

Happy New Year 2023

Traveling with the

Rim Country Classic Auto Club

Payson Arizona

JANUARY FEBRUARY MARCH 2023



THE RIM COUNTRY CLASSIC AUTO CLUB IS A NON-PROFIT ORGANIZATION FOR THE PURPOSE OF:

- ◆ Providing social, educational and recreational activities for its membership.
- ◆ Participating in and supporting civic activities for the betterment of the community.
- ◆ Encouraging and promoting the preservation and restoration of classic motor vehicles.
- ◆ Providing organized activities involving the driving and showing of member's cars.

Join Us!

RCCAC meets at 6:30p.m. on the first Wednesday of the month at Tiny's Restaurant on the 260 in Payson



RIM COUNTRY CLASSIC AUTO CLUB

RCCAC P.O. Box 2853 Payson, AZ 85547

Meeting Minutes can be reviewed on the clubs website:

rimcountryclassicautoclub.com

Past newsletters can also be viewed and printed from the website.



BEHIND THE WHEEL

PRESIDENT Paul Renaud

HAPPY NEW YEAR CLUB MEMBERS!

Another year has passed, and I look forward to another fun, exciting time with our club activities. I hope you all had a good Christmas and enjoyed time with your friends and family. I had my daughter-in-law with her husband and the three grandkids over from California for the holiday. They all left here with my wife Sue to Alabama due to my son-in-law's new job. Sue will be back in a couple of weeks after getting them all settled in their new home. I didn't make it to

the light tour due to getting the cooties from the kids. I look forward to warmer dry weather so we can get our classic cars out again.

Don't forget that the membership dues are due so send a check and a revised form to Tina so we can update any changes that you have made. The forms are on our website and in this newsletter. By renewing your membership you get all the updated information sent to you on all activities.

Meeting at Tiny's on Wednesday January 4 at 6:30 pm to start the new year off. Listed in the newsletter will be the new 2023 officers' and directors' names and contacts for the club. See Ya soon *Paul*



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Monthly Activities

First Wednesday- Membership meeting 6:30 pm Tiny's Restaurant

First Friday- Mike's Fish & Chips 4:30pm

Every Monday thru Saturday Men at Bosa 7:00AM

Every Thursday morning WOW (Women On Wheels) Bosa 8:am

Every Thursday afternoon at 3:pm Meet & Greet at Green Valley Park.
Bring your chair and come to the south side of the lake parking lot.

IF it is raining go to Tom Jacobson home 1201 S. Gibson Ct. off east Phoenix.

Every Friday morning Men in Pine- Early bird Café 6:30am

3rd Saturday Tires & Tacos at Jack in the Box 3 to 5pm
2 free tacos and a small drink for showing up with your classic

FROM THE GLOVEBOX



ACTIVITIES



January 21st, 2023

We are invited to join the Annual Prescott Antique Auto Club's

Annual WINTER CELEBRATION

Come and enjoy ice cream at this event at 2 P.M.

823 Osburn St. Prescott AZ.

Behind the County Admin Building on Fair Street. Please bring whatever topping you enjoy. Plus meeting other car enthusiasts from the sponsoring members and other car clubs in the northern AZ area.

Payson group: **RSVP to Margie 928-970-2096**

Meeting at the Quality Inn parking lot at 11:45 and departing at 12- noon Pick up Pine and Strawberry on our way.

Weather Permitting! Watch your e-mails for cancellation notice.



MARCH



ANNUAL St. Patrick's Day lunch at

Kohl's Ranch March 17th meeting at the parking lot in front of Auto Zone 10:45am Departing at 11:- am

RSVP by March 10th call or text

Mary Cailey 630-878-4104

WEAR YOUR GREEN!

Hosted by Mary Cailey

FEBRUARY VALENTINES DAY!

February 14th

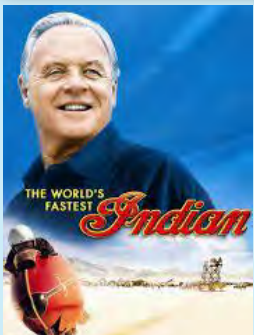
Spend the day with your love!

Start with a movie at the Saw Mill Theater "The Worlds Fastest Indian" 10:am. Come a bit earlier \$8. gets you in with a small popcorn and drink.

Heading over to the Rang's home 1110 S. Sierra Ancha Ln. off Phoenix St. for a Valentine Luncheon \$5. per person to cover cost of food.

Enjoy a GREAT movie, food, visiting and camaraderie!

This is an **RSVP** event by 7th please give Cindy a **call or text** @ 602-538-8500 Hosted by Cindy & Steve Rang



NOW SHOWING
 "Meet Your RCCAC
 Friends at the Movies"
 Rated G
 Rated PG

Monthly Movies are BACK!

Watch your e-mails for movie, date and times. We will be trying to go to see OTTO in January. Stay Tuned!



It's that time again!
2023 is here!

Membership Renewal form on page #5

Please fill out and mail it in OR hand it in to Tina at either the January or February meeting!



DON'T DELAY, RENEW YOUR MEMBERSHIP TODAY!

Seven ways you're going about selling your classic car all wrong



If you're selling a classic car this year, there are some simple things you can do to capitalize on the interest in collectible cars today.

Here are common mistakes people make when they try to sell their collectible car.

