



NEW MEXICO COUNCIL OF CAR CLUBS
“Where Car Enthusiasts Meet”
FOUNDED IN 1977 TO REPRESENT THE AUTOMOBILE HOBBY IN NEW MEXICO
MEETS 4TH WEDNESDAY EACH MONTH, JANUARY-
OCTOBER AT 7:00pm

NEWSLETTER FOR JULY 2024

NEXT MEETING SCHEDULED FOR WEDNESDAY, JULY 24, 2024 AT 7:00pm.
PLEASE NOTE: OUR PERMANENT MEETING SITE IS NOW
MANZANO MESA MULTIGENERATIONAL CENTER, 501 ELIZABETH ST. SE.
Don't forget the upcoming Council event, THE ALL CLUBS PICNIC on August 11.

Robert Gold of the Wheels of Gold CC is webmaster and newsletter editor. Check the web site to for the updated event listing and to make sure your club's info is correct. If not, contact **Robert** at President@nmcouncil.com

I Didn't Miss This One!—The 2024 Lowrider Super Show

From time to time in this space I'd like to relate car stories that I find interesting. Here's my latest tale:

Hi All-- In an earlier issue of this newsletter I professed my newfound admiration for the culture of lowrider cars. I noted that I'd be sure to attend the 2024 Lowrider Super Show here in town. Well, I now can say I walked the complete expanse of this year's show at the Convention Center. I attended the show with my true love, Anne Mae as well as our daughter, Sara and a young friend, Alex. Before I describe this spectacular show I think you might be interested to know that in addition to me seeing lowriders in the southwest and west I ran into a New Mexico lowrider in non-other than the venerable Smithsonian Museum in Washington D.C. A display of New Mexico objects included a stellar lowrider with all it's trophies. Check it out in in this picture. Thinking about this I realized that whoever owns that ride should feel conflicted. First it is quite a complement to have their car there, but the downside is you don't get to drive your creation. Just a thought.





The display I witnessed on June 2 was a lot bigger than the lone car at the Smithsonian. I would estimate between 2-3 thousand cars were on display (Just kidding). However, the complete extent of the cars on display was enough to make my legs wobbly by the time I looked at the last shiny example of a lowrider. As strange as might seem, many of these cars reminded me of the cars of my youth. You see I owned a 54 Chevy for my first car and then traded it up to a 64 Impala SuperSport Convertible. For you in the know, these are two of the most coveted cars to be transformed into a lowrider. I can't begin to count the number of 64's I saw and I yearned to get behind a wheel of one of them... Don't worry I didn't try! I guess my own cars make me sort of a cousin, once removed, to the lowrider culture. By the way—a bit of 64 trivia. My 64 Impala was equipped with a factory tach. Out of the 20 or so 64's at the show only one had this rare accessory. VERY INTERESTING!

So the family survived the dueling security scanners entering a hall that literally glowed from the lights signing on the inspired creations. One thing I was surprised to see was the number of cars literally covered in engraved and chromed accents. I think such artisans would be well suited to engrave our money for the Bureau of Engraving. I could go on about how the cars looked, but as they say, "A picture is worth a thousand words", so I'll let the pictures of the show at the end of this article do the talking.



I should also point out that the crowds I see at events in Albuquerque are fun to watch and this group met that standard. There was a grand mixture of all sorts of people, many in garb that just screamed Lowrider culture. If I could look that good in a turned down fedora, I would have bought one from one of the vendors. Alas, I'm doomed to the baseball cap look. In addition to the dudes, we had the female side of the culture, decked out in outfits that were certain to gain attention. I certainly can't forget the food vendors. By the number of food trucks I saw I imagined that we could conduct a census of the local eateries just on the grounds of the show. YUM! I also enjoyed the live music that was provided. I guess I should have simply said, I saw a lot of stuff and loved it all. Enough of all this talk. Let's gaze upon some of the rides that filled the Albuquerque Convention Center on June 2, 2024:



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Celebrating our 2nd Collector Car Appreciation Day

This year marks the 2nd year we've partnered with the Wheels Museum for this event. Here is the report of another successful event:



My buddies know that I'm not inclined to brag about our Car Council events. NOT MUCH!!?? So I'm here to brag a lot about this year's Collector Car Appreciation Day. It's the second year for the show in its current form. I'm sure that those of you who stopped by the Wheels Museum last year would agree that a good time was had by all. Whether you liked getting free snacks, or enjoyed touring the Wheels Museum, or took home a prize or gift, there was something cool for everybody.

