



Fuel Line



March 2025

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



March CAR Meeting and Tour



CAR will be touring to the Arizona Commemorative Air Force Museum on Saturday, March 29th. The address is 2017 N Greenfield Rd, Mesa, AZ 85215. Plan on being there just before 10:00 AM when the museum opens and we will go in as a group. A very interesting museum and is well worth the trip to see it. Following, we will cruise over to a local eatery for lunch, a quick meeting and some Chevy talk. See you there. RSVP to Diane @ 623-910-0922 if coming.



Swap Meet-Swap Meet-Swap Meet!!

The club is using a swap space for CAR members to sell some parts! No charge! If any member would like to sell a few parts at the swap meet and doesn't already have a space purchased is welcome to bring a few parts out and put them in the space. Parts need to be labeled with what they fit, price and member phone number. Members with parts are also welcome to sit in the space to help. Don Peterson has offered to watch over the space for a period of time and would like to be relieved occasionally. No full pickup loads of parts will be allowed.

Call Dean Echols @ 928-710-4325 if you would like to participate. Then, bring the parts to the registration trailer at the swap meet to be directed to the swap space. Come on out and have some fun!





THE VINTAGE CHEVROLET CLUB OF AMERICA INC.

Central Arizona Region



APPLICATION FOR MEMBERSHIP

Name	_____			Birth Month/Day	_____
Spouse	_____			Birth Month/Day	_____
Children	_____			Birth Month/Day	_____
Address	_____			Unit No.	_____
City	_____	State	_____	Zip Code	_____
Home Phone	_____	Cell (Member)	_____	Cell (Spouse)	_____
Email (Member)	_____		Email (Spouse) Spouse	_____	
Occupation or /Business	_____		Anniversary Month/Day	_____	

Are you a member of the National Vintage Chevrolet club? YES 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

Let's keep our fingers crossed the temperature stays below 90 for the swap meet. Hope we see some of you out there buying, selling or helping Dean with setup and take down. He has the new barricades and cones so he is ready to go.

We have changed the date for the Falcon Field Confederate Museum to March 29th. The museum is really interesting so try and plan on attending. The club will pick up your entrance fee.

In April, we have the VCCA National Board Meeting on April 10th, with a visit and lunch at Mel Martin's Auto Museum. The board is then going to visit Don's playpen as he calls his shop.

On Saturday the 12th is our pancake breakfast and swap meet, starting about 8 AM. So if you have items to sell, bring them along. The Phoenix Model A Club will be here also. We got a busy two months ahead. Diane

CALENDAR OF EVENTS

- Mar 1 Spring Fling Car Show - Sun City
- Mar 8-9 CAR 51st Annual Parts Exchange & Swap Meet - Glendale College**
- Mar 17 Happy St Patrick's Day!!
- Mar 23 Olds and Friends Car Show - Gilbert
- Mar 28 Tri City Prep Car Show - Prescott
- Mar 29 CAR Meeting and Tour - Confederate Air Museum - Mesa - 10:00**
- Mar 30 Buick, Olds & Pontiac Car Show - Mesa

- Apr 1 April Fools Day !
- Apr 5 Streetside Classics Car Show - Mesa
- Apr 9 - 12 VCCA National Board Meeting - Phoenix**
- Apr 12 CAR Pancake Breakfast, Mini Swap Meet & Meeting - Adams home**
- Apr 26 Veterans Car Show - Prescott



If you notice cows sleeping in a field, does that mean it's pasture bedtime?

CAR Potluck & Tour To Dutton's Theater

Members of the CAR congregated at Larry Fulsome's home on Saturday, February 8th, for a tour of his "collection" of '57 Chevys and a scrumptious potluck, with a wide variety of food. It didn't take long to polish off all the food with minimal leftovers, and then had time for a quick meeting.

Then it was off to Dutton's Family Theater for a rollicking fun time filled with all genres of music and songs, all performed by the members of the large Dutton Family. From youngster Dutton's up to Grandpa Dutton (who with his lovely wife started the group many years ago), they kept our toes tappin' and fingers snappin' well into the afternoon. Well worth the trip out to see them.



