

Nuts & Notes Newsletter - June 2023

HIGH ROLLERS LAS VEGAS CHAPTER VMCCA, INC.



1951 General Motors LeSabre Concept Car
Photo By Clare Oestreicher, VMCCA VP of Membership

June 17, 2023 – Pin Ball Collection, Host Danny Barnett
June 24, 2023 – Jim Marsh Dealership, Host Jeanie Prouty
July 22, 2023 – Rosati's Pizza Run, Host Barbara Boudoin

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June Birthdays

Kelvin Dews 6/1
Dennis Rutkoskie 6/5
Donny Warmus 6/7
Anthony Adsit 6/10
Bobi Spangrud 6/10
Doug Wheeler 6/11
Nancy Myers 6/18
Paul Rolland 6/24
Emily Hodson 6/24
Ann Macmillan 6/24
Debbie Huizenga 6/28
Vicci Mason 6/30
James Lukavich 6/30



June Anniversaries

Don & Lois Derr 6/15
Doug & Kay Wheeler 6/26

July Birthdays

Ava Lukavich 7/6
Ron Holmes 7/10
Kay Wheeler 7/11

July Anniversaries

Joe & Barbara Baudoin 7/2
Ray & Linda Waber 7/6
Richie & Sharon Clyne 7/7
Hugo & Carli Medina 7/28

President's Message

Dear Fellow Members,

We are already half way through the year, time flies. We have had some great activities so far this year, and more are on the schedule for the rest of the year. I always encourage members to participate and enjoy themselves with other members at these club events. We have new members who are very welcome into our club.

On the sad side, we lost past member Mitch Spoor. He organized our Show and Shine fund raising car displays for a number of years. He had had two strokes and was in bad health the last couple of years. We will miss him.

Although he wasn't a member of our club, former Lt. Governor, Neurosurgeon Lonnie Hammargren also passed away. He was famous for his car collection, and the houses filled with all kinds of artifacts. He loved to open them up for tours for many years. Especially every October 1st, Nevada Admissions Day.

There are two upcoming shows I want to bring to everyone's attention August 12th from 9:00am to 4:00pm is Children's Speedway Charities Car Show at the South Point Hotel Casino on the end of the Strip. The registration is \$50.00. It is indoor in their convention center, and therefore airconditioned. The other is October 1st at Cadence out off of Lake Mead Parkway in Henderson. It runs from 10:00am to 2:00pm and is free. You have to go online and register for both events. It would be great to see members and their cars there.

Here's to more fun for the rest of the year for all of us.

Danny



HIGH ROLLERS CHAPTER OF THE VMCCA TREASURER'S REPORT

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General Membership Account:

Beginning Balance	\$ 3734.86
Deposits:	
MAY Meeting and Picnic 50/50	108.00
Club Store	344.00
Membership Dues	108.75
Voided Check (Logo Apparel)	929.86
<u>Total Deposits:</u>	<u>\$ 1490.61</u>
Expenses:	
VMCCA Membership Dues	40.00
Logo Apparel	444.07
Newsletter	25.00
Postage	17.40
Club Picnic	200.32
Western Region Membership Dues	9.00
Office Supplies	13.77
H & J Trophies – Name Badges	8.13
<u>Total Expenses:</u>	<u>\$ 757.69</u>
Ending Balance	\$ 4467.78

Western Region Account:

Beginning Balance	\$ 2280.03
Deposits:	
Membership Dues	9.00
Total Deposits:	\$ 9.00
Expenses:	
Total Expenses:	\$ 0.00
ENDING BALANCE WESTERN REGION	\$ 2289.03

Annual Picnic May 20, 2023

What a beautiful day we had at The Ahern Orchard. The breeze was mild and the air was clear. The fruit trees were just getting ready to ripen. Last year at this time the fruit was dropping on the ground.