I have a secret to tell you. I've figured out a way to control the weather for this event. All I needed to do was arrange the greeting tables on the west side of the Wheels Museum. Because of this we were in shade right until the 11 am end of the show For you car show veterans you know how great it is to sit in the shade for a complete show. No rearranging your chair to chase the coolness all you needed to do was set up and lean back again the Museum's wall. You for sure had it, "MADE IN THE SHADE". The smiles I saw confirmed that everyone was having a great time.



I should also mention this year's event boasted even more great things to eat. The gang was supplied with Muffins, apple pastries, and donuts, not to mention JD's special blend coffee and the cold drinks. What's not to like! Oh yes, I forgot the free giveaway stuff like magazines, books, key chains, and stickers. All this free stuff was given away to thank you, the classic car hobby for your support of all this year's car events.

I guess that's enough of the "touchy feely" stuff. It's now time to describe what happened at this year's event. You might remember that last year's show consisted of mostly a few classics at a time pulling up checking us out and leaving in short manner. Not this year. We had cars lined up before 7:30 (8:00 was the starting time!). The classics kept on coming and when all was said and done there were upwards of 30 cars lined up and no one budged until the shade disappeared and it was time to go. THANKS TO YOU GUYS AND GALS!

We're now to the point when I describe this year's car lineup. Collector Car Appreciation Day was conceived as a way to thank everyone involved in the car culture. Whether you have a Chevy, Ford, or whatever, you're welcome to participate. For our event we had muscle cars, show queens, and you'll not believe it, but a lowrider Caddy Hearse that was slammed to the ground. What a great day and what a great lineup. I think we could never have a better group of cars. We'll have to see who shows up next year!

I want to end this tomb with thanks for Channel 13 for sending a reporter to cover our event. I'll make sure to send them a Christmas Car this year. Lol I also need to thank Angela, JD, and Anne Mae for their help in setting this show up. I should mention Leba Freed, the head of the Wheels Museum was sick and couldn't attend. We all wish here a speedy recovery.

OK, here are shots of this year's attendees. Again, thanks for taking to time to celebrate Collector Car Appreciation Day with us. See you next year.—Robert Gold, Editor





NMCCC SPONSORED EVENTS AND OTHER CAR EVENTS IN OR AROUND NEW MEXICO THROUGH 2024.

Please note: The most current calendar of New Mexico events can be found on the Council website, nmcarcouncil.com

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CAR EVENTS, IN OR AROUND NEW MEXICO 2024

