



Fuel Line



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Newsletter of the Central Arizona Region
of the Vintage Chevrolet Club of America
www.carvcca.org

November CAR Tour and Meeting

Due to the unavailability of a couple of museums until after the first of the year, the decision was made to have our Mystery Tour to Don & Diane Adams home for a steak fry and a major tech session on Don's New '28 Chevy! The club will provide the steaks, beans, salad, peach cobbler and drinks. Bring your appetite and ideas for events. (optional to bring a dish to share). The Date is Sunday, November 5th at 12:00 Noon. Please RSVP to Diane ASAP so she can order you a steak.



New "In The Spotlight" Section Each Month

I would like to ask all CAR members to send me pictures and a story on your Vintage Chevrolet or another car from your garage. The other members would like to hear about your car(s) and see what they look like, as we have not been able to get out and see them in person. So send in those pictures and stories so I can get them in the upcoming Fuel Lines.

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./year (half of National), NATIONAL VCCA: \$40.00/year. Dues are payable on January 1st and delinquent after February 1st. Please include your National and Local number on your renewal.

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Chapter Application for Membership

Welcome

CENTRAL ARIZONA REGION Chapter of the Vintage Chevrolet Club of America

Name: _____ Spouse _____ Phone _____

Address: _____ Cell: _____

City: _____ State: _____ Zip: _____

Occupation or Business: _____

Email address: _____ Children _____

Signature: _____

Date: _____

Central Arizona Region #
Must be a member of Vintage Chevrolet Club of America

Vintage Chevrolet Club of America National #
Thank you for your generous support and participation in this association.

Recommended By:

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

Presidents Message

Another Swap Meet is in the books. Looking forward to our 50th Anniversary Swap Meet in March. Thank you to those of you who helped Dean out with setup & takedown.

For our November event, we are going to have a steak fry at our house on Sunday, November 5th. Hope you can make it. Those interested can view Don's new acquisition , a 1928 Chevy.

It's time to think about Officers and Board positions for next year. Looking for volunteers. Don't be shy - let us know if you are willing to take one of the jobs.

Don't forget our Christmas luncheon on December 10th at the Old Spaghetti Factory. Diane.

CALENDAR OF EVENTS

Nov 4 - Classic Cars For Kids Car Show - Cottonwood

Nov 5 - CAR Mystery Tour to Don & Diane Adams home for a Steak Fry/Tech Session

Nov 11 - Veterans Day!!

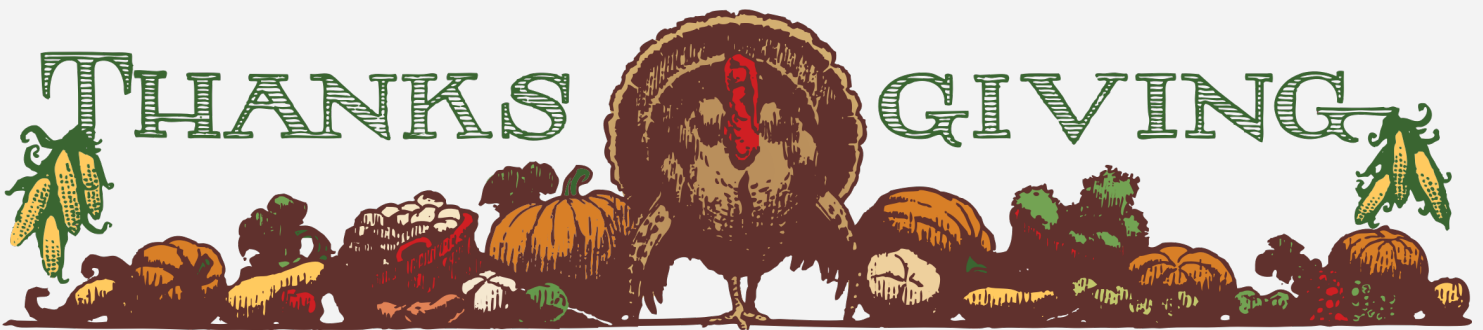
Nov 11 - 3rd Annual Veterans Tribute Car Show - Camp Verde

Nov 23 - Happy Thanksgiving!!

Dec 3 - 2nd Annual Holiday Car Show - Chandler

Dec 10 - CAR Christmas Luncheon - Old Spaghetti Factory - Phoenix

Dec 25 - Merry Christmas!!



My neighbor yelled at her kids so loud that even I brushed my teeth and went to bed.....

Did You Know?

Early aircraft throttles had a ball on the end of it, in order to go full throttle the pilot had to push the throttle all the way forward into the wall of the instrument panel. Hence "balls to the wall" for going very fast. And now you know the rest of the story.

During WWII, U.S. Airplanes were armed with belts of ammo, which they would shoot during dogfights and on strafing runs. These belts were folded into the wing compartments that fed their machine guns. These belts measure 27 feet and contained hundreds of cartridges. Often times, the pilots would return from their missions having expended all of their bullets on various targets. They would say, "I gave them the whole nine yards," meaning they used up all of their ammunition.

