



# Fuel Line



## September 2019

Newsletter of the Central Arizona Region  
of the Vintage Chevrolet Club of America  
[www.vintagechevyclubaz.com](http://www.vintagechevyclubaz.com)

### September CAR Meeting

The September meeting of the CAR will be Wednesday, September 11th @ 6 PM. Location is Don & Diane Adams home at 4024 W. Topeka Dr in Glendale. Come join us as we plan for our events for the fall months. Your input is needed with ideas and what you want to see the club do for events. Following the meeting we will enjoy Diane Adams "Chef Surprise" for dinner. Hope to see you there!



**It must have been white car discount day at the Disneyland hotel.**

**CENTRAL ARIZONA REGION:** of the Vintage Chevrolet Club of America was organized for the purpose of restoring and preserving Vintage Chevrolets. We welcome anyone who has a sincere interest in sharing their knowledge and experience in the history and enjoyment of the automobile.

**MEMBERSHIP DUES:** An active member in good standing is defined as an individual or family who has paid into both the National VCCA and the Central Arizona Region. This entitles the member to a subscription to the local regional newsletter, the "FUEL LINE". Any paid member may participate in the business meeting and all club events, both regional and national. Membership in the VCCA does not require ownership of a Vintage Chevrolet. For information concerning Central Arizona Region - VCCA please contact one of the following officers or board members. MEMBERSHIP DUES for CENTRAL ARIZONA REGION (any individual or family) \$20.00/year (half of National), NATIONAL VCCA: \$40.00/year. Dues are payable on January 1<sup>st</sup> and delinquent after February 1<sup>st</sup>. Please include your National and Local number on your renewal

### Central Arizona Region VCCA 2019

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## Chapter Application for Membership **Welcome**

**CENTRAL ARIZONA REGION**  
Chapter of the Vintage Chevrolet Club of America



**Renewal**

Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Birth Month/Day: \_\_\_\_ / \_\_\_\_ Phone: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_ Cell: \_\_\_\_\_

City: \_\_\_\_\_ State: \_\_\_\_\_ Zip: \_\_\_\_\_

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Spouse: \_\_\_\_\_ Birth Month/Day: \_\_\_\_  / \_\_\_\_  \_\_\_\_

Children: \_\_\_\_\_ Birth Month/Day: \_\_\_\_ / \_\_\_\_

Signature: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_

Central Arizona Region # \_\_\_\_\_ Vintage Chevrolet Club of America National # \_\_\_\_\_

Must be a member of Vintage Chevrolet Club of America Thank you for your generous support and participation in this association.

Recommended By:

YEAR (1949)	MODEL (Style Line; Touring)	MODEL# (Deluxe)	BODY STYLE (2-4 DR, Coupe, etc)	COLOR (BK)	CONDITION (Showable, etc)
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## Directors Message from Diane Adams

Well, we almost made it through this long HOT summer. Our monsoon never showed (it was a nonsoon). I hope everyone had a good summer.

Ed Behie had heart surgery a couple weeks ago and at last report, doing good. Tom Wolcott sounds good and plans on coming to the meeting. I've had one cataract surgery, then the next one is next Tuesday. It is great to be able to see good. Haven't heard of any other health issues, so I assume the rest of you are doing good.

The September meeting will be on the 11th at our house. I found some show & tell things to share. Bring your show and tell items also. Not sure what we will eat, but I will figure it out. Also, we need to decide on some tours and also what we want to do for the Christmas banquet. See you on the 11th. Diane.

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## CALENDAR OF EVENTS

- Sept 11**      **CAR Meeting - Don & Diane Adams home - 6 PM**  
**Sept 23-28**    **VCCA National Southwest Fall Tour - Cottonwood**  
Sept 26-29    Roddin' on the River - Laughlin  
Sept 27-29    Run to the Pines - Pinetop
- Oct 12        Surprise Heritage Car Show - Surprise  
Oct 16-20     Run to the Sun - Lake Havasu City  
**Oct 20**       **CAR 46 1/2 Annual Parts Exchange & Swap Meet - Glendale**

**\*\*\* Don't forget the ongoing cruisins around the Valley on Friday & Saturday nights!\*\*\***

**Friday Night -**  
**Surprise - Sam's Club - 16573 W Bell Rd**

**Saturday Night -**  
**Glendale - K-Mart - 6731 W Bell Rd**



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*I like to think the guy who invented the umbrella was going to call it the "brella",  
but he hesitated.....*

# **CAR Meeting Minutes**

## **May 1st , 2019**

**Meeting called to order at 6:40 PM**

**Officers not present: Mike Draskovic.**

**April meeting minutes read and accepted.**

**Treasurers report was given and accepted.**

**Old business:**

- > **Dean gave an overview on car donation to the Yavapai College Automotive program. 1953 Chevy was donated to the program through CAR and the students are now working on restoring it. Complete story coming soon.**

**New business:**

- > **Jim Patterson (long time VCCA & CAR member now residing in Ohio) recently called Dean and brought him up to speed on his life in Ohio now. All is OK with him and he is doing well. "Good to hear from you , Jim !"**
- > **Ed talked about the Joint Tour to the Mystery Garage with the Model A Club.**
- > **Thank You, Robin for sharing your beautiful home with us for the May meeting.**
- > **Musical Instrument Museum tour on May 14th - 10:00 AM - 4725 E Mayo Blvd - \$20 per person.**
- > **No meetings in June, July & August - See you in September! ( isn't that a song too?)**

**Meeting adjourned at 7:30 PM**

**Respectfully submitted by Ed & Linda Behie**

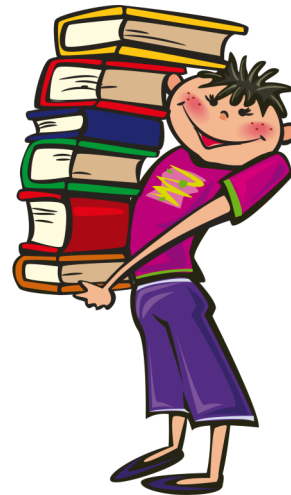


# Labor Day 2019

Labor Day 2019 is on Monday, September 2nd. Labor Day pays tribute to the contributions and achievements of American workers and is traditionally observed on the first Monday in September. It was created by the labor movement in the late 19th century and became a federal holiday in 1894. Labor Day weekend also symbolizes the end of summer for many Americans, and is celebrated with parties, street parades and athletic events.

Labor Day, an annual celebration of workers and their achievements, originated during one of American labor history's most dismal chapters. In the late 1800s, at the height of the [Industrial Revolution](#) in the United States, the average American worked 12-hour days and seven-day weeks in order to eke out a basic living. Despite restrictions in some states, children as young as 5 or 6 toiled in mills, factories and mines across the country, earning a fraction of their adult counterparts' wages. People of all ages, particularly the very poor and recent immigrants, often faced extremely unsafe working conditions, with insufficient access to fresh air, sanitary facilities and breaks. As manufacturing increasingly supplanted agriculture as the wellspring of American employment, labor unions, which had first appeared in the late 18th century, grew more prominent and vocal. They began organizing strikes and rallies to protest poor conditions and compel employers to renegotiate hours and pay. Many of these events turned violent during this period, including the infamous [Haymarket Riot](#) of 1886, in which several [Chicago](#) policemen and workers were killed. Others gave rise to longstanding traditions: On September 5, 1882, 10,000 workers took unpaid time off to march from City Hall to Union Square in [New York](#) City, holding the first Labor Day parade in U.S. history.

Labor Day is still celebrated in cities and towns across the United States with parades, picnics, barbecues, fireworks displays and other public gatherings. For many Americans, particularly children and young adults, it represents the end of the summer and the start of the back-to-school season.



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***Everyone wants to save the earth....nobody wants to help Mom do the dishes.....***



## Used cars of yesteryear



**Can you identify any of these cars?**

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### Summer Fun

Some of our CAR members are reported to have traveled around the country this summer—several on VCCA tours and meets.

- > Fred & Mickie Johnson had a very eventful trip (ask them) to the Northwest Meet in Albany, Oregon in August with their 1928 Chevy Touring..
- > Dean Echols and Larry Fulsome motored over to the All Cal Meet in Bakersfield, California in May with Dean's 1938 Chevy Convertible.
- > Dean Echols and Pat McGowen (California VCCA member) loaded Pat's 1923 Chevy Roadster and Dean's 1928 Chevy Depot Hack (both) in Dean's trailer and attended the 4 Cylinder Tour in McCall, Idaho in June.

It was reported everyone had a great time! Let us know what you did this summer!

# 46 1/2th Annual Automotive Swap Meet PARTS EXCHANGE

**"One & Only" Oldest Continuous Running Event**



**Sunday  
October 20th, 2019**



**Automotive Swap Meet  
Glendale Community College  
59th Ave North Of Olive Ave**

## Open To All Automotive Related Items

**Vendor Swap Spaces - \$35.00/20'x20' - Car Corral \$10.00/Car**

**Funds Provide Financial Assistance Towards Many Local Charitable Organizations**

**RAIN or SHINE**

**Set Up & Registration  
Saturday, October 19th  
10am-7pm**

**INFO: Central Arizona Region  
Vintage Chevrolet Club Of America  
Info: Dean Echols (928) 710-4325  
We Reserve The Right To Refuse Service To Anyone!**

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**First Come First Served**

**Pre-Registration Starts on July 1st, 2019**

**Please Return Completed Form To Reserve Your Spaces To:**

**VCCA Swap Meet: 2049 Mohave Chino Valley, AZ 86323**

**Name:** \_\_\_\_\_ **Phone:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Address:** \_\_\_\_\_

**City:** \_\_\_\_\_ **State:** \_\_\_\_\_ **Zip:** \_\_\_\_\_

**QTY:** \_\_\_\_\_ **Spaces @ \$35.00/Space = \$** \_\_\_\_\_ **(Total)**





**Was this any of you on your summer vacation?  
( Can you identify the year and model of this rare Chevy?)**

**Central Arizona Region VCCA  
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