Date of Event	Name of event	Description	Contact info
July 20, 2024	Farmington, NM-- Grass Station Car Event	Grass Station, Farmington	505.278.8825
July 20, 2024	Espanola, NM-- 2nd Annual Culture Fest	Starts at 5:30, Plaza del Espanola, 706 E Bond St, Espanola, NM 87532	Contact City Espanola
July 20, 2024	Portales, NM-- Heritage Days Car Show	City Park, 9th 7 Abilene	Chamber-- 575.356.8541
July 20, 2024	Chimayo, NM-- First Annual Community Fair Day at Santuario de Chimayo	12 pm- 5 pm, Holy Family Parish, 1440 Private Dr. Chimayo, NM 87522, If you are interested in participating in this event you must register.	Contact Glenda or Elaine at 505.351.4360
July 21, 2024	Rio Rancho, NM-- Artist Barbershop Show & Shine	12 pm- 4 pm-- 2345 Southern Blvd SE, Rio Rancho, NM 87124	Text your name & car model to 505.900.5697 to reserve your spot
July 24, 2024	NMCCC-- General Meeting	7:00 pm-- Manzano Mesa Multgenerational Center-- 501 Elizabeth St SE, Albuquerque, NM-- Member clubs and vistors welcome	Robert Gold President@nmcarcouncil.com
July 27, 2024	Mescalero, NM-- Classic Car Show	Casino Apache	Casino- 575.464.7059
July 27, 2024	Cedar Crest, NM-- East Mountains Cars & Coffee	8:30 am- 10:30 am, North highway 14, nest to Triangle Grocery, Cedar Crest, NM	Contact Jerry Vallejos
July 27, 2024	Farmington, NM-- Lions Club and the Farmington Library Car Show	On the Farmington Librarry Grass. Proceeds to help the Library.	Phil Kennedy-- 505.609.3547
July 28, 2024	Albuquerque, NM-- Brewery Cruise	12 pm meet, 1 pm roll out, Café Bella Coffee to Hub City Brewing	Contact Jerry Vallejos- EMCARSNCOFFEE@gmail.com or on Facebook
August 3, 2024	Aztec, NM-- DeDe's Golden Ram 7th Annual Car Show	Riverside Park, S. Lightplant Rd	Info- Johnny- 505.215.4774, Alista- shedville32@yahoo.com
August 3, 2024	Santa Fe County, NM-- Cars 4 Clovers	9 am- 1 pm, Santa Fe Fairgrounds	sfcountyfair@protonmail.com
August 3, 2024	Albuquerque, NM-- Patriot Palooza	11 am- 3 pm, Old Route 66 Car Show, 5000 San Mateo Blvd NE	Goodwill Industries of NM

August 3, 2024	Quemado, NM-- 3rd Quemado Car Show	8 am- 10 am, Quemado High School, Registration \$25 before and day of Sshow	Mail- Quemado Auxillary, CFP 691 Hwy 36, Quemado, NM 87829
August 4, 2024	Albuquerque, NM-- High Desert Mustang Club Car Show	11 am- 3 pm, Craft Republic Bar & Grill	Chris- christophervaldez28@yahoo.
August 10, 2024	Farmington, NM-- 1st Annual Red Line Crew Car Show and Shoe Drive	Place TBA, Farmington? Red Line Car Club	505.278.4285
August 10, 2024	Las Cruces, NM-- Las Cruces Beer Fest Car Show	Downtown Plaza	Alycia- 575.621.4612
August 10, 2024	Albuquerque, NM-- Explosion Music Festival & Car Show	Balloon Fiesta Park, Albuquerque, NM, early bird ticket only \$25., Kids Free	www.thelatinexplosion.com
August 10, 2024	Los Lunas, NM-- Car Show hosted by men's ministry	Join us at Calvary Chapel New Harvest for a car show hosted by men's ministry	facebook.com- car show @ ccnh
August 11, 2024	Tijeras, NM-- NM Car Council All Clubs Picnic	10 am- 3 pm, Oak Flats Picnic Area, Cibola National Forest	Robert Gold President@nmcouncil.com
August 17, 2024	Las Cruces, NM-- 17th Donate For life Car Show	Young Park	Lupe- 575.649.7814
August 17, 2024	Farmington, NM-- 5th Annual Celebrate Recovery Car Show	Brookside Park, Farmington	Wes Lisenbee- 432.307.0484
August 17, 2024	Las Cruces, NM- 17th Donate for Life Car Show	Young Park	Lupe- 575.649.7814
August 18, 2024	Blanco, NM-- 13th Annual Wine & Shine Car Show	Wines of the San Juan, Blanco, NM	970.903.4177
August 18, 2024	Albuquerque, NM-- Make-A-Wish Show Hosted by Camaro Club of NM	10 am- 2 pm, Target on Paseo Del Norte and I-25	
August 24, 2024	Shiprock, NM-- Back to School Car Show	Subway Parking Lot, Shiprock, NM	Nate Ellison and Red Line Crew-- 505.278.4640
August 24, 2024	Las Cruces, NM- 3rd Annual Car Show Fiesta	Sisbarro- 425 W. Boutz	Jeff Jansen- 920.248.1122
August 24, 2024	NMCCC-- General Meeting	7:00 pm-- Manzano Mesa Multgererational Center-- 501 Elizabeth St SE, Albuquerque, NM-- Member clubs and vistors welcome	Robert Gold President@nmcouncil.com
August 27, 2024	Albuquerque, NM--- Mr. C's Tees Car Show	3 pm- 8 pm, Central & Sunset	505.410.6451

