

NEW MEXICO COUNCIL OF CAR CLUBS

FOUNDED IN 1977 TO REPRESENT THE AUTO HOBBY IN NEW MEXICO
NEWSLETTER FOR JANUARY, 2015

NEXT MEETING TO BE AT OLD CAR GARAGE
WEDNESDAY, JANUARY 28, 2015, 7:30pm

MEETING AGENDA: Web Site; 2015 Events; Report from Board Meeting

The Car Council is a current member of SEMA. Any club may join free. It keeps members updated about proposed legislation that affects the car hobby nationwide. It is recommended that your club sign up; do it at www.semasan.com/san/join.aspx. It's free.

Ethanol-Free Gas: There are 23 stations in New Mexico that sell ethanol-free gas, and over 7,000 stations nation-wide. To find a list, go to www.pure-gas.org and click on the desired state. This is a good resource for older cars that don't like the gasohol too well.



WEB SITE

In case you haven't done so yet, check out the new web site at <http://www.nmcarcouncil.com>. **Robert Gold** of the Corvair Club has been working hard to get information on the new site. He is so far doing a great job.

Thanks, **Robert**, for all your hard work.

Also on the media front, **Jamie Saavedra** of the GTO Club is posting information and pictures on Facebook for the Council. She's doing a great job too. Thanks, **Jamie**.

MINUTES OF MEETING

October 22, 2014

The NMCCC convened their October meeting at 7:45. Once inside we took our seats all warm and cozy. Present at the meeting were: **Bill Lemen-LCOC**; **Ron & Su Rymarz, Joyce Clements-OCOA**; **Pat & Chuck Logan-Cougar Club**; **Raymond Cotinola, Mike Maguire, Dennis Seibert-Rickshaws**; **David Merewether-Tin Lizzies**; **Lauri Rector-NM4-Wheelers**; **Jamie Saavedra, Mark Terkeltaub, Chris Padilla-LOE GTO's**; **James Clements-Early Ford V8's**; **Perry Key-NM Artists**; **Robert Gold-Corvair Club**; **John Doran-Rio Grande Mustangs**.

After **President Dennis** insured that everyone got their newsletter, he asked for guests and/or new members. Seeing none, he made quick dispatch of several agenda issues.

Ron gave the money report, and we're doing fine.

JD gave us an update on the registration of the logo and we are making progress.

Robert Gold gave a brief update on the website, and it is clicking like a Swiss watch. I guess that's still a good thing. **Will Clements** is our resident watch expert, so he can correct me if that phrase is no longer germane.

Joyce Clements was introduced to give us a Swap Meet closing report. Although the actual figures were not set in stone it was guesstimated that we made roughly \$4,000 for the weekend. A little bird whispered in my ear, and I think the final figure will be around \$4,700. Nice work to **Joyce** and her crew. Hooray, now we can buy a speed boat! We did vote to increase the amount sent to Los Lunas to \$1,500.

Jamie gave us an update on the "Facebook" activities and we apparently have some 700 followers. That's more than Lindsay Lohan, and exactly twice the amount of the nightly MSNBC viewing audience.....

We also discussed our dates for 2015 activities. The dates for the car show in May and the fall swap meet are set. By the time you get this, the picnic and Collector Car Appreciation day should be set. Follow your newsletter none the less for updates on these and 2015 car show activities.

This was our last meeting of 2014. Now on the fourth Wednesday of November I'll be able to settle in and enjoy the Honey Boo Boo marathon. Take care and have a safe and happy Thanksgiving, and Christmas. See you in January.

Your Secretary.

Bill Lemen

FINAL SWAP MEET REPORT

All bills are paid and all money collected. The final profit was \$4,742.36, which is about \$700.00 over last year. This is good since our bank balance had been declining over the last several years. The Council will be working on an organization plan for future swap meets, since the event is continuing to grow and will need more dedicated people on board to do the chores. We are now the big frog in the pond, and we have a lot of happy vendors and customers. The Council wishes to keep it that way. **Joyce**

EVENT LISTING

If you need a flyer for any event, e-mail joyce@nmccarcouncil.net, and I will send the flyer to you if I have it. If you have major events scheduled and want to post them on the calendar, please send them to the newsletter editor at the same address. Please note the dates for Council sponsored events on the last page of this newsletter, and start turning in events your club wants posted on the calendar.

