



# CRUZIN NEWS-N-VIEWS

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## "The Prez Sez"

Wow, time for my second OTHG meeting as president already? Yes, just like your Dad told you, time does go faster the older you get, and I snuck in another birthday in March to boot. Danise and I seem to some where along the way quit giving "official" birthday presents to each other. We just count the last few items we get and a few after our birthday as our birthday gifts. Works out good, we always seem to get what we want that way. Gee, it has only been a week since my birthday, and I already forgot what I got, but I bet it was something I wanted.

We also got in a great putt in March to Schnepf Farms, which is put on by OTHG Scottsdale. First off, congratulations to Bob and Patty Sarraillon and Mike and Jean Rust for winning top 10 trophies. As you all know, both the "38 Ford and "54 Chevy are top notch beautiful cars. The trophies they earned were hand made by club members and are really neat. I decided to take the "40 Ford on the putt, because they predicted 95 degree heat, and chickened out taking the roadster as in years past. That seems to be a pretty good idea, until the old 40 quit running about a mile from Schnepf Farms. We pulled into a

parking lot, with "Armstrong" steering, with 9 club cars following closely . I turned the key off, hit it again and it started right up. We all took off and made it to the show in plenty of time. Made it home just fine also, thanks Jim for following me just in case. I'll check it out when I get some free time as I just have to focus on getting the house remodel done. Speaking of the house remodel, we get closer each day, but are not quite there yet. It is Sunday evening as I type this and today we moved furniture into the living room. It all fit just fine, I'm sure we will only move it a few more times until it is "perfect". Our plumber pooped out on us, no pun intended! He is having health problems with his family members which has not allowed him to finish up the job. I spent a few days last week hooking up the sewer and the final hook up of the fixtures. I think the guy doing the tile work learned a few new words working with me. Some parts of the Navy are hard to shake. Got to sign off, as it is off to bed soon so I can hit it tomorrow with some final painting touch up and who knows what else? If I am going to finish the "37 by summer, I better get moving. It can't be far off with 95 degree weather yesterday.

## Larry Besore writes about Goodguys

Another success under our collective belts. I didn't hear a car count but my estimate is upwards of 2200, maybe 2400. Spectators were down this time I thought, and attendance on Sunday was down, probably NASCAR impact.

I enjoy writing this note twice a year, you folks are the best!

It's easy to pull off these shows when we have such cooperation, energy, and genuine effort to make things better for participants.

We will discuss club parking options and see what's best for next time.

Thanks once again for your efforts, enthusiasm, and dedication. Seems we always have someone or several someone's that suffer illness or other life matters that makes them miss a day or two of the show. You folks just step in and fill the assignment holes and we move forward with ease.

Can't express how appreciative I am of you all. THANKS FOR ALL YOU DO ! Thanks again Larry

## Ken Schaaf writes about Phoenix Adult Day Car Center

On Wednesday, March 18, a few of us met at the Phoenix Adult Day Care Center on 4th Avenue and Osborn Road to show our rides to those folks, who probably at some time in their life, may have ridden in something like these.

Judy Nolte drove her '31 Chevy

Larry Way brought his '40 Ford

Jim Johnson arrived in his '40 Chevy

I drove my '38 Chevy, of course.

Dave, brother-in-law to Francis, had his bright yellow PU Truck.

Mark had a T-Bird, his wife (Francis' boss) had her corvette.

We arrived between 10:30 and 11:00, and the folks started coming out, a few at a time, and were thrilled to see the vehicles. Their big smiles and happy faces made our trip "well worth it!" Judy arrived an hour early (because she wanted to back in, without spectators.) She did a fine job, Paul!

Francis rewarded us with delicious pizzas, a great salad, and lots of sodas and water. Thanks, Francis! We headed for home about 1:00 p.m. A big THANK YOU to our club members above, for helping Francis once again.

P.S. Dee cruised to the event in her '04 Buick, but had to leave early, for an appointment with her sister.

## Charlie Cover (Prez) writes about Schnepf Farms

We had a great putt to Schnepf Farms for the OTHG Scottsdale car show. We left the slab at 7am so that we could take advantage of the spots saved for our club by Terry Scott and Dave Bennett. We left pretty much on time, and within a couple of blocks spotted George coming the other way in his orange sedan. He spotted "Larry's red 40 with white walls" and hung a quick u-turn and joined the group. The group included; Danise and I, Larry & Teresa, Mike & Jean, Frank & Rose, Lloyd Drennen (new applicant), Jim Dalton, Rick Aronson, Brenda & Larry, Ken & Dee, & George, That made 10 club cars on the putt. When we arrived we were escorted to our special parking section and Bob and Patty, Darrell and Dave were already parked. We got serenaded by the peacocks all morning and they put on

quite a show strutting their stuff. We had shade all day under the pine trees, and did not seem to get much sap or bird doo from them. I thought the dust and spring pollen was raising cane with my allergies, but no such luck. I was coming down with a cold, and am going through the regular symptoms now. I love those grand kids, but they are little petri dishes and slobber all over you.

Bob and Patty Sarraillon, and Mike and Jean Rust won very nice hand made custom trophies for being picked in the top 10. They both have very nice cars and were very deserving of the recognition. A blue 49 Chevy pickup was picked as best in show, and was also a super nice ride.

We all headed out around 2:30pm and I do believe we all had a good time.

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•	April	Cindy Bryant	4/1	Ruth Ann McGilvra
•				4/6
•	Birthdays	Marge Perelli	4/1	Jean Rust
•				4/22
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# April 2015

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
			1 <b>OTHG General Meeting</b>	2	3 Spring Cave Creek Classic & Collector Car Auction	4
5	16	7	8	0	10 Old Tucson Dragway Reunion	11 See list for other shows and events
12 Get Your Motor Runnin <hr/> Swap Meet, Glendale	13	14	15	16	17	18 See list for other shows and events <hr/> Phoenix Auto Parts Swap
19 Forever Young Car Show <hr/> Yarnell Cruise and Car Show Phoenix Swap	20	21 <b>OTHG Board Meeting</b>	22	23	24 Beeline Cruisin Car Show	25 Glendale Car Show <hr/> College Car Show
26	27	28	29	30		

## **Cruisin Car Shows    “A little something for everyone” by Cheryl Mitchell**

*If you have car show information and good club putts send them to: [camestimates@aol.com](mailto:camestimates@aol.com), they will go on the list.*

- Apr 3-4        3rd Annual “Spring Cave Creek Classic & Collector Car Auction, Contact: Johnny B 480-525-1136 for scheduling.
- Apr 10-11     Old Tucson Dragway Reunion, Hosted by: Southwest International Raceway, 12000 S. Houghton Rd, Tucson, Contact: Walter or Dan 520-869-7772, Time: Fri 5pm to 11pm, Sat 9am to ?? Show starts at 6pm. Entry Fee: Fri \$5.00, Sat \$12.00 (\$15.00 for 2 day event), Nostalgia Drag Racing, Hot Rods, Customs, Old Drag Cars on display.
- Apr 11        Cruise on Central, Park Central Mall, 3121 N. 3rd Ave. Phoenix, Time 1pm to 9pm, Entry Fee: \$15.00
- Apr 11        So Cal Speed Shop, 602-275-7990, or [www.so-cal-az.com](http://www.so-cal-az.com)
- Apr 11        Corvettes in the Park, Hosted by: Corvette Club of America, A.J. Chandler Park, 3 South Arizona Ave, Chandler, Contact: Gary 480-363-2838, Time: 9am to 2pm, Entry Fee: \$30.00.
- Apr 12        Get Your Motor Runnin, Hosted by: Cave Creek Bible Church, Cave Creek Bible Church, 6107 E. Lone Mountain Rd, Cave Creek, Contact: Rocky 602-574-7000, Time: 10am to 2pm, Entry Fee: \$20.
- Apr 12        Just Sell it Automotive Swap Meet, Glendale, Contact: Tom or Scott 602-828-4865.
- Apr 18        2nd Annual All Mustang Car Show, Hosted by: Desert Sky Mustangs and Glenn Jones Ford, Glenn Jones Auto Center, 1932 N. Pinal Ave, Casa Grande, Contact: Ed 520-371-0072, Time: 10am to 2:30pm, Entry Fee: \$20.00. Proceeds go to Wounded Warriors and Jean Rose Service Dog.
- Apr 18        17th Annual Pontiac Heaven, Wild Horse Pass, Contact: Steve 480-899-7873, Time: 6am to 4:30pm. Car Show, drag racing, parts swap meet. Traditional Pontiac powered vehicles only.
- Apr 18        Saturday Morning Cruise in, Mesa Farnsworth Hall, 6159 E. University, Contact: 480-695-4880. All cars are welcome, breakfast, music, raffles
- Apr18-19     Phoenix Auto Parts Swap, Wild Horse Pass, Time: 6am to ??. Contact: Steve 480-899-7873 or [www.phoenixautopartsswap.com](http://www.phoenixautopartsswap.com)
- Apr 19        Forever Young Car Show, Hosted by: Forever Young Run, Peoria Sports Complex, 16101 N 83rd Ave, Peoria, Contact: Greg 623-326-9211, Time: 6am to 11am, Event Fee: None
- Apr 19        Yarnell Cruise and Car Show, Hosted by Nancy Perry, Downtown Yarnell, Hwy 89, Contact: Nancy Perry 602-843-3545, Time: 9am to 3pm, Event Fee: \$19.00, Proceeds to help build a Park in the Memory of the Fallen 19 Hotshots. Meeting locations will be set up so everyone can cruise into Yarnell. Music, food, raffles, awards. Lots of Fun for a good cause
- Apr 24-25    Beeline Cruisin Car Show, Payson, AZ More info to follow at the meeting