August 31, 2024	Farmington, NM-- Tres Rios Habitat for Humanity Car Show	Main Street, Farmington, NM	habitatSanJuan@gmail.com
September 2-8, 2024	Farmington, NM-- Four Corners 4x4 Week	Farmington, NM	Sponsor 4x4- 505.326.7602
September 6-7, 2024	Ruidoso, NM-- Cruise to the Pines		575.258.5500
Sept 13-15, 2024	Farmington, NM-- Collector Car Weekend	FCOCC sponsor, Cruise-In, swap meet, and show	farmingtonnm.org/events/collector-car-weekend
September 15, 2024	Cloudcroft, NM-- Heritage Day Vintage Car Show	1001 James Canyon Hwy	Chamber-- 575.682.2733
Sept 19-21, 2024	Aztec, NM-- 10th Annual Classic Truck Show	Riverside Park, Aztec, NM	
September 21, 2024	Albuquerque, NM-- Sock Hop Cruise In	Meet at Smith at Tramway & Central SE at 8 am Cruise to Enchanted Trails RV & Trading Post 14305 Central NW, Show begins at 10:00 am	Michelle-- 505.459.8719 or Angela-- 505.440.1514
September 21, 2024	Benson, AZ-- Classic Cars OFF Main	Lions Park	Benson Clean & Beautiful-- bensoncandb@gmail.com
September 21, 2024	Vado, NM-- Vet's Fall Car Show/Swap Meet	Vado Speedway Park	Jim Erickson- 575.642.8818
September 22, 2024	Farmington, NM-- Low Classics of Summer Bash	Old Harley Davidson Dealership in Farmington, NM. Setup and registration 8- noon. Car show Noon- 4 pm	Jody Gonzales-- lowclassics65@gmail.com
September 22, 2024	Cloudcroft, NM-- Lumberjack Car Show/Swap Meet	Zenith Park	Tony Liello- 575.649-1932
September 25, 2024	NMCCC-- General Meeting	7:00 pm-- Manzano Mesa Multgenerational Center-- 501 Elizabeth St SE, Albuquerque, NM-- Member clubs and vistors welcome	Robert Gold President@nmcarcouncil.com
September 28, 2024	Albuquerque, NM-- 9th Annual Covertible Cars Cruise to the Crest	10 am- noon, meet at Smith's at Tramway and Central. All makes are welcome.	Contact Mike- 505.228.3346
September 29, 2024	Farmington, NM-- Masonic Lodeg #25 Car Show	Farmington, NM	
October 5, 2024	Mescalero, NM- 37th Run to the Inn of Mtn Gods	Inn of the Mountain Gods	Ron Duscha- 915.598.0621, earlytimesstreetrodders.com
October 11, 2024	Las Cruces, NM-- Las Cruces Pizza Fest Car Show	6 pm- 10 pm, Downtown Plaza	Alycia- 575.621.4612