Did you know the saying "God willing and the creek don't rise" was in reference to the Creek Indians and not a body of water? It was written by Benjamin Hawkins in the late 18th century. He was a politician and Indian diplomat. While in the South, Hawkins was requested by the President to return to Washington. In his response, he was said to write, "God willing and the Creek don't rise." Because he capitalized the word "Creek" he was referring to the Creek Indian tribe and not a body of water.

In George Washington's days, there were no cameras. One's image was either sculpted or painted. Some paintings of George Washington have him standing behind a desk with one arm behind his back while others showed both legs and both arms. Prices charged by painters were not based on how many people were to be painted, but by how many limbs were to be painted. Arms and legs are 'limbs,' therefore painting them would cost the buyer more. Hence the expression, 'Okay, but it'll cost you an arm and a leg.' (Artists know hands and arms are more difficult to paint.)

As incredible as it sounds, men and women took baths only twice a year (May and October). Women kept their hair covered, while men shaved their heads (because of lice and bugs) and wore wigs. Wealthy men could afford good wigs made from wool. They couldn't wash the wigs, so to clean them they would carve out a loaf of bread, put the wig in the shell, and bake it for 30 minutes. The heat would make the wig big and fluffy, hence the term 'big wig'. Today we often use the term here comes the 'Big Wig' because someone appears to be or is powerful and wealthy.

At local taverns, pubs, and bars, people drank from pint and quart-sized containers. A barmaid's job was to keep an eye on the customers and keep the drinks coming. She had to pay close attention and remember who was drinking in pints and who was drinking in quarts, hence the phrase 'minding your Ps and Qs.'

FOR SALE

'57 Chevy 4 dr. Belair hardtop, nicely restored two tone red and white with a 283 V8 and powerglide transmission. Mileage is only 66,700 miles. Asking \$25,500, but will accept best offer. George, 928-443-0864 (Prescott, AZ).

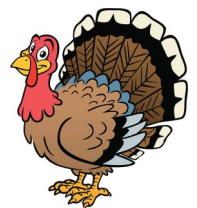
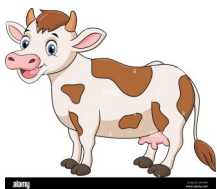


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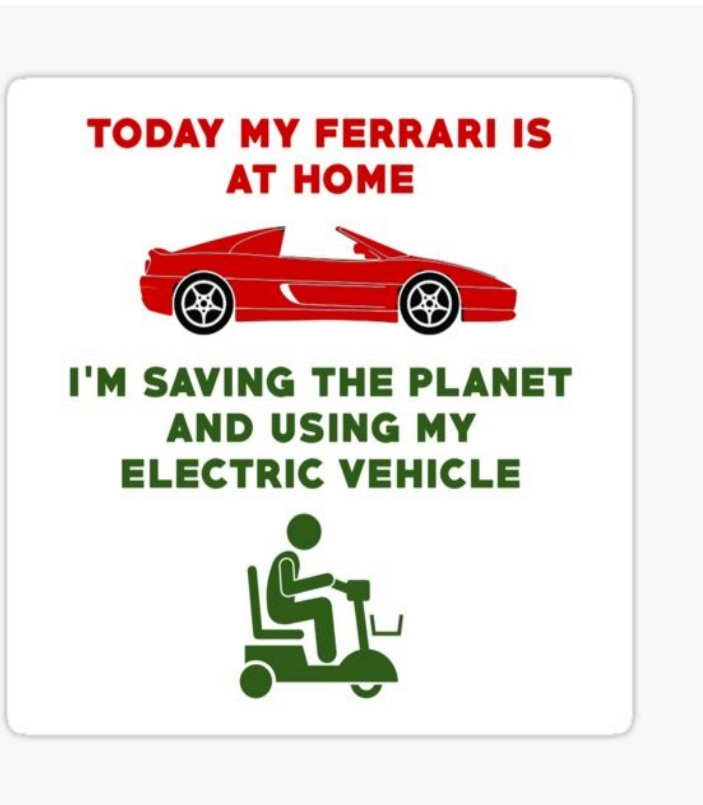
Beyond Moo and Baa

Not all farm animal calls make it into nursery rhymes. For instance, a cow's *moo* can be more formally described as a *low*, and a donkey's *hee-haw* as a *bray*. Goats *bleat*, bulls *bellow* and elks *bugle*, while llamas and alpaca's *hum*. Only male turkey's *gobble*, but both sexes *yelp* to keep track of each other and *putt* when they are alarmed. Horses *whinny* in greeting and *nicker* in quiet, happy tones.



This is a picture of a Electric car charging station that are popping up everywhere. Here's an interesting fact.... That 350kw generator uses 12 gallons of diesel fuel per hour, and it takes 3 hours to fully charge a car to get 200 miles. That's 36 GALLONS for 200 MILES!!! 5.6 mpg.
Proof you can't fix stupid...





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3RD ANNUAL

November 11, 2023

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11:00am-3:00pm**

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