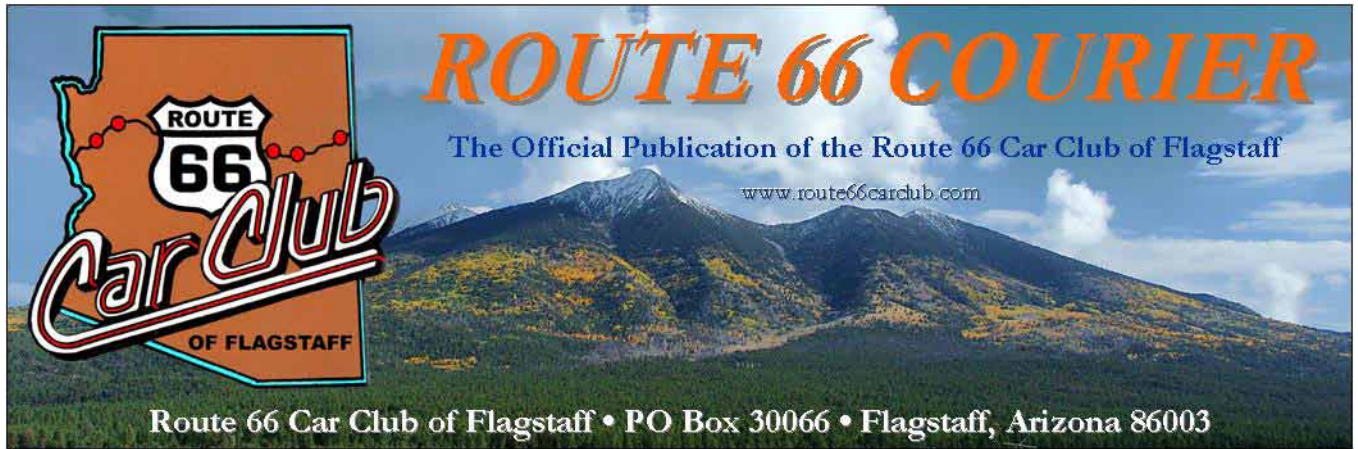


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MEETINGS

Executive Board Meeting - Wednesday July 6th

7PM, McCoy Motors Meeting Room, Switzer Canyon Road

General Membership - Wednesday July 13th

7PM Sharp, East Side Sizzler, 3540 E. Route 66

LADIES LUNCH

Tuesday July 19th

Noon - Location TBD

MEMBERSHIP

74 Memberships

COMING EVENTS

Yavapai Classic Cruisers Car Show - June 18 Mile - High Middle School, Prescott

Great show on the grass. Yavapai Classic Cruisers support our show in September.

Mountain View Church Father's Day Car Show - June 19 - Flagstaff

Meet at 9:00 a.m. at Mountain View Church on Linda Vista (just east of 4th Street).

Contact Mark Strango for more details

Bing's Burger Station & Antique Shopping, Cottonwood AZ - 25 June

You've got an antique car, now pick up some old stuff for the house! Call Robin Moore for details.

Riordan Mansion Fundraiser/Car Display - June 26th

Riordan Mansion State Park on Riordan Drive in Flagstaff. Display 10AM to 6PM, Car display set-up at 9:30am. For more info contact Darrell Boomgarden 814-1487

Independence Day Parades - July 4th

Time again to get the cars out for the summer parades in Flagstaff-Parks-Williams.

Members pick and choose which ones they want to attend. Flagstaff parade is at 9:00 a.m. We must be staged by 8:00 a.m. We won't know until June 24 what our entry # is and where we are to stage. John will send out a mass e-mail with that info on June 24. Parks parade is at 1:00 p.m. We must be staged at 11:30 and judging is at 12:00 p.m. Williams parade has been moved to 4:00 p.m. We must be staged at 3:00 p.m. Show up in Williams before 3:00 p.m. for staging instructions.

Old West Days - July 8th & 9th - Holbrook

Foot races, parades, fireworks at the old court house. Bring your Mom to the quilt show and watch the 'Bucket of Blood' 10K. Bring the iron to the 'Gunslinger' charity car show on Friday & Saturday. Info: Mark - 928-241-8909

Route 66 Car Club Picnic - July 17th

11am to 3pm at Fort Tuthill's Maricopa Ramada. \$5 per person, please purchase tickets in advance to get a head count. Meat & drinks provided, bring a dish to pass.

CHECK IT OUT

The Car-Show Event Calendar on Page 2

FRIDAY NIGHTS

Galaxy Diner - Cars and members gather around 5-5:30 PM. Management reserves a couple of tables for us every Friday night. It's a great opportunity to have a malt, some fries, and hang out with fellow club members - and of course, talk cars.

Check out our Web-Site for the latest club news and event updates
www.route66carclub.com

2011 Event Calendar

June 25th - Bing's Burger Station & Antique Shopping
Cottonwood, AZ
Leave ADOT 10am

July 3rd - Great American Garage Tour
Leave ADOT 10am

July 4th - Independence Day Parades
Flagstaff/Parks/Williams

July 9 - Old West Days
Hunt Park - Holbrook
Info: Mark - 928-241-8909

July 17th - Route 66 Car Club Picnic
11am at Fort Tuthil's Maricopa Ramada
\$5 per person, Meat provided, bring a dish to pass

August 13th - Twisters Cool Country Cruise-In
Williams, AZ

August 27th - Thunder Over The Coconino Fly-In and Car Show. Valle, AZ Airport

Sept 9-11 - Route 66 Days Car Show
Our big event of the year so we need everyone's help.
Stay tuned for info about assignments.

September 24th - Haunted Hamburger and Shopping
Jerome, AZ
Leave ADOT 10am

October 1st - Standin' on The Corner Car Show
Winslow, AZ

Oct 1st - Full Moon Saloon Car Show
Sedona, AZ

Oct 10-23 - California Road Trip & Car Collections
Nethercutt Collection-Sylmar
Peterson Auto Museum-Los Angeles

Oct 16th - Route 66 Car Club Trash Clean-Up and Free
Breakfast Day

Nov 1-30 - Route 66 Car Club Food Drive

November 6th - Miss Piggy Car Rally

November 17-20 - Good Guys Car Show
Scottsdale, AZ

December 4th - Route 66 Car Club Christmas Party

December 10th - Northern Lights Parade

Club HELP Car Project

Cougar Update - Work on Lance's car is going along great. Lots of help from club members and others last weekend. Almost ready for primer.

Still need volunteers to help finish up. Monetary donations are also appreciated. See Lu-Ann Hunt or Jackie Clark if you would like to donate to the cause.

-- Jim Gore

A special thanks to Mandi Schaubert for helping with the reproduction and mailing of the Courier.

Seeking Contributions

If you have anything you'd like to contribute to the Route 66 Courier, please forward it to Dave Schaubert.

If you attend an automobile related event or car show/display (particularly if you take some pictures and for sure if you win, place, or show), other members would enjoy hearing about it.

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June Birthdays	
Kelly Perkins	1
Ed Wiebe	2
Dottie Haws	2
Andy Keksis	7
Lowell Page	9
Ken Mannila	17
Gale Jose	23
Michael Hernandez	30
June Anniversaries	
John & Binnie Zink	6
Bob & Maggie Bortree	12
David & Kim Johnston	17
Richard & Judy Roe	17
John & Cheryl Ossenfort	19
Ron & Ruth Fisher	24

July Birthdays	
Dale Auten	4
Janet McLaughlin	7
Bruce McLaughlin	9
Carol Pollock	13
John Scillieri	13
Diane Johnson	17
Kennedy Torel	21
Judy Roe	22
Edith Ball	23
Dewey Akers	26
Mike Whittaker	30
Debbie Castleberry	31
Ron Dinwiddie	31
July Anniversaries	
Dewey & Reisha Akers	3
Dennis & Dani Champagne	17

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Route 66 Car Club General Meeting Minutes May 11th, 2011

OLD BUSINESS

Membership Report: 74

Treasurer's Report: \$16,044.39

Cruise Report:

- Two guns Route 66 History Tour: Thank you Sean Evans everyone had a wonderful time.
- Baskin Robbins 31 cent Scoop Night: 3263 Scoops of Ice Cream served, thanks to everyone that came out to support the firefighters.
- Bee-Line Cruise In- Payson, Az. : Kelly Perkins got Best FORD! Also his El Camino was featured in CLASSIC CHEVY with a center fold and 6 page article. Way to go Kelly!
- Route 66 Fun Run: Sean Evans and The Strango's participated had a good time noted that participation was down 100 to 200 cars.
- MOAB Car Show: Everyone that attended had fun. Lots of talk about the HUGE Tractor!
- Phoenix Central Avenue Cruise: 100's of cars, great show, no cops!
- NSRA Western Nationals-Bakersfield, California: Ted Stringer took his 37 Ford on it's Maiden Voyage, and Mac & Jackie came along.

UPCOMING EVENTS

- Ladies Luncheon: Salsa Brava on Tuesday June 14th @12:00
- Mother's Day Cruise: Red Rock Café: Great Turn Out!
- Mopar's on the Mountain: Penackers and Elizabeth attended.
- Larry Greene All Chevy Show: No Report
- Summit Fire Dept. Show: June 10,11th at new location.
- Yavapai Classic Cruisers Car Show: June 18th Mile High Middle School
- Mountain View Church Father's Day Car Show: Sunday June 19th arrive @ 8:30 AM stay for BBQ lunch.
- Route 66 Summer Picnic: Sunday July 17th @ Maricopa Ramada, Bring a Pot Luck dish,\$5.00 per/person club to provide soda and meat.
- Route 665 Car Club October California Trip 13th-16th Hotel information when Robin gets it.
- Riordan Mansion: Fundraiser please attend with your car Sunday June 26, 2011.

FLAGSTAFF ROUTE 66 DAYS

- 234 Entries
- 8 paid Vendors
- 19 Sponsors: We have lost our 2500.00/1500.00 sponsor's now have mostly 250.00 and it takes a lot of them to make up for the others. In years past we have donated a total of \$125,000 to charity. Local Charities now seek us out. The outlook for this year is not good.
- AZ. Centennial



Mopars on the Mountain

Cody and Sean in Prescott.

Cody scored a second place for "A" body modifieds, and Sean snagged a first place in PT Cruiser Stock.

Bob Strenge was there with his very clean Roadrunner and was up against very stout "B" body competition.

No sign of Elizabeth and her ever winning Barracuda though.

(Ed - see related story)



Chino Valley Car Show May 21, 2011

A few of us met at 7am at ADOT to head down to the Car show. The lineup included Mac M, Kelly and Kathy P, Mike H., Jim and Joyce M, Jim and LuAnn Gore, Robin M.

ONE BROKE DOWN (CAR) before we left town, but joined us later in their other car.

Weather was Good, not like last year when the wind blew all day. The Day turned out

to be a good Day to Win for some of us. Jim and Joyce Merritt won Best of Show with their 33 Ford, Jim and Lu Ann Gore win Best Import with their Bus, Robin Moore win Best Truck with his newer truck.

They had a lot of things going on there for the Kids and lots of Food , and a Band played All day plus rides for the kids.

-- Jim & Joyce Merritt

SUMMIT FIRE DEPARTMENT CAR SHOW

Moab , Utah

June 10-11, 2011

The 9th Annual Summit Fire Department Local 1505 Car Show was held on Friday and Saturday June 10 – 11. This is an event that our club looks forward to all year long. The firemen that put on this event have shown our club tremendous hospitality in the past. They also help with our Route 66 Days Car Show in September by donating their time to man the main booth in case we have a CPR emergency.

This year's event moved from their fire station on Highway 89 to the park on Koch Field and Silver Saddle Roads. This area is a lot bigger than the fire station and will allow for lots of growth. There are a couple of large gazebos for shade and nice restrooms and even a playground for kids. There is also lots of room for spectator parking which is something that was lacking in the past.

The show starts on Friday evening with a burger burn and registration. One of the neat things about this show is you can pick out your space for the show on Saturday in advance. This allows for an easier time on Saturday morning. There is no pushing and shoving at 5:00 a.m. like at some other shows to try and get a good parking spot.