October 12, 2024	Magdalena, NM-- Kids' Science Café Car Show	202 Spruce Street, Magdalena, NM	jsauer000@gmail.com
October 12, 2024	Mesilla, NM- 20th Annual Los Leones Show	Mesilla Town Hall	Richard- 575.642.4740
October 12, 2024	Las Cruces, NM-- Foreign Car Show & Swap Meet	Sisbarrow VW Autoworld	Jeff Jansen- 920.248.1122
October 12, 2024	Aztec, NM-- Aztec Fall Festival and Car Show	Minium Park, Aztec, NM	Aztec Chamber of Commerce- 505.860.4487
October 19-20, 2024	Las Cruces, NM- Air/Space Expo Car Show	Las Cruces Intl Airport	Tania Privette- 575.649.9222
October 25, 2024	NMCCC-- General Meeting	7:00 pm-- Manzano Mesa Multgerational Center-- 501 Elizabeth St SE, Albuquerque, NM-- Member clubs and vistors welcome	Robert Gold President@nmcarcouncil.com
October 26, 2024	Santa Fe, NM-- Trunk or Treat Car Show/Cruise	5 pm- 9 pm, Glow in the Dar Car Show, Across from Signs of Santa Fe, NM 87507, 2900 Rufina St. Santa Fe, NM 87507	For vehicle entry or vendor inf text 505. 470.7573, emaial dardesignssugardolls@gmail.com
October 31, 2024	Farmington, NM-- Trunk or Treat	6:00 pm, Animas Valley Mall, Farmington, NM, weather permitting	Red Line Crew
November 9, 2024	T or C, NM-- Veteran's Day Car Show	Albert Lyon Event Center, T or C, NM, American Legion Post #44	575.894.1968
November 11, 2024	Cuba, NM-- Veteran's Day Car & Bike Show	11 am- 2:30 pm, Immaculate Conception Church, 6440 US-550 Cuba, NM 87013	
November 11, 2024	Albuquerque, NM-- The Curley's Annual Veteran's Shine & Show	All proceeds go to the Steel Bridge Ministries, Central Grill & Coffee House, 2056 Central Ave. SW, 87104	Info-- 505.347.6667
December 7, 2024	Las Cruces, NM- Salvation Army Toy Drive	K-Mart (Hwy 70)- Rudy's	Noel- 575.524.4713



Recurring Events

Updated 5/2/2024

RECURRING CAR CLUB MEETINGS AND EVENTS 2024

*****New Mexico Car Clubs Meeting Information*****

Where/When	Description	Contact info
Albuquerque, NM- Fourth Wednesday of the Month	<u>New Mexico Council of Car Clubs</u> , 7:00 pm-- Manzano Mesa Multigerational Center-- 501 Elizabeth St SE, Albuquerque, NM-- Member clubs and vistors welcome	Robert Gold President@nmcouncil.com
Albuquerque, NM- First Sunday of the Month	<u>Albuquerque Model Car Club</u> , Afternoon, Wheels Museum, Albuquerque Model Car Club 2024 Meetings: Every 1st Sunday @ 2:00 p.m. Folks can arrive as early as 12 Noon to build and talk models. Meeting starts at 2:00 and ends around 4:00 Meeting Location: Wheels Museum 1100 2nd St SW Albuquerque, New Mexico	ABQMCC1@yahoo.com, Rich Hansell 505- 837-1346
Albuquerque, NM-- First Tuesday of the Month	<u>The AAAVWCLUB/Rt66 ACVW</u> meets the 1st Tuesday of the month at 7 pm at Fuddruckers on Pan American South near Jefferson	aaavwclub@aol.com
Las Cruces, NM- First Sunday of the Month	<u>Borderland A's Model A Ford Chapter of the Model A Ford Club of America</u> , meets 1st Sunday at 2:30 pm at the Branigan Library, North Main at Spruce, Las Cruces	Rick Black- 541.499.1356
Albuquerque, NM-- 3rd Friday of the month (except December)	<u>New Mexico Corvette Association</u> at Car Crafters, 600 Montano Blvd, NE, Albuquerque, NM, at 6:30 pm	Mary Mieczko Membership Chairman, Info@nmcorvette.org
Rio Rancho, NM- Second Sunday of the Month	<u>The Rio Grande Corvette Club</u> meets the second Sunday of the month at 3201 Renaissance Drive, Rio Rancho, NM 87124. (Southern and Country Club Rd). <u>This is a gated community.</u>	Jerry-- 505.688.7381
Carlsbad, NM-- First Thursday of the Month	<u>Cars Club of Carlsbad (Carlsbad Automobile Restoration Society)</u> , Pizza Inn, 1210 West Pierce	Amy Pence- pence@plateautel.net, www.carsclubofcarlsbad.com

