

March 26, 2023

To: Members and Prospective Members of the Madison Association of Watch and Clock Collectors

We had 14 attendees at our February meeting, including one new member. Our program for February was a presentation by Jerry Kieffer on cutting internal teeth on a ring gear for use in a watch. Jerry discussed the difficulties in doing such work and demonstrated a jig he had to create to perform this task. This is essentially micro machining of watch parts! It is always interesting to see what types of detailed work Jerry is able to do. We thank Jerry for this fascinating presentation.

President Baker reported on upcoming events. One of those events is an upcoming tailgate being organized by Chicago Chapter 3. Chapter 3 has invited the surrounding chapters to participate. It will be held the first Saturday in May, May 6, at the Delta Hotel, 7800 South Kingery Highway, Willowbrook, IL. Free general admission; \$15 for a seller's spot. Open for sellers at 7:00 am. General admission at 8:15 am. Tailgate spots can be reserved by submitting the attached form; reservations are strongly encouraged; if not sold out, remaining spots will be made available on the day of the event. Hotel rooms are available for Friday night at \$110 (plus taxes et c) if reserved more than 30 days in advance. Call the hotel at (708) 290-0006 and ask for the Chapter 3 Tailgate Mart room rate. See attachments for further details and registration form and map. Questions can be directed to Chapter 3 President Wayne Pedryc via email: wpedryc@aol.com.

The Program Chair is looking for suggestions for programs for future meetings.

We agreed to donate \$50 to the 2023 National Convention for use as Mart Bucks.

We had a number of items on display:

- An American Watch Co Safety Pinion watch, 14s, Waltham, MA, circa 1880, stem wind.
- A Rockford watch movement in a display case, with a crystal on the back for viewing the movement.
- A late 1870s key wind railroad watch, made by Hampden Watch Co.
- A 23-jewel adjusted railroad watch, gold and nickel case, NY Standard.
- A Swiss Ball special, 21 jewels, adjusted to six positions.
- A Gilbert 8-day movement with a centrifugal force governor on the time train, rather than the typical fly.
- A European watch mounted in the back wheel of a model bicycle under a dome, dated 1898.

Our April meeting will be on the usual day: first Wednesday of the even numbered months. We will meet at the usual time, 7 pm, on Wednesday, April 5 at the Goodman Center on Madison's east side (same building as December and February). Note that the exterior doors are locked; there is a hard-to-see doorbell button on the doorframe. We will meet in the **Bolz-B** room within the **Goodman Center, 149 Waubesa St, Madison**. This is on the east side of Madison, between Milwaukee St and Atwood Ave, southwest of East Washington Avenue. Note that the Goodman Center has several buildings along

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Waubesa St; we will be in the Ironworks Building. There is a parking lot behind the building; if it is full, there is a church parking lot or street parking nearby.

Our program for April will be a presentation by Jerry Kieffer on the installation of new batteries in wristwatches. Turns out opening the case is not always simple, and there are other considerations beyond just the size of the battery. Jerry always has interesting and informative presentations. If you have a case opener or a watch in need of a new battery, please bring them along.

Guests are always welcome. Please remember to bring an item for show and tell. We will be continuing the same \$1/\$2 door donation, so bringing a display or mart item will save you a dollar.

Hope to see you on April 5.

Sincerely,



Dale Beske
NAWCC Chapter 171 Secretary

2023 Meetings

(Tentative Schedule; Please Check With Secretary Before Traveling Long Distances)

April 5, 2023	Madison Chapter 171
May 6, 2023	Chicago Chapter 3 Tailgate Event – See Attachments
May 21, 2023	Milwaukee Chapter 47
June 7, 2023	Madison Chapter 171
August 2, 2023	Madison Chapter 171 (Picnic – Date Subject to Change)
September 10, 2023	Chicago Chapter 3
September 17, 2023	Milwaukee Chapter 47
October 4, 2023	Madison Chapter 171
October 29, 2023	Chicago Chapter 3
November 12, 2023	Milwaukee Chapter 47
December 3, 2023	Chicago Chapter 3
December 6, 2023	Madison Chapter 171

CHAPTER 3 - HOST CHAPTER – TAILGATE MART

PARTICIPATING CHAPTERS: 18 – INDIANA, 26 – GEORGE E. LEE-MICHIANA, 29 – IOWA-ILLINOIS,
47 – MENOMINIE VALLEY (WI), 66 - CENTRAL ILLINOIS, 83 – PEACE PIPE(IN), 101 – W. MICHIGAN,
159 – BRITISH HOROLOGY – (IL), 171 – MADISON(WI), and NIWCC (IL) (A SUPPORTING PARTNER WITH CHAPTER 3)

SELLER SPACE FORM

DATE: SATURDAY, MAY 6, 2023

SELLER SET-UP TIME: 7:00 A.M. – (FREE GENERAL ADMISSION ENTRY: 8:15 A.M.)

**LOCATION: DELTA HOTELS by MARRIOTT - PARKING LOT
7800 SOUTH KINGERY HIGHWAY (ROUTE 83 – JUST NE OFF I-55) WILLOWBROOK, ILLINOIS**

NAME _____

MEMBER CHAPTER # _____

NAWCC# _____

STREET ADDRESS: _____

CITY: _____ STATE: _____ ZIP: _____

EMAIL ADDRESS: _____

PHONE: _____ LICENSE PLATE – STATE: _____ NUMBER: _____

COST: \$15.00

The Chapter 3 Board decided at our February 5th meeting that parking spots for the Tailgate Mart will be selected by the sellers on a 1ST COME, 1ST SERVED BASIS. ALL VEHICLES BELONGING TO SELLERS ARE TO ENTER THE PARKING LOT FROM THE WEST FRONTAGE ROAD ENTRANCE TO THE HOTEL COMPLEX.

PRE PAYMENT to Pat Seavers by April 30th will insure sellers a parking space for the Tailgate Mart; however, payments will also be accepted "ON THE DAY" from sellers at the WEST ENTRANCE to the tailgate sellers' area.

VEHICLES WILL BE PARKED IN ALTERNATE PARKING SPACES – 2 SPACES PER SELLER.
TAILGATE INFORMATION WILL ALSO BE AVAILABLE ON CHAPTER 3's SITE PAGE at nawcc.org.

Send this form and \$15.00 check to:

