# Nuts & Notes Newsletter - August 2023

# HIGH ROLLERS LAS VEGAS CHAPTER VMCCA, INC.



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August 19, 2023 – Ice Cream Social, Host Barbara Boudoin September 16, 2023 –St. George, UT – Tuachan Tour, Host Carla Adsit September 23, 2023 – Heinrich Car Collection, Host Jeanie Prouty

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#### **August Birthdays**

Danny Barnett 8/5

Jack Barnett 8/11

Brian Pucio 8/24

David Bouyea 8/29

## September Anniversaries Cont'd.

Brian and Donna Pucio 9/18

Jimmie and Ann Saxton 9/20

# August Anniversaries

Harry and Rita Ransom 8/15

Joe and Pam Provenza 8/24

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#### **September Anniversaries**

William and Irene Wells 9/2

Bob and Jan Swift 9/7



#### September Birthdays

Jo Harrah 9/2

Jan Swift 9/6

Steve Struve 9/9

Lorraine Hanna 9/19

William Wells 9/21

Barbara Holmes 9/22

Ray Waber 9/24

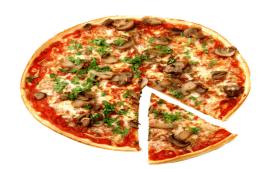
# **President's Message**

Dear Fellow Members,

Due to technical difficulties the President's Message will return next month.

Thank you.





# July 22, 2023 - Annual Pizza Run at Rosati's Pizza

Pizza run at Rosati's, as usual was a success! There were 20 plus in attendance. Everyone enjoyed pizza and conversation and a day out, even though it was a very hot day!

Submitted by: Barbara Boudoin

Due to technical difficulties no photos are available for the Pizza Run. When the technical difficulties are resolved, the photos will be added to the website.

#### **VMCCA TREASURER'S REPORT**

#### HIGH ROLLERS CHAPTER OF THE VMCCA TREASURER'S REPORT JULY 2023

| General Membership Account:    |    |         |
|--------------------------------|----|---------|
| Beginning Balance              | \$ | 4654.97 |
| Deposits:                      |    |         |
| July Meeting 50/50             |    | 50.00   |
| Pizza Party 50/50              |    | 48.00   |
| Pizza Party                    |    | 110.00  |
| Total Deposits:                | \$ | 208.00  |
|                                |    |         |
| Expenses:                      |    |         |
| Pizza Party                    |    | 226.19  |
| Total Expenses:                | \$ | 226.19  |
| ENDING BALANCE GENERAL ACCOUNT | \$ | 4636.78 |
| Western Region Account:        |    |         |
| Beginning Balance              | \$ | 2292.03 |
| Deposits:                      | Ψ  |         |
| Total Deposits:                | \$ | 3.00    |
| ·                              |    |         |
| Expenses:                      |    |         |
| Total Expenses:                | \$ | 0.00    |
|                                |    |         |
| ENDING BALANCE WESTERN REGION  | \$ | 2292.03 |

### **Club Store**

#### New Items Available!

|   | CLUB S | 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 |        |                          |      |  |

#### **Show and Shine Update!**

As Everyone in the club knows, at least those who attend the monthly meetings, that I have been asking everyone to come up with raffle prizes for the Show & Shine. I need everyone to donate or ask your local haunt for a possible Raffle prize. Could be dinner for 2 or a night's stay at their inn or even a gift that you received from someone that you do not know what to do with. Some of you play at the casinos and pick up bottles of wine and gifts we could put in a basket and give away or add to a silent auction. We have Galaxy Outdoor donating raffle prizes & Lucas Oil who comes through with great gifts every year. We may even have a big screen TV donated as one of the grand prizes.

If you cannot make the meeting or the Show & Shine you can drop the prizes by my house. Also, we will be holding a meeting for the Show & Shine at the Blue Ox @ 6pm on August 24<sup>th</sup> to walk the venue and discuss safety, setup and what we need from everyone the day of. So, if your name is on the list of volunteers, please try to attend the meeting so we are all on the same page the day of the event.

John Pendergast, Host of the Show & Shine

# 12th ANNUAL CAR SHOW SHOW & SHINE

Join us Saturday, October 14, 2023



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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** 







# SPONSORS WELCOME!!!!!!!!!!

# McPherson

located in McPherson, Kansas was chartered in 1887. It is associated with the Church of the Brethren and accordingly it is a nonprofit 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 Cabiolet.

#### 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)

American Muscle Car Original Stock Foreign Sport Car Two People's Choice

Truck Pre-War II and Post-War Foreign Luxury Car

ALL ENTRY'S MUST BE 25 YEARS OR OLDER

Best of Show

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| PLEASE PRINT & MAIL IN WITH PAYMENT   | MAKE CHECK PAYABLE TO: HIG        | H ROLLERS CHAPTER VMCCA |
| Owner's Name  |                                   | Phone ( )               |
| Address   |                                   |                         |
| City  | State                             | Zip                     |
| Email   |                                   |                         |
| Vehicle: Car Truck Year<br>Registration Fee: \$35.00  | Make Model                        |                         |
| Please indicate shirt size by circling size  **Due to deadline and having shirts avail          |                                   | t. 1                    |
| MAIL TO: High Rollers Chap  | pter VMCCA, 439 Cannes St., Hen   | derson, NV 89015        |
| ABILITY RELEASE: In consideration of the accep<br>ease and discharge Blue Ox Tavern, The High R |                                   |                         |

IIIanyone else connected with this car show from any and all known and unknown damages, injuries, losses, judgments and/or

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: |
|------------|-------|

#### Phil Maloof Collection Tour - July 29, 2023

Fifteen of us met at the Ahern Hotel for breakfast on Saturday, July 29, 2023, for breakfast. The food and company were great. The atmosphere at the Ahern is so nice; and it's like they open up just for us!

We then proceeded to the Maloof car collection, where fourteen more car club members were waiting, making a total of 29 people on the tour, just the "magic" number Danny (Barnett) was looking for. The Maloof car collection is just beyond words--just the number and makes and models of vehicles.

I want to thank John Munoz for handling the breakfast reservation at the Ahern Hotel and Danny Barnett for leading the Maloof tour. It was a great day--we couldn't have asked for better.

Submitted by Jeanie Prouty, Photos by Harry Ransom







#### **Excerpts From The Rear View Mirror**



# 1940 tips for crossing the Silver State

Exploring "the great unknown" with the WPA's classic auto guide

n 1940 travelers already were flocking to Nevada's alpine retreats and tiny neon desert oases. Between overheated radiators and hard luck at the blackjack tables, these explorers also discovered campgrounds, historical sites and other outdoor attractions.

Travelers of the day could find help in Nevada: A Guide to the Silver State. Originally published in 1940 by the Nevada Writers' Project of the Work Projects Administration, the guide offers eloquent mile-by-mile descriptions of highways, scenery and recreation in Nevada — "the great unknown," as the WPA writers called the state

Following are some of their observations on what to see and do in Nevada, 1340 style:

Boulder City: It is as spick and span as though it were in [the course of Dutch housewives. Above the wide streets, which follow the curves of the hills, are nouses of varying designs on delightfully landscaped terms as

the wide street bisected by the tracks is incommittees with buildings erected for the most part in the 1880s and 1890s, and false fronts are still among them. But a cue to the town's true character is seen even from the train; only two lots away from a small house dripping Victorian trimmings is a cocktail bar whose Bakelite and chromium elegance would fit well into upper Fifth Avenue in New York.

Hawthorne: The sight of sallors and marines among the barren mountains here isgartling ... Hawthorne is truly the West in its scorn for small change; a 35-cent breakfast will be given for 30 cents if the unfortunate traveler must complete his payment with five pennies.

Las Vegas: The town is particularly lively at night. Neon lights call attention to the bars, gambling and night clubs in which Hollywood celebrities, miners, prospectors, divorcees, corporation presidents, cowboys and little old maids bent on seeing life at last, add to the stacks of silver dollars and watch the whirl of roulette wheels. Some restaurants are crowded until dawn.

Reno: U.S. 395 goes south through the fortile
Truckee Valley with signs on both sides of the road
advertising "Guest Ranches" for divorce seekers
who prefer the moonlight and tree toads and the
smell of the equity to de to the gay night spots of
The Biggest Little Chain the World."

Sparks: The piece de resistance in some local hotels is the stuffed pheasant: when the waiter removes a large silver service cover he brings into view two birds erect in a field of wild noe. The meat been cooked and cleverly inserted into the pignal skin without dearranging a single teather.

Tonopab: Tals term, is a tripl pare saddle, has the triples surficient that up only gives some kinds of glass the rich partie lings frequently seen in the Southwest; even the headlights of old motor cars have a lavender cast.

U.S. 50: Hawks and buzzards swim overhead, and long-tailed black-and-white magples are along the roadway. Now and then an eagle soars above a lofty peak. In the early morning or late afternoon, a solitary coyote may cross the road and then trot off to a hummock from which he can watch the traveler pass.

SUBMITTED BY: Jeanie Prouty. Courtesy of "Nevada Mile Post"

#### **COMING ACTIVIES**



# HIGH ROLLERS MEETING AND EVENT REMINDER

**AUGUST 3, 2023** 

MARIE CALENDAR'S 8175 West Sahara Las Vegas, NV 89117 702-341-0232 Social Hour 6:00 - Meeting 7:00

August 19, 2023 Ice Cream Social Lucy's Waffle and Ice Cream Shop 6070 S. Rainbow Blvd #6 Las Vegas, NV 89118

Meet At Lucy's Waffle and Ice Cream Shop

Time 6:00 - 8:00 pm

Host Barbara Boudoin E-Mail sunflowerbb1@aol.com Phone 702-373-8586

If you have not already done so, please advise the host of your attendance so we can give a good head count.

There will be no second event in August

#### SEPTEMBER EVENTS

September 16, 2023 Tuachan Tour

Play; Charley and the Chocolate Factory

St George, UT

Lunch/Dinner TBD

702-277-3675

HOST Carla Adsit EMAIL <u>vegastaps@gmailcom</u> PHONE 702-277-3675

September 23, 2023 Heinrich Car Collection

The car club will tour the Heinrich car collection on Saturday, September 23, 2023, at 10:00 A.M. The Heinrich car collection is located at Fairway Chevrolet, 3100 East Sahara Avenue, 702-522-0580, north **side** of Sahara, just before the Boulder Highway. Greg Heinrich said we can drive to the back of the property, where the cars are housed, so there is no walking involved, since we can park right next to the buildings with the collection. Fairway Chevrolet has been family owned and operated since 1969.

For those who would like to eat before going to the car collection, we will meet at the Ahern Hotel, 300 West Sahara Avenue, at the Ottimo Gourmet Kitchen and Pizzeria, 725-214-4950, which is on the first floor of the hotel. The restaurant opens at 7:00 A.M. (until 10:00 P.M.), serving breakfast, lunch, brunch, and dinner. The restaurant opens at 7:00 A.M. You can arrive at 7:00 A.M. or any time thereafter; however, we will leave the hotel at 9:30 A.M. to proceed east on Sahara to Fairway Chevrolet. Submitted by: Jeanie Prouty

HOST Jeanie Prouty Email jeanie prouty@gmail.com Phone H 702-896-7622

Saturday October 28th

# **Beatty Days 2023**

(Beatty Days will be held October 27 through October 29, 2023)
Live Music & Entertainment, ICS Sanctioned Chili Cook off,
Classic Car Show, Poker Walk, Old West Shoot Outs, Perade,
Tombstone Sk & ZK, Bed Races, Vendors, Chicken Drop Bingo, Raffle,
and Much Morel Cottonwood Park, Corner of 3rd St. and Amargosa St.

Show Hours 11a.m. – 3p.m.
Registration Friday 2p.m. – 7p.m. and Saturday 8a.m. – 11a.m.
se Check in at the Registration Booth to Receive Your Entry Packet
Advanced Registration by 10/1/2023 \$25.00, after 10/1/2023 \$35.00 Car and Truck Categories

- Original 1. 1890-1927 2. 1928-1940 3. 1941-1960 4. 1961-1989

  Modified Original 1. 1890-1927 2. 1928-1940 3. 1941-1960 4. 1961-1989

  Modified Originals are limited to 3 modifications.

- Hot Rods/T Buckets 1900-1949
- Street Rods 1950 & Up Street Rods 1950 & Up Muscle Cars 1958-1985 Sports Cars foreign & domestic 1. 1951-1962 2. 1963-1976 3. 1977-1989
- H. Public Service Vehicles
  I. Trucks Original 1. 1890 1927
  J. Trucks Custom 1. 1890 1927 2. 1928-1940 3, 1941-1960 4, 1961-1989
- Rat Rods

Cash Prizes and Trophy Awards Presented at 3:00 pm

2. 1928-1940 3. 1941-1960

1st and 2nd Place Trophies awarded in each category

Best in Show \$500 and Trophy

Special Awards People's Choice Trophy Best Halloween Decorated Car

TRUNK-OR-TREAT (bring your candy!)

All Participants will receive a Goody Bag & Coupon for a free Beatty Days T-Shirt, 1 Raffle Ticket, 1 Entry to win a 1 oz. Silver Commemorative Coin & Morel

#### Sponsored by AngloGold Ashanti North America

Headquarters: Beatty Cottonwood Park For more information and entry forms please ca Beatty Chamber of Commerce 775-553-2424 Visit: www.beattynevada.org or email: beattychart r95@gmail.com



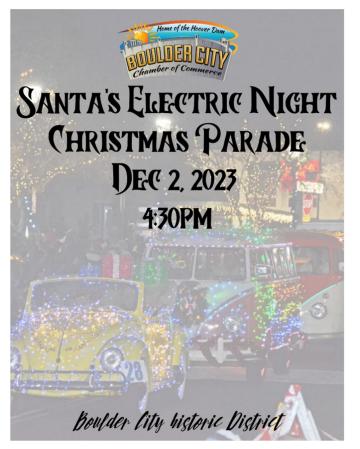
#### Saturday October 27th

## Beatty Days 20

(Beatty Days will be held October 27 through October 29, 2023)

Beatty Cottonwood Park Registration Friday 2 pm - 7pm Saturday 8 am - 11am Show hours 11 am - 3 pm Awards at 3 pm

| Name: (Please Type or Print Clearly)  |  |  |                    |
|---|--|--|--------------------|
| Address:  | Phone:   |  |                    |
| City/ State/ ZIP:   |  |  |                    |
| E-Mail:   |  |  |                    |
| Club Affiliation (If any):  |  |  |                    |
| Vehicle Information: Please Type or   | Print Clearly  |  |                    |
| Year: Make:   | Model:   | Classification:  |                    |
| Brief Description:  |  |  |                    |
| Special Features:   |  |  |                    |
| Modified Original Cars are C. Hot Rods / T Buckets () 1 D. Street Rods - () 1950 & U E. Muscle Cars - () 1958-194 F. Sports Cars - Foreign & do G. Public Service vehicles H. Trucks Original - () 1. 18 J. Rat Rods  ** I have attached a  | 900-1949<br>ip<br>85<br>mestic ( ) 1, 1951-1962<br>90 -1927 ( ) 2, 1928  | ( ) 2.1963-1976 ( ) 3.1<br>-1940 ( ) 3.1941-1960<br>1940 ( ) 3.1941-1960   | ( ) 4 1061-1090    |
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| Signature Required  |  |  | Date:              |



If you have any suggestions for 2024 car club activities, please e-mail your suggestions to jeanieprouty@gmail.com.

I, Jeanie Prouty, have put together a draft of activities for 2024. I had copies for everyone at the August 2023 club meeting. The Board met and further discussed them.

I will have a revised draft for the September car club meeting, perhaps for the October car club meeting as well, and by the November 2023 car club meeting I hope to have a fairly solidified schedule for 2024, of course, pending details for each chosen activity. basically finalize the list at the November 2023 car club meeting, the list of activities for the year 2024 can then be submitted for the January 2024 newsletter (we do not have a December newsletter).

This is your club, so I would appreciate any and all suggestions that might be incorporated for 2024 car club activities. Please see the list on page 11.

Submitted by: Jeanie Prouty

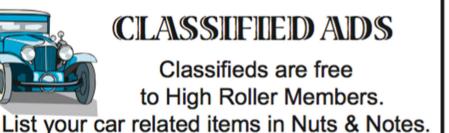
#### **Transportation Volunteers Needed**

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 <a href="mailto:jeanieprouty@gmail.com">jeanieprouty@gmail.com</a> 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



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