

1983 PONTIAC

PARISIENNE





To a lot of people today, driving excitement can only mean a car that offers plenty of luxury and comfort, and plenty of room to enjoy it all. At Pontiac, we understand. Because that is a great description of the full-size 1983 Pontiac Parisienne.* **PARISIENNE BROUGHAM.** You don't have

to look hard to realize that this is our most luxurious Parisienne. The clean, handsome styling that is a Parisienne trademark helps give it a look of prestige. A bold vertical grille up front, wide tail lamps in the rear, and the standard two-tone paint treatment combine to add even more elegance.

But now slip inside. And experience the true measure of our most luxurious full-size Pontiac. Highlighting the Brougham's six-passenger comfort is a standard 60/40 luxury cloth front seat with fold-down center armrest. The right-hand front passenger seat reclines for added relaxation. And

there's deluxe acoustical insulation for added quiet. To help make every trip in your Brougham a breeze, you get standard power steering and brakes, a full coil suspension, and a handsome instrument panel to help you keep track of the responsive V-6 engine up front.

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dealer has details and before ordering you should ask him to bring you up to date. Pontiac Motor Division reserves the right to make changes at any time, without notice, in prices, colors, materials, equipment, specifications and models. Check with your Pontiac dealer for complete information.

*1983 Pontiac Parisienne not available in California.

PARISIENNE. It used to be a common belief that a car's size very often indicated the size of a car's price. Well, the 1983 Pontiac Parisienne is welcome proof that you don't have to spend a small fortune to get a big, comfortable car.

Outside, the '83 Parisienne Sedan pre-

sents you with the kind of rich styling you'd expect from a car in its class. It's clean, uncluttered and handsome. Inside, this six-passenger Pontiac comes through again. Its standard interior features include a handsome, easy-to-read instrument panel, electric clock, power steering and brakes.

And thick, cut-pile carpeting throughout.

On the highway you'll appreciate the value of our Parisienne even more. Its full coil suspension helps give you a comfortable ride. And its standard automatic transmission and V-6 engine help deliver smooth, responsive performance.



The standard Parisienne instrument panel (above) is tastefully designed. The standard interior (below) is elegantly appointed. Some available features also shown.

BROUGHAM WAGON. Families who need a little more versatility will definitely love our 1983 Parisienne Brougham Wagon.

Here is a car designed to offer you the kind of style and comfort you'd expect from a Pontiac, but with a lot more space you can put to good use.

Drivers with big families will appreciate our Brougham Wagon because its standard third seat gives you plenty of room for eight people. Drivers with big loads will appreciate this full-size Pontiac wagon, too, because with its rear seats folded down, you get 87.9 cu. ft. of cargo space

in back. It's carpeted, of course. And it's easily accessible through the wide opening tailgate.

To help you haul it all with ease, the '83 Brougham Wagon is equipped with a standard 5.0 liter V-8 engine and 4-speed automatic transmission with overdrive.

STANDARD SAFETY FEATURES ON 1983 PONTIACS

Occupant Protection

- Manual lap/shoulder belts with push-button buckles for driver and right front passenger (driver side includes visual and audible warning system). Manual lap belt at center position, when applicable
- Manual lap belts with push-button buckles at rear positions including center, when applicable
- Energy-absorbing steering column
- Passenger-guard inside door locks
- High strength safety door latches and hinges
- Energy-absorbing instrument panel and front seatback tops
- Laminated safety glass windshield/tempered safety glass windows
- Safety armrests
- Standardized identification symbols for controls and displays
- Front seat head restraints for driver and right front passenger (adjustable or integral)
- Glove box door latch
- Smooth door/window handles
- Pressure lock radiator cap

Accident Avoidance

- Side marker lights and reflectors
- Parking lamps that illuminate with headlamps
- Four-way hazard warning flasher
- Backup lights
- Lane change feature in direction signal control
- Windshield defrosters, washer and dual-speed wipers
- Vinyl-bonded inside mirror glass
- Outside left rearview mirror
- Dual master cylinder brake system with warning light
- Starter safety switch
- Dual-action safety hood latch
- Low glare finish on instrument panel top, inside windshield moldings, wiper arms and blades, and steering wheel
- Safety wheel rims
- Front disc brakes with audible wear indicators
- Self-adjusting brakes

Anti-Theft

- Audible anti-theft ignition key reminder
- Anti-theft steering column lock
- Inside hood release

- Anti-theft key system (one key for ignition only, second key for doors, trunk and glove compartment)
- Visible vehicle I.D. number

OTHER STANDARD FEATURES

- Body by Fisher
- Heater/defroster system
- Carburetor air preheater
- Evaporative emission system
- Foam seat cushions
- Full-flow oil filter
- Labeled instrument panel switches
- Radio interference-suppression ignition
- GM's Computer Command Control with catalytic converter (NA with optional diesel engine)
- On-board "check engine" light on instrument panel (NA with optional diesel engine)
- High-energy ignition (NA with optional diesel engine)
- Speedometer graduated in kilometers per hour as well as miles per hour (odometer registers miles)

THE GM CONTINUOUS PROTECTION PLAN

The GM Continuous Protection Plan is available to anyone purchasing a

new Pontiac. It is one of the most extensive programs of its kind, providing extended repair protection (over and above the usual Pontiac limited warranties) against the cost of UNEXPECTED REPAIRS plus an allowance for towing expenses during and after the GM New Vehicle Limited Warranty period. And it's transferable.

