Member Happenings: **Eyes on Design June 16th**

As some of you may know, the editor was invited to show my 1970 Grand Prix at the Eyes on Design show again this year. This was the third time I had a car there and my fifth time there overall (I volunteered twice before) over the last 15 or so years. As usual, it was a great show and every time I've been there, the weather has been fantastic. This year's theme was showcasing the automotive designer's over the years and mine was for the Bill Mitchell era (even though Ben Harrison and John Delorean were instrumental in the design). As usual there was a mixture of American, European and Japanese cars there. From my paltry $30k Pontiac to million dollar Bugatti's, Pierce Arrows and priceless show cars. I'll show the cars that got my attention only. It would be too much to show all the cars there.

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As a youngster growing up in the 60's, you couldn't help falling in love with a Jag E-Type. I mean the Vette was nice, but a Jag stirred the imagination!

When one of my Grandmother's passed away, I was supposed to get her very low mileage 1967 Toronado from her estate, but her no good brother sold it along with other valuables illegally before I got my hands on it! I love these cars, but not as nice as the Pontiac's.

Another great Cadillac concept vehicle to the left.

I not only loved the Jag, but the Italian cars of the 60's also got your blood into a fever!

If you're not aware, the Eyes On Design competition has been held at the Ford mansion in St. Claire Shores for many years. You can take a tour of the house and grounds during the show or during visiting hours. It's well worth it. Beautiful location and grounds and the house is spectacular!

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At the show was a concept car I had never seen or heard of before. It was shown as a 2008 Pontiac G8 and it was beautiful. The G8 to me was always a good looking car and a great performer, but this concept vehicle was stunning. It looked like a G8 on steroids! I didn't realize it existed? I wonder if they would miss it if it went missing?