

NEW MEXICO COUNCIL OF CAR CLUBS

FOUNDED IN 1977 TO REPRESENT THE AUTO HOBBY IN NEW MEXICO

NEWSLETTER FOR OCTOBER, 2008

NEXT MEETING TO BE AT OLD CAR GARAGE

WEDNESDAY, OCTOBER 22, 2008 , 7:30pm

MEETING AGENDA:

Swap Meet Recap

Web Site

Legislative Updates

Supernationals in 2009

All Clubs Picnic 2009

THIS WILL BE THE LAST MEETING FOR 2008. WE WILL MEET AGAIN ON JANUARY 28, 2009 .

NMCCC SEPTEMBER 24, 2008 MEETING MINUTES

The meeting was called to order by **President Agnew** at 7:35p.

Jim Seals, president of the Zia Hudson Club, was our guest.

Ron Rymarz, Treasurer, reported a balance of \$3,879.05 in the council checking account.

Most of the meeting focused on the final planning for the Swap Meet. **John** and **Joyce** showed a layout of the field. Los Lunas has been installing a fence around the perimeter of the grass area, so some of the entry plan needed to be changed. 205 spaces have been pre-sold, almost twice the number of last year. A group will meet at the field on Thursday, Sept. 25, at 10am to lay out the field for the striping crew. The crew plans to stripe the field at 1:00p. Registration will begin at 12 noon on Friday, Sept. 26. More volunteers are needed to help direct vendors to their spaces and get vendors parked.

Nob Hill Neighborhood has asked for vehicles to participate in the Nob Hill Celebration, Sunday Oct. 12 from 1 to 6p. They will close Central from Girard to Carlisle and plan to have a car show, farmers market, and a shopping stroll.

Vice President Maestas reported on the update of the new web site. He hopes to have it up and running by Oct 1. He brought his lap top to the meeting and offered to show a preview of the site after the meeting.

Legislative Report: **Mike** reported that a 5-page bill has been compiled by the committee and has been sent to the lawyers at SEMA in Washington D.C. A.P.D. will re-introduce legislation to put front and rear license plates on all vehicles. They have purchased new equipment to read plates and it improves the red light efficiency.

Joyce reminded everyone to call or E-mail her with events and updates. The meeting was adjourned at 8:01 .

Respectively submitted by **Su Rymarz** for **Paul McLaughlin**

SWAP MEET REPORT

The Swap Meet was a huge success. Those who missed it missed a really big event. We sold out of spaces, then made more space and sold that. Vendors and customers alike seemed to have a great time. We spent over \$4,000 out front and came up about twice that in income. With only one bill left to pay, we are coming out about \$4,000 ahead. This means the Council did not lose money during the year for the first time in several years, if we don't count the expense of the new web site. The Council tries to have enough resources to put on the Car Show, All Clubs Picnic and the Swap Meet without charging yearly dues to member clubs. So come and enjoy the activities we sponsor.

NEW MEXICO COUNCIL OF CAR CLUBS EVENTS

Please note the dates for 2009 Car Council Events in the listing below and on the back cover. These events are planned for all our member clubs. As you plan your calendars for 2009, keep them in mind. They are pre-planned events for clubs' participation. Participants have a lot of fun at the events, and it provides all with an opportunity to meet people from all areas of automotive interest. The Council officers and board members encourage all clubs to send a representative to meetings. The people who show up are the ones who make the choices for how the events are run. Legislation that affects our hobby is also always on the horizon. Come to the meetings and make your voices heard. It is up to us all to keep the hobby alive and well.

Joyce

Old Car Club of Albuquerque will sponsor the 2009 All Clubs Picnic.

EVENT LISTING

If you need more information on any of the events listed below, you can e-mail oldcarnut1932@earthlink.net and I will e-mail the flyer to you if I have it.

2008 Events

October 18 – NM Steam Locomotive & RR Historical Society Open House – Celebrate the

Tender's Completion for Locomotive 2926 – 9am to 4pm – Free Hot Dogs and Cold

Drinks, Music – 1833 8th St. NW

October 16-18 – Barrett-Jackson Auction – Las Vegas , NV www.Barrett-Jackson.com

October 17-19 – City of Elephant Butte's 10th Anniversary Celebration – Car, Boat & Cycle

Shows, Contests, BBQ, Music, Parade and More – (575)744-4777 or (575)744-4892 or

www.elephantbuttechamberofcommerce.com/html/events.htm

October 18 – Benjie Torres Memorial Motorcycle Run and Car Show – Begins at Sandia

Casino – For information 898-3683 or 440-6395 or benjietorresfoundation@yahoo.com or

www.benjietorresfoundation.com

October 19 – ASR Drag Races – Arroyo Seco , NM , Motorplex (575)542-3827

October 22 – Bernalillo Cruise Night – Twisters Drive-In, HWY 550, 6pm- ? Bring your lawn chairs. Contact Duke 505-771-1881

October 24-26 – MCA Mustang Show – Wild Horse Casino, Chandler , AZ – Scott Nett

(480)897-0240 or www.copperstatemustangclub.com

November 8 – NMSVH 12th Annual Veterans' Day Car Show – N.M. State Veterans' Home in

Truth or Consequences – 8am to 4pm - \$15.00 entry fee (575)894-4222

November 14-16 – 11th Southwest Nationals – Scottsdale , AZ , Westworld, Pre-'73 – Goodguys

