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BLOWN GASKET

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Recurring Club Activities

General meeting: Every 2nd Wednesday, 7PM (unless otherwise noted), Z's Classics, 2049 E. Yellowstone,
Car Show Committee: Every 1st Wednesday, 7PM Stan & Judy Goodwin's
Friday night dinners: 6:00 PM, Check with Skip Hoffman, 277-0818.

Special Events

April 25: NSRA appreciation Day, Casper, Rick's Rod Shop, 307 324-6303.
May 16; NSRA appreciation Day and WyoTech open House, Laramie, 307 632-1045
May 1-31: 55-63 Chrysler Exhibit, Forney Museum, Denver, forneymuseum.org
May 22-24: Oil Capitol Auto Club's "2015 *Cruzin' with the Oldies*," Casper. Latest info: ocac.cc
May 30: Ghost Town Gumbo Cook-off Car Show. Casper events Center. www.ghosttowngumbocookoff.com June
June 13: Knight Cruiser's Car Show, Douglas, www.rodknightsclub.com.
Sunday breakfast 7:30; May Denny's (behind Holliday Inn Express) June Johnny J's (2nd St.)

MARCH 11, 2015

OCAC MEETING MINUTES

Dianne Butler

The meeting was called to order @ 7:20 by President John Gudgeon

We had 45 members and 2 guests. Lyn and Kevin McBride from Central Wyoming Corvettes were here to invite OCAC to the Whites all Chevy Show on June 6th they also asked if we could have 1 volunteer to act as a representative from our club.

John thanked Pam Burrous and Jennifer Baker for baking the corned beef.

Bruce Berst a member of OCAC gave a brief talk about Fort Casper and the upcoming 150th Anniversary of the Battle of Platte Ridge (1865) They are having a dinner on May 1st at the Ramkoda 6:00pm. Dress is western or period and will also be a murder mystery enactment.

Mike Kennedy made a motion to accept the minutes as posted on the website 2nd by Arvilla Bush.

Treasurers reported by Dianne Butler motion to accept by Pat Potter and 2nd by Mike Kennedy.

Jerry Barton gave a report the Car Show is all on track and moving along. There were 300 invitations for registration. Publicity is on track as are the cruises, posters, t-shirts and sweatshirts. They do need a few more volunteers for parking.

The Bi-Law committee consisting of Mark Milliken, Arvilla Bush, and Jerry Barton presented the changes to the Board meeting on Monday the 9th. After some discussion and a few recommendations by the board the new Bi-Laws will be posted on the website and there will be a vote at the April meeting.

Special events: John Gudgeon mentioned the club in the past has had a Kite Fly, Spring Picnic, Garage Tour, Pat Potter suggested maybe we should have this in early October. It was also suggested we may need to do the summer picnic in August as it was rained out of the

park last year. We will be discussing all of these at a future meeting.

The Christmas Party will be at the Caddy Shack again next year Pat Potter already has it booked.

John is working on getting the Parkway Plaza for the New Years Brunch.

Stan Goodwin mentioned that on Friday nights in the summer the Douglas Knight Cruisers meet at Clementine's and suggested we might to join them on one of the Fridays.

The Wyo street Rod Assoc on the 3rd week in Aug is going to be meeting in Worland maybe be a fun summer outing. Other shows we may want to try as a group is the Black Hills Rod Run is in July, the Gumbo cook off is in Casper, May 30th,

New Business: There has been some interest in ordering some new club shirts or sweatshirts, hats if that is something you would be interested in let Jerry Barton know.

Stan talked about Bill HB74 in the legislature on running a front license Patte for custom cars it will become law on July 1, 2015 that 1949-1969 custom vehicles will not be required to display a front plate.

Birthdays this month were: Julie Judd, Sandra Summerville, John Gudgeon, & Larry Kloster.

Correspondence: Badlands Drifter Car Club sent a post card about the show in Glendive, Mt June 26-27

Mike Kennedy made a motion to close the meeting it was 2nd by Ralph Butler

April 8 2015 OCAC Meeting

The meeting was called to order by President John Gudgeon at 7:pm There were 27 members and 2 guests present.