Thanks. – Joyce

NMCCC SPONSORED EVENTS

MEMBER CLUB-SPONSORED EVENTS and OTHER NEW MEXICO EVENTS

2015 EVENTS

FEBRUARY

February 6-8 – 24th Supernationals – Albuquerque, EXPO NM, Lujan Complex, 6 buildings and over 200 vehicles representing 9 states. Magazine Feature Cars, Local and Regional Show Cars, over \$7,500 in Cash and Award Value. Show with the best, sign up at www.thesupernationals.com, – Reggie rftibbe@flash.net, 505-332-9222

MARCH

March 21 – Wheels of Dreams 2015 – Field of Dreams, Las Cruces – Cindy Torres (575)649-1646

APRIL

April 11 – Smok'n Oldies Car Club Show – Courthouse Park, Deming – jimkjackson@gmail.com for information

April 11 – Golden Gears Swap Meet – White Sands Mall, Alamogordo – 8am-2pm – Jack Harris (575)491-9804 or brebiz@yahoo.com

April 13 – Driving Divas Welcome Back Show – Fastino's, 2600 Juan Tabo NE, Albuquerque – 5-9 PM, yes on a Monday – Open to all drivers

April 17-19 – 12th Annual NM Auto Show – Convention Center, Albuquerque (505)768-4575 or www.newmexicoautoshow.com

April 18 – Annual Spring Thaw – Worldwide Automotive, 3232 Girard NE, Albuquerque – Get your collector car ready for the touring season in exchange for a donation to Cuidando los Ninos – 881-2722

April 19 – 9th Annual Cruise & Schmoose – Sonic Drive-In, 5000 San Mateo NE, Albuquerque – 10am-3pm – Ron or Su 293-0581

MAY

May 3 – Rte 66 Rodders 27th Annual Swap Meet – Sports Complex, Morris Rd & Hwy 314, Los Lunas – Spaces start at \$20 – Call Bud (505)715-3951 or www.theroute66rodders.com

May 7 – Golden Gears Hosts Flickinger Center Car Show – Downtown, Alamogordo – 10am-3pm – Jack Harris (575)491-9804 or brebiz@yahoo.com

May 11 – Driving Divas Regular Show – Fastino's, 2600 Juan Tabo NE, Albuquerque – 5-9 PM, yes on a Monday – Open to women-driven cars only

May 17 – Albuquerque Museum/NMCCC Annual Car Show – Albuquerque Museum, 2000 Mountain Rd. NW, Albuquerque – This year we honor 100 Years of Dodge – Cutoff year for trophies will be 1990 – joyce@nmccarcouncil.net

May 23-24 – Annual MCA Regional Mustang Car Show – Marriott Pyramid Hotel, Albuquerque – Rio Grande Mustang Club – Eric Shirley 268-2595

JUNE

June 6 – Car-A-Fair 2015 – The Beach, Carlsbad – Joy Springer (575)361-1078 or www.carsclubofcarlsbad.com

June 8 – Driving Divas Benefit Show for Displaced Women – Fastino's, 2600 Juan Tabo NE, Albuquerque – 5-9 PM, yes on a Monday – Collecting women's clothing – Open to women-driven cars only

June 20 – Annual Mopar Fest: Celebrating 20 Years – New Mexico Mopar Club – www.moparclub.com or nmmopars@gmail.com

June 20 – Kiwanis Kars for Kids Car Show – Young Park, Las Cruces – Jim Pudlewski (575)525-9478

June 21 – Golden Gears Fathers' Day Car Show – Alameda Park, Alamogordo – 8am-2pm – Entry fee \$10 – Jack Harris (575)491-9804 or brebiz@yahoo.com

JULY

July 10-11 – 6th Annual Collector Car Appreciation Day – Activities being planned

AUGUST

August 9 – All Clubs Picnic – Oak Flat Picnic Area, South Rt 337

August 10 – Driving Divas Anniversary Show – Fastino's, 2600 Juan Tabo NE, Albuquerque – 5-9 PM, yes on a Monday – Open to women-driven cars only

August 26-30 – Birds of Enchantment 2015 Regional Convention – Sheraton Uptown Hotel, 2600 Louisiana Blvd. NE, Albuquerque – Hosted by Pajarito T-Birds – Information: <http://www.thunderbirdsnm.com/regional-2015.html>

SEPTEMBER

September 14 – Driving Divas Trunk Show – Fastino's, 2600 Juan Tabo NE, Albuquerque – 5-9 PM, yes on a Monday – Spotighting women-owned cars – Open to women-driven cars only

September 19-20 – Concours du Soleil – Albuquerque – andy@albuquerquefoundation.org

