



# CRUZIN NEWS-N-VIEWS

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*Here's a list of your Officers,  
Board Members and Committee  
Chairpersons, if you have any  
questions, suggestions,  
comments or just want to chat,  
give them a call.*

## The Prez Sez

Bartlett Lake Fun Run was a huge success. Would have been nice to have more of a turnout, but Saturdays are work days for many of the club members. The weather was nice, warm; but nice enough for outdoor dining. The water sure looked tempting but none of us tried it. Next time we need to bring the tubes and air mats. Good plan was to have someone there early to hold the tables we wanted. That turned out to be a great idea. The lake Ramada's are very popular spots.

Burgers, dogs and lots of potato salads and brownies. Yummy! We need to do more of these, potluck probably, maybe take up a collection for the meat or each of us just bring what you want to cook; burger, dog, chicken, brats!. Could even just bring a sack lunch, or KFC chicken lunch, and drive somewhere to eat and hang out together.

Hey maybe some board/card games to entertain us.

Your board has been talking about some breakfast putts so get ready for those. Goal is to hold some more social gatherings like the Bartlett putt, and the breakfast runs we used to have. Maybe some lunch putts at a park; the white Tanks, Cave Creek park, North Mountain, Payson casino for brunch, Terry's brothers hot dog cart, Prescott area? Got any ideas???

end should be a great time. We didn't make plans for a club pick there, check it out see if we should do that next time. I think the conversations I heard indicated they already had a ton of awards. If a club pick would work there we need to make some plans for next time.

We do have a pick award planned for the Flagstaff show in Sept, and Winslow "Just cruising" show in Oct.

Pinetop is coming up last part of Sept. Steve and I will be there with a Good-Guys membership booth. The Run to the Pines is always a great weekend. Lots of craft shows, and the car event draws a high quality turnout. Limited space so better get with it if you plan to attend.

In Oct, the Winslow show venue has changed and we'll have to see how that works. Show parking will be on the street around "the corner area" and if you are staying at the La Pasada they will hold parking for us after the show hours. Have to see how this all works out. The club turnout looks like it will be down from previous years. If your going please get with Linda Barnes for a room.

**Remember there will not be a membership meeting in July.**

Da Prez

The Show Low event is this week-

## *June Birthdays*

Walter Hann	6/2
Barry McGilvra	6/6
Jack Crockett	6/8
Michelle Monroe	6/10
Mike Leas	6/14
Pete Golightly	6/17
Conrad Monroe	6/20

We would love for someone to volunteer for August's issue of the membership bio.

We did this quite a few years ago, everyone really seemed to like it, this way you can get to know the background of other club members, you can find out where they are from, how long they have been interested in cars, what cars they have owned, and more interested things about their life.

### **Here's one to kick off the membership Bio's**

#### ***Larry and Brenda Besore***

I was born in the little farming town of Indianola Iowa; it's about 13 miles south of Des Moines. I was a very early war baby, born as the President was declaring war, on the morning of Dec 8, 1941. We moved to Phoenix in 1948, I went to Creighton Grade School, and Phoenix Union High School, Phoenix College. Brenda was born here in Phoenix, a long time after Pearl Harbor. She attended Grade school and High school in Scottsdale. Brenda was born in 1956, a great year for little girls, also the Fords and Chevy's were cool that year. I have one son from a previous marriage Ronald, and 3 grand children, Michael, Ali, and Zac. Brenda and I both work (worked) for APS, in the computer field, both at the Data Center. I retired from Operations management in 1996. I went back under contract in 1998, and officially retired in 2009. I started with APS in 1961, Brenda in 1976.

Brenda and I started dating in 1981, and were married in 1987; best thing that ever happened to me, but Brenda is still recovering.

My father was an avid gear head, and got my brother and I hooked at an early age. When I was in High School my dad put together a pea green Henry J with a bored/built Chevy in it. Probably no more than 270-300HP, it had a roller cam, 3 deuces, a lot of headwork, and jahns pistons. What a fun car and boy did that surprise a lot of people. I went back and forth between motorcycles and Hot Rods for many years. Took a long time off Hot Rods about 1970 to race cross-country motorcycles for 10-12 years or so, then back into Hot Rods.

