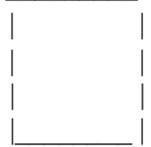


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\* \* \* *Jul 30, 2009* \* \* \*

**What's New...**

- **Well, Not So New - to me...** ... express my regret that 'a legal matter' I am very personally involved in, again last week dumped bit shy of 700 pages of materials to go through and deal with on me. All with defined time to scan/ read/ look into/ etc. and respond to, i.e. by tomorrow, so here I am, late with this again. But have *many thousands of reasons* to address, comply. Literally! Such is life eh...
- **Your New "Less Calendar"...** ...for the last couple months, 2VP Dick Thompson has been relating at Council meetings that in talking with Tracey Ellis, the lady who publishes "the Latest Scoop," that she has been unhappy with 'the Calendar' in your Council NL. Dick says we were competition for her? And he was afraid he'd lose her as a sponsor for the Colfax Avenue Cruise.

Dick made a motion that "the Calendar" be cut back to just listing events held by the Council and/or our Member Clubs. There was discussion, and vote in favor of Dick's motion. So beginning this month, the Calendar will only list events where information in basic format used to date, is provided in writing, from your clubs - as I have requested all along. This year, as last, only four Reps have provided info in writing? So at this time, you will only be seeing events from those clubs I guess?

Tracey has done a fine job building up the Scoop, deserves credit and thanks for the service provided to us and our Special Interest Area's news. Don't know how many issues she sells in Colo., perhaps this will be 100± more, will help?

- **Denver Post's "My Favorite Car" weekly feature...** ..is open for business folks. That is to say, they welcome you providing a history of, favorite stories about, photos of your own favorite car or truck. Tim Coy is the man to contact at the Post, whether for guidance, suggestions, or to just get him your story. Call Dick T [# above..] or contact Tim at [tcoy@DenverNewspaperAgency.com](mailto:tcoy@DenverNewspaperAgency.com)

## Club Views & News...

- **Arkansas Valley Car Club...** ..went off to join Canon Car Club's annual bash. Then successfully staged and enjoyed hosting their big annual event, "Mountain Mania." Note a new member has 'Brit likings' - has a 1954 Morris Minor "Woody" amongst his other toys. [*never seen one..?*]
- **Pontiac-Oakland Club, Colo Chap...** ..are going to participate in a Poker Run to Blackhawk in Sep. to benefit "Zac's Legacy Foundation," a Colo. foundation to help support families dealing with childhood cancer issues. If you or your club would like to participate, call Gary Canady 303.886.7923
- **Studebaker Drivers Club, Conestoga Chap...** ..joined in with the Mercedes display at the Arapahoe Community College. Had a well attended and "well chef'd" cookout, meeting following at Doerschlag's. Did "Independence Day" and will do "Buffalo Bill Days" in Golden to close out July.
- **Colorado AMC Club...** ..have members going to caravan to Nationals in St. Louis. Commenting on improving our economy, "Buy American Cars." Toyota, Subaru, others manufacture here, but ask if the money stays here, etc.? Close piece out with, Time to put "AMERICA FIRST!" [*AMEN to that..!*]
- **Early Ford V-8 Club, Hi-Country Rgn...** ..doing July seminar to feature '49 to '51 Fords. Got 'em and driving 'em, touring Buffalo Bill Museum, the Terry Bison Ranch in Wyoming, etc. But closer to home, they're about to get started on this year's "All Ford Day" the biggest event of their club year.
- **Rocky Mountain Thunderbird Club...** ..is going to the "Downtown Littleton Block Party" to join the folks, have fun, play show and tell with their T-birds. Will be doing a mall show at Westminster Mall, and of course, they are getting ready to head West to "Bird Bath '09 on the Western Slope." [*so what do they all do in this bird bath anyway? Maybe like they used to head for Hot Tubs after Disco..?*]
- **Cadillac & LaSalle Club, Rocky Mtn Rgn...** ..NL Cover has photo of a very shredded rear tire, suffered early into a tour. And appears to be a radial!? Something 'more senior types' used to see all too frequently. Rest of tour went well en route to Las Vegas. Good photos of scenic places, neat Cads.
- **Studebaker Drivers Club, Pikes Peak Chap...** ..had another successful "Studebakers on the Lot" event in Colorado Springs, at new location that gave more visitors than previous site. *And get this;* an elderly lady stopped in to visit - in her 1956 Studebaker "President" 4 door. It is her daily driver. Bless her!
- **MG Car Club, Rocky Mtn Centre...** ..NL Cover has a very blue colour MG. [*gotta speak their language eh what..!*] Survived their very busy June schedule of events, annual Glenwood bash, big event at Breckenridge, head So. for Pike's Peak Hill Climb, Manitou Springs Car Show and 'Fan Fest.'
- **Oldsmobile Club, Rky Mtn Chapter...** ..couldn't get their July NL to open for me? They tried... Will
- **Model A Ford Club, High Country Chap...** ..hosted their "High Country Tour, 2009." Had visitors come join their fun from 27 states. Have to say that testifies to having a good program and lots more. Congrats! And had club's "50th Anniversary Picnic" at Clement Park. [*1959? Seems, feels just like it was yesterday - so walking by, I stopped, looked in a mirror... So much for those good feelings... !*]

