

# SAE MILWAUKEE

An SAE International Section

## Upcoming Events

Milwaukee IndyFest

- July 12

SAE Milwaukee Group  
Outing to Brewers Game

- July 30

SAE Milwaukee Cruise  
Night

- August 23

Wacker-Neuson

- September 10

MacLean-Fogg,  
Whitewater Plant

- October

Student Night, Marquette  
University

- November

## Summer 2015 Newsletter

Next Events:



**Milwaukee IndyFest**

**July 11-12**



**Milwaukee Brewers Outing**

**July 30**



## Join SAE Milwaukee at The Milwaukee IndyFest!

Milwaukee Mile in West Allis, WI  
July 11-12, 2015

Did you know that the IndyCar race at the Milwaukee Mile is the longest running race in U.S. history? IndyCars have been racing at the Milwaukee Mile longer than in Indianapolis for the world famous Indy 500. This year, SAE Milwaukee is partnering with Andretti Sports Marketing to bring the excitement to YOU, our members and friends!

General admission tickets for race day, Sunday July 12, can be purchased through SAE Milwaukee via the link below. Proceeds from these ticket sales will support SAE Milwaukee's student chapters, so be sure to purchase your tickets through the provided link! (Note: If the link is followed using Internet Explorer, some issues may result. Please use a different internet browser).

**General admission tickets are \$25 for adults, \$5 for children (age 12 and under).**

Tickets are for grandstand seating during the race and admission into the track's infield. The infield is FILLED with activities for young and old: carnival rides, food stands, beverage stations, the Indy Car fan village, race car displays, driver autograph sessions, rickshaws, live music, pit stop challenges, and more!



**Purchase your tickets for Sunday, July 12 by scanning the QR code or visiting the URL below!**

[http://www.etix.com/ticket/online/campaignSearch.jsp?campaign\\_id=2F35B96D42679698F66127503EC46D78](http://www.etix.com/ticket/online/campaignSearch.jsp?campaign_id=2F35B96D42679698F66127503EC46D78)

Stop by and visit the SAE Milwaukee Section booth in the infield either July 11<sup>th</sup> or 12<sup>th</sup>! SAE Milwaukee Section Board members will be on hand. Learn about our upcoming section events and what SAE has to offer. Student Chapters will be on hand with student vehicles on display fresh from competition. There will also be Indy Car engineers stopping by our booth during the weekend to talk about what they do. Like us on Facebook "[SAE Milwaukee Section](#)" to keep up to date with the weekend's events.

\*Note: General admission tickets for Saturday July 11 must be purchased separately either through [www.milwaukeeindyfest.com](http://www.milwaukeeindyfest.com) or at the gate upon arrival. These tickets are \$10 and provide access to the infield plus viewing of all other series' races and Indy Car qualifying that day.

# Brewers Outing



Join your fellow SAE Milwaukee members for a Milwaukee Brewers baseball game and tailgating! This is a great way to get to know other SAE Milwaukee members in a more casual setting than our normal meetings. Details for the game are:

Date: Thursday, July 30<sup>th</sup>

Time: Opening pitch is at 7:10pm, tailgating prior to the game

Opponent: Chicago Cubs

Seats: Section 204, Rows 2, 3, and 4

Maximum Attendance: 30

Cost: Only \$18

Watch for more details over the next couple weeks!

Register [online](#) or by contacting Drew Caron – 414-399-0199 or [Andrew.Caron@rexnord.com](mailto:Andrew.Caron@rexnord.com)

## **SAE Milwaukee Section Board Member Election Results**

At the last board meeting, the SAE Milwaukee Section board members for the 2015-2016 year were chosen. Results of the election are below:

Section Chair: Garrett Herning

Vice Chair: Van Phifer

Secretary: Drew Caron

Treasurer: Mitch Crawford

Historian: Wayne Richter

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Newsletter Editor: Mike Fricke

Baja Chairman: Drew Caron

Congratulations to all new and returning board members!

## Summer Cruise In

When: August 23<sup>rd</sup> 9:00 am

Where: From HB Performance to KMCC Custom Car Show  
(Sheboygan Chevrolet Buick GMC Cadillac)

Summer is finally here! Mark your calendars and start your engines for a day of cars, hot rods and bikes on Sunday August 23<sup>rd</sup> for our 2<sup>nd</sup> annual SAE Milwaukee Section Cruise In. Break out the car wax and chrome polish, and then bring your favorite classic ride, hot rod, motorcycle, or performance car to HB Performance South Lot at 9:00 am. We will gather, compare a few notes and stories, and then make the trek up to Sheboygan for the 30<sup>th</sup> Annual Kettle Moraine Corvette Club Custom Car Show.



Members: Goto: [www.milwaukeesae.com/](http://www.milwaukeesae.com/)  
to register your attendance.

Friends: E-mail [garreth@pwrst.com](mailto:garreth@pwrst.com) or call Garrett at 262-309-3622 to register your attendance.

Contact: Garrett Herning ([garreth@pwrst.com](mailto:garreth@pwrst.com)) with any questions.

If you would like to enter your car or bike in the KMCC Custom Car Show, the pre-registration form can be downloaded through [this link](#). (Note: It is normal if a security message is shown when you click on the link. Click "Allow" or "OK" to download the flyer from KMCC's website.)