Albuquerque, NM-- Second Friday of the Month	<u>CRC (Christian Rods & Customs)</u> , meets at 6 pm on the second Friday of every month at Grace Church on Ellison NE	Gary Burns- gjburns625@gmail.com , 505.903.2840
Albuquerque, NM-- First Tuesday of the Month	<u>Tumbleweed Ford V8 Club of Albuquerque</u> , meetings at the North Domingo Baca Multigenerational Center, 7600 Carmel NE at 7 pm.	Contact Joyce at oldcarnut1932@gmail.com
Alamogordo, NM-- First Thursday of the Month	<u>The Golden Gears Car Club</u> , NORMALLY meets on the 1st Thursday of the month at 7 pm at the VW Office Hwy 70 Alamogordo	Valerie LaRue- brebiz@yahoo.com
Las Cruces, NM-- 1st Tuesday of Month	<u>Las Cruces Car Council</u> meets at 6:30pm @ Rudy's Bar-B-Q	Info- Sandy-- seric1998@yahoo.com
Albuquerque, NM-- Every third Thursday	<u>Mopar Muscle Club of NM</u> , meets at 7:00 pm at Luigi's on 4th Street, Albuquerque,	Leona, Secretary, lctarta@sandia.gov , nmmopars@gmail.com
Albuquerque, NM00 first Thursday of the month	<u>Old Car Club of Albuquerque</u> , meets at Sandia Presbyterian Church, 10704 Paseo del Norte NE at 7 pm.	Contact Joyce at oldcarnut1932@gmail.com
Albuquerque, NM-- 4th Thursday of the Month except in November (one week early)	<u>The Tin Lizzies of Albuquerque</u> meet at their new location North Domingo Baca Multigenerational Center (Paseo del Norte & Wyoming) 7521 Carmel Ave Ne always at 6:30 pm.	tinlizziesofabq@gmail.com
Albuquerque, NM-- Second Tuesday of the Month	<u>The Vintage Chevrolet Club of America Rio Grande Region</u> meets the second Tuesday of the month at 7 pm at Dion's Pizza, 11000 Cnetral Ave SEE at Elizabeth Ave.	Bruce Miller- bmiller2tx@yahoo.com

Albuquerque, NM-- First Tuesday of the Month	<u>The Rt 66 VW Club</u> meets the first Tuesday of the month at Fudruckers off of I25 at 7 pm, if you choose to have dinner there come at 6:30 pm.	Vikki Ridgley- bikkiridgley@msn.com
Albuquerque, NM-- 4th Saturday of the Month	<u>The Zia Studebaker Packard Club</u> USUALLY meets the 4th Saturday of the month at 1 pm. The location is at a DIFFERENT area restaurant or event during the year.	Charlie Brown-- cfbrown1949@yahoo.com

*****Recurring Car Events Information*****

Where/When	Description	Contact info
Albuquerque, NM- Every 3rd Saturday	Sandia BMW Coffee Meet & Greet- 8:30am- 10:30am, Sandia BMW, 600 Pan American Fwy, Albuquerque	
Albuquerque, NM Every Tuesday 7am- 9am	Hot Rod/Old Car Breakfast & Chile Fix-- at Chile Fix 3351 Candelaria NE	Eugene Burditt & Joe Cromey
Albuquerque, NM Saturday mornings	Breakfast at Rich Ford- Saturday mornings, 7:30-9:30am, Rich Ford-- Wyoming and Lomas, Albuquerque	Paul McLaughlin-- pmacautoart@msn.com
Albuquerque, NM Saturdays	Donut Derelicts meet at The Market Place at the Journal Center at 8am on Saturdays, 7620 Jefferson NE (on Jefferson between Paseo & San Antonio) Park on NW corner	pasalerno@prodigy.net, Pat Salerno