- **Walter P. Chrysler Club, Rocky Mtn Rgn...** ..went So. to see the VMCCA Tour in Colorado Springs. Have a lot of things in their calendar to choose from, “what’s in your calendar?” Will join up for the Mopar Car Show at Gunther Toody’s in Arvada. [*..now, homework: practice saying Fiat. Fiat. Fiat...*]
- **American Truck Historical Society, Intermtn West...** ..have been busy, their much anticipated trip No. to Wyoming to meet up with the transcontinental motor convoy re-enactment was a bit spotted by not so good directions for Cheyenne. But once on track a good event and of course good times for all.
- **Southern Colorado A’s...** ..celebrated clubs 22nd anniversary of club’s founding at La Renaissance. Took time to share their cars with residents at University Park Care Center. Also did same at the Life Care Nursing Home. Bet they created some smiles, brought back some good memories for folks.
- **Colorado Classic Thunderbird Club...** ..had a successful and filling Progressive Dinner, enjoyed touring off to folks homes for each course, etc. Did their annual Pot-Luck and Swim Party. Interesting idea, looking into name tags with pix of their car. [*..for some people they’d need tags like Marksmanship Badges, just keep adding on new ones hanging below one another...*]
- **Rocky Mountain Performance Mopar Club...** ..are off to a good start at the Club Clash at Bandimere, are leading. Upcoming are Mopar Mile High Nationals, Mopar Big Block Party in downtown Golden. NL notes two groups are proposing to build race facilities on NE side of Metro - one of them being the group that blocked Bandimere attempting to relocate East a few years back. [*..now you know why...*]
- **AACA, Rocky Mtn Rgn...** ..are on the run, and know where they’re headed as their hosting the upcoming 2009 Glidden Tour here. Sounds typical of such biggies - details, details, details... Who was it said the Devil is in the details? Seems to me the Devil is in the details that aren’t covered? Best wishes to you guys, and gals, for the event’s success. And for you to get to enjoy it all yourselves.
- **Sunday Afternoon Car Klub...** ..had folks on the road to St. Louis for big National Meet / Show, photos and articles tell of good time had touring, ogling the neat rides, etc. Some show winners were, 1900-1942, a 1942 Stude. Best of Show went to a 1964 Lincoln Continental. NL art., pix on Zimmer “Quicksilver.” Remember them? A stretched Pontiac “Fiero” chassis, driveline with custom body, etc.
- **Ye Olde Auto Club...** ..had worked at planning, negotiating good rates for tours, accommodations, etc. and it all paid off well as they went off touring. For their “2009 Front Range Tour.” Say it was well attended and enjoyed by all. Also note several new club members for the year. Planning for new events.
- **Southern Colorado Mopars...** ..their part, So. Colo. Mopar Festival was part of the multi-club event combining Rocky Mtn Musclicar Classic, held at Pikes Peak Intl Raceway, comment that they did well being 35 of the 97 total entries at the event. Plus 34 cars partook of the Cruise from Colo. Sprgs to Florence where they held a show for the folks from the Colorado State Veterans Home. Good cause.
- **Rocky Mountain Jaguar Club...** ..were blessed with good weather for their Concours de Elegance up Fr. Collins way. Prez Cindi Mumm confesses to saying a prayer for no rain while en route North. Rain held off, a great day, great turnout, then a great dash for home as clouds began to build late in day. [*..can picture it coming, Cindi is gonna get a call from Dick Thompson, ask her to pray for no rain at Colfax Avenue Cruise... HA...*]
- **Historical Vintage Truck Association...** ..had a good turnout for the 3rd annual National HTVA Show & Meeting in Greeley. An auction on Saturday afternoon, tours, food, entertainment, and more were available to all. Dinner on Saturday will be followed by a live band so bring your dancing shoes...
- **Plymouth Owners Club, Rocky Mtn Rgn...** ..did lunch at the Ship Rock Grill, then caravanned North to Arvada to tour the Cussler Museum, check out Mr. Cussler’s great collection of vehicles. Dinner and

meeting at Mickie's Steak House. Next meeting heads off to Western Sizzler. [*must be Beef season..?*]

- **Hudson-Essex-Terraplane Club, Rocky Mtn Chap...** ..note that Hilton Head Island Concours d'Elegance & Motoring Festival will honor Hudsons. But before that have their July Tour planned. Will start with breakfast in Longmont, followed by touring "Northern Water" to see experimental beds of low maintenance yards, etc. Then on to "High Mountain Restoration Shop" before heading for home.

## Just Misc Bits of...

- **Headlines from the year 2029...** .. "*Castro finally dies at age 112; Cuban cigars can now be imported legally, but President Chelsea Clinton has banned all smoking.*"
- **RMPM Club folks** had bit of a discussion at recent meeting over, "What makes a vehicle collectible?" Couple of the suggestions, comments included, as summarized by Mike Sisbarro:

*Nostalgia.* Plays a big part. In many cases, people are buying the cars they wanted years ago but could not afford, which brings us full circle to question, what made us want them in the first place? Continues with, I have a personal definition of *nostalgia*: Basically, it is the ability to forget the things that sucked.

*Styling and Simplicity..* ...our older cars had *unique styling* and were *quite simple mechanically*. I think that the styling made people want them when they were new, makes people want to restore them now, and their mechanical simplicity makes it *possible*. [*..I think we need Mike as Council's resident philosopher / analyst...*]

- **2VP Dick T. informs us of "Encounter with a Tucker."** Is an interesting story, but author, and all, were unknown - to give proper credits, ck out? <http://www.laubly.com/1948tucker.htm>
- **Planning for your long term security, safety?** Over lunch, a friend says he is really concerned about things going on in the world, especially Iran's threats, *promises* against Israel. Asks, aren't you concerned too Bill? Bill, I'm buying diamonds, gold and silver..? OK, why are you smiling Colburn?

Reply, "Yep, I believe in precious metals for security too. But my preference is a good supply of brass and lead [aka ammunition]. That way if things ever do go South on us here, I can just collect all the diamonds, gold, silver..." When *the possibility of that registered with him* from pragmatic ole me - for the first time in my life, saw someone truly look like they'd just seen a ghost. Their own maybe...

- **Overheard: The Pinnacle of Stupidity?** 'They' who are "perceptionally challenged," i.e. all those who hear media saying how wonderful it is that government will spend whatever it needs to, to save us - from the *problems government created?* And 'they' can't see that 'government creates no wealth, creates no value, and so all of 'government's money' must be taken from citizens = you.'

## Other Matters...

- **So How are the D.C. crowd doing...** ..take two Aspirin, chase with a couple of strong shots of your favorite whatever, brace yourself, then go to <http://www.USDebtClock.org/> Hm-m-m? Watch the numbers roll..? Add this link to your "Favorites" list, be sure to look at it often as you consider candidates for office fiscal policies before elections get here!