The plan covers up to ten major assemblies, plus most seals and gaskets.

The Plan offers an allowance toward the cost of a RENTAL VEHICLE should your car be inoperable and kept overnight for repairs covered by the GM Continuous Protection Plan.

See your Pontiac dealer today for complete details on the exciting GM Continuous Protection Plan. (Available in United States and Canada only.)

A WORD ABOUT ENGINES:

Some Pontiacs are equipped with engines produced by other GM divisions, subsidiaries, or affiliated companies worldwide. See Facts and Figures page or your dealer for details.

Be sure to visit EPCOT and GM's World of Motion at Florida's Disney World.

LET'S GET IT TOGETHER  BUCKLE UP.



A WORD ABOUT ASSEMBLY, COMPONENTS AND OPTIONAL EQUIPMENT IN THESE PONTIAC PRODUCTS.

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and will provide the quality performance associated with the Pontiac name.

With respect to extra cost optional equipment, make certain you specify the type of equipment you desire on your vehicle when ordering it from your dealer. Some options may be unavailable when your car is built. Your dealer receives advice regarding current availability of options. You may ask the dealer for this information. GM also requests the dealer to advise you if an option you ordered is unavailable. We suggest that you verify that your car includes the optional equipment you ordered or if there are changes, that they are acceptable to you.

Pontiac Parisienne models are equivalent to models offered by Chevrolet under the nameplate Caprice.

Some available features shown.

PONTIAC PARISIENNE FACTS & FIGURES

EXTERIOR FEATURES:	Sedan	Brougham Sedan	Brougham Wagon
Bumpers, chrome, front/rear	S	S	S
Bumper rub strips, front/rear	S	S	S
Door handle tape inserts, color-keyed	S	S	S
Dual rectangular headlamps	S	S	S
Mirror, chrome, rectangular, LH outside	S	S	S
Moldings: Rocker panel, narrow, bright (except with woodgrain)	S	S	S
Wheel openings, bright	S	S	S
Body side, color-keyed (except woodgrain)	S	S	S
Stand-up hood ornament	S	S	S
Hood molding, rear edge	S	S	S
Roof drip	S	S	S
Rear window reveal	S	S	S
Tailgate, window opening	—	—	S
Windshield	S	S	S
Tires:			
205/75R15 blackwall steel-belted radials	S	S	—
225/75R15 blackwall steel-belted radials	—	—	S
Two-tone paint	S	S	—
Wheels: Deluxe wheel covers	S	S	S
INTERIOR FEATURES:			
Acoustical insulation	S	S	S
Ash trays, front (illuminated)/rear	S	S	S
Carpeted lower door panels	S	S	S
Carpeting: Load floor area	—	—	S
Cigar lighter	S	S	S
Clock, electric	S	S	S
Cloth headliner	S	S	S
Courtesy lamps	S	S	S
Custom seat/shoulder belts, color-keyed	S	S	S
Day/night rearview mirror	S	S	S
Dome lamp	S	S	S
Door lamp switches, front/rear	S	S	S
Dual horns	S	S	S
Front seat armrest, fold-down	S	S	S
Glove compartment, with lock and light	S	S	S
Headrest, front seat	S	S	S
Inside hood release	S	S	S
Instrument panel w/simulated woodgrain trim	S	S	S
Luggage compartment lamp	S	S	—
Luggage compartment mat	S	S	—
Luxury door trim panels with pull strap	S	S	S
Rear courtesy light	—	—	S
Seats:			
Split front seat 50/50	S	—	—
Bench with center armrest	—	—	S
60/40 split seat with passenger recliner	—	S	—
Rear facing third seat	—	—	S
Steering wheel, two-spoke	S	S	S
Tailgate window switch	—	—	S
MECHANICAL:			
Delco-GM Freedom® II battery	S	S	S
Delcotron generator with built-in solid-state regulator	S	S	S
Engine coolant recovery system	S	S	S
Extensive anti-corrosion protection	S	S	S