1. You price it emotionally. We get it — the car was your baby, and you put a lot of money into making it just so. Maybe you rebuilt the engine. Maybe you upgraded the suspension and redid the interior. But the hard truth is you can't put all that on the car buyer. It just doesn't cut it to say, "I paid X for the car but put Y into it, so you have to pay me that much." You will never get back both time and money spent. Overpricing the car by as little as 5% will leave it in your garage. By the same token: Each car is unique, even those that share the same make and model. So, just because a similar specimen sells for a certain amount, it doesn't mean yours is worth that much (or little). Differences big and small between any two given cars will always abound and will always affect value. You should do a hard evaluation on your car of such things as mileage; the number of previous owners (the fewer the better); the amount of maintenance and repair; the purity and thoroughness of its record-keeping; racing history; the level of restoration (or modification); where did it reside?; how was it stored, and the rarity of its color (stock or custom?) — and then price accordingly. Those factors will make all the difference.

2. Not prepping car before test drive. Detail it thoroughly. Make sure the car is out of the garage, pointed toward the open road, and starts without a problem before the prospective buyer gets there. The car really needs to sparkle. Give people a reason to buy, not a reason to walk away. Make sure the people who look at your car have the best drive of their life, so they'll remember it and want to re-create the feeling by buying the car. It's even worth warming up the engine to help enable a flawless test drive. You'd be surprised how often that doesn't happen.

3. You don't fix the easy stuff. If there's something on the car that you can fix before selling, fix it. Fix all those little issues that seem insignificant. It makes the car look like you've cared for it, that you've maintained it consistently, constantly, and confidently with pride of ownership. If you're the one doing the buying, be sure to ask, "Is there anything on the car that doesn't work right now?" Don't forget that, ultimately, caveat emptor rules: It's your responsibility to ask that question and protect yourself from anything the seller decides not to divulge.

4. You 'lock and walk'. This applies to people selling their car at a concours or car show or swap meet — or even advertising it at the local "cars and coffee" gathering. Stick near the vehicle offering friendly greetings to potential buyers, rather than simply locking the doors and disappearing. Don't make people track you down. Nobody likes trying to negotiate with a ghost.

5. You don't have a takeaway. It takes little effort to print off a quick list of your car's high points. Include things like the year, make, model, engine type, miles, paint color, transmission and performance details. Keep a stack of the printouts handy so you can pass them out. That way, whether you're displaying your vehicle at a public venue or simply in your driveway, people will walk away with a reminder — a tangible, powerful prompt for later.

6. You're in a rush. It's Selling 101: Never come into a negotiation from a position of desperation. If you've got to sell your car today or even tomorrow or next week, it's already too late. Experts advise it can take as long as six months for a good car to sell for a fair price, so plan accordingly. Set your fair price for the car and let the buyer come up to meet it; don't make him fish around for what he thinks it's worth.

7. Don't be a pig, be honest about it. Tell the truth about the condition of the car. If it needs an engine overhaul, say that. If it needs a steering column replacement, say that as well. If the brakes are on their last legs, admit it. It'll save you time and grief later on — the truth will always come out, and it's better to get ahead of it before you end up with an angry buyer on your hands.

Car Shows Coming-up in AZ

for flyers and registration forms go to

<http://www.arizonacarshows.com/carshows.htm>

OR

<https://sites.google.com/view/cruisinaz/car-shows>



January

- 14 **Surprise, AZ.** Grand Car Enthusiasts Car Show
- 14 **Phoenix, AZ.** PPSLA 4th Annual Superhero Saturday Car Show
- 21 **Yuma, AZ.** The Navy League's Cruisin' Yuma Vets Charity Car Show
- 21 **Wickenburg, AZ.** The Wickenburg Fly-In & Car Show
- 21 **Tucson, AZ.** 28th Annual Sabbar Shriners Car Show
- 28 **Sahuarita, AZ.** Sahuarita Classics Car Show
- 28 **Gilbert, AZ.** 5th Annual Gilbert High School Drumline Car Show
- 28 - 29 **Phoenix, AZ.** 32nd Annual Arizona Military Vehicle Show
- 28 **Casa Grande AZ.** Bluegrass Car Show -

February

- 4 **Tucson AZ.** Hops to a Cure 2nd Annual Car, Bike, and Truck Show -
- 4 **Apache Junction, AZ.** Truck, Motorcycle, and Military Vehicle Show
- 11 **Sun City West, AZ.** ARC Sun City West Car Show & Swap Meet
- 11 **Glendale, AZ.** Deer Valley Bands Car Show

March

- 4 **Sun City, AZ.** 6th. Annual Spring Fling Car Show
- 5 **Mesa, AZ.** 25th Annual Buick, Olds, Pontiac & Cadillac and GMC Show
- 4 **Peoria AZ.** 13th Annual Car Show -
- 18 **Tucson AZ.** Fords off 4th -
- 25 **Queen Creek AZ.** 5th Annual Car, Truck & Bike Show -
- 26 **Green Valley AZ.** 6th Annual Quail Creek Car Show -
- 26 **Phoenix AZ.** 5th ARCADIA AUTORAMA -



CAR SHOW AWARD WINNER!

Tom Gossard who has been a member of RCCAC for over 23 years received an award for "Chopped and Dropped" at the Good Guys Southwest Nationals in November at Scottsdale, AZ. **CONGRATULATIONS!**



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New Member Application & Renewal Membership Form

Annual Dues: individual membership \$20.00 **OR** Family/couple membership \$30.00

Date: _____

NEW MEMBERS FILL OUT COMPLETELY

RENEWAL MEMBERSHIP FILL IN NAMES AND ANY CHANGES OR UPDATES.

Member Name _____ Birthday M _____ D _____

Home Address _____ Town _____ Zip _____

Mailing Address if not the same:

_____ Town _____ Zip _____

Preferred phone for clubs directory _____

E-mail address: for club updates and newsletters _____

Spouse or Partners Name _____ Birthday M _____ D _____

Preferred phone for clubs directory _____

E-mail address: for club updates and newