

Wheel Issues

Newsletter of the Eastern Nebraska/Western Iowa Car Council

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Regular meetings are held on the third Wednesday of every month alternating between Omaha and Lincoln. Officers and representatives of member organizations are asked to sign in before the meeting, and guests are always welcome. Meetings begin at 7:30 PM - many arrive early for dinner.

Omaha meetings are held at the Tangier Shrine Temple, on the east side of 84th Street, south of Center Street. Lincoln meetings are held at the Golden Corral, 3940 North 27th Street.

MEETING DATES FOR 2014

LINCOLN: July 16, September 17, November 19

OMAHA: August 20, October 15, December 17

If a weather advisory exists for a meeting, it will be canceled and business is carried over to the next month.

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Clubs in Attendance at the June Meeting

AACA-Nebraska Region	Centennial Model "T" Club
Classy Chassis Car Club – Red Oak	Cornhusker Corvette Club
Cornhusker Early Ford V8 Club-Lincoln	Crossroads Chpt-Buick Club-America
GM Truck Club	Hudson-Essex-Terraplane Club
Midwest Antique Auto Club	Midwest Street Rod Ass'n - Omaha
Nifty Fifties Ford Club	Omaha Early Ford V-8 Club
Street-Tiques-Omaha	Studebaker Drivers Club – Husker Chpt.
The Slo Rollers of NW Missouri	

GUESTS –

Nebraska Rod & Custom Assn.

MEETING MINUTES - June 18, 2014

INTRODUCTIONS

President Alan Tast called the meeting to order at 7:30 PM in Omaha, NE. He asked that everyone sign in on the sheet that was being passed around and to also check the larger list for corrections of your club's contact information. It is very important that we have your email addresses and contact information correct. Introductions of attendees were made. President Tast asked for a brief update on the health of Roy Murabito. Jim Snyder had spoken with Roy and Roy said that he tires easily but is now driving.

GUESTS ADDRESSING THE COUNCIL

There were no guest with us this evening.

APPROVAL OF MINUTES

Jim Snyder motioned, with a second by Frank Wimmer, to approve the May minutes as printed. Motion carried.

TREASURER'S REPORT

The Treasurer's report was given by Boyd Ready and accepted after a motion made by Gene Gau and seconded by Byron Carter to approve. A bill was presented by Secretary Cindy Wimmer for \$115.86 for the printing and mailing of the May minutes. A motion was made by Jim Snyder and seconded by Jim Stanley to pay the bill. Motion carried.

OLD BUSINESS

2014 PAUL HIGH MEMORIAL SCHOLARSHIPS

Boyd Ready stated that all checks have been distributed.

NEBRASKA UNICAMERAL NOTES

Dave Vollmer informed us that he had no additional information. A question was asked about the traffic cameras in Nebraska. The answer is that we don't have them in Nebraska.

SWAP MEET

Kerry Fox will talk to the new manager of the Event Center in July. The Swap Meet will be on March 8, 2015.

CAR COUNCIL WEBSITE

Kurt Balhorn is still in the process of getting access to the web site and email addresses set up for council officers. He has changed some things around and updated the website. A PDF copy of the online calendar of events from the Omaha World Herald is now up and running. You can now print it out yourselves on your computers. We are waiting to begin gathering information for the 2015 Car Council Book.

Fall Foliage Tour

The Slo Rollers will do everything as they have always done. They are ready to go and are just waiting for the event to occur. The rental of the building has already been done. Everyone brings a side dish. The Slo Rollers provide the meat. The date is in the Car Council Book in the October section. Kurt Balhorn will work on getting a page on the website promoting this event.

NEW BUSINESS

Council Address/Post Office Box Change

Jim Snyder said that Roy Murabito would like to move the post office box of the Car Council to a different location so that he doesn't have to take care of it any longer. It is where we get our official information and our request for council books. Boyd Ready volunteered to take this task on. Jim Snyder made a motion that Boyd Ready be in charge of the new post office box in Lincoln, NE and Frank Wimmer seconded that motion. Opened for discussion. The current box expires in October 2014. President Tast asked whether there would be a problem forwarding the mail. We can change it on the website but not in the council book until January 15, 2015. And every two years we have to confirm/update the address with the State of Nebraska. There was much discussion on this. We would forward the mail from Bellevue to Lincoln until October. Then permanently send everything to Lincoln after that. Boyd Ready will get the new post office box in Lincoln within the next week. And he will work with Roy to ensure a smooth transition. Motion to open a box in Lincoln made by Jim Snyder and seconded by Frank Wimmer. Motion carried. Motion to pay for the post office box in Lincoln made by Gene Gau and seconded by Jim Stanley. Motion carried. Thank you Roy for doing this work for us all of these years.

