



# ALFETISH

Welcome Jeff Heitker, Nick Gramke and Davena Gramke to the Club and thanks to the ones who renewed their memberships in the past 30 days. We appreciate you all. Since March 2023, we have had 10 new members (+18%). We now have 66 members and are growing. I hope that you guys enjoyed the introduction of the Alfa Romeo 33 Stradale this past August. What an engineering masterpiece. Not sure if we will be able to see in person one of those 33 \$2m cars somewhere but, in any case, what a car. **Our next get together is on this coming Saturday 9/16/2023 at the USB Cars and Coffee at 10am.** The Taste of Belgium where we normally meet is temporarily close for renovation but, there will be two food trucks at the Cars & Coffee so, we will have a quick brunch at one of them (in addition to the traditional donuts and coffee available by USB). Please plan to attend and participate in this the Get Together. We want to have a 12-15 Alfas display at the event. It's a great time to reconnect and share. **Please remember the 10/15/2023 Picnic (with KARS, OVAROC and Buckeyes participation) and the 12/17/2023 Christmas Dinner and 50<sup>th</sup> Anniversary Celebration.** Please book your calendars !!!!!. More details below.

## CALENDAR OF ACTIVITIES FOR THE NEXT SIX MONTH Mark Your Calendars!

Sep 2023	Oct 2023	Nov 2023	Dec 2023	Jan 2024	Feb 2024
<p><b>Saturday 9/16/23</b> Monthly Get Together at the USB C&amp;C.</p> <p><b>Auto Show from 10am to 3pm. Food will be available to be purchased at a food truck.</b></p>	<p><b>Saturday 10/14/23</b> Monthly Get Together at the USB C&amp;C and Brunch at the Taste of Belgium</p> <p><b>Sunday 10/15/23</b> Picnic Potluck at the General Butler State Park (KY) with the participation of both KARS and Buckeye Chapters members. From 11am to 2pm</p>	<p><b>Saturday 11/11/23</b> Monthly Get Together at the USB C&amp;C and Brunch at the Taste of Belgium.</p>	<p><b>Christmas and Club 50<sup>th</sup> Anniversary Dinner.</b> This will be a very special event. The date is Tuesday 12/19/2023 at 6:30pm. The location is Ferrari's Little Italy and Bakery at 7677 Goff Ter, Cincinnati, OH 45243.</p>	TBD	TBD

## September 11, 2023 MONTHLY ZOOM CALL NOTES

1. Please note the coming get togethers dates at the USB C&Cs. Please attend and participate. Lots of amazing cars, nice display of our Alfas and great company. **The address of the USB Cars & Coffee is 8805 Governor's Hill Dr., Cincinnati, OH 45249.** The Taste of Belgium is across the street from that address.
2. Gary is going to lead and organize the Potluck in October (10/15/2023) at the General Butler State Park, like the picnics organized in the past by the KARS people and to get together KARS and OVAROC as an annual event. This year, people from the Alfa Romeo Owners Club Buckeyes branch will also attend. I would like to propose this and an annual inter-branches event between KARS, OVAROC and Buckeyes. This will be the Fall Tour so, it would be great if you guys please attend and participate. **PLEASE RSVP TO BOTH ME AND GARY WITH YOUR ATTENDANCE AND HOW MANY PEOPLE WITH YOU.**
3. The OVAROC 50<sup>th</sup> Anniversary and Christmas Dinner will be on Tuesday 12/19/2023, at 6:30pm at the Ferrari's Little Italy and Bakery located at 7677 Goff Ter, Cincinnati, OH 45243. The OVAROC will pay (2 persons per membership) for the food/sodas/coffee/tea/deserts and each of us will pay for our drinks. Dinner will be Antipasti + Soup or Salad + Fish or Chicken or Pasta + Desert. A nice complete Italian dinner for two people each membership (or singles). **PLEASE RSVP SENDING ME AN EMAIL.** We hope you guys can make it. We need the exact count to be final before the end of November.
4. The Theme for the Cincinnati Concours d' Elegance next year is "La Dolce Vita – Celebrating Italian Style", which will feature all makes and models of Italian cars and likely will include a display of non-Italian makes with Italian designed coachwork. The OVAROC will be present in the Car Clubs Lots as we did this year in June 2023.

### Notes

- Please take a look at your AROC membership expiration dates and if possible, renew your membership.
- The OVAROC Web Page is now alive and active. It is part of the AROC-USA Web Site, and it can be reached via <https://www.aroc-usa.org/oh-17-ovaroc/>. We will share in that web page information, news, announcements and also this monthly letter will be published there. Interestingly, we are legally Chapter 19 but, when the AROC-USA did all the web pages work, they designed us as Ohio Chapter 17.

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