Larry & Leticia Wilson's pickup at the potluck



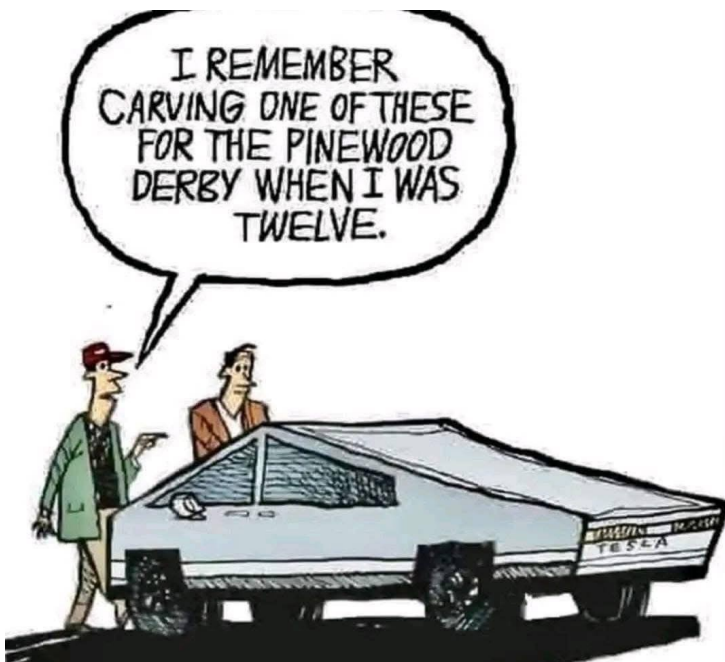
CAR members at Dutton's Family Theater

CAR Meeting February 8th, 2025

- > Meeting started at 1:00 PM
- > March 8th & 9th—Swap Meet. Setup on Friday, the 7th. Dean could use help on Thursday marking the parking lot, Friday setup in AM and teardown on Sunday afternoon. Give him a call.
- > March 29nd - Confederate Air Museum Tour - Falcon Field , Mesa.
- > April 9th—12th—VCCA National Board meeting—the 10th will be taking the board members to Mel Martins Museum—drivers needed .
- > April 12th - Annual Pancake Breakfast & mini swap meet—Adams home.
- > Ideas for scholarship recipients - contact Diane.
- > Meeting adjourned 1:20 PM



Respectfully submitted
Linda Behie



The official sports drink
when I was a kid..



More Points To Ponder

- > Procrastination is a good thing. You always have something to do tomorrow, plus you have nothing to do today.....
- > I told my wife to embrace her mistakes.....She gave me a hug.....
- > Once upon a time there lived a king who was only twelve inches tall. He was a terrible king, but he made a great ruler.....
- > If you wait long enough to cook dinner, everyone will eat cereal. Follow me for more recipes....
- > Men say women should come with instructions....What's the point of that? Have you ever seen a man actually read the instructions?....
- > I watched a documentary on marijuana last night. That's probably how I'll watch all documentaries from now on
- > I see people my age out there climbing mountains and zip lining and here I am feeling good about myself because I got my leg through my underwear without losing my balance....
- > Remember back when our parents would send us to school with no water bottle, no snacks and no phone, but somehow we would survive until the end of the day?.....
- > On a positive note, you are now too old to have a midlife crisis....
- > Don't take life too seriously....nobody gets out alive anyway....
- > I don't let my age define me, but the side effects are getting harder to ignore....
- > The oldest computer was owned by Adam & Eve. It was an Apple with very limited memory. Just 1 byte and everything crashed...
- > The older we get, the fewer things seem worth waiting in line for. (Will Rogers)

51st Annual!! Automotive Swap Meet PARTS EXCHANGE

"One & Only" Oldest Continuous Running Event



Saturday & Sunday
March 8th & 9th, 2025
5 am till ?



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

Open To All Years Makes & Models of 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
Friday, March 7th
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!

First Come First Served

Pre-Registration Starts on December 1st, 2024

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)

37TH ANNUAL Oldsmobile and Friends CLASSIC CAR SHOW



SUNDAY MARCH 23RD, 2025

10AM TO 3PM | REGISTRATION OPENS AT 9:30AM
AWARD PRESENTATION AT 2:00PM

Location: Gilbert Cold Beers & Cheeseburgers at 1026 S Gilbert Rd, Gilbert, AZ 85296

Open to All Oldsmobiles and to the first 25 Non-Oldsmobile "Friends"

- *Pre-registration ends 3/16 and is only \$25- (after 3/16 it's \$30-)*
- *Day of show entries are \$30-*
- *Also, pre-register to secure your collector dash plaque! The 1st 100 registrants receive a 37th Anniversary dash plaque.*
- *50/50 Raffle and prize giveaways!*
- *Olds apparel for sale through online registration; hats, t-shirts, etc. available at the show too.*
- *There will be awards, however, this will be an informal Awards show, no "National-type" judging, just fun with friends!*

4TH ANNUAL CAR SHOW

HOSTED BY: TRI-CITY COLLEGE PREP

LOCATION: 5522 SIDE RD, PRESCOTT, AZ
MARCH 28, 2025, 8AM-1PM



REGISTRATION

SENIORS: \$15
VETERAN/MILITARY: \$15
GENERAL: \$20
DAY OF: \$25

PUBLIC
ADMISSION IS
FREE!

FOOD VENDORS:
ELIZA'S TAMALES
& KOKOPELLI
GRILL

2025 Tri-City Car Show
Registration Form



QUESTIONS? EMAIL: KMILLIKEN@TRICITYPREP.ORG



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