John introduced new member Tom Aurelius and guests from the Back country crawlers Wally Scamber & Tim Haze.

John made a motion to accept the minutes as posted on the website and 2nd by Mike Johnson.

Dianne Butler/ Secretary- Treasurer read the treasurers report. A motion was made by Arvilla Bush to accept the Treasurers report 2nd by Skip Hoffman.

John Gudgeon opened up the floor to discussion on voting of the new by laws. Judy Goodwin expressed concern on the wording of a primary member, John Chaney asked about a better definition on an active member. Stan Goodwin wanted clarification on eligibility for officers.

Voting took place and the new bylaws passed 18 in favor 6 against.

Birthdays :Jesse Henderson, John Simmons, John Chaney, Liddy Chaney, Cindy Chopping, Kathy Kaper, Tammy Raver, and Donna Culbertson

Correspondence: 7th Annual Cruisen Red Lodge, Red Lodge Mt July 24-July 26 2015. Moffat County Colorado Show, June 19th & 20th 2015 downtown Craig Colorado

Committee Reports: Jerry Barton Car Show Chairman everything is moving along as it should, shirts have been ordered, we still need some raffle items. Phill Nissen has awards and sponsors in place and wanted to remind everyone this car show is about the scholarship program for the veterans.

John Gardner needs coffee can for the valve cover race track, Mike Johnson said he has all John would need.

Mike Kennedy gave a report on the Trails Center car show the weekend after our show there is no entry fee. Mike said he could use some help and Jerry Barton. The Valve cover races will also be held there.

Pam Burrous announced they will be building more valve cover racers at their house on Sunday 1511 E. sunlight. They plan on starting around noon.

Mark Milliken: CDC Casper.Org is selling raffle tickets for a pickup give away. \$50.00 per ticket

The Back country Crawlers wanted to have some information on their group at the car show and wondered about being able to all park together it was suggested they all stage out of the fairgrounds and come in as a group.

Stan Goodwin announced a WSRA meeting at Ricks Rod Shop on April 25 at 1:pm for more Ed Downs 307-358-4631.

Jerry Barton talked about the club ordering some car club merchandise such as hats, t-shirts, sweatshirts, it was suggested maybe blankets with the car logo also.

The following people have volunteered to chair the summer activities. Garage Tour- John Gardner Kite Fly- Ralph Butler, Picnic-Pam Burrous, it was suggested that on the Wednesday night cruise that falls on a meeting night we all meet at a park with a picnic lunch have a brief meeting and do a cruise. Pat Potter is going to head up an activities committee and also plan the Christmas Party and John Gudgeon is going to handle the details for the New Years Brunch, Bruce Berst would like to head up a treasurer hunt maybe for one Wednesday night cruise. Thanks everyone for stepping up and volunteering.

The next Valve cover race will be at Z's Classics April 25 from 12-4:00 pm.

Motion to adjourn, Mike Kennedy and Mike Johnson. So passed there were no Auction items this month.

MEMORIAL WEEKEND SCHEDULE 2015

(Preliminary, subject to change. Check web site for latest version)

FRIDAY MAY 22nd

10:00 AM – 3:00 PM – Greiner Ford Mustang Show – At Greiner Motors Dealership, 3333 CY Ave., for Cruizin' with the Oldies Participants. Vote for your favorite Mustang. Open to all years of Mustangs. Awards at 3:00 PM at Greiner Motors
2:00 PM - 6 PM – Registration at the Parkway Plaza Hotel, 123 W “E” St., Casper, WY

SATURDAY MAY 23rd

8:00 AM – 3:00 PM – Registration at the Parkway Plaza Hotel, 123 W “E” St, Casper, WY – Note: Registration closes at 4:00 PM – NO REGISTRATION on SUNDAY

8:30 AM – 11:00 AM – Donut Derelict Cruise – Take a short cruise and enjoy some donuts and coffee at destination. Leave from Parkway Plaza Hotel

11:00 AM to 4:00 PM – Old Yellowstone District Cruise-In at 355 W. Yellowstone and along Elm St to Midwest Ave – Hosted by Yellowstone Garage and other Merchants. An informal downtown cruise-in. Lunch available for purchase from Sherrie's Place in the Yellowstone Garage

4:00 – PM – Cruise for Cash. Beginning from Yellowstone Garage with four stops where entry numbers are drawn for cash awards.