Because several of the regular firefighters had been called out to help fight several fires in the area, the registration on Friday evening was a bit chaotic. There was one poor guy trying to do everything. So some of our club ladies stepped in and took over. LuAnn Hunt, Kathy Perkins and Joyce Merritt saw what was needed and stepped in to help stuff registration packets and fold t-shirts. Their help was needed and greatly appreciated!

Saturday morning was clear and sunny with a little bit of wind. Nothing like we have had at this event before. There were about 60 cars registered for the car show with our club members having 20 of those registrations.

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“Cuda Girl” Gets a New Home **Elizabeth Neumayer**

Say it isn't so! Yes, the infamous '67 Barracuda has a new home. On June 13th, Club VP's beautiful little ragtop Mopar entered the impressive harem of classic cars owned by Yavapai Classic Cruisers fearless leader, Gary Frey. Gary owns 13 other beauties, ranging from a '36 Plymouth Touring Sedan to a '48 Chrysler New Yorker to one of his newest: a '62 Chrysler Newport Convertible. Gary and his wife Sue are regular attendees at our Car Show and

have won several times in the past. He can't wait to take the Barracuda out for shows but claims he won't be bringing her to the Route 66 Car Show this September. (why not?!)

Since purchasing the Barracuda in 2007 from a Mopar enthusiast in California, Elizabeth and her “Cuda Girl” have won their fair share of accolades at shows including Best Mopar, Best Convertible, Best Plymouth, Best Original Restored, Top 10, Participant's Choice, Best Muscle, Best “A” Body, and many 1st and 2nd Places in the 1960's age category. With only 60,000 original miles on the 273 cubic inch V8 engine, this numbers matching classic



was coveted by many a Mopar lover across Arizona.

A little history note: The Plymouth Barracuda was manufactured by the Plymouth division of the Chrysler Corporation from 1964-1974. The Plymouth Barracuda was the first pony car/muscle car, debuting two weeks before the Ford Mustang. The first-generation Barracuda, a fastback A-body coupe based on the Plymouth Valiant, had a distinctive wrap around back glass and was available from 1964-1966. The second-generation 1967-1969 Barracuda, though still Valiant-based, was heavily redesigned. Second-generation A-body cars were available in fastback, notchback, and convertible versions. The 1970-1974 E-body Barracuda, no longer Valiant-based, was available as a coupe and a Convertible, both

of which were very different from the previous models. Of the '67 Convertible version (which was the first year of the Barracuda Convertibles), only 4,228 were produced, making it a highly desirable collectible.

So, what's next in line for this Mopar-loving gal? Only time will tell.

For now, I am a classic car enthusiast instead of owner. Guess for now it's MOPAR OR NO CAR! Ha Ha Ha! But what IS certain, the “Cuda Girl” will continue to turn heads at car events and conjure up fond memories in the minds of show spectators who remember when they used to have one, back in the day



Dear Members,

On October 13-16 2011, I am leading a road trip to California. During this trip we will be touring several of the best auto museums in southern California. I am including the details below, including the hotel information. It is important for you to book the hotel asap, but I think we will be good if you do this in the next two or three weeks, the hotel is rather large. The quicker we book the better chance that we will be together, but I leave that to you.

October 13 we will depart Flagstaff at 7:30 am and head for Kingman, AZ. In Kingman we will stop for a quick breakfast at the Cracker Barrell, and then head for Barstow, Ca. We can either fill up in Kingman or we will refill at the Lake Havasu exit before venturing into California. We will be staying at the

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October 14th We will leave the hotel at 8:30 am for our first stop: The Nethercutt Collection in Sylmar, California. The collection consists of some of the rarest cars from the turn of the century and early 1900's. Each automobile is registered and street worthy. The collection has been represented by at least one car in each year since 1957 at the Pebble Beach Concourse d' Elegance, winning best of show a record 18 times, including a 9 times in a 12 year period, 1998-2009. Along with the automobiles, the Nethercutt Collection boasts the worlds largest collection of hood ornaments, and music box collection that includes the 118 pipe organ that used to be in the Grand Fox Theater in San Francisco.. The museum also houses a Royal Canadien Locomotive, tender car, and custom coach car that travelled the rails at the turn of the century.