All vehicles must have current registration, license plates and insurance. Vehicles must be driven to HB Performance. No race vehicles, trailers, or vehicles on trailers permitted.

# In Memory

Our SAE Milwaukee Section is saddened to hear of the death of Jeremy Monnett, CEO of Sonex Aircraft, Oshkosh, Wisconsin on June 2 in a crash of one of their aircraft. Also killed was Mike Clark, a mechanic for Sonex. Many SAE Milwaukee section members will recall our most interesting tour and technical presentation by Jeremy Monnett at our May, 2013 member meeting. We express our sympathy to the Monnett and Clark families and to Sonex Aircraft.

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OSHKOSH (WKOW) -- A Wisconsin company that designs and makes airplanes says its chief executive and a mechanic were the two people killed in a plane crash Tuesday at an Oshkosh airport.

Sonex Aircraft says CEO Jeremy Monnett and assembly mechanic Mike Clark were in the single-engine plane that crashed at Wittman Regional Airport. Oshkosh Corp. says the two-seater hit some of its vehicles it stores near the east end of the runway. No one on the ground was hurt.

Monnett is the son of Sonex founder, John Monnett. The company is based in Oshkosh. Its web site says it makes sport planes and the Xenos Motorglider.

The Federal Aviation Administration and the National Transportation Safety Board are investigating the cause of the crash.

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OSHKOSH (AP) -- Federal aviation investigators are in Oshkosh to find out why a single-engine plane crashed near Wittman Regional Airport, killing two people.

Federal Aviation Administration and National Transportation Safety Board members have removed the Sonex fixed-wing aircraft from the crash scene at Oshkosh Corp.'s north plant.

The two-passenger plane went down Tuesday afternoon, killing the two people inside. No one on the ground was hurt, but one of the company's plants was evacuated. The plane crashed into some of the truck manufacturer's vehicles.

FAA records show the plane is registered to an executive of Sonex, a company based in Oshkosh that sells the plane as a kit.

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## A Letter from the Chairman

Greetings SAE Milwaukee Section Members and Friends!

Summer has arrived and we are already well underway with our summer Events. Thanks to all of those who took advantage of our June Sprints tickets and made the trip to Road America.

Nothing reminds me of summer like Indy cars at the Milwaukee Mile. We have tickets available through the link on the info page for a special SAE price of \$25 for race day on Sunday July 12th. You do not need to be a member to use the link, so please share with all your friends and coworkers. This includes access all day to the infield which will be filled with activities (including some of us at our SAE Milwaukee Section Booth), and the race itself in the afternoon. Come and join us for one of Milwaukee's most exciting summer race events.

In July SAE will be getting a block of tickets for a Brewer Game at Miller Park. Come out, tailgate, and watch them win with us!

On August 23rd we will be holding our second annual Cruise In, so get out your favorite ride and meet us at HB Performance where we will then "cruise" up to Sheboygan for the Kettle Moraine Corvette Club's 30th annual Custom Car Show. There will be plenty of food, music, cars, trucks, bikes, and fun.

We are still actively looking for members interested in helping on the Governing Board. Our Shadow program lets you "shadow" a board member and contribute to the section. Help us continue to build and grow the Milwaukee SAE Section. We have plenty of opportunities to help you get involved and grow your leadership skills.

See you this summer!

Garrett Herning  
SAE Milwaukee Section – Chairman

## SAE Board Member Shadow Program

Members, your board of directors has created a new way for you to get involved in the activities of the SAE Milwaukee Chapter!

Do you like the service and support that your SAE Milwaukee Chapter provides to you? Do you have some fresh ideas to make your section better? Or.....would you like to just get involved?

If you would like to participate but do not know how to get started, we have the program for you. This new program allows you to shadow a board member to learn the details of what they do for this section. With this opportunity you can investigate/help a position that interests you without jumping in with both feet. This will allow you to participate to the level you are comfortable with or find the position that suits your talents and/or interests.

***We would like to invite you to Shadow a Board Member.***

If you are interested in this opportunity please contact Randy Hoffman at (920) 397-6644.



# SAE Milwaukee STEM/AWIM program

Your Milwaukee Chapter needs your help with expanding the AWIM program within the local schools. AWIM (A World In Motion) is a teacher-administered, volunteer-assisted program that brings Science, Technology, Engineering and Math (STEM) education to life for K-12 grade students. Program focuses on various age-appropriate challenges that are taught through the use of “kits” – students build different models using these kits while learning about basic principles of physics, motion and flight.

We have paired up with Messmer Prep and St. Rose/St. Leo schools in Milwaukee and will be introducing the AWIM program there



- Both schools are part of the Messmer Catholic Schools and serve the inner city students through a Voucher/Choice program
- This is **first time** a program of this kind is being introduced at Messmer – the program was **specifically requested by teachers** there to inspire girl students and encourage them to pursue STEM subjects later in their educational career
- AWIM program to be introduced for 4<sup>th</sup> and 5<sup>th</sup> grade students at both schools, with a focus on all 3 elementary and one middle school challenge
- **We want YOUR help** in assisting students in Fall and Spring sessions in after-school program setting (~ 3:30 – 5:00 pm)
- **For more information on volunteering, please contact Sid Jain, [S.Jain@na.modine.com](mailto:S.Jain@na.modine.com)**



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