Pat Seavers

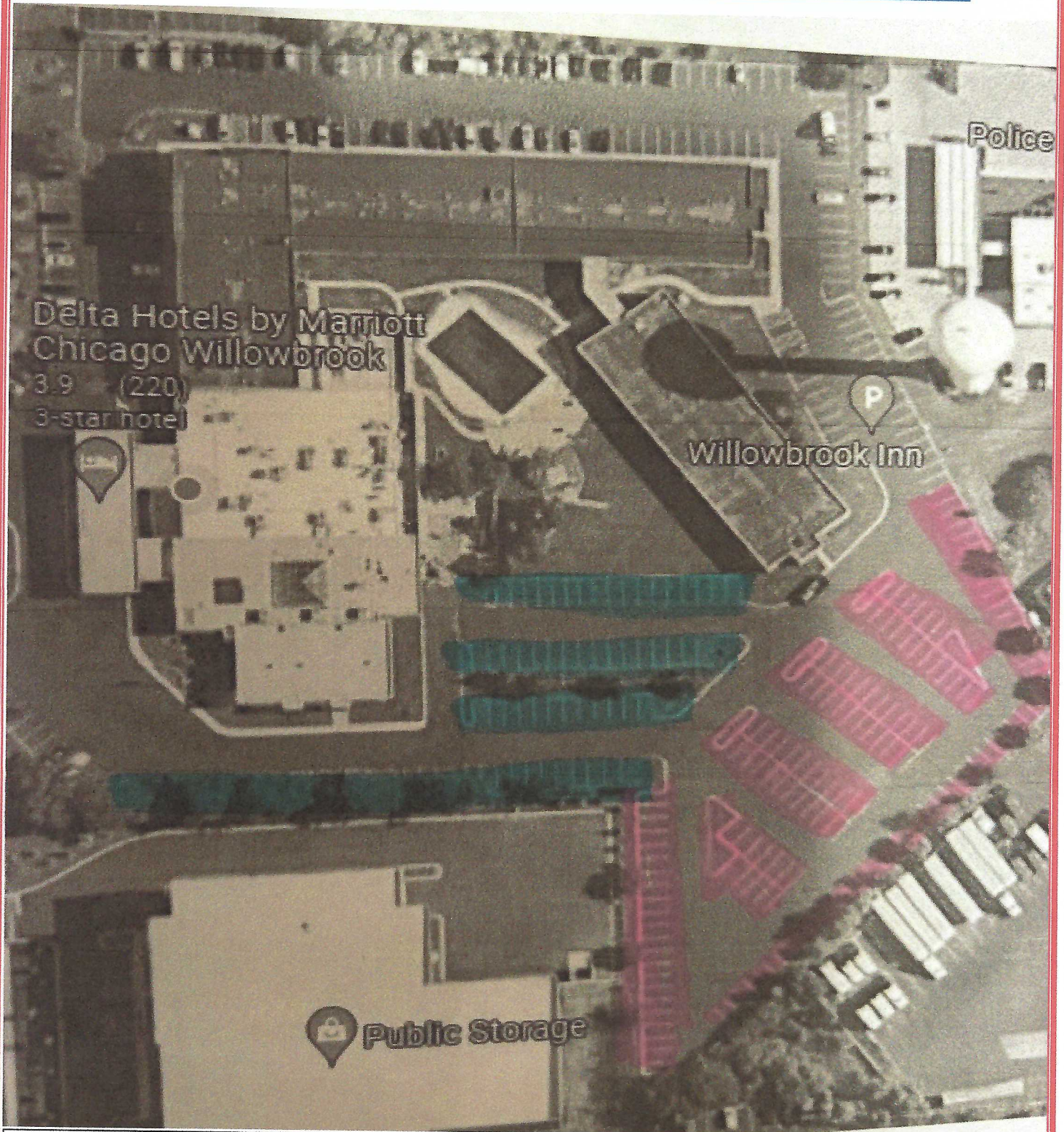
620 Southwind Drive – Unit 207

Lake Geneva, WI 53147

PHONE NUMBER: (if necessary) (262) 203-5491

ANY QUESTIONS, EMAIL CHAPTER 3 – PRESIDENT – at: wpedryc@aol.com

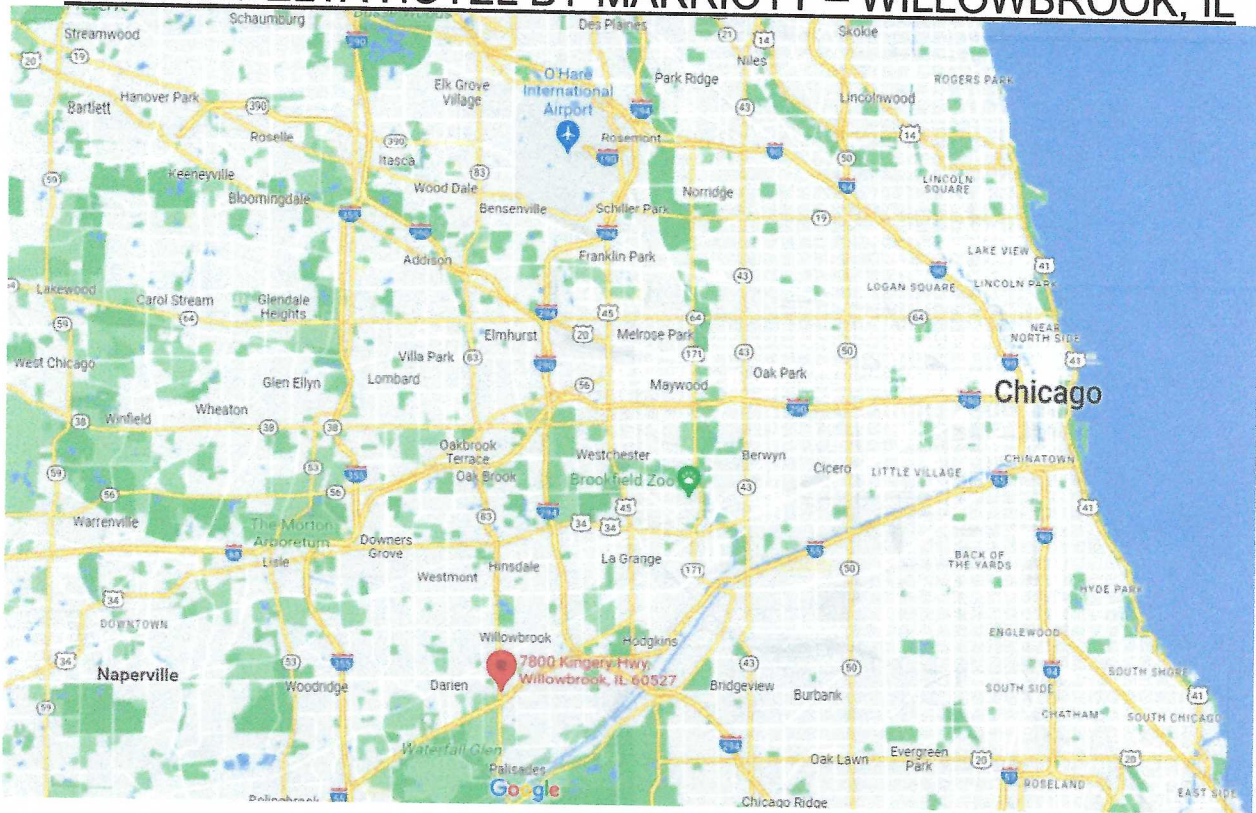
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CHAPTER 3 – TAILGATE EVENT – SATURDAY, MAY 6, 2023 – Delta Marriott – Willowbrook, Illinois
2023 Chapter 3 Tailgate Map Scheme - Blue Area – General Parking for Non-Sellers and Guests, (Center of Map) Overflow parking available on north side of hotel (not highlighted at the Top of Map) and if necessary, in the Target parking lot north of the hotel.
Pink Area – First come first served parking (Southeast section of Map) for sellers beginning at 7:00 A.M. – 2 spaces for each seller. Advance reservation for tailgate sellers is recommended; however, sellers may submit payment on date of event. There is NO CHARGE for Non-Sellers admission. Please exercise caution and courtesy when making your parking space selection(s).

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MAP TO DELTA HOTEL BY MARRIOTT – WILLOWBROOK, IL



CLASSIFIED ADVERTISING