On the evening of the 14th we will travel to the last Bob's Big Boy in the U.S. also located in Burbank California. Along with being the last it is the oldest, having opened in 1947. Each Friday night, they have a classic car cruise in.

October 15th we will travel down the freeway and tur the Petersen Auto Museum. This museum houses many television and Film cars, including George Barris' Batmobile, and the Munster's Coach car. Many of the vehicles are featured with background sets.

October 16th, we will head home, but we will stop at the Wally Parks NHRA Museum at the L.A. Fairgrounds.

I think this could really be a trip to remember and I know and promise you will see some cars for the first time, and never forget them. I myself went to the Nethercutt Museum for the first time in 1978, and have always wanted to return. The collection now is more than twice the size when I first went there. I hope you will consider joining me on this once in a lifetime trip.

If you make reservations at the hotel, please drop me an email and let me know or call me at rt66galaxieboy@gmail.com or 928-607-3225. When making your reservation, please mention "ROUTE 66 Car Club" and tell them you have a AAA card for an added discount.

Thank You,
Robin Moore

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This event is presented by Riordan Action Network

For more information: riordanactionnet@aol.com

Contact Darrell Boomgaarden for car show details 814-1487

(Summit Car Show continued from Page 5)

Club members showing cars included: Mike Hernandez ('66 Pontiac), Kathy Perkins ('66 Mustang), Jim and Joyce Merritt ('57 Nomad), Kelly Perkins ('70 El Camino), Robin Moore (renting Mac McCrorey's '31 Plymouth for the day), Ted Stringer and Jann Blankenship (the local debut of his gorgeous new '37 Ford Coupe), Randy Travis ('64 Impala that later turned into a '50 Cadillac), Lacey Ebersole ('71 Nova), Mike and Pam Ebersole ('71 Chevelle), Ed and Pat Wiebe ('36 Chevy), Sean Evans ('05 PT Cruiser), Bob Strenge ('72 Barracuda), Kan Manilla ('56 Thunderbird), Susan Miller ('59 Metropolitan), Andy and Mona Keksis ('59 Corvette), Dick Roe ('70 Porsche), Jerry McGlothlin ('66 Jaguar), Mark and Kathy Strango and kids ('71 Chevelle), Lowell and Sallie Page ('79 MGB), and Jim Gore and LuAnn Hunt ('59 VW Bus).

Club members that were car less for the day but still showed up were John Fajardo, Bob and Maggie Bortree, Lance McKee, Vern Pfannenstiel, and Beth, Eric and Jennifer Summers and their army.

The usual Phoenix group didn't show this year so there were fewer out of town cars. The few out of towners that did show had some very nice cars! They included a gold '50 Ford Coupe, and a fantastic black Cadillac convertible. The recipient of our first ever Route 66 Car Club "We Dig Your Ride" award was a two tone blue '55 Hudson Hornet from Henderson Nevada. They were very happy to win the award and said they are looking forward to coming to our show in September.

There were some good hot dogs and hamburgers being sold and there was some pretty intense scrabble games going on in the gazebo between Mike Hernandez and Kathy and Kelly Perkins. I don't know who won their game.

Our club did very well at the awards. Award winners were: Kathy Perkins – 1st Place Ford, Jim and Joyce Merritt – 1st Place Chevy, Kelly Perkins – 2nd Place Truck, Robin Moore – 1st Place Mopar, Ted Stringer and Jann Blankenship – 1st Place Custom, Bob Strenge – 2nd Place Mopar, Ken Manilla – 2nd Place Ford, Susan Miller – 1st Place Import, Andy and Mona Keksis – 2nd Place Chevy, Dick Roe – 2nd Place Import. Jerry McGlothlin won \$135 in the 50/50 drawing. Best of Show and People's Choice was won by a fantastic candy brandywine '31 Ford Sedan from Flagstaff. This car was one of our Sensational Six award winners last year and will be featured on our event shirts this year.

Overall, we were all a little bit sunburned and wind blown, but we had a great time visiting with each other.
