

Fuel Line



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

May CAR Meeting

The May meeting for the CAR will be a Star Gazing Party at Linda Behie's home at 5305 W North Lane in Glendale on Saturday, May 18th. This will be a potluck, beginning at 6:00 PM, with looking at the heavens to follow. Please RSVP to Linda @602-799-1422 for a count of people attending and to co-ordinate the food (so we don't have 10 cherry pies and one main dish!). The club will supply water and sodas. Linda's neighbor has been gracious enough to bring out his telescopes for us to view the stars so be there or be square.







Where were you in '62?

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THE VINTAGE CHEVROLET CLUB OF AMERICA INC.



Central Arizona Region



APPLICATION FOR MEMBERSHIP

Name								Birth Month/Day	у	
Spouse								Birth Month/D	-	
Children								Birth Month/D	2	
Address								Unit N		
City						State		Zip Co	ode	
Home Phone	_			Cell (Member)				Cell (Spouse)		
Email (Memb					Email (S Spouse	pouse)				
Occupation or /Business					Anniver		sary Month/Day			

Are you a member of the National Vintage Chevrolet club? q YES q NO CAR Member No.

If YES: Your membership number: ______. **If NO:** It is a prerequisite to be a member of a local region. Visit vcca.org to join National. Central Arizona Region dues are payable on January 1st and delinquent after February 1st.

CENTRAL ARIZONA REGION DUES \$ 20.00 per year (Half of National).

NOTE: FOR INSURANCE PURPOSES ALL REGION MEMBERS MUST JOIN NATIONAL IN ORDER TO JOIN THE REGION.

REGION: All members receive a monthly Region email newsletter and information on upcoming events and tours.

NATIONAL: All new members will receive a club badge, decal, membership card and the national magazine, Generator & Distributor. Members are entitled to free classified advertising in the club magazine and participation in Vintage Chevrolet Club activities. Members are entitled to free classified advertising, access to member-only website features, and participation in all VCCA activities. Chevrolet ownership is not a requirement for membership. Dues are non-refundable.

The purpose of the VCCA is to promote interest in the preservation and restoration of vintage Chevrolets.

If you presently own a Chevrolet, please fill in below.

Year	Model	Body Style	Cyl.	Condition

Recruited by (VCCA member recruiting optional) ______ VCCA # _____

Presidents Message

I thought the Pancake Swap Meet was very successful. Not sure if there was much buying and selling of goodies, but there was a lot of good food. Everyone seemed to enjoy their selves. We had a mix of Chevy and Ford people and everyone got along.

For May, we are invited to Linda Behie's for a star gazing pot luck supper. Hope you can come. Her neighbor sets up a couple huge telescopes in her back yard and you can view the stars.

Then we go into our summer hiatus and stay indoors. Or travel about the country to cooler climates. So take care and see you in the fall. Diane

CALENDAR OF EVENTS

May 3 - 5 35th Annual Route 66 Fun Run - Seligman

May 12 - Happy Mothers Day!!

May 18 - CAR Meeting & Star Gazing Party Linda Behie's Home - 6:00 PM

May 18 - Bob Sarkesian Memorial Car Show - Flagstaff

May 27 - Memorial Day!!

June 23 - 28 VCCA Four Cylinder Tour - Great Falls, MT

Sept 16 - 21 VCCA Southwest Fall Tour - Colorado Springs, CO



Please note that this will be the last newsletter until September. Everyone have a fun and safe summer! See you in the fall!





Do you ever feel like your body's "check engine" light has been on and you're still driving it like "nah, it'll be fine"?

CAR Pancake Breakfast and Swap Meet

The weather was great, food was yummy and the parts were being swapped! Mother nature provided a nice sunshiny day for our event. Diane Adams, Linda Behie and the ladies got the sausage and ham ready to go, Dean Echols cooked up the pancakes and members of the CAR and the Model A Club brought all sorts of sides and desserts to go along. If you went away hungry, it was your own fault! A lot of parts were moving around Don's back yard - whether they were treasures found at the swap area or coming out of Don's garage - there was quite a bit changing hands. A good time was had by all!

The Tater Club

- > Some people never seem motivated to participate, but are just as content to watch while others do the work. They are called Speck Taters.
- > Some people never do anything to help, but are gifted at finding fault with the way others do the work. They are called Comment Taters.
- > Some people are very bossy and like to tell others what to do but don't want to soil their own hands. They are called Dic Taters.
- > Some people are always looking to cause problems. It is too hot or too cold, too sour or too sweet. They are called Agie Taters.
- > There are those who say they will help, but never get around to actually doing the promised help. They are called Hezzi Taters.
- > Some people can put up a front and pretend to be someone they are not. They are called Emma Taters.
- > Then there are those who love others and are always prepared to stop & lend a helping hand. They bring real sunshine into the lives of others. They are called Sweet Taters—They make a great club or organization!



