

"I am a big car enthusiast. I totally understand guys like Jay Leno who have a thousand cars. But asking me my favorite car would be like asking my favorite song or favorite food — it changes every day."

Casey James, American Singer and Guitarist

Fall Open House 2024



We're grateful to everyone who joined us on October 19th for a memorable Open House. With perfect weather and an impressive lineup of cars, it was a fantastic way to close out the season.

Congratulations to our raffle winners:

Sue Bredemann – Wurth Package

Jamie and Julien – Golf Package

Aaron Garrett – Detailing Package

Nyles Taylor – Petrosky Defender Art

Ed McCauley – Petrosky Trans Am Art

Event photos will be posted on our Facebook and Instagram pages, so keep an eye out. Plus, stay tuned on Facebook and Instagram for announcements on our 2025 events. We're already planning new ways to make next year's gatherings even better.

### Get Ready for the 2025 Chili Cook-Off!

We're bringing back the heat on **January 25th**, **2025**! Last year's chili cook-off was a hit, and we're thrilled to announce it's returning for 2025. Here's how it works: we'll have four chili categories and one dessert category, open to Car Clubs and five individual entries (for those not in a club).



Each club can submit up to four chili entries and two dessert entries, while individual participants may enter either one chili or one dessert.

An "expert" panel of Zakira's Judges will taste each entry and crown the winners, who will receive hand-crafted trophies made by Zakira's—plus, maybe, a roll of Tums. And to keep the excitement rolling, we'll be streaming the Rolex 24 Hours of Daytona race throughout the event.

For details and to sign up, email us at <u>jenn@zakiras.com</u>. Entries are open until December 27th or until all spots are filled. Don't miss out on the action!

### **Events Poll**

Have ideas for next year's events? Is there an event you'd love to see return? We want your input! Share your thoughts, cast your votes, and let's make 2025 our best year yet.

What events would you like to see at Zakira's in 2025?

Cars n' Coffee

Open House

Car Club Garage Tours

Car Shows

## Other - Please email us your suggestion! info@zakiras.com

# Introducing...

We're excited to introduce the newest member of the Zakira's Garage team, Mike Kruetzkamp!

Born and raised in Cincinnati, Ohio, Mike brings a wealth of expertise from his career in general aviation, specializing in vintage aircraft renovation. His precision and dedication to performance, honed through years of working on intricate aviation systems, make him a perfect fit for our shop.



In his free time, Mike channels his passion for speed into autocrossing his 2005 Cobalt SS. His keen eye for detail and love for high-performance vehicles will undoubtedly enhance the level of craftsmanship and care we offer to our customers.

### **Indoor Motorcycle Storage Spots Available!**

Our vehicle storage is currently full, but we still have a handful of spots left for motorcycle storage in our climate-controlled, secured facility. If you're looking for a safe, indoor option to store your bike, now is the time to act—spaces are filling quickly!

To secure your spot or get more details, give us a call at 513-272-2229 or email jon@zakiras.com today.

### The Final Pylon...

As we approach the end of another year, we want to thank you for being part of our community. Whether you're enjoying your classic summer ride in the garage or getting your winter driver ready for the road ahead, we're here to make sure all your vehicles stay in top shape. From our team to you, we wish you a season full of warmth, joy, and memorable drives.



As always, if you need anything automotive, please call us at (513) 272-2229, email us at info@zakiras.com, check out <a href="www.zakiras.com">www.zakiras.com</a> or just stop by the shop 9 AM - 5 PM Monday through Friday in Blue Ash at 4480 Lake Forest Dr., #314, Cincinnati, OH 45242.

We thank you for your continued business and we wish you all a fabulous fall!!

Regards, your Team at Zakira's