Craft & Flea Market
6:00 pm –	GMC Heritage Cruisers Get-together	3:00 pm - 5:00 pm	GMC Motorhome Open House Tour Check out the GMC Motorhomes in the open house.
7:30 pm — 7:50 pm	Ice Cream Social served by our First Timers	6:00 pm	GMC Great Lakers Get-together
8:00 pm	Bingo (free cards, prizes awarded)		
8:00 pm	Breakfast Prep with Ken Frey bring knife and cutting board		



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10.20	Some "flyer" related stories from our members. Men and Women are encourgaged to attend.	9:00 am — 10:00 am	Non-Tech Session – Ken Frey Cooking with Ken Enjoy great food and recipes!
10:30 am 10:30 am – 12:00 pm	Building Closed for Ladies Luncheon Set-up Tech Session – Moderators: Ken Henderson & Lou Boone What's Your GMC Motorhome Question? OR: "Two Deaf Old Codgers Asking Questions" This open forum, question and answer session will invite questions	10:15 am – 10:45 am	Mini-Tech Session – Richard Waters Fire Extinguisher Placement The objective of this session is show how I installed a fire extinguisher by the GMC's entrance door for ready access during an emergency.
12:00 pm	and answers to your technical question from the floor. Ken Frey's Famous Chili and Cornbread for the Men	10:15 am – 12:00 pm	Non-Tech Session – Brittany Sinnema Art Project on Wood See board for more details.
12:00 pm – 2:00 pm	Ladies Luncheon "Rosie the Riveter"	11:00 am - 12:00 pm	Tech Session – Bob Stone Hydra Boost and the Virgin
1:00 pm - 2:00 pm	Tech Session – Jim Bounds Fire Suppression System		Learn how to improve your original braking system with Hydra Boost
	The objective of this session is to	1:00 pm - 1:30 pm	Mini-Tech Session – Tom Phipps Innovative Wire Wrap Tool
2:15 pm – 3:30 pm	General Session – Jerry Work A Heart/Lung Transplant for Your GMC Modernizing everything in your 45-year old house electrical system		Presenting a clamping tool that tightens wires wrapped around an object and then locking it in place. Will be fun.
	fundamentally changes for the better, how you live in your gmc. Men and Women are encourgaged to attend.	1:45 pm — 2:45 pm	The Great GMCMI Frisbee Competition Gather up a team or sign up individually on the boards.
3:45 pm - 5:00 pm	Tech Clinic Weighing of the Coaches	3:00 pm - 4:00 pm	GMCMI Regional Member Meetings – Check bulletin board for building assignment.
	Check the Bulletin Boards for directions on how to line up.	4:30 pm - 5:30 pm	Main Building Closed for Setup for Party
	Tech Clinic – Richard Waters Headlights Alignment Check the Bulletin Boards for directions on how to line up.	5:30 pm -	"Sentimental Journey: A Salute to the USO" Catered Meal and Show

TUESDAY | OCTOBER 8

GMC Tidewater Crabs Get-together

Ice Cream Social

Pineblock Derby Race



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THURSDAY | OCTOBER 10

Campground Checkout – Thank you for coming and safe travels!