PAST EVENTS

The Tangier Shrine Car Show was in Omaha on June 1.

Mo Valley Swap Meet was held by council member club Prairie Region Plymouth Owners Club.

Yutan had a car show on Father's Day, hosted by council member club the Stardusters.

Father's Day in Johnson, NE. It was their yearly town celebration.

The Saturday before Father's Day was the Immanuel Hospital car show.

The Orphan Car Show in Ralston was held on May 18 and was hosted by the Studebaker Drivers Husker Chapter.

Celebration of Life for Bill Smith was held at the Museum of American Speed in Lincoln on May 30th.

The Early Ford Picnic was held in Ceresco on June 8th.

The Midtown Show was held in Omaha and there were approximately 80 cars.

UPCOMING EVENTS

Shows, Swap Meets and Auctions Promoted at the Meeting

Please withhold discussion of your upcoming event until this comes up in the Agenda

All upcoming events were directed to our Car Council Book.

ADJOURNMENT

With no additional business, a motion to adjourn was made by Boyd Ready and seconded by Byron Carter. Motion carried. President Tast adjourned the meeting at 8:28 p.m.

NEXT MEETING

The next meeting will held be in Lincoln on Wednesday, July 16, 2014 starting at 7:30 pm.

SPECIAL NOTE

OUR NEW ADDRESS IS: PO BOX 5838, LINCOLN, NE 68505

FOR YOUR INFORMATION

SEMA Secures US Senate Resolution Designating July 11th as Collector Car Appreciation Day

The U.S. Senate passed Senate Resolution 493 (S. Res. 493) designating July 11, 2014 as "Collector Car Appreciation Day." The Resolution was requested by the Specialty Equipment Market Association (SEMA) and its Automotive Restoration Market Organization (ARMO) and Hot Rod Industry Alliance (HRIA) Councils. The date marks the fifth commemoration in what has become an annual event to celebrate and raise awareness of the vital role automotive restoration and collection plays in American society.

S. Res. 493 was sponsored by Congressional Automotive Performance and Motorsports Caucus Co-Chairs Senator Jon Tester (D-MT) and Senator Richard Burr (R-NC), along with Sen. Mark Begich (D-AK). The Senators are strong advocates for the automotive hobby in Washington, and S. Res. 493 reaffirms their understanding of the cultural importance of

collector cars. The Caucus is an informal, non-partisan member organization that pays tribute to America's ever growing love affair with the car and motorsports.

"We thank the U.S. Senate for its continued recognition of the collector car hobby as a valued American tradition and pastime," said SEMA Vice President of Government Affairs Steve McDonald. "With Australia and Canada joining the celebration, Collector Car Appreciation Day has now become an international recognition of the collector car industry and the millions of hobbyists it supports. A number of states and local governments have adopted similar commemorative declarations as well."

Alex Tainsh, Chairman of ARMO said, "The industry endeavors to preserve our nation's automotive heritage while providing well-paying, high-skilled jobs nationwide. Collector Car Appreciation Day is a singular tribute to this industry and its enthusiasts."

Rick Love, Chairman of HRIA said, "Collector Car Appreciation Day is the opportunity for everyone involved in this great American hobby to show off their cars and celebrate new traditions. Businesses and car clubs across the country will be hosting car shows and cruises. More events are being held to commemorate this special day each year."

All automotive enthusiasts are encouraged to take part in this year's celebration by planning or attending events in their community. Through its grassroots hobbyist organization, the SEMA Action Network (SAN), SEMA is maintaining a list of scheduled events to commemorate the day at www.semasan.com/ccad. Individuals, car clubs and business owners interested in publicizing events should contact SAN Director Colby Martin at [909-978-6721](tel:909-978-6721) or san@sema.org. If you are unable to celebrate on July 11th, SAN encourages events to be scheduled throughout the month of July.

CHANGE OF EVENT DATE

The Slo Rollers of Northwest Missouri have had to change the date of their car show this year. The Old Fashioned Saturday Night free show scheduled for September 20th, as listed in the Car Council book, has been moved to September 27th. All else remains the same. They also plan to pass out flyers and bring this discussion up at the Car Council meetings in the next couple of months.

MEMBERSHIP DUES

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Dues are 25 cents per member per year for each club, with a minimum charge of \$10.00 for each club. Dues are due October 1st and are delinquent **December 31st**. If not yet made, bring payment to the next meeting, or mail dues to the Treasurer.

**Each club is entitled to receive two copies of the Wheel Issues newsletter. It is the responsibility of each club to inform us of any changes in mailing information. You can submit changes in writing by mailing them to:
Secretary, ENWICC, PO Box 5838, Lincoln, NE 68505
or at the next meeting of the Eastern Nebraska Western Iowa Car Council.**

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