September 25-27 – NMCCC/Los Lunas Annual Swap Meet – Morris Sports Complex, Morris Rd. & Hwy 314, Los Lunas – joyce@nmcouncil.net

OCTOBER

October 25 – Driving Divas Ghouls Gathering Halloween Show – Fastino's, 2600 Juan Tabo NE, Albuquerque – 5-9 PM, yes on a Monday – Open to women-driven cars only

October 30-31 – Golden Gears Annual Last Chance Fun Run – Friday Pe-party White Sands Mall, Alamogordo – 6pm – Saturday Fun Run, 9am starting at the mall, remainder of event at Alameda Park until 3 pm – call Jack Harris for details. (575)491-9804 or e-mail brebiz@yahoo.com

NOVEMBER

November 9 – Driving Divas Regular Show – Fastino's, 2600 Juan Tabo NE, Albuquerque – 5-9 PM, yes on a Monday – Open to women-driven cars only

DECEMBER

December 20 – Driving Divas Going to the Dogs Christmas Show – Fastino's, 2600 Juan Tabo NE, Albuquerque – 5-9 PM, yes on a Monday – Open to all drivers

OUT-OF-STATE EVENTS

2015 EVENTS

JANUARY

January 23-25 – 65th Annual Grand National Roadster Show – Pomona Fairplex, Pomona, CA – (877)763-7469 or www.rodshows.com

January 24-25 – Turlock Swap Meet – Turlock, CA

January 30-31 – 21st Annual Collector Car Show – Tubac Golf Resort, Tubac, AZ – Duane (520)885-6630 or www.carnuts.org

FEBRUARY

February 12-14 – AACA Annual Meeting – Philadelphia, PA – www.aaca.org

February 13-15 – 7th Annual Rockabilly Rod Reunion – Windsor State Beach, Lake Havasu, AZ – Kennie (928)846-0335

February 14 – 13th Dr. George Car Show – Indian Wells Tennis Garden, Indian Wells, CA – Tim Smartt (760)360-9798

February 26-28 – VMCCA Annual Membership Meeting – Corpus Christi, TX

MARCH

March 6-8 – AACA Winter Meet – San Juan, Puerto Rico – www.aaca.org

March 13-16 – 6th Spring Nationals – Westworld, Scottsdale, AZ – Pre-'73 – Goodguys (925)838-9876 or www.good-guys.com

March 18-21 – AACA Annual Grand National & Western Spring Dual Meets – Tucson, AZ – www.aaca.org

March 20-22 – 5th Spring Lone Star Nationals – Texas Motor Speedway, Ft. Worth, TX – Pre-'73 – Goodguys (925)838-9876 www.good-guys.com

APRIL

April 4 – 4th Annual Kars for Kids Car, Truck, Motorcycle Show – Cochise College Auto Tech Center, 645 S. Hwy 92, Sierra Vista, AZ – Presented by Boys and Girls Clubs of Sierra Vista and Fraternal order of Police #28 - \$25 pre-registration by March 20, \$30 day of show – T-shirts, awards, dash plaques, live auction, DJ, raffle, prizes – Limited to first 180 registrations – Registration 8-10am, auction at 2pm, awards 2:30pm – fop28@cox.net or www.CruisinArizona.com

April 9-12 – AACA Southeastern Spring Meet – Charlotte, NC – www.aaca.org

April 9-12 – 42nd Annual Texas Tour – Abilene, TX – Hosted by Big Country Early Ford V8 Club – Holly Hoemke (325)672-5774, (325)428-9550, Hollyleafh@gmail.com or Holly@airtiteproducts.com

April 19-23 – VMCCA Heritage Tour – Chesapeake Beach, MD – Rickie & Billy Beardmore (410)867-2717

April 24-26 – 23rd April Action Car Show – City Park, Moab, UT – John Fogg (435)259-5981 or www.moabaprilaction.com

April 30-May 2 – AACA Eastern Spring Meet – Virginia Beach, VA – www.aaca.org

MAY

May 4-6 – AACA Southeastern Divisional Tour – Pigeon Forge, TN – www.aaca.org

May 7-9 – AACA Special Meet – Auburn, IN – www.aaca.org

May 22-23 – 41st Rodders Days – University of AZ Mall, Tucson, AZ – Pre-'72 (520)869-4925

JUNE

June 4-6 – AACA Central Spring Meet – Independence, MO – www.aaca.org

June 8-11 – Early Ford V-8 Club Eastern National Meet – Concord, NC – Includes NASCAR Race Shop Tours, Charlotte Motor Speedway, Swap Meet and Concours – cescomm@bellsouth.net or www.efv8.org