Albuquerque, NM 1st Saturday of the month	Cars-N-Coffee-- Owl Café July-Dec, 1st Saturday of the month-- Owl Café, Lomas & Eubank, Albuquerque	Ski Martin-- 505-291-4900
Albuquerque, NM 2nd Saturday of each month	Cars & Coffee-- April thru October-- 2nd Saturday of month-- Grace Church parking lot, 6901 San Antonio NE, Albuquerque	bcougar67@msn.com, 505-301-8857
Albuquerque, NM Last Saturday of the month-- CANCELLED	Cars & Coffee at Cottonwood Mall-- Last Saturday of the month- South Parking Lot Cottonwood Mall, 9-11am	brianna.magana@washingtonprime.com or http://cottonwoodmall.com/envents-news/event/2021/08/28/default-calendar/coffee-and-cars
Albuquerque, NM 3rd Saturday each month April-Oct	Christian Rods & Customs Cruise Night--3rd Saturday each month April-Oct , 6pm 'til ?, Eastdale Shopping Center at Eubank NE and Candelaria NE	www.christianroddsandcustoms.org or see Facebook
Albuquerque, NM Saturday mornings	Cars & Coffee, 7:45 am to 11 am, Satellite Coffee, 7600 Jefferson NE	https://carsandcoffeeabq.weebly.com/location.html
Albuquerque, NM Scheduled times	Owl Café invites car clubs to eat at the Owl, 800 Eubank NE. Will reserve patio for your meeting.	505-291-4900 to reserve
Albuquerque, NM, 1st Thursday of the month, May to October 2023	4pm-8pm, Car Show/ Live Music, North Domingo Multigenerational Center, Wyoming North of Paseo del Norte	cbp37@q.com
Albuquerque, NM-- Monthly (beginning Oct 14, 2023)	Cars & Coffee, beginning Oct 14, 8am-10am, Poulin Design Center & Marketplace, 8600 Pan American Freeway NE, Ste B	Chamisa Roehrig-croehrig@poulinremodeling.com
Albuquerque, NM- Second Thursday's of the Month	Monica's El Portal Resturant, 321 Rio Grande Blvd NW at 8am.	Art Sena 505-220-0143
Albuquerque, NM- Every Saturday	Westside Car & Coffee, 9am-11am, Bask Bath Bar- 5750 McMahan Blvd. NW	Andy Thompson-westsidecabq@gmail.com

Albuquerque, NM- Saturdays	Car & Coffee Albuquerque, 7:45am- 11am, Satellite Coffee, 7600 Jefferson St. NE	
Albuquerque, NM-- 1st Saturday of the month	Mopar Muscle Club of NM Cars- n-Coffee, 9:00 am at El Patron north of Paseo del Norte	Leona, Secretary- lctarta@sandia.gov, nmmopars@gmail.com
Alamogordo, NM- 1st Saturday of the month	Cars & Coffee Cruise-in, Casa Toyota, 333 N. White Sands Blvd.	Casa Toyota- 575.921.5580
Bernalillo, NM 3rd Wed. Evening each month	Daniel's Under the Hood Crew: Cruise Night, 5:00pm 'til ?-- Abuelito's on Hwy 313 Bernalillo	Priscilla 505-250-7990
Bosque Farms, NM-- Every Wednesday	Car guys breakfast- Sopas Restaurant, 1700 Bosque Farms Blvd.	Bud Hennessy-- 505.715.3951
Carlsbad, NM-- Second and Fourth Saturday of the Month	Cars and Coffee, 8 am- 10 am, Kaledoscoops, 425 N. Canal, Carlsbad, NM	Amy Pence-- pence@plateautel.net, www.carsclubofcarlsbad.com
Cedar Crest, NM East Mountains Cars & Coffee	Last Saturday in months April- Oct from 8:30am-10:00 am. Parking lot between Cabra Coffee and Cedar Crest PO	cturner@sandia.gov or Deb Toner debtoner505@gmail.com
Farmington, NM 2nd Saturday each month	NNMSR Cars, Coffee & Donuts-- Farmington 2nd Saturday each month from 8:30am- ? at Dunkin Donuts, San Juan Plaza	Belinda Kennedy-- belindas87@msn.com 505-609-3547
El Paso, TX Every 3rd Friday	Cruise At Blake's Lotaburger, Hawkins & I-10	Clark Scott-- 951-965-1727
El Paso, TX 2nd Saturday of each month	Caffeine & Octane, 9-11am at Peter Piper Pizza, Coronado	Charles Roybal-- car408w@gmail.com
Farmington, NM 2nd Saturday of each month	NNMSR Cars & Coffee-- 8:30am -?, Farmington Dunkin Donuts, San Juan Plaza	Belinda Kennedy- belindas87@msn.com, 505.609.3547.