7:00 PM – Ice Cream Social - back at the Parkway Plaza Hotel – hosted by Gail Zimmerman and the Oil Capitol Auto Club

SUNDAY MAY 24th - NO REGISTRATION

9:00 AM – 3 PM – Swap Meet and Car Corral at Fairgrounds – Auto related only (separate vendor fee)

9:00 AM – 3 PM – Show and Shine - Organized parking on the asphalt of the Natrona County Fairgrounds. See map in goodie bag. Please follow parking instructions. Dozens of vendors including great food for purchase.

++++ NSRA INSPECTIONS AVAILABLE++++

10:00 AM – 2:00 PM – Valve Cover Races – See rules on web site and build a racer

1:00 PM – Deadline to turn in Participant's Ballots for show and shine picks at the car show headquarters trailer at Fairgrounds

2:30 PM - Raffle drawings, Cash awards and giveaways

3:00 PM – Awards presentation – At close of show and shine at Fairgrounds. Will be held Indoors at Hall of Champions if inclement weather.

LANYARDS MUST BE WORN TO PARTICIPATE IN EVENTS

Entry # 1. _____ #2 _____

**MEMORIAL WEEKEND 2015
"CRUIZIN WITH THE OLDIES"
REGISTRATION FORM**

HOSTED BY: OIL CAPITOL AUTO CLUB
CASPER, WY
FRIDAY MAY 22 - SUNDAY MAY 24, 2015

Mail Registration to: Oil Capitol Auto Club
% Judy Goodwin
6465 W. Riverside Ter.
Casper, WY 82604
307-265-7314

Host Hotel: Parkway Plaza Hotel
123 East "E" Street
Casper, WY 82601
307-235-1777 / 800-270-7829

Tell them your with the show for reservations

Event Coordinator: Jerry Barton 307-251-1377

Name _____ Phone# _____

Address _____ City _____ State _____ Zip _____

Club Affiliation _____

First Vehicle: Year _____ Make _____ Model _____ **Entry Fee \$25**

Class Choice: 1948 & Older _____ Age 25 & Younger _____ (This class is \$15)
1949 - 1960 _____ (must be titled to registrant & have drivers' license)
1961 - 1977 _____ All Years Trucks & 4X4 _____
1978 - 1990 _____ All Years Rat Rods _____
1991 - Present _____ All Years Sport Compact/Tuner Cars _____

Additional Vehicles : Year _____ Make _____ Model _____ **Entry Fee \$10 each**
(Write additional vehicles on the back if necessary, with class to be in)

Class Choice: 1948 & Older _____ Age 25 & Younger _____
1949 - 1960 _____ (must be titled to registrant & have drivers license)
1961 - 1977 _____ All Years Trucks & 4X4 _____
1978 - 1990 _____ All Years Rat Rods _____
1991 - Present _____ All Years Sport Compact/Tuner Cars _____

T-Shirts: S _____ M _____ L _____ XL _____ 2X _____ 3X _____ 4X _____ **Cost Each \$18**

Total Enclosed \$ _____

Release of liability: Any participant under the age of 18 must have a parent or guardian sign this entry form. In consideration of the right to participate, entrants & participants by execution of this entry form, release and discharge the Oil Capitol Auto Club, City of Casper, State of Wyoming, their officers, directors, coordinators, agents, representatives and servants and anyone else connected with the management or presentation of the " Memorial Weekend Cruizin' With The Oldies" activities from all known or unknown damage, injuries or losses, judgments, and/or claims from any cause whatsoever that may be suffered by any participant to his person or property. Furthermore, each participant expressly agrees to indemnify all of the forgoing entities, firms, persons, and bodies from all liability occasioned or resulting from the conduct of any participants.

