

# The Birds' Nest

Official Newsletter of the Buffalo Thunderbird Club  
May 2013  
<http://www.buffalothunderbirdclub.org>

## Secretaries Report:

Our April meeting was held at Bill Gray's. We had a good turn out and a productive meeting.

Updating of membership forms/information was discussed. Availability of bylaws was also addressed. As a result Don has updated this information on our web site – the bylaws is a password protected link (further info and questions will be addressed at the May meeting). We will have some copies available at the meeting. Club business cards were discussed as an option for members to have available for distribution at car shows and for any interested parties a member may come in contact with. Please bring any thoughts/ideas to the May meeting. Meeting location has been a topic of interest for some time as it is felt it would be nice to have a base meeting location for meetings that are more business related in between destination meetings. The Olympic Restaurant was recommended and agreed upon by members present however on further investigation the 1<sup>st</sup> Saturday of the month is not available. So we again are looking for other options/ideas. Our tentative meeting agenda is: May – we will return to Bill Grays as the Olympic was unavailable. We have a cruise planned for late June. Routinely there is no July meeting due to the holiday. August will be the car show Sunday Aug 11th – with the goodie bag stuffing meeting Saturday Aug 10<sup>th</sup> the night  
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**The Next  
Meeting is  
May 4  
at Bill Grays**



**Thank You to Gregg Zimmerman for all the articles contributed to our newsletter, we would only have one page without him!**

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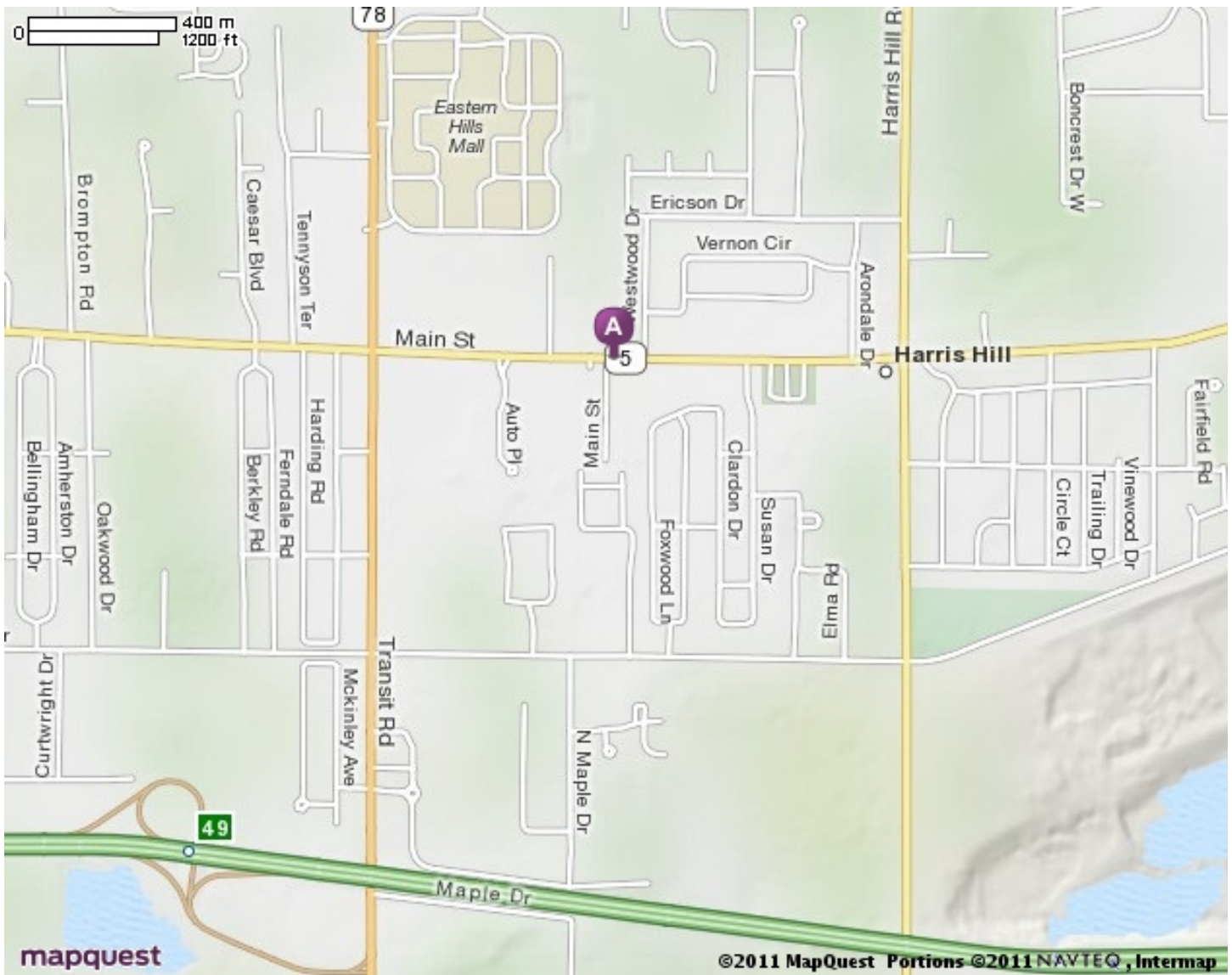
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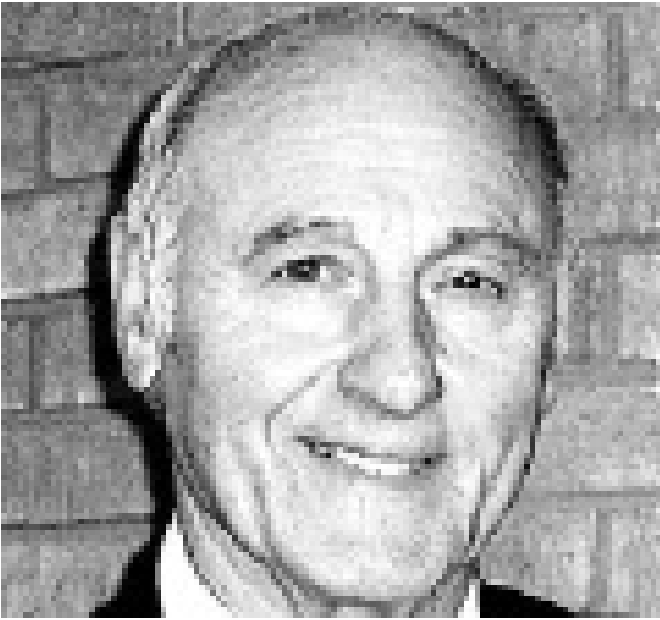