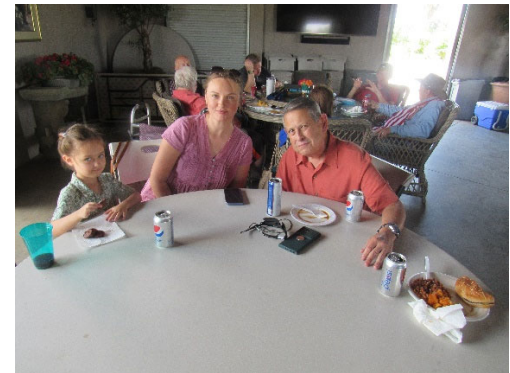
I want to thank Ahern for providing such a great place to have an event. Just before folks started showing up one of our customers showed up to look the venue over for her daughter's wedding in April 2024. So, if you or anyone you know wish to check the venue out, please reach out to me and I'll show you around.



The 1st golf cart of members started showing up about 11 and continued for a good half hour. I want to thank Anthony Adsit and John Munoz for shuttling members to and from the parking lot. We had 32 in all show up including a few from the orchard. We had 13 no shows who had signed up which is very unfortunate. I will have more to say about that later.

I want to thank all the folks that brought cookies, extra drinks and especially the member that brought the beer. Nothing like an Ice-cold beer when sweating over a grill. I think everyone had a great time and there was plenty of left overs. Our hosts did a great job of setting up and cleaning up.

Submitted by John Pendergast, co-host
Photos courtesy of Danny Barnett



MEMBERSHIP UPDATES

I want to start by welcoming our newest members and give special thanks to the members who brought their friends to the club and they joined.

- Carli and Hugo for recruiting Brian & Donna Pucio
- Joe Provenza for recruiting Jim & Susan Popovich,
- Danny Barnett for recruiting Gretchen Harper
- Poo Jarvis for contacting me through the website

Six new members in the last two months! Just as a reminder, veterans can join for the 1st year free. If you as an individual, recruit three members in a year, you will receive an ambassador pin like the one I wear on the top of my hat.

We are now in the time of the year when we start prorating membership. Currently you can join for \$38.75 for both National and Local. Junior members under 18 can join for \$12.00. Students age 18-25 for \$25.00.

Submitted by John Pendergast, Membership Vice President

COMING ACTIVIES

The High Rollers Annual Pizza Run is to take place at Rosati's from 3 – 6 on July 22nd. The address is 7380 S. Eastern Ave Las Vegas. As usual we will be collecting \$5.00 per person to offset the pizza. Soft drinks are included. Beer and cocktails are on you. See you for Pizza and a great time! Make sure you come hungry!

LAS VEGAS HIGH ROLLER		YEARLY ACTIVITY EVENTS CALENDAR	6.20.2023 DRAFT	After Event Notes	
	DRAFT	updated 6.20.2023 activity list current			
		Mark all previous versions as obsolete			
MONTH	DATE	EVENT	HOST		
	6/24/2023	2) Jim Marsh Dealership Lunch - Resturant UPDATE -	Jeanie Prouty Jeanie Prouty	UPDATE - sent 6.18.23	UPDATE - I-Hop
July		PHIL MALOOF CAR COLLECTION	Danny Barnett	IN PLANNING	ADD
July	7/22/2023	2) Pizza Run Rosati's on Eastern -	Barbara Boudoin	TIME TBD	
August	8/19/2023	2) Ice Cream Social - Lucy's Waffle and ice cream Shop	Barbara Boudoin	TIME TBD	ADVISE TIME
August		SECOND EVENT TO BE DETERMINED There will be no second event - per J.P.			
September	9/3/2023	1) Heinrich Car Collection	Jeanie Prouty	PENDING	MOVED FROM AUG
September	9/16/2023	2) Tuachan Tour Play: Charley and the Chocolate Factory St George, UT Lunch/Dinner TBD	Carla Adsit ?	CONFIRMED	TBD
October	10/14/2023	1) Show and Shine Car Show 5825 West Shara Ave, Time 10:30 - 3:00 pm VOLUNTEERS NEEDED	John Pendergast	IN PLANNING	
November	11/18/2023	1) Desert Research Center	NEED HOST	CONFIRMED	
December	12/2/2023	1) Santa Electric Light Parade	Dion Stams	IN PLANNING	
	12/16/2023	2) Christmas Party / Awards Banquet/ Tuscany Grill	NEED HOST	IN PLANNING	