SIGNATURE _____ **Date** _____

VALVE COVER RACE CARS

The rules for the construction of the valve cover racer are as follows:

1. No engine, propulsion or moving weights.
2. The racer can be made from an American or Foreign valve cover.
3. The valve cover must retain 80% of the original gasket-sealing surface.
4. The racer can have a chassis, but the chassis cannot be inter-changed with any other valve cover body after it is registered for that days race.
5. Nothing may extend beyond the gasket surface on the front of the racer.
6. The racer must be clean (no sludge).
7. The racer must have a permanent number affixed to the surface.
8. The racer dimensions are as follows:
 - Maximum Length – 30 inches
 - Maximum Width – 15 inches
 - Maximum Height – 10 inches
 - Maximum Weight – 10 pounds



Valve Cover and Hood Ornament Classes

1. Class A – Unlimited class racer; unlimited type of wheel you run.
2. Class B – Roller skates, roller blades or skate board wheels.
3. Class C – 13 and under, it also includes Special needs children and Adults, roller skates, roller blades or skate board wheels.
4. Class H – Hood Ornament racers with roller skates wheels, roller blades wheels or skate board wheels.

Any questions please call:

John Gardner 307-258-5656 or Doug Walters 307-251-6131 or Ralph Butler 307-234-3236

WSRA Rodder's Rep, East. A good thing has happened, our State Legislature has revised front license plate requirements. Under law 31-2-205, our Legislature wrote into law that front license plates need not be displayed on certain vehicles that was originally manufactured without a bracket, device or other means to display and secure a front license plate was passed and signed into law by our Governor to be effective July 1, 2015. Along with this new law they revised the Custom Vehicle requirements. They removed the requirement to have a front plate on any Custom Vehicle after 1968. In other words any CV license there is only one plate required on the rear. The State Representative Stan Blake from Sweetwater county was the one that sponsored the bill and we thank him for that. In face if you would like send him a note thanking him for looking out for our hobby. His address is: Stan Blake, P.O. Box 774, Green River, WY 82935. He is also on the SEMA board of Legislators for our State. Check SEMA out and become a member of this national organization.

Just a little reminder of the Longmire days car show in Buffalo on July 18th in Buffalo. Contact Dan Wasserburger at 684-7416. Also you can email dwasserburger@hotmail.com. We will look forward to seeing you next month at the WSRA spring meeting. We will have further details on the WSRA picnic in August. See you there and be safe. Stan Goodwin

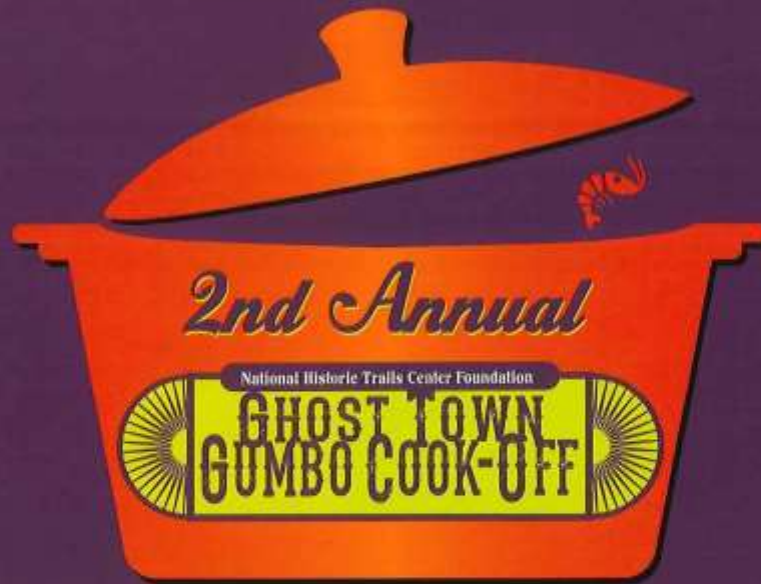
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MAY 2015