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before as per usual. In Sept Byrnie and Paul Schonhart will host the club picnic on Sunday Sept 8<sup>th</sup>. October we are hoping to schedule the Pierce Arrow tour. Please mark your calendars and note that NOT all events will be the 1<sup>st</sup> Saturday of the month due to availability of events and holidays. Our car show is on track for Sunday August 11<sup>th</sup> at West Herr Used Cars on Transit Rd Clarence. Joe has put together the show flyer and obtained the 50/50 split tickets which will be available at the May meeting. Art has been busy inventorying show supplies.... which leads into our goodie bags. We need items for our goodie bags and for our Chinese auction – it's never too soon to keep an eye out for items/donations!

As mentioned our May meeting will be at Bill Grays – 6pm Saturday May 4<sup>th</sup>. Hope to see you there and maybe the weather will actually be nice enough to get out those birds!!!-Lorrie S.



**In Loving  
Memory of  
Joseph Casuccio  
April 13, 2013**

On Thursday April 18th at approximately 3:00 AM the Buffalo Thunderbird club lost a good friend and long time member with the passing of Joe Casuccio. Joe was a retired assistant principle from the Mary-vale school system, who loved to play golf, he was an avid wood carver, and was extremely fond of his old Thunderbirds. He always had a smile on his face, as well as a great sense of humor. At the end of our club meetings Joe would always get up and tell a good joke, and we would all leave with a smile on our faces. Joe was loved and respected by all that knew him, and he will be missed dearly.