- **Our, Your Own Individual Responsibility...** ..each of us has a responsibility to get and remain informed on the matters, actions and/or inactions, of what impacts ourselves, our lives, our families, neighborhoods, communities, towns, etc. Also is true for insight into matters the Council exists for.

One source of readily available info, where you can easily become informed, look into many issues now at hand - or approaching. Check this independent group out at <http://www.heartland.org>

As an example, just do a search there for say, **CO<sup>2</sup>**... Links to Tons of Studies, Papers, etc. come up! Learn facts about things driven by political agendas hiding in 'Environmental Causes' - that suppress, look away from sound scientific evidence, studies, etc. "*Oh, but that's not fun to read...*" Sigh-h-h...

### **Some Known Bills / Actions of Interest in / to Colo. are...**

**Status of Bills in Colorado.** To not duplicate, those Bills reported on by Council Lobbyist Leo Boyle during the last General Meeting are reported on in the 'Minutes of the General Meeting.' Listed briefly here are Bill numbers and brief abstract of those believed to be of impact or possible impact on the Enthusiast, whether currently being worked or in waiting.

The Legislature has ended it's current session. **But - DO NOT think nothing is going on!** This begins the season when all the bills that were defeated, did not get passed, were pulled, or - just 'didn't make it to the floor get recycled back to their originators / sponsors. Plus all the new legislation that will appear next session is being drafted, seeking support, sponsors, etc. So now is the time to start talking with the sponsor/ authors of bills reported on to date.

### **Updates and Items from SEMA...**

This is info received by Joe Baker, who may paraphrase to send to the Council. Joe does a real service to us in doing this. More complete info can be obtained from Steve McDonald at SEMA, [stevem@sema.org](mailto:stevem@sema.org) on specific issues.

- **Again, no eNews have been forwarded from SEMA.** So keep hoping no news is good news.

### **Items from SAN Newsletter...**

Info from SEMA Action Network's monthly NL, passed on to keep you and your Club Members informed of things in other states - that you can bet will come here too - if they create revenue or give more control.

- **Basically same as last time?** Will combine, compress for next NL.

### **New Stuf'...**

- **Congrats - to Tracey Ellis!** August Issue of the Latest Scoop marks 19th Anniversary issue. Thanks!
- **Really do wish** I would have had time to scan for new items, info, etc. to pass along - but haven't. Of course you could be sending things in you know. It is your organization, let us hear your input. Share, pass along things you discover.

## NL Humor for the Month...

- From Studebaker Club's NL:

*"I've reached the age where Happy Hour is a nap."*

## Words From The Wise...

- Some things are forever true, are timeless. Do you think this still is, should be today?

*"We have room for but one flag, the American flag.  
We have room for but one language here, and that is the English language.  
And we have room for but one sole loyalty, and that is a loyalty to  
the American people."*

*Theodore Roosevelt, 1907,  
26th President of the United States.*

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**MINUTES OF THE GENERAL MEETING of Wed. Jul. 01, 2009.**

Held at the Forney Transportation Museum 4303 Brighton Boulevard Denver, Colo. 80216.

The Meeting was called to order by 2009 President Joe Baker at 7:32 PM.

President Baker asked if there were any guests, new reps. None responded.

**Guests & Guest Speakers.**

- No guest speakers tonight.

**Minutes of the Previous Meeting.**

President Baker asked if there any corrections to or omissions from the minutes.

- . Dick Fritz noted clarifications. Following such Prez Baker asked for a motion to accept the Minutes with clarifications noted.
- It was moved, seconded and voted affirmatively to accept the Minutes as noted.

**Secretary's Report.** 2009 Secretary Pro Tem, Bill Colburn.

- 45 clubs were represented tonight.
- to date, 53 clubs have renewed; there are no new clubs; there were 54 clubs in the Council in 2008.
- to date, 0 Associate Members have renewed; there were 2 in the Council in 2008.
- to date, 1 Individual has renewed, there is one new :”I” member; there were 3 in the Council in 2008.