**HIGH ROLLERS AND EVENTS
REMINDER
JUNE 18, 2023**

INFORMATION UP ON THE JIM MARSH EVENT

June 24, 2023
Jim Marsh Jeep Chrysler
8575 West Centennial Parkway
Las Vegas, NV 89149
702-946-1000

Meeting Time 10:00

Meeting Location Jim Marsh Jeep Chrysler
8575 West Centennial Parkway
Las Vegas, NV 89149

We will meet at the Jeep-Chrysler building. Enter the showroom area and/or from the west service side. We will meet in the service area, behind the showroom, in the waiting area. We will tour this building and Mr. Marsh's classic car collection. If you need a break, you can do so in the waiting area or the showroom. From here, we will move to the Kia Showroom to tour the multiple collectible items displayed there. At the completion of this tour, we will proceed to the body shop.

You can legally park where you wish on the property. For example, you can park at the Jeep-Chrysler building and walk or drive between the display areas.

LUNCH I-Hop
5970 West Centennial Center Blvd.
Las Vegas, NV 89149
702-515-1791
After 11:00 until ????

HOST Jeanie Prouty Phone 702-896-7622 EMAIL jeanieprouty@gmail.com

The Jim Marsh Car Dealership Car Club event will be on Saturday, June 24, 2023, at 10:00 A.M. The Jim Marsh dealership is located at 8575 West Centennial Parkway, north of Ann Road, just east of Durango. The telephone number for the dealership is 702-946-1000.

There are two dealership buildings on the property. We will meet at the Jeep-Chrysler building which is on the west side of the property. You can enter from the front of this building which is the showroom area and/or from the west side of the building which is the service side. We will meet in the service area, behind the showroom, at the waiting area. We will then tour this building which houses many collectibles. From this building we will tour Mr. Marsh's classic car collection. If you want to take a break in this building, you can do so in the waiting area and/or in the showroom where there are tables and chairs.

Once we leave the Jeep-Chrysler building we will go to the building on the east side of the property which is the Kia side. We will then tour this building which houses multiple collectible items. This building, also, provides a waiting area where you can take a break, if you wish. When we finish at the Kia building, we will then proceed to the body shop, which is just east of the Kia building.

You can legally park where you wish at the property. You can park, for example, at the Jeep-Chrysler building and walk to all the other areas and/or drive to each one.

Once we finish at the Body Shop, we will go to the I-Hop which is located at 5970 West Centennial Center Boulevard, 702-515-1791. This is east of the Jim Marsh Dealership.

Submitted by: Jeanie Prouty

**JULY EVENTS ARE BEING REVISED. THE ATOMIC MUSEUM HAS BEEN REMOVED.
A NEW EVENT WILL BE ANNOUNCED SHORTLY**

Next meeting July 6, 2023

6 June meeting & event FINAL

McPherson College VMCCA Update

On October 12 the High Rollers will hold its 12th annual Show & Shine car show to benefit McPherson College's Automotive Restoration program. I was at McPherson's car show May 5/6, met a number of students, and toured their campus. They are doing amazing work!

I attended the weekend as VMCCA Membership VP, to reach out to the students and encourage them to join our club. The College Automotive Restoration Students (C.A.R.S.) club weekend began with a cruise-in that took up most of Main Street in downtown McPherson, Kansas. The evening was fun, friendly, and casual. I handed out several hundred VMCCA flyers, met up with some of our members, and enjoyed chatting with lots of folks.

Saturday's show brought hundreds of cars to McPherson's campus. The students had a section for their own project cars, and I set up my table near a DeLorean one of the juniors was restoring. This student and all the others I met were polite, friendly, and enthusiastic about their college.

The restoration building was open for tours, showing the scope of the program. The students staged several demonstrations of their skills, and trophies were awarded to show cars.

