



Oil Capitol Auto Club

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UPCOMING CLUB ACTIVITIES

OCAC Board Meeting—9/9/25, 6:00 p.m., at Perkins.

Regular Monthly Meeting – 9/10/25, at VFW on Bryan Stock Trail, at 7:00 p.m.

Sunday Morning Breakfast -- The Sunday breakfast is at The Hangar for the month of August. Arrive at 8:30 a.m. and order by 9:00. Questions: contact John Lanum at 315-4909.

Friday Night Dinner -- The Friday club dinner will be at 6:00 p.m. Call Arvilla Bush at 262-8989 or 265-2468 to confirm attendance.

AUGUST BIRTHDAYS

ARVILLA BUSH, MARVIN CLARK, RUSSELL DICKERMAN, CRISSY HORKAN, KENNETH JUDD, WILLIAM SHUGHART

Oil Capitol Auto Club General Membership Meeting Minutes Date: August 13, 2025

Board of Directors:

<u>President:</u>	Mark Pitts
<u>Vice President:</u>	Chuck Howe
<u>Treasurer:</u>	Ken Lantta
<u>Secretary:</u>	Lynne Howe
<u>Car Show Committee Chairman:</u>	None
<u>Newsletter Editor:</u>	Jerry Russell
<u>Webmaster and Social Media:</u>	Mike Kennedy

Board member not present: Jerry Russell

MEETING CALLED TO ORDER: 7:07 p.m.

TREASURER'S REPORT: There was no treasurer's report as Ken Lantta has been on vacation. The club is solvent.

MINUTES: Minutes were accepted as correct as published on the OCAC website.

BENEVOLENCE: Gail Zimmerman passed away. Pam Downes is receiving treatment for cancer.

DISCUSSION:

- Club members enjoyed ice cream from the I Scream for Ice Cream truck before the meeting. Thanks to Ken Lantta for arranging the treat.
- Recent car shows were discussed. Mark Pitts won best of show at the NCHS Class of '75 reunion. Barry and Shannon Ketterling won 2nd and 3rd place at the Primrose Show. There was also discussion of the upcoming car shows. Check the list on the website for dates and times.
- Dennis Day reported he was making some "Road Closed" signs for the club to use at the Science Zone car show. Thank you, Dennis.

NEW BUSINESS:

- There will be a garage tour for the cruise on Wednesday, August 20th, led by Phil and Millie Nissen. They will also provide the ice cream.
- The September 17th cruise will be to the Lifecare Center tentatively set for 6:00 p.m., but Mark Pitts will check the time.
- Club officer elections will be coming up in November. President, treasurer, and secretary positions will be up for election.
- Chuck Howe read the club member's birthday list for this month.

UPCOMING MEETINGS/EVENTS:

- ➔ **Sunday Breakfast:** August is the Hangar.
- ➔ **Friday Night Dinner:** Please confirm with Arvilla Bush no later than Thursday, 3:00 p.m.
- ➔ **OCAC Board Meeting:** Tuesday, September 9th, 2025, 6:00 p.m. at Perkins.
- ➔ **Upcoming Get-Togethers:** Club picnic at Wells Park, August 17th, 11:00 a.m. to 3:00 p.m.

50/50 winner: Jeanine Clark won \$20.

Next meeting: Wednesday, September 10th, 2025, at the VFW, 7:00 p.m.

Meeting adjourned: 7:37 p.m.

Minutes prepared by Lynne Howe,

Date: August 14, 2025

BENEVOLENCE

Gail Zimmerman passed away. Pam Downes is receiving treatment for cancer. Deanna Day is recovering from surgery.

WELCOME, NEW MEMBERS

Mark and Robin Ogg – 1966 Pontiac Catalina

ANNUAL BAR NUNN FIRE DEPT. CAR SHOW 7/19/25



CASPAR COLLINS DAY AT FORT CASPER 7/19/25



ELKS CLUB CAR SHOW 8/9/25



Photos by Lynne Howe and Jerry Russell

PARADISE LIQUORS CAR SHOW 8/9/25



FOR SALE

All new interior. Seats, carpet, head liner and door panels in a Tweed Grey and taupe collar scheme. Engine had good compression, has been split with new gaskets. Steering wheel is new & exterior mirrors have been replaced with more original style. \$20,000 Contact Chuck Failes 307-258-6654



Submitted by Jeanine Clark

OIL CAPITOL AUTO CLUB PICNIC 8/17/25



SEEN AT JASPER NATIONAL PARK, ALBERTA

Ran across these two at the Jasper Park Lodge; Jasper National Park, Alberta. I am not familiar with the Graham - perhaps British?



Submitted by Ken Lantta

UPCOMING EVENTS

Cody Country Car Show and Poker Run, Cody, WY, 8/22-23/25.

Don Sands Memorial Hot-Rod Reunion, Cheyenne, WY, 8/23/25.

Meeteetse Labor Day Car Show, Meeteetse, WY, 8/30/25.

Foodaplooza and Car Show, Casper, WY, 9/1/25.

WSRA Cruise Wyoming, Rawlins, WY, 9/5-7/25.

Brews and Cruise, Gillette, WY, 9/6/25.

Autocross, Casper, WY, 9/7/25.

Classic Cars on Main, Torrington, WY, 9/13/25.

Newcastle Shine & Show, Newcastle, WY, 9/20/25.

ODDS & ENDS

First: All our best goes out to Deanna Day; here is hoping for a speedy recovery.

Second: There is a cruise coming up on September 17 to Life Care. These folks need cheering up, and a little car show is a great way to do it. So, put it on your calendar and let's show them a good time.

Third: Thanks very much to all those members who contributed to this newsletter. This is your paper, and you make it a success.

J. R. Russell, Editor