## Cruisin Car Shows “A little something for everyone” continued

- Apr 25 1st Annual Glendale Car Show, Time: 8am to 2pm, Contact: Jim Wright 602-829-8178
- Apr 25 Central Arizona College Car Show, Aravaipa Campus, 80440 E. Aravaipa Rd, Winkelman, AZ, Contact: Sherry 866-869-6507, ext: 2816 or sherry.perea@centralaz.edu, Time: 9am to 2pm, Event Fee: Pre \$25.00, day of \$35.00. Would be a nice easy putt.
- May 3 Just Sell it Automotive Swap Meet, Glendale
- May 9 So Cal Speed Shop
- May 9 4th Annual Car Show Classic, Hosted by: Associates for Childrens Miracle Network, Walmart 201 S. Prickly Pear Ave, Benson, Contact Shannon 520-553-3878, Time: 11am to 3pm, Entry Fee: \$20 Pre/Day of \$25. Multiple classes and awards. All proceeds go to support the Childrens Miracle Network.
- May 16 2nd Annual Classic Car Show, Prescott Valley Home Depot, Contact: Britt 928-777-2400 ext. 542, Entry Fee. Canned Goods, Show to benefit the Yavapai Count Food Bank.

Check out “ARIZONA AUTO SCENE” online. So many shows that I cannot list them all. If you see one that looks like a good club putt let me know. There are a lot of shows to attend through this website, will keep you busy all summer long.

New Website to check out: VEGAS-RIDES.com, provides information on Car Shows being held not just in Vegas, but many different cities. Lots of Flyers on this site.

5 & Diner First Friday of each Month SOCK HOP and CLASSIC CAR NIGHT. 5220 N. 16th St, Phoenix. Starts 6pm. Live Music, Dancing and lots of Fun. 50% to classic car drivers on an entrée. Info: 602-264-5220

5 & Diner Second Saturday of every Month SOCK HOP and CLASSIC CAR NIGHT, 9069 E. Indian Bend Rd, Scottsdale, Starts at 7 pm. Live Music, Dancing and lots of Fun. 50% to classic car drivers on an entrée. Info: 480-949-1957.

West Valley Cruise in Every Friday night, 303 and Bell Rd (Sams Club parking lot), Time: 5pm to ?

Big Earl’s Greasy Eats Every Friday night car show, Time: 6pm to 9pm, 6135 E. Cave Creek Rd, Cave Creek, call: (480)-575-7889

West Side Cruisin, Every Friday Night, 35th ave and Northern, next to the Burger Palace.

First Saturday of every month, Breakfast Cruisin in Dillions Arrowhead BBQ, 20585 N. 59th Ave, 8am to 11 am.

PHILS FILLING STATION, every Sunday through May of 2015, 12pm to 3pm, Lots of fun, great cars and good friends. (only exception is if the holiday falls on a Sunday.)

MIXTECA RESTAURANT, 67th and Bell Rd. Every Friday and Saturday night. Contact Nancy Perry Productions (602) 843-3545 for details

Norterra Car Show, 2nd Friday of every month, The Shop at Norterra, 2460 W. Happy Valley Rd, Time: 6pm to 9pm, Shows goes through May.

Most of the shows listed have Trophy classes, plaques, goodie bags, t-shirts, food, vendors, and the list goes on. If more detailed information is needed all of these events can be found on “cruisinarizona.com/carshows”, “arizonacarshows.com”, “nancyperryproductions.com” and “arizonaautoscene.com”. All flyer’s and registration forms for each show can be found online.