The High Rollers' scholarship donation will clearly be put to great use. I encourage everyone who likes a good car show to go to Kansas next May, and meanwhile, come to the Show & Shine in October and support a highly worthwhile cause.

Submitted by: Clare Oestreicher, VMCCA VP of Membership
Photos by Clare Oestreicher



Cruise-In, downtown McPherson



Mercedes the students are aiming to restore for the Pebble Beach Concourse



1948 Chrysler Town & Country convertible



VMCCA table near students' cars



1951 General Motors LeSabre concept car



Mural in downtown McPherson, Kansas

Show and Shine Update

12th ANNUAL CAR SHOW SHOW & SHINE

Join us Saturday, October 14, 2023



HOST/SPONSOR



McPherson College
AUTOMOTIVE RESTORATION

DESIGNATED CHARITY

*HOSTED BY THE HIGH ROLLERS CHAPTER OF THE
VINTAGE MOTOR CAR CLUB OF AMERICA (VMCCA)*

*5825 W Sahara Ave.
Las Vegas, NV 89146
Parking Lot*

*10:30 A. M. - 3:00 P. M.
Register Early*

AWARDS IN MANY CATEGORIES

**RAFFLE DRAWINGS THROUGHOUT THE DAY
50/50 DRAWING**

SILENT AUCTION



OUR SPONSORS



SPONSORS WELCOME!!!!!!!!!!!!!!



located in McPherson, Kansas was chartered in 1887. It is associated with the Church of the Brethren and accordingly it is a non-profit institution as defined by their 501 (C)(3) status. The college started with 60 students and a faculty of 5. From its meager beginnings it has now grown to a sprawling 27-acre campus with over 800 students on the west side of McPherson, Kansas.

Today one of its academic programs is recognized as the only curriculum of its kind in the nation; a Four-Year Bachelor's Degree in Automotive Restoration. The degree can be tailored for the restoration of early 1900's horseless carriages all the way up through the muscle car era.

The school's notoriety in automotive restoration has captured the attention of Jay Leno and Peter Heydon who endowed the Fred Duesenberg Scholarship. And in 2023, the McPherson College Automotive Restoration program will compete to win at the Pebble Beach Concours d' Elegance with a fully restored 1953 Mercedes Benz 300 S Cabriolet.

AWARDS WILL BE PRESENTED IN THE FOLLOWING CATEGORIES

Judging by People's Choice & Independent

Oldest Car	Street Rod	Best 1920's, 30's, 40's, 50's, 60's, 70's, 80's, 90's
Modified Custom	Rat Rod	Sponsor's Choice (Selected by each sponsor)
Foreign Sport Car	American Muscle Car Original Stock	Two People's Choice
Foreign Luxury Car	Truck Pre-War II and Post-War	Best of Show

ALL ENTRY'S MUST BE 25 YEARS OR OLDER

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PLEASE PRINT & MAIL IN WITH PAYMENT MAKE CHECK PAYABLE TO: **HIGH ROLLERS CHAPTER VMCCA**

Owner's Name _____ Phone () _____

Address _____

City _____ State _____ Zip _____

Email _____

Vehicle: Car Truck Year _____ Make _____ Model _____

Registration Fee: \$35.00

Please indicate shirt size by circling size S** M** L XL 2XL 3XL 4XL**

**Due to deadline and having shirts available for the show register by Sept. 1

Total Amt. \$ _____

MAIL TO: High Rollers Chapter VMCCA, 439 Cannes St., Henderson, NV 89015

LIABILITY RELEASE: In consideration of the acceptance of the right to participate, entrants by execution of this entry form, release and discharge Blue Ox Tavern, The High Rollers Car Club officers and its members, participants, spectators and anyone else connected with this car show from any and all known and unknown damages, injuries, losses, judgments and/or claims.

I have read and agree to all conditions and rules governing this car show.

I agree to observe all rules and decisions made by the show officials and staff.

I certify that my vehicle is properly insured to legal liability requirements in the State of Nevada.