(925)838-9876

November 15 – WHEELS Fund Raiser at Embassy Suites - \$100/Plate – 243-6269

November 16 – ASR Drag Races – Arroyo Seco , NM , Motorplex (575)542-3827

November 19 – Bernalillo Cruise Night – Twisters Drive-In, HWY 550, 6pm- ? Bring your lawn chairs, weather permitting. Contact Duke 505-771-1881

2009 Events

January 24 – Cub Scout Pack 498 Soap Box Derby and Classic Car Show - Show your autos

at this Pinewood Derby Event on Saturday, January 24, 2009 from 10:30 am till Noon . It will be held at Collet Park Elementary 2100 MORRIS STREET NE Albuquerque , NM 87110. We will have a contest for the three "best classic cars" based on votes from the cub scouts. Three prizes of \$25.00 will be given. Please RSVP by January 19, 2009 to Irene Murphy 332-9057 or e-mail paintingbluesky@msn.com

February 5-7 – Supernationals at the NM Fairgrounds – NMCCC will be participating.

May 17 – NMCCC & Albuquerque Museum 31st Annual Automobile Show Celebrating 100

Years of the Model T Ford and Fred Harvey and the Alvarado Hotel – Put it on your Calendar.

August 9 – NMCCC All Clubs Picnic at Villanueva State Park sponsored by Old Car Club of Albuquerque – Put it on your Calendar.

September 12-13 – EAA Land of Enchantment Fly-In – Moriarty Airport

September 20 - Concert at Quarai National Monument

September 25-27 – NMCCC 31st Annual Swap Meet in Los Lunas – Put it on your Calendar.

ALBUQUERQUE RACING

Route 66 Community Multiplex – www.route66drags.org

Albuquerque National Speedway – www.abqdragway.com or 873-2684

2008 MOPAR Challenge Series at ABQ Dragway – Sep 13 – Race for points and money at each race. For info, contact Paul at 896-8115

Southwest Motorsports –Oval Racing every Saturday night. Motorcycle Events and Quarter Midget Racing. See www.swms.org for schedules.

CRUISE NIGHTS

Cruzin' South Route 66 – Bosque Farms to Los Lunas – 2nd Saturday each month 352-3596 – or www.cruzinsouthroute66.com 1:00pm winter, 6:00pm daylight sgs time

Christian Rods & Customs – 3rd Saturday each month, April thru October – Sonic, 5000 block of San Mateo

Route 66 Rodders Cruisin' at Jersey Jack's, I-25 & Jefferson – 3rd Sunday each month November thru March, 1:30pm

Bernalillo Twisters Drive-In – Hwy 550, on the 3rd Wednesday Evening, April through October. Duke McCracken is the contact; call 771-1881 for time.

Owl Café 2008 Cruise Nights, Eubank & I-40 Hot Rod 1950 & Older – September 2, October 7

Owl Café 2008 Cruise Nights, Eubank & I-40 Muscle Cars 1950 & Newer – September 18, October 16

Hooters Shows: East Side , San Mateo – September 6,

November 1(Halloween Show) **West Side 528 & Alameda** – September 20,

October 4(Balloon Show) – 40 judged classes for 1st, 2nd, 3rd and 20 special awards

Donut Derelicts

Meet in the Market center on Jefferson just south of the Journal center at 8AM on Saturdays. There are several places there for coffee, or even breakfast. There is a Maestas and Ward in the NW corner, and that's where we park; there is a Starbucks, a Dos Hermanos, a Hello Deli and a Twisters... 7620 Jefferson NE. We are next to the white square in the NW corner...the intersection of Jefferson and Sun. Spread the word - all makes of cars. It's on Jefferson between Paseo & San Antonio. Here's a link to pics of the cars there on 3/31the first restart try

<http://forums.corvetteforum.com/showthread.php?t=1645554&page=5>

Everyone welcome!!!!!!

Pat Salerno Director RGCC

New Mexico Council of Car Clubs Statement of Purpose

Organized in 1977, the New Mexico Council of Car Clubs (NMCCC) consists of member clubs from throughout New Mexico . It shall serve to foster communication and cooperation among the member clubs, as well as with similar organizations in other states. It shall be strictly non-profit in nature and will operate as a non-profit New Mexico corporation. Funds for its operation may be levied on its member clubs or raised by promoting automotive events.

NMCCC 2007-2008 Officers and Directors

President	Robert Agnew	Classic Car Club	881-2722
Vice President	Michael Maestas	Southwest FBody Association	385-8764
Secretary	Paul McLaughlin	Mustang Owners Club	296-2554
Treasurer	Ron Rymarz	Old Car Club of Albuquerque	293-0581
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Director	John Doran	Rio Grande Mustang Club	298-0111
Director	Joyce Clements	Tumbleweed V-8 Club	884-7912

Newsletter Editor – Joyce Clements

Political Action Committee Head – John Doran

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Newsletter

Please send event flyers and listings, changes of address, and any items to be included in newsletter to: **NMCCC P.O. Box 37324 Albuquerque , NM 87176-7324** , or e-mail to oldcarnut1932@earthlink.net

<http://nmcarcouncil.org> (505)890-4477 (Phone or FAX)

**NEW MEXICO COUNCIL OF CAR CLUBS ANNUAL MUSEUM CAR SHOW AT
ALBUQUERQUE MUSEUM - MAY 17, 2009**

**NEW MEXICO COUNCIL OF CAR CLUBS ANNUAL ALL CLUBS PICNIC AT VILLANUEVA
STATE PARK - AUGUST 9, 2009**

**NEW MEXICO COUNCIL OF CAR CLUBS ANNUAL SWAP MEET IN LOS LUNAS
SEPTEMBER 25-27, 2009**