

NEW MEXICO COUNCIL OF CAR CLUBS

FOUNDED IN 1977 TO REPRESENT THE AUTO HOBBY IN NEW MEXICO

NEWSLETTER FOR OCTOBER, 2015

MEETS 4TH WEDNESDAY EACH MONTH, JANUARY-OCTOBER

NEXT MEETING TO BE AT OLD CAR GARAGE

WEDNESDAY, OCTOBER 28, 2015, 7:30pm

MEETING AGENDA: Bylaws Update Vote Count, Swap Meet, Donation to Los Lunas, Newsletter Help, Other Events Updates, Adjourn Council for Year

WEB SITE

In case you haven't done so yet, check out the web site at <http://www.nmcarcouncil.com>. **Robert Gold** of the Corvair Club has been working hard to get information on the site. Also on the media front, **Jamie Saavedra** of the GTO Club is posting information and pictures on Facebook for the. Both are doing a great job. Thanks.

SWAP MEET INITIAL REPORT

The Swap Meet was the largest we've had yet. We sold 514 spaces, yet took in barely more money than last year; vendors didn't want to get caught without a space this year and pre-registered by the dozens at the lower rates. Expenses were up a bit also, so our profit margin will be smaller. A comparison for 2014 and 2015 is included with this newsletter.

I want to thank Vice-President and facebook poster **Jamie** for being out on the field, registering vendors, serving hot dogs and being a great help all through the meet. Secretary, **Bill Lemen** fielded phone calls for two months, helped mark the field, shopped for food, water and ice, and delivered parts for customers. Treasurer **Joe Ballengee** was caught shopping, and he was on hand to write checks for expenses. **Robert Gold** rose before the sun to help park vendors on Saturday. **Mark Terkeltaub** cooked the beans and dogs and was on hand for small jobs during most of the meet. **Jim** and **Will** put up with running errands and shopping before the meet, marked the field on Thursday, and were on hand to help throughout the weekend. These people, along with **Sue** and **Andy Yoakum, Dave Neff, Waz Abbott, Ron & Su Rymarz, Lyle Ferrell, Pat & Chuck Logan, John Hayne, the Hartman Family, Joe Vanderberg, and Zack** seemed to have been on hand lots of hours and deserve a big, big Thank You. Thank you **Dennis & Julie Seibert** and **Ernie Rowilson** for delivering and picking up the trailer and golf carts. Volunteers from a number of clubs were on hand to help in one way or another: Artesia Car Enthusiasts, Corvair Club, Cougar Club, GTO Club, Horseless Carriage Club, Jaguar Club, Lincoln Club, Old Car Club, Studebaker-Packard Club, Pontiac Club, Rickshaws, Rio Grande Mustangs, Route 66 Rodders, SouthWest MotorSport, Tin Lizzies, Tumbleweed V8 Club, and V8 Vixens all had volunteers. This size event can't happen without lots of hours contributed by member clubs. It could be even bigger next year, so start thinking about where you can help out. Dates will be September 23-25 with field marking on the 22nd.

The Village of Los Lunas and the Park Director were extremely happy with the turnout and complimented us on leaving a clean field. The Los Lunas Police were very helpful, and they commented on the good behavior of our group. I heard a lot of positive comments from vendors and customers. Several vendors declared ours to be their favorite swap meet, largely because of its organization and the helpfulness of the volunteers. One shopper was here from Sweden. We have quite a reputation to live up to. Thank you, thank you, thank you to all who helped put this show on the road.

MINUTES OF NMCCC MEETING OF SEPTEMBER 23, 2015

President Lauri gavelled the meeting to order right at 7:30. As members scrambled for their seats, the agenda items were dispatched in quick order.

We had a treasurer's report. Obviously with inflows and outgoes from the swap meet we were in flux. However, I can tell you at this writing we sold 514 swap meet spaces. The good news, bad news is that with the swap meet growing year over year, we have more pre-registrations. The vendors have gotten wise. The spots sell out faster, but at the lower pre-registration price. The South and North fields were sold out nearly two weeks prior to the meet! A special thank you goes out to board members, past President **Dennis** for helping get the trailer and carts down there, **Jamie** and **Mark** for helping me cook and pull off the Hobo dinner, and **Robert** for being on Dawn Patrol to park vendors on Saturday. Saw **Joe** at the swap meet spending money. I don't think I missed anybody. Thanks to all that showed up. A special thanks again to **Joyce** for such a great event year over year.

As the meeting unfolded we awaited the arrival of the president of the Bombardiers Car Club. I guess, according to the agenda, we were in for an open discussion on what responsibilities the Car Council has to its member clubs. My hopes for a spirited conversation were quickly dashed, as there was no rep from the aforementioned club. The up side was we were able to squeeze more time out for **Joyce** to give us an update on the seminal event for this council. Even though she went over her allotted 3 minutes we were still able to adjourn at our desired 8:15.

See you next month and thanks again for another great swap meet. Your Sec **Bill**

EVENT LISTING

If you need a flyer for any event, e-mail joyce@nmccarouncil.net, and I will send the flyer if I have it. Flyers may also be found on our web site www.nmccarouncil.com or on the NMCCC Facebook page.

MEMBER CLUB-SPONSORED EVENTS and **OTHER NEW MEXICO EVENTS**

OCTOBER

October 24 – Freddy's 3rd Annual Custom Car Cruz In – 10201 Central NE, Albuquerque – 10am-2pm – Meet the Route 66 Girls and Bill Fouch, photographer – For info billfouch@hotmail.com

October 24 – 10th Annual Pancho's Car Show – Pancho Villa State Park, Columbus – Open to pre-'73 – John Read (575)531-2711

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

October 30-31 – Golden Gears Annual Last Chance Fun Run – Friday Pre-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

Oct 31, 21st Annual “Spooktacular Halloween Show” at Hooters East – SanMateo – Setup 6am-10am – Show 10am-5pm, Open to all spooky and creepy makes and models, Entry \$20 – 40 classes – 50 Special Haunted Awards, Creeper Races, Costume Contest for Cars, Kids and Adults, 50/50 drawing and raffle supporting the Leukemia Lymphoma Society. Music by: Steves Cruisan with the Oldies – 505-269-0496 or 505-332-9222 for info

October 31 – 15th Annual Halloween Trunk or Treat Fun Night – Old Tyme Shop, 10786 Hwy 337, Tijeras (10 miles south of I-40) – 6:30pm-9:30pm – Wear a costume, decorate your car, hand out candy, cake walk, games, hot dogs, prizes – (505)281-3892

NOVEMBER

November 7 – Veterans' Day Car Show – NM Veterans' Home, T or C – Sam Shannon (575)894-4222

Nov 7 - 21st Annual Charity Car Show at Hooters East – SanMateo “Charity Show” Supporting the Leukemia Lymphoma Society SanMateo – Setup 7am-10am – Show 10am-4pm, Open to all years makes and models, Entry \$20 – 30 classes – 25 Special Awards, 50/50 drawing and raffle. All proceeds supporting the Leukemia Lymphoma Society. Music by: Steves Cruisan with the Oldies – 505-269-0496 or 505-332-9222 for info

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

November 21 – “Just for the Hell of It” Car Show – Body Works, Las Cruces – Open to all – Mike Garcia (575)541-5772

November 22 – ASR Drags – Arroyo Seco Race Track, Arroyo Seco – Open – Roger (575)494-4794 or www.arroyosecoraceway.com

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

COMING TO ALBUQUERQUE IN 2016

May 14-October 2 – Route 66 Exhibit at The Albuquerque Museum – More details to follow – <https://www.cabq.gov/culturalservices/albuquerque-museum>

OUT-OF-STATE EVENTS

NOVEMBER

November 1 – 41st Annual Swap Meet – Boose Chevrolet, 575 Arlington Rd., Brookville, OH (13 mi w of I-75, Exit 21 from I-70) – Automotive only, all makes models – 10'x10' inside space \$15 or unlimited outside \$15, \$3 spectator entry – Dayton Model A Ford Club – (937)335-9353

November 7 – Cops & Rodders Car & Cycle Show – Hi Corbett Field, Tucson, AZ – (520)207-2878 or www.tucsonpolicefoundation.org

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

ALBUQUERQUE RACING

2015 MOPAR Challenge Series at ABQ Dragway – www.abqdragway.com or 1-888-925-2227 – Race for points and money at each race – Entry \$25, does not include track gate entry fee – 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

ALBUQUERQUE SONIC

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

BERNALILLO

"Daniel's Under the Hood Crew" Cruise Night – 3rd Wednesday Evening each month, year around – 5:30pm 'til ? – Twister's on Hwys 550 and 313, Bernalillo – Open to all vehicles and clubs – Free drinks & discounts to car owners – Contact Priscilla 505-250-7990

ALBUQUERQUE OWL CAFE

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

ALBUQUERQUE FASTINO'S

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

TRUTH OR CONSEQUENCES

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

DONUT DERELICTS – ALBUQUERQUE

Donut Derelicts aka Burrito Bandits meets in the Starbucks/Dos Hermanos Plaza at 8AM on Saturdays. There are several places there for coffee or breakfast: Maestas and Ward in the NW corner (where we park), Starbucks, Dos Hermanos, Hello Deli and Twisters... 7620 Jefferson NE (on Jefferson between Paseo & San Antonio. Spread the word - all makes of cars. Everyone welcome!!!! pasalerno@prodigy.net Pat Salerno, Director RGCC

CARS & COFFEE – ALBUQUERQUE

Cars & Coffee Cruise-In, every 2nd Saturday, April thru Oct, 9am. All makes, models, years welcome. Show & Shine, free coffee. Donations go to a car repair fund for widows and single mothers in the community and two orphanages in Juarez. Grace Church, 6901 San Antonio NE (NW corner of Louisiana & San Antonio). We raffle gift certificates from our sponsors: NAPA, Discount Tire. Buy tickets early and often. 263-9700 or 266-0518

COFFEE & CARS – RIO RANCHO

is a free Car Meet on the first Saturday each month. Location is Cafe Bella Coffee, 2115 Golf Course Rd. SE, Rio Rancho. Open to all vehicles. No fees or judging. We may partner with a charity to help raise awareness and/or funds. In warm months meet at 7am, 8am in cold months. www.facebook.com/cafebellacoffeenm.

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.

BREAKFAST AT RICH FORD

Saturday mornings from 8:00 on, car owners meet at Rich Ford on Wyoming and Lomas for breakfast in the Mustang Café. Rio Grande Mustang Club, Model A Club, Model T guys, & Ford V8 club sometimes meet there. Car guys, Ford and Chevy fans, meet there – an impromptu group that shares stories and pokes fun at each other. All are welcome. Paul McLaughlin at pmacautoart@msn.com, if you have questions.

DRIVING DIVAS ALL WOMAN CAR SHINE & SHOW – ALBUQUERQUE

Cruise in, show and shine for ladies 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!

LAS CRUCES MOTORS & MOCHA

3rd Saturday each month, Motors & Mocha Breakfast at Milagro's Coffee, Las Cruces, at 9am. Contact Carol Zamora at (575)680-5507 for more information.

EL PASO CARS & OCTANE

2nd Saturday each month, Cars & Octane Breakfast, at P. Piper Pizza in Coronado, El Paso, TX. Contact Charles Roybal car408w@gmail.com for more information.

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NEXT MEETING
WEDNESDAY OCTOBER 28, 2015 – 7:30 PM
THIS WILL BE THE LAST COUNCIL MEETING IN 2015
OLD CAR GARAGE – 3232 GIRARD NE

CAR COUNCIL SPONSORED EVENT DATES FOR 2016

- COUNCIL REGULAR MEETING – JANUARY 27, 2016**
- NMCCC/ALBUQUERQUE ANNUAL CAR SHOW – MAY 15, 2016**
- NMCCC ANNUAL ALL CLUBS PICNIC – AUGUST 14, 2016 (TENT.)**
- NMCCC/LOS LUNAS SWAP MEET – SEPTEMBER 23-25, 2016**