Signature: _____ Date: _____

Transportation Volunteers Needed

The car club is trying to put together a list of members, with their contact numbers, for people who may need a ride to an event and/or club meeting.

There are various reasons why, at times, members cannot drive themselves. For example, they may be having car trouble; the distance may be too far for them; it gets dark early; they prefer not to drive into unfamiliar areas of Las Vegas, etc.

If you would choose to be on a contact list, please e-mail me at jeanieprouty@gmail.com with your name and phone number(s); and if necessary, any limitations to the distance you would be willing to drive to provide a ride.

Submitted by: Jeanie Prouty

Club Store

New Items Available!

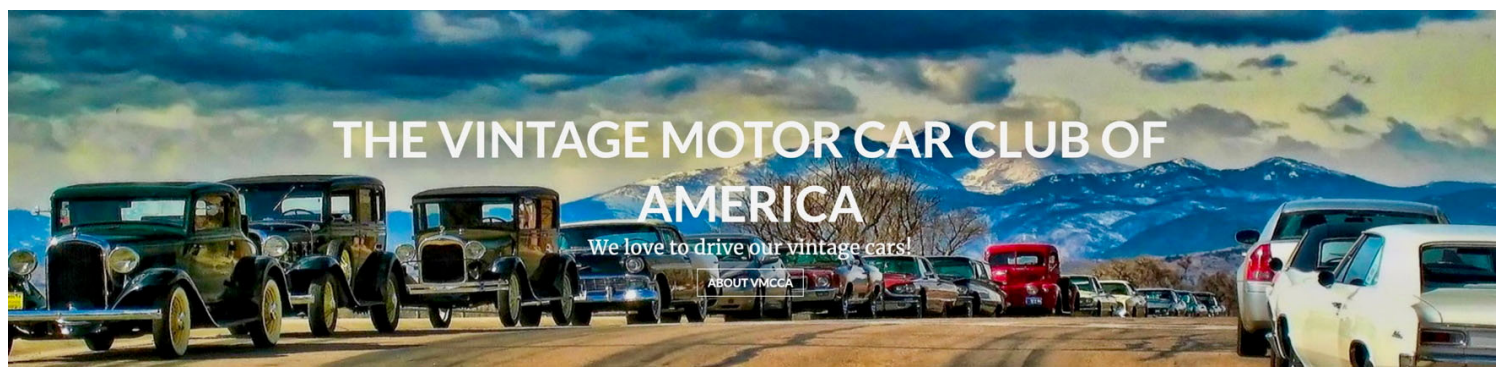
CLUB STORE			
L.S. Denim Shirt (S-XL)	\$34	Caps	\$20
L.S. Denim Shirt (2-XL)	36	Tee Shirt (S-XL)	14
L.S. Denim Shirt (3-XL)	38	Tee Shirt (2-XL)	16
L.S. Dress Shirt (S-XL)	28	Tee Shirt (3-XL)	18
L.S. Dress Shirt (2-XL)	30	Windbreaker (M-XL)	40
L.S. Dress Shirt (3-XL)	32	Windbreaker (2-XL)	42
Polo Shirt (S-XL)	36	Windbreaker (3-XL)	44
Polo Shirt (2-XL)	38	VMCCA Vehicle Magnet	
Polo Shirt (3-XL)	40	VMCCA Vehicle Magnet (2)	
Lightweight Polo Shirt (S-XL)	36	VMCCA Patch	
Lightweight Polo Shirt (2-XL)	38	High Rollers Patch	5
Lightweight Polo Shirt (3-XL)	40	VMCCA Decal	1
Sweat Shirt (S-XL)	36	VMCCA Plate Frames	
Sweat Shirt (2-XL)	38		
Sweat Shirt (3-XL)	40		
Club Items Make Great Gifts. Call John @ 702-436-2940			



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 Half Page: \$20 Business Card: \$5
One Year Business Card Size Ad: \$35.00

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We love to drive our vintage cars!

ABOUT VMCCA