- *1-3 **41st Annual NSRA Street Rod Nationals South Plus at Chilhowee Park & Exposition Center in Knoxville, TN.** Jerry Kennedy 303-776-7841 or www.nsra-usa.com
- *2 **Outlaws Rod & Custom Club's 15th Annual Riverwalk Car Show & Swap Meet** at Historic Arkansas Riverwalk in Pueblo, CO. Matt Ortiz 719-778-3025 (show) or Nick Donovan 719-671-7141 (vendors)
- *3 **NSRA Appreciation & Safety Day hosted by Colorado Springs Rod & Custom at John Metcalf Park, 704 E. Ohio Ave. in Fountain, CO.** Joe Valenti 719-248-7815 or Bob Simmons 719-478-3833
- *3 **Buenos Tiempos Show & Shine** at Buenos Tiempos Restaurant, 1000 Depot Hill Rd. in Broomfield, CO. Rick or Heather Hamilton 303-466-6386
- *3 **JDBR Street Rodders 13th Annual Car Show** at Mickey's Top Sirolo, 6950 N. Broadway in Denver, CO. Dan Price 303-717-7557
- *3 **Rocky Mountain Nova Club's Annual Great Machine Car Show** at Arapahoe Park, 44th & Indiana in Golden, CO. Brenda Koehler Tennial 970-568-2724 or www.rockymountainnovaclub.com
- 5 **Cheyenne Classic Chevys First Tuesday Cruise Night** at McDonald's, 2535 E. Lincolnway in Cheyenne, WY. John Arciniega 307-632-9779
- *9 **NSRA Appreciation & Safety Day North at Zoomers Automotive, 1001 E. 75th Ave. in Denver, CO.** Doug Stallsworth 303-495-4285
- *9 **Zoomers Automotive 24th Annual Open House Celebration** at 1001 E. 75th Ave. in Denver, CO. Lee Bumgardner 303-289-4480
- 9 **Wyoming License Plate Society's License Plate Show & Swap** at Union Pacific Depot Museum in Cheyenne, WY. Rob Dickerson 307-631-5598
- 15-16 **20th Anniversary Lamar Days Rod Run** at Willow Creek Park in Lamar, CO. Ron or Lonna Cook 719-336-2009 or 719-688-2288
- *16 **Wyoming NSRA Appreciation & Safety Day South at Wyo Tech Street Rod Shop in Laramie, WY.** Fred Williams 307-632-1045 or John and Pat Rosacker 307-324-6303
- *16 **15th Annual Wyo Tech Street Rod Shop Car Show & Open House** at Wyo Tech Street Rod Shop in Laramie, WY. Kyle Morris 307-755-2129 or Gary Puls 307-755-2486
- *16 **NSRA Appreciation & Safety Day hosted by Mile Hi Cruisers at Margaret Carpenter Recreation Center, 108th Ave. & Colorado Blvd. in Thornton, CO.** Doug Stallsworth 303-495-4285
- *16 **Thornton Fest 2015** presented by Mile Hi Cruisers at Margaret Carpenter Recreation Center, 108th Ave. & Colorado Blvd. in Thornton, CO. Jon 720-977-5915 or Joe Gallegos 303-657-2903
- 17 **Florence Antique Dealers & Merchants 14th Annual Car Show** on Main Street on Hwy 115 in Florence, CO. Dick Upton 520-403-5204
- *22-24 **32nd Annual NSRA Mid-America Street Rod Nationals Plus** at Ozark Empire Fairgrounds in Springfield, MO. Mike Chrispyn 574-875-4032 or www.nsra-usa.com
- *22-24 **Oil Capitol Auto Club's 15th Annual Cruizin' with the Oldies** in Casper, WY. Jerry Barton 307-266-4718 or Judy Goodwin 307-265-7314 or www.ocac.cc or www.cruizinwiththeoldies.com
- 30 **Hoodlums "Cruisin' the Crown" Car Show** at Crown Lanes Bowling Alley, 2325 S. Federal Blvd. in Denver, CO. Steve Rivera 720-312-3909 or Stacey Benson 303-489-0252

JUNE 2015 (continued)