Do you need a part? Can you provide a service? Do you have something to sell? **Space is available in the Newsletter for the nominal price of \$8, for a one-time ad, or \$25 for the entire year. Include picture(s) for \$10.00 each in your ad. It's easy; just contact the Secretary or President.**

2023 CHICAGOLAND CHAPTER 3 & NEARBY CHAPTER MEETING DATES

Chicagoland Chapter #3 – Next Mart/Meeting – March 26, 2023
George E. Lee-Michiana #26 – Contact: Tom Diehl – tddiehl@gmail.com
Menomonee Valley Chapter #47 – Contact: Craig White – cwhite5@yahoo.com
Central Illinois Chapter #66 – Contact: Carl Lair – cslair@gmail.com
Peace Pipe Chapter #83 – Contact: Jerry Tiemens - jerryann10@sbcglobal.net
Madison Chapter #171 – 1st Wednesday of EVEN numbered months at 7 P.M. -
Contact: Leroy Baker – lebaker@chorus.net Dale Beske - debeske@wisc.edu
Northern Illinois Watch and Clock Club – Contact: Matt Clark -
matt.clarktcs@gmail.com, or Mazhar Shamas – mshamas@gmail.com
British Horology – Chapter 159 – for info contact, Richard Newman, President
- next meeting at Southern Ohio Regional in Wilmington, Ohio, April 13-15

This space is available for advertising or your business at the upcoming Mart. There is a nominal rate for displaying your business card.

Details on the cost of placing your ad can be found to the left of this page. Thank you.