*[..renewals have now been received from 54 clubs as of Wed 29-Jul-2009. wbc]*

- Last month the NL was sent to 211 by e-m and to 60 as hardcopy.
- **ALL Clubs should be** sending a copy of each issue of their newsletter to the Council; if by mail, send to “Attn: Secretary” at the Council’s mailing address; or if sent by e-mail please just send your NLs to “[occc.secy@gmail.com](mailto:occc.secy@gmail.com)”

**Treasurer's Report.** 2009 Treasurer, Tom Kay.

Treasurer Kay reports the following summary, as of 30-Jun-2009:

**ASSETS:**

<b>- Balances of Accounts:</b>	<u>Current.Bal</u>	<u>\$ in.</u>	<u>\$ out.</u>	<u>Prev.Bal</u>
Operating Account	\$1,832.49	0.00	535.83	\$2,368.32
Governmental Relations Acct	4,408.00	0.00	3,750.00	8,158.00
Swap Meet	12,203.93	0.00	0.00	12,203.93
Swap Meet Pre-Reg'n deposits	715.00	0.00	0.00	715.00
Car Show	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Colfax Avenue Cruise	+ 1,166.13	+ 0.00	- 0.00	+ 1,166.13
<b>Total - Accounts.</b>	<b>\$20,325.55</b>	<b>\$0.00</b>	<b>\$4,285.83</b>	<b>\$24,611.38</b>
<b>- Liquid Assets in Deposit:</b>				
Checking Acct	\$20,325.55	0.00	4,285.83	\$24,611.38
Swap Meet Deposit	300.00	0.00	0.00	300.00
CD Acct	+ 0.00	+ 0.00	- 0.00	+ 0.00
<b>Total - Liquid Assets.</b>	<b>\$20,625.55</b>	<b>\$0.00</b>	<b>\$4,285.83</b>	<b>\$24,911.38</b>

**LIABILITIES:**

- <b>Amounts Owed / Liabilities:</b>	<u>Current.Bal</u>	<u>\$ in.</u>	<u>\$ out.</u>	<u>Prev.Bal</u>
Lobbyist [\$3,750: Mar, Jun, Sep, Dec]	\$ 0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Pre-paid Swap Meet Deps	715.00	0.00	0.00	715.00
<i>Other - none at this time</i>	<i>+ 0.00</i>	<i>+ 0.00</i>	<i>- 0.00</i>	<i>+ 0.00</i>
<b>Total - Liabilities.</b> . . . . .	<b>\$715.00</b>	<b>0.00</b>	<b>0.00</b>	<b>\$715.00</b>
 <b>Net Worth.</b> . . . . .	 <b>\$19,910.55</b>	 <b>+\$0.00</b>	 <b>-\$4,285.83</b>	 <b>\$24,196.38</b>

- **Acceptance:** President Baker asked if there any questions or corrections. There being none raised, it was moved, seconded and voted affirmatively to accept the Treasurer’s Report as submitted. Joe noted that if anyone had any specific questions they could get with Tom after the meeting.

**Governmental Relations Committee / Lobbyist’s Report.** 2009 Chair; Keith Hall.

This committee exists to pro-actively seek to identify and acquire copies of statutes, regulations, ordinances, rules, etc. both proposed and in-place that will, or do affect any aspect of your ownership, taxes, insuring, maintaining, repairing, or uses of your vehicles; to study them, report on all such, make recommendations to the Council as to nature and/or actions to take; to act to build good relations with any appropriate Colorado Legislators, governmental agencies, quasi-governmental agencies and/or NGOs to defend, promote and support the best interests of the Council.

**Keith reports:**

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**Lobbyist Leo Boyle reports:**

- 2010 will be an election year. Half of the Legislature will be up for reelection. So with current budget problems, legislators will be more conscious of what they impose [knowing what affects voters, will be remembered].
- The fine for registering a vehicle outside the 30 day grace period will be set at \$25 per month, but will cap at \$100. Commenting that the main intent of this came from people moving in from out of state, not registering their vehicles here until much later.
- Leo said that the decrease of revenues coming in from the economic slowdown is causing problems that cannot be addressed by just raising taxes because of TABOR [Taxpayers Bill of Rights]. [*wasn't TABOR intended to keep government from just raising taxes for each new whim vs budgeting..?* ]

**SEMA Report.** 2009 Contact and Reporter; Joe Baker.

SEMA, the Specialty Equipment Manufacturers Association is a trade group whose members are the people who manufacture all the aftermarket products used to maintain, repair, upgrade, improve or modify your Motor Vehicles. This group has done more to inform and guard against harmful acts than any other.