S=STANDARD A=AVAILABLE --=NOT AVAILABLE

MECHANICAL (CONT.):	Sedan	Brougham Sedan	Brougham Wagon
Fluidic windshield washer system (dual nozzles)	S	S	S
Front stabilizer bar	S	S	S
Full coil suspension	S	S	S
GM Computer Command Control (gas engines only)	S	S	S
Power front disc/rear drum brake system	S	S	S
Power steering	S	S	S
Windshield wipers, concealed	S	S	S
MAJOR OPTIONS:			
Air conditioning	A	A	A
Antenna, windshield (included with all radios)	A	A	A
Axle, limited slip differential	A	A	A
Axle, optional (available with V-6 or V-8 gas engines only)	A	A	—
Battery, heavy-duty (required with diesel)	A	A	A
Bumper guards, front/rear	A	A	A
Cornering lamps	A	A	A
Cruise control with resume speed feature	A	A	A
Deck release, electric, remote	A	A	—
Deluxe cargo area carpet (sidewalls and tailgate)	—	—	A
Deluxe luggage compartment trim	A	A	—
Door edge moldings	A	A	A
Floor mats, front/rear, color-keyed	A	A	A
Gage package (required with diesel)	A	A	A
Glass, Soft Ray all windows	A	A	A
Headlamps, tungsten halogen	A	A	A
Heavy-duty cooling, engine and transmission	A	A	A
Lamp group includes underhood lamp, headlamp on chimes, and dome reading lamp	A	A	A
Luggage carrier, roof, including air deflector	—	—	A
Mirrors: Chrome, outside, LH remote control	A	A	A
Chrome, outside, LH and RH remote control	A	A	A
Sport, outside, LH remote, RH fixed, body color	A	A	A
Sport, outside, LH and RH remote control, body color	A	A	A
Visor vanity, illuminated, passenger side	A	A	A
Power antenna	A	A	A
Power door locks	A	A	A
Power seat—bench	—	—	A
Power seats, 60/40	—	A	—
Power tailgate	—	—	A
Power windows	A	A	A
Radios: Delco-GM AM	A	A	A
Delco-GM AM/FM stereo with four-speaker system	A	A	A
Delco-GM AM/FM stereo with cassette and four-speaker system	A	A	A
Four speaker system	A	A	A
Rear window defogger, electric	A	A	A
Seat, 50/50 split, with dual armrests and passenger recliner	A	—	A
Stripes, body side (not available with woodgrain applique)	—	—	A
Superlift shock absorbers	A	A	A
Suspensions: Load carrying	A	A	A
Rally handling package	A	A	—

MAJOR OPTIONS (CONT.):	Sedan	Brougham Sedan	Brougham Wagon
Tires: P205/75R15 whitewall steel-belted	A	A	—
P225/70R15 whitewall, steel-belted (required with Rally handling package)	A	A	—
P225/75R15 whitewall, steel-belted	—	—	A
Puncture sealant tires	A	A	A
Tilt steering wheel	A	A	A
Trailer wiring harness, 7 wire	A	A	A
Vinyl roof—padded	A	A	—
Windshield wipers, controlled cycle	A	A	A
Wire wheel covers with locks	A	A	A
Woodgrain applique w/wide rocker molding	—	—	A
ENGINE/TRANSMISSION:			
3.8 liter V-6 2 bbl. (1) w/3-speed automatic trans.	S	S	—
5.0 liter V-8 4-bbl. (1) w/4-speed automatic trans.	A	A	S
5.7 liter V-8 diesel (2) w/standard 3-speed automatic trans.† w/4-speed automatic trans.*	A	A	A

†Transmission is credit delete option on Brougham wagon.

*4-speed auto. trans. standard on Brougham wagon w/available V-8 diesel engine. Produced by GM: (1) Chevrolet, (2) Oldsmobile.

NOTE: See EPA mileage estimate in accompanying fuel economy estimate engine supplement sheet.

DIMENSIONS:	Sedan Mm. (in.)	Wagon Mm. (in.)
Exterior:		
Wheelbase	2945 (115.9)	2945 (115.9)
Overall length	5386 (212.0)	5464 (215.0)
Width	1913 (75.3)	2014 (79.3)
Overall height	1433 (56.4)	1475 (58.1)
Tread, front	1568 (61.7)	1578 (62.2)
Tread, rear	1542 (60.7)	1628 (64.1)
Interior—front:		
Head room	1003 (39.5)	1005 (39.6)
Leg room	1072 (42.2)	1072 (42.2)
Shoulder room	1536 (60.5)	1546 (60.8)
Hip room	1398 (55.0)	1400 (55.1)
Interior—rear:		
Head room	971 (38.2)	999 (39.3)
Head room—3rd seat	—	948 (37.3)
Leg room	992 (39.1)	959 (37.8)
Leg room—3rd seat	—	782 (30.8)
Shoulder room	1537 (60.5)	1548 (60.9)
Shoulder room—3rd seat	—	1240 (48.8)
Hip room	1405 (55.3)	1398 (55.0)
Hip room—3rd seat	—	1109 (43.7)
Trunk capacity (liters/cu. ft.)	592 (20.9)	—
Cargo index volume (liters/cu. ft.)	—	2489 (87.9)*
Fuel tank capacity (liters/gallons)	95L (25.0)**	83L (22.0)
Tailgate loading height	—	767 (30.2)
Top of second seatback to closed tailgate	—	1407 (55.4)
Minimum distance between wheelhouse	—	1224 (48.2)
Tailgate opening width at belt	—	1224 (48.2)
Maximum cargo height	—	754 (29.7)
Maximum height at rear opening (tailgate down)	—	729 (28.7)

Published dimensions are for a base Parisienne Brougham/Brougham Wagon without optional equipment or accessories. Additional accessories or equipment ordered at the customer's option can result in a minor change in these dimensions.

*With rear seat folded down. **102 liters/27 gallons with diesel engine.