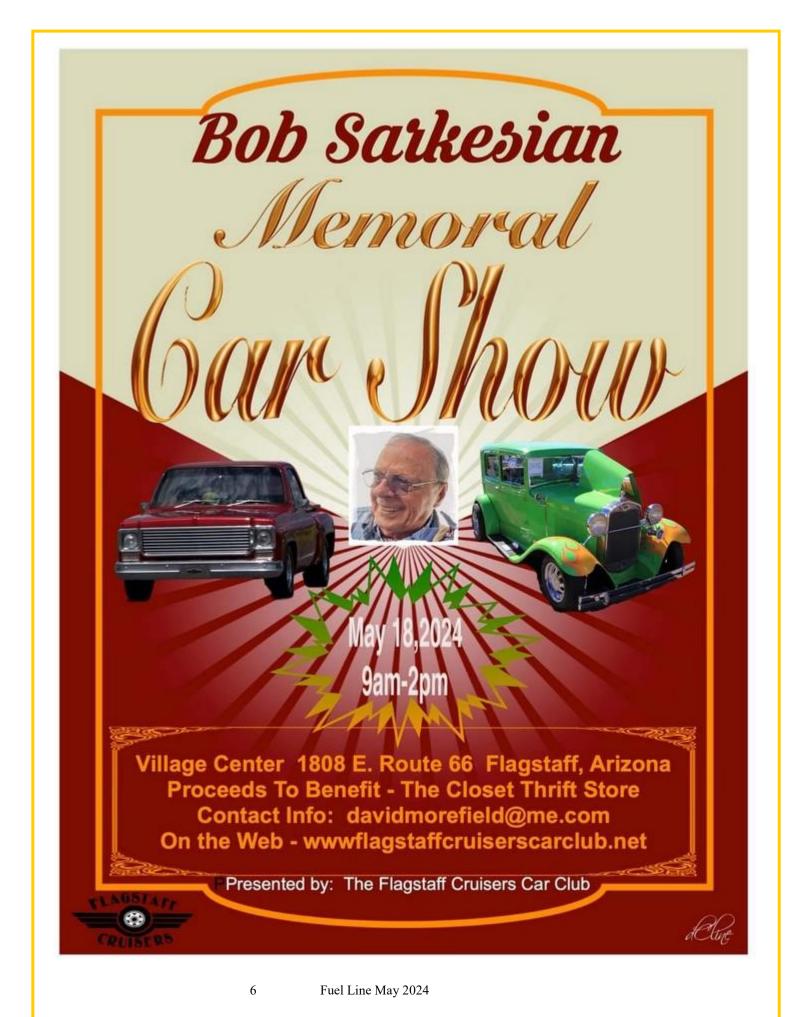
Nostalgia - Remember When

- > It took three to five minutes for the TV to warm up.....
- > You got your windshield cleaned, oil checked and gas pumped without askingall for free every time. And you didn't pay for air and got trading stamps to boot...
- > Laundry detergent had free glasses, dishes or towels hidden inside the box. Not to mention Cracker Jacks.....
- > It was considered a great privilege to be taken out to dinner at a real restaurant with your parents....
- > They threatened to keep kids back a grade if they failed....and they did it!.....
- > Lying on your back in the grass with your friends and saying things like "That cloud looks like a....."
- > When a '57 Chevy was everyone's dream car, to cruise, peel out, lay rubber or watch submarine races, and people went steady.....
- > No one ever asked where the car keys were because they were in the car, in the ignition, and the doors were never locked.....
- > When being sent to the principal's office was nothing compared to the fate that awaited the student at home......
- > Playing baseball with no adults to help kids with the rules of the game....
- > Blackjack, Clove and Teaberry gum...

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- > A time when decisions were made by going "eeny-meeny-miney-moe"?...
- > Having a weapon in school meant being caught with a slingshot....
- > Wax Coke shaped bottles filled with colored sugar water inside. Soda pop machines that dispensed glass bottles.....
- > Baseball cards in the spokes transformed any bike into a motorcycle.....

And with all our progress, don't you just wish , just once, you could slip back in time and savor the slower pace, and share it with the children of today.















AUGUST 3 & 4, 2024 PRESCOTT, ARIZONA In Prescott Arizona at Watson Lake Park



Car Show, Trophies & Raffles, Parts Exchange & Swap Meet Old Engine Fire-up area For Sale Car Corral



Event Times and General Admission 8 am Saturday & Sunday. Wristband event: General admission \$7 per person for both days **cash only** 12 and under free w/paid adult admission. Free parking For information Go to: www.paacaz.com



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