Las Cruces, NM 3rd Sunday each month	Sunday Cruise, 3rd Sunday each month, Downtown Plaza	Hector Castro-- 575-650-4018
Las Cruces, NM 3rd Sunday	Pancake Breakfast@Airport-- EAA Hangar	Wes Baker-- 575.520-0451
Las Cruces, NM 1st Friday	LC Friday Cruise-- Downtown Plaza to ???	Hector Castro-- 575.650.4018
Las Cruces, NM From 6-8pm each Saturday night, April- October	Cruise from 6-8pm each Saturday night, April-October, Dion's on Lohman Oct-April.	Rex Porter 575-650-8547
Las Cruces, NM- Wednesdays	Old Geezer Hot Rod Lunch, 11 am to whenever, Dion's on El Paseo	Rex Porter 575-650-8547
Las Cruces, NM 1st Saturday every month	Swap Meet-- Big Daddy's Flea Market	Walter Brown 575-541-1198
Las Cruces, NM	Las Cruces Cars & Coffee Milagro's Coffee, Las Cruces, NM	cruces_carsncoffee@yahoo.com or facebook Cruces Cars and Coffee
Los Lunas, NM-- 2nd Saturday of the month	Rickshaws monthly cruise	Ed Marihugh-- marihughhome@gmail.com
Rio Rancho, NM Each Friday night	Tacos & Rides-- Each Friday night, 7pm-9pm, Café Bella Coffee, 2115 Golf Course Rd SE, Rio Rancho, NM	Mike Gonzales, gonzalesracing@gmail.com
Santa Fe, NM 1st Saturday of the month	Cars & Coffee--First Saturday every month, 9-11am, Four Season Rancho Encantado	Sponsors Palenian and Bob Hall
Tijeras, NM 2nd Saturday each month June-Oct	Ice Cream Social Cruise Night 2nd Saturday each month June- Oct Old Tyme Shop Ice Cream Parlor-- Rte. 14- 6:30- Closing.	(505) 281-3892, oldtymeshop@msn.com
T or C, NM 1st Saturday of the month	T or C, NM-- R & C Sumthin's Ice Cream Shop Saturday Night Cruising- 902 N. Date St, T or C- 1st Sat of month, May-Oct, 5-9 pm	575.894-1040, sumthins@windstream.net

*****RACING*****

Name of Event	Description	Contact info
Racing-- Mopar Challenge Series	ABQ Dragway	www.nmmopars.com or nmmopars@gmail.com
Racing-- Southwest Motorsports	Sandia Speedway	www.swms.org
Albuquerque Dragway	Directions-- S Broadway, E on Bobby Foster Rd	www.abqdragway.com or 888-925-2227



MINUTES: June 24 Meeting

Sorry Folks—The minutes were not available at the time of the publication of this newsletter. Check out our website, nmcarcouncil.com for the latest available minutes.



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Ok, guess what does this picture shows? It's a shot from the VIRTUAL auto Olympic racing series sponsored by the Federation Internationale de 'Automobile for this year's Olympic games in Paris. Which brings up the question, "Should auto racing be in the Olympics?" What do you think?

NEXT MEETING SCHEDULED FOR JULY 24, 2024 AT 7:00 pm.

DON'T FORGET!! The Car Council's All Clubs Picnic which takes place on August 11 from 10 am- 3 pm, Oak Flats Picnic Are, Cibola National Forest