**Joe reports:**

- Joe forwards information for you throughout the month - not being part of the General Meeting, it is provided to you in the Newsletter. *wbc*]

**WebMaster Report.** 2009 webmaster, Keith Hall.

**Keith reports:**

- No report tonight.

**Car Show Committee.** 2009 Chair; *open.*

The Car Show Committee is responsible for studying, proposing, then organizing and conducting an Annual Car Show event to bring to prominent display, some quality, representative vehicles from all of our member clubs for the purpose of exhibiting and evidencing to the general public that our Collectible, Special Interest and Historic Motor Vehicles are of positive areas of interests. Objective, to educate and gain public support.

*Committee presently inactive.*

**Swap Meet Committee.** 2009 Chair; Gary Canady.

The Swap Meet Committee is responsible for studying, proposing, then organizing and conducting an Annual Swap Meet at which the Council has vendors come in to present for sale their variety of NOS, NORS, repro or vintage original parts to all our Motor Vehicle Enthusiasts and the general public. Objective is to support the needs of our Colorado Motor Vehicle Enthusiasts and to help create operating funds for the Council - as it has since 1968.

**Gary reports:**

- The Swap Meet will be a one day event, to be held at the Adams Cty Fairgrounds Sat 22-Aug-2009.
- The ad is in the Latest Scoop.
- Local Front Range ads are done.
- There is still a need for volunteers to staff things. [*..can get to Gary or Roger Zaner..*]
- Golf Carts are rented.
- Registrations are coming in, Gary could not recall off top of his head how many so far..
- Gary says Dick T is talking to the Post re their sponsoring the Car Corral, TBD?

**Colfax Avenue Cruise.** 2009 Chair; Dick Thompson.

This proposes and organizes an annual event to be held along Colfax Avenue in Metro Denver. Objective is to hold a largish event for Colorado Motor Vehicle Enthusiasts to bring out, drive and have an 'adult show & tell.' Meant to be an enjoyable event for all, and as another opportunity to visit with and exhibit ourselves to the general public as responsible and respectable, to gain public and legislative support.

**Dick reports:**

**Havana Cruise.**

- Dick again thanked clubs and volunteers for their support and participation in the Havana Cruise. Ended up with something like 132 volunteers.
- Says police estimated some 4,000 or so Special Interest vehicles were out.
- Dick presented a check for \$2,500 to the Council from the Havana Business Improvement District.
- Had a wrap-up meeting with BID, they were 'tickled to death.'
- Dick also noted that it was observed that there were vehicles here from out of the area, Nebraska, etc.

**Colfax Avenue Cruise.**

- The Colfax Avenue Cruise will be held on Saturday Sep. 19th, 2009.
- Sponsors are coming in well.
- Dick is in conversation with several groups about participation, support, etc.

### **Old Business.**

- Dick Thompson raised the matter of “the Calendar” being in competition with the Latest Scoop. Made a motion that the Calendar should just list Council and Club events. Was seconded, discussion followed. Pres. Baker called for a vote, the vote was in favor of , the motion passed.

Secretary Colburn noted that he had only gotten direct input from four or so reps / clubs, last year and this year, and that items to be submitted are to be done in writing - as has long been stated. *[.apologize in advance for any errors that may take place cutting the 18+ pages that have been built up down to satisfy...]*

### **New Business.**

- Pres. Baker informs us that Forney Museum will be raising their rates for use of the facilities. New rate will be \$70/hr. So be appr \$210/mtg - but will offer us a 40% discount for booking 10 or more meetings for a year. *[.will impact 2009 budget a bit...]*
- Bill Hunter presented an outline of a proposal for Greg Akiyama to do the Council Newsletter. Touched on a couple of points, presented outline to Prez Baker. Was about to make a motion, was suggested that there were a lot of things to consider, look at, tie down by Prez Baker. Who then tabled the matter until he can schedule a meeting to review; expect Secy Colburn, VPs Hall and Thompson will partake?