June 19-21 – 41st Back to the 50's Car Show – Minnesota State Fairgrounds, St. Paul, MN – Pre-'65 – (651)641-1992 or www.msra.com

June 20-21 – 51st L.A. Roadster Show – Pomona Fairplex, Pomona, CA – Open to roadsters – (310)544-4200 or www.laroadsters.com

June 21-25 – VMCCA Convertible Tour – Rockford, IL – Mike & Patti Werckle (815)885-1108

June 21-25 – One & Two Cylinder – Findlay, OH -

June 26-28 – 31st Rocky Mountain Nationals – Colorado State Fairgrounds, Pueblo, CO – Pre-'86 – NSRA – (209)474-0103 or www.nsra-usa.com

JULY

July 15-18 – AACA Southeastern Fall Meet – Louisville, KY – www.aaca.org

July 24-26 – 28th Pacific NW Nationals – Washington State Fairgrounds, Puyallup, WA - Pre-'73 – Goodguys – (925)838-9876 or www.good-guys.com

July 27-31 – AACA Vintage Tour – Lancaster, PA – www.aaca.org

AUGUST

August 14-16 – Woodward Dream Cruise – Woodward Ave, Detroit, MI – www.woodwarddreamcruise.com

August 25-27 – AACA Western Divisional Tour – Northern California – www.aaca.org

August 30-September 4 – AACA Revival AAA Glidden Tour – Oklahoma City, OK – www.aaca.org

SEPTEMBER

September 11-13 – 18th Colorado Nationals – Larimer County Fairgrounds, Loveland, CO – Pre'73 – Goodguys – (925)838-9876 or www.good-guys.com

September 14-18 – AACA Founders Tour – Northeast Ohio – www.aaca.org

OCTOBER

October 2-4 – 23rd Lone Star Nationals – Texas Motor Speedway, Ft. Worth, TX – Pre'73 – Goodguys – (925)838-9876 or www.good-guys.com

October 7-10 – AACA Eastern Fall Meet – Hershey, PA – www.aaca.org

NOVEMBER

November 5-7 – AACA Central Fall Meet – Houma, LA – www.aaca.org

November 20-22 – 18th Southwest Nationals – Westworld, Scottsdale, AZ – Pre'73 – Goodguys – (925)838-9876 or www.good-guys.com

ALBUQUERQUE RACING

2014 MOPAR Challenge Series at ABQ Dragway – Race for points and money at each race –
– Info at nmmopars@gmail.com

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

NAPA Speedway – 100 Speedway Blvd. SW, Albuquerque – Asphalt Track, 3/8 Clay Oval, Dirt 300 Sand Drags – www.napaspeedway.com for schedules or (505)352-8888

Albuquerque Dragway – On Broadway south of Rio Bravo, east on Bobby Foster Rd. – www.abqdragway.com or call 888-925-2227 for details

BANDIMERE SPEEDWAY

Morrison, CO – 2051 S. Rooney Rd. – Drag racing, funny cars, NSRA events, car shows – See www.bandimere.com for complete list of planned events – Season lasts from April through October

CRUISE NIGHTS & DAYS

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

Bernalillo Cruise Night – 3rd Wednesday Evening year around – 5:30pm 'til ? – Twister's on Hwys 550 and 313, Bernalillo – Open to all vehicles and clubs – Free Drinks and Discounts to Car Owners – Duke(505)771-1881

Owl Café 2011 Cruise Nights, Eubank & I-40 Hot Rod 1959 & Older – 1st Tuesday each month

Owl Café 2011 Cruise Nights, Eubank & I-40 Muscle Cars 1960 & Newer – 3rd Thursday each month

Fastino's Cruise Nights – 2600 Juan Tabo NE – Every Wed. during summer, 5-7pm – Open to all – No fees

R & C Sumthin's Ice Cream Shop Saturday Night Cruising – 902 N. Date St., T or C – 1st Saturday of month, May to Oct, 5-9pm – Free – Food, music, ice cream specials, dash plaques (575)894-1040 or sumthins@windstream.net

DONUT DERELICTS

Donut Derelicts aka Burrito Bandits meets in the Starbucks/Dos Hermanos Plaza off of Jefferson (same location as the past year) 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. Spread the word - all makes of cars. It's on Jefferson between Paseo & San Antonio. Everyone welcome!!!! pasalerno@prodigy.net Pat Salerno, Director RGCC