- *6 **MAD (Making a Difference) Car Show** at Foundations Church, SE corner of Hwy 34 & Denver Ave. (old Metrolux Theater) in Loveland, CO. Scott Hook 970-222-2083
- *6 **ColorODans Club House Open House & Main Street Cruz** on Main St. in Longmont, CO. Clubhouse 303-682-0320 or www.colorodans.org
- *6-7 **Collector Car Council of Colorado's "Speed Gone Wild" Weekend** at Boulder County Fairgrounds, 9595 Nelson Rd. in Longmont, CO. Rob Endler 720-270-1875 or www.collectorcarcouncil.com
- *12-13 **Canon Car Club's 34th Annual Friday Night Picnic & Saturday Car Show** at Mountain View Park on N. Orchard Ave. and Centennial Park (Duck Park) at 4th & Griffin in Canon City, CO. Brad Knotek 719-275-4961 or 719-429-6406
- *13 **Cruisin' Runza with the Road Knights at Runza Drive-In**, 2204 N. Lincoln Ave. in Loveland, CO. Ron Williams 970-663-9207 or 970-420-9597 or www.roadknightsclub.com
- 13 **Knight Cruiser's "Takin' it to the Street" Car Show** downtown at 3rd & Walnut in Douglas, WY. Fred Romero 307-358-4503 or Barry Dampman 307-358-6351 or www.knightcruisers.com
- *13 **Collector Car Council of Colorado's 8th Annual Cruisin' Havana** on Havana Street in Aurora, CO. Dick Thompson 303-752-6755 or www.OnHavanaStreet.com or www.collectorcarcouncil.com
- 13 **Centennial Region AACA's (Ye Olde Auto Club) 7th Annual Car Show** at Adams County Historical Society Museum, 9601 Henderson Rd. to benefit Museum. Floyd Zadra 720-331-5326
- 14 **FOMOCO Owners Club's All-Ford Picnic & Car Show** at Arapahoe Park, 44th & Indiana St. in Golden, CO. Carlos Vera 303-659-6359 or 720-281-0940
- *14 **Firefighter's 22nd Annual Hot Times Kool Cars** at Jefferson County Fairgrounds in Golden, CO featuring cars, fire trucks & fire-related demonstrations to benefit Children's Hospital Colorado Burn Unit. Brian Clark 720-254-7851 or www.hottimeskoolcars.org
- 18-21 **Colorado Mustang & Shelby Club's 27th Annual Rocky Mountain Mustang Roundup** in Steamboat Springs, CO. 303-257-8614 or www.rockymountainmustangroundup.org
- *19-20 **Cheyenne Rods & Customs 44th Annual Rod Roundup Benefit Show & Swap Meet** at Cahill Park off Dell Range Blvd. in Cheyenne, WY. Slade Bowcutt 307-757-5538 or Joel Gonzales 307-631-7119
- 19-20 **High Plains Auto Club's 17th Annual Rock 'N' Roll Father's Day Classic** at Five Rocks Amphitheatre & Gering Civic Center in Gering, NE. Jim Spencer 308-247-2291 or Larry Janecek 308-623-3055 or www.highplainsautoclub.com
- 20 **Colorado Camaro Club's 32nd Annual All Chevy Show & Shine** at Three Margaritas Restaurant, 92nd & Wadsworth in Westminster, CO. Phil Saba 303-422-0849 or Gary Roberts 720-839-3032
- *21 **NSRA Appreciation & Safety Day South at C4 Hot Rods, 2555 S. Santa Fe Dr., Unit 3 in Denver, CO.** Doug Stallsworth 303-495-4285
- *21 **C4 Hot Rod's 12th Annual Open House** at 2555 S. Santa Fe Dr., Unit 3 in Denver, CO. John Metcalf 303-781-5237
- *26-28 **31st Annual NSRA Rocky Mountain Street Rod Nationals Plus** at Colorado State Fairgrounds in Pueblo, CO. Tom Wilkerson 785-842-6890 or www.nsra-usa.com
- 28 **Coke's Diner Last Sunday Cruise Night** at 311 N. Santa Fe in



Saturday May 30th 2015

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