### **Announcements, Reminders & Miscellanea.**

- A few reminders of events were made, noting flyers are on back table.

### **Possible Agenda Items for Next Months Mtg.**

- Production of NL being let out.
- Financial review of year to date by Treas. Kay.
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### **Next General Meeting.**

- Wednesday August 05th at 7:30 PM, at the Forney Museum.

Meeting was adjourned at 20:54 PM by President Baker.

Respectfully Submitted,

wbc

William B. Colburn, 2009 Secretary Pro Tem



## Jul

- Sa-Su 10-11 HVTA Nat'l Truck Meet & Show by Historic Vintage Truck Assoc; trucks >25 yrs olds, \$15/1st one; 08-14:00, at Island Grove Park, Greeley. Exit ➤ I-25 E to ➤. Info, Dirns, call Rich Busby at 303.690.5123
- Sa 11 CECA Open Track Event. by Colorado Exotic Car Association, Vintage Race Car classes, racing - at Colorado State Patrol Track, Golden, Colo. For info Bill Miller 303.421.3009
- Fr-Sa 17-18 Thin Air Nationals - Annual by Colo Springs Rod & Custom - since 1979. All MVs, \$35/veh; Reg'n Fri in Colo Sprgs; Sat in Green Mtn Falls, Colo; fr I-25 take US-24 W to Green Mtn Falls. Call J. R. Nandin at 719.210.0013
- Su 29 Rod Festival.. by ColoRODans R&C Club; since 1970, All neat Mvs, \$5/A, \$1/6-12s, \$0/<6. For info [www.ColoRODans.org](http://www.ColoRODans.org) .

## Aug

- Sa 19 Mountain States Swap Meet by OCCC; since 1968. \$5/A, \$0/<12 ; open 08-17:00, at Adams County Fairgrounds, from US-85 take 124th Ave W to fairgrounds. Info, call Gary Canady at 303.886.7923 .
- Sa 29 Classic Aircraft & Car Show - and Prostate Cancer Awareness and Free Test, Screening. => by Front Range Airport & TUCC; All MVs, \$0/veh; 09-15:00, at Front Range Airport, 5200 Frt Rng Pkwy, Watkins, Free pancake bkfst for exhibitors. Free prostate screening fr 10-14:00. For more info, details call 303.261.9100

## Sep

- Sa-Su 13-14 English Motoring Conclave - Ann'l by the Colo Conclave. all Brit MV's; Sat tour lv park at 08:30; Show Sun 09-N:30, \$25 for both, Oak Park, 10425 W 64<sup>th</sup> Pl, Arvada, Gary George 303.477.0189 or [www.theColoradoConclave.com](http://www.theColoradoConclave.com) .
- Sa 19 the 3rd Annual- "Colfax Avenue Cruise" by OCCC; All MVs, \$0/veh; 14-19:00, go Cruisin' into the Council's "Festival Sites" along Colfax Avenue. Info: call Dick Thompson at 303.699.4819 or c: 303.929.5533
- Sa 26 CECA Open Track Event & BBQ. by Colorado Exotic Car Association, Vintage Race Car classes, racing and Family Day BBQ. at High Plains Raceway at Byers. Colo. For info Bill Miller 303.421.3009

## Oct

- Sa-Su 03-04 RMVR, Vintage Enduro Races. by Rky Mtn Vintage Racing, Enduro Type Vintage Racing, at High Plains Raceway, Byers, Colo. Info: Diane Hively at 303.319.3062
- Sa-Su 18-19 RMVR Vintage Races. by RMVR. Vintage Race Cars and Racing, at High Plains Raceway, Byers, Colo. Info: Carol Stiehr at 303.319.3062

## Nov

## Dec

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