CARS & COFFEE – ALBUQUERQUE

Cars and Coffee Cruise-In, every 2nd Saturday, April thru Oct, 9:00 AM. All cars, make, model or year, are welcome. Casual show and shine, no charge, free coffee. All donations go to a car repair fund for widows and single mothers in the community who can't afford repairs, and to two orphanages in Juarez. Place: Grace Church at 6901 San Antonio NE (NW corner of Louisiana & San Antonio). NAPA and Discount Tire are sponsoring gift cards for raffle. For info: 263-9700 or 266-0518

COFFEE & CARS – RIO RANCHO

Coffee & Cars is a free Car Meet that occurs the first Saturday of each month. Location is Cafe Bella Coffee, 2115 Golf Course Rd. SE, Rio Rancho. Open to all makes, models, years. No fees or judging. From time to time we will partner with a charity to help them raise awareness and/or funds. Start time in warm months is 7am; start time in cold months is 8am. There is no hard end time. See www.facebook.com/cafebellacoffeenm for flyer. .

CARS & COFFEE – SANTA FE

First Saturday of each month, year around, meet at Four Seasons Resort Rancho Encantado, 9am to 11am. Bring your favorite car, and invite your friends. Encantado will provide hot coffee and special parking. Breakfast is available. Location is east of Hwy 285, just north of Tesuque, at 198 State Road 592. Call (505)946-5700 with questions.

BREAKFAST AT RICH FORD

Almost any Saturday morning from 8:00 on, various car guys and gals meet at Rich Ford on Wyoming and Lomas in Albuquerque, to have breakfast in the Mustang Café there. The Rio Grande Mustang Club, the Model A Club, the Model T guys, and the Ford V8 Club meet there from time to time but not on a weekly basis. A bunch of car guys, Ford and Chevy fans, meet there every week for breakfast on Saturdays. It is an impromptu group that shares stories and pokes fun at each other. Anyone is welcome, if they want to have some fun and don't mind being kidded about their choice of vehicles. Paul McLaughlin at pmacautoart@msn.com is a regular attendee, if you have questions.

DRIVING DIVAS ALL WOMAN CAR SHINE & SHOW

There's a cruise in, show and shine for ladies on the second Monday night each month from May to September. The place is Fastino's, 2600 Juan Tabo NE (between Menaul and Candelaria) from 5pm to Dark. It's open to all cars driven in by a woman. Ladies get a free meal, and there will be prizes. Women are encouraged to dress in the era of their car. Men are welcome as arm candy, detailers or meal providers. Ladies, get out and show your style and car!

The next Council meeting will be January 28, 2015. Please note the proposed dates for Council-sponsored events for 2015. Put these on your club's calendar. You are all invited to participate and help out. As your club plans activities for 2015, please include these dates and send in your dates for events to which other clubs and the public are invited.

NMCCC/ALBUQUERQUE MUSEUM ANNUAL AUTO SHOW – MAY 17

COLLECTOR CAR APPRECIATION DAY – JULY 10-11

ANNUAL ALL CLUBS PICNIC – AUGUST 9

NMCCC/LOS LUNAS ANNUAL SWAP MEET – SEPTEMBER 25-27

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NMCCC CLUB RENEWAL FORM 2015

The New Mexico Council of Car Clubs needs to know current information on all member clubs. The following is needed for each organization or person. If you are a club, you need fill out only one form and include everyone on the list who should get a mailing. You may have your newsletter sent electronically; if you wish to do that, include e-mail address(es). You may have both e-mail and snail mail. Include snail mail address(es) only if you need a mailed newsletter. All clubs not responding may be dropped from receiving newsletters and notices of events. It is important that the information sent out gets to the correct person to report to their fellow members. Thank you for returning to NMCCC, P.O. Box 37324, 87176-7324, Attn: Joyce Clements, or e-mail the information to oldcarnut1932@earthlink.net.

NAME OF ORGANIZATION: _____

CAR COUNCIL REPRESENTATIVE: _____

REP'S PHONE NUMBER: _____ (For contact purposes only)

PERSON(S) TO RECEIVE NEWSLETTER: _____

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Fill in street address only if you want regular mail for newsletter.

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CITY/STATE/ZIP: _____

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CITY/STATE/ZIP: _____

E-MAIL ADDRESS(ES) TO RECEIVE NEWSLETTER ELECTRONICALLY: _____

CLUB WEB SITE: _____

CONTACT INFORMATION TO BE ON THE WEB SITE: _____

Please list any further information on the reverse.