Brenda and I enjoy vacations in Mexico, San Diego, and Arizona's North Country. We had a memorable vacation some years back driving the coast highway from San Francisco to the Oregon coast. Really enjoyed the Red Woods! Brenda also remembers one special morning having Coffee with her cousins on a little island near Denmark, watching the quiet activity of the little Town Square. She was surprised to see a vintage American car roll by. She remembers the effect being pretty dramatic as the car fit in very naturally. Brenda and her sister were there visiting family in Denmark and had a great 3 weeks.

What car am I sorry I sold? (Most of them) well, I have had a lot of neat cars and Motorcycles. Brenda and I are both sorry we sold the flamed 39 Chevy coupe. We have missed it from the moment it went down the street away from us. I also miss the Ducati Desmo motorcycle, and the 51 Studebaker bullet nose...,58 Corvette... and...and...and!

We have enjoyed a lot of fun moments and memories with everyone since joining the club. We enjoy the cruise events and tolerate the shows. The real fun for us is the trip to, the time together with all of you during the show, and the evenings after with the club members and other friends. Other than OTHG, I belong to the NRA, the Lone Wolf Cruisers (one of the original 6), Goodguys, and oh yeah ...AARP! They get you discounts off of room rates you know!

# June 2010

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
		1	2 <i>OTHG Business Meeting</i>	3	4	5 Show Low Days
6 Show Low Days	7	8	9	10	11	12
13	14	15 <i>OTHG Board Meeting</i>	16	17	18	19 10th Classic Car show & Swap Meet
20	21	22	23	24	25	26
27	28	29	30			

# July 2010

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
				1	2	3
4	5	6	7 ● ● <i>NO</i> ● ● <i>OTHG</i> <i>Meeting</i> ● ●	8	9	10
11	12	13	14	15	16	17
18	19	20 <i>OTHG</i> <i>Board</i> <i>Meeting</i>	21	22	23	24 Sweet Wheels Car Show & Swap
25	26	27	28	29	30	31

# Coming Events

<b>OTHG Business Meeting</b>	<b>Wed. June 2</b>	<b>Coco's 4514 E. Cactus Rd.</b>
Show Low Days	June 4-6	Show Low, Az-Tom (928) 532-0569
<b>OTHG Board Meeting</b>	<b>Tues. June 15</b>	<b>Manuels-Cave Creek North of Cactus</b>
10th Classic Car show & Swap Meet	June 19	Prescott Middle School-Gary (928) 632-7355
<b>OTHG Board Meeting</b>	<b>Tues. July 20</b>	<b>Manuels-Cave Creek North of Cactus</b>
Sweet Wheels Car Show & Swap	July 24	Snowflake Golf Course-Ernie (928) 23-1761
Route 66 Days	Sept. 10-12	Flagstaff, Az John (928) 451-1204
Run to the Pines	Sept. 24-26	Pinetop, Az Bob & Linda (928) 368-5325
Standin on the Corner	Oct. 2-3	Winslow, Az
Prescott High Country Rod Run	October 8-9	Historic Downtown Square-Frank (623) 533-7837
Cruise on Central	October 9	Park Central Mall-Nancy (602) 809-1766
13th SW Nationals, Goodguys	Nov. 18-21	Westworld, Scottsdale, Az
OTHG Christmas Party	Dec. 11	Italian-American Club
Casa Grande Picnic	January 29	Casa Grande, Az
Goodguys	March 2011	Westword, Scottsdale Az

An excellent source for upcoming show information and printable information sheets, maps & registration forms is: [www.cruisinarizona.com](http://www.cruisinarizona.com) or [www.desertcruisers.com](http://www.desertcruisers.com)

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Club Golf Shirts - \$25.00 \* Sweat Shirts - \$25.00

T-Shirts - \$15.00

Flamed Hats - \$15.00 \* Hats - \$10.00

Car Plates - \$25.00 \* Name Tags - \$7.50

Window Stickers - \$5.00

Fred and Sue wanted to give a special thank you to Mike Leas for his help with the Bartlett Lake run.

**The Over The Hill Gang-Phoenix** is a club made up of owners and operators of Pre 1949 vehicles. It's primary objective is to promote the sport of Street Rodding.

**The Over The Hill Gang-Phoenix** has a Business Meeting on the first Wednesday of each month at Coco's Restaurant located at 4541 East Cactus Rd. at 7:00 PM. There is also a Board Meeting held at **Manuels-Cave Creek & Cactus** on the third Tuesday of each month at 7:00 PM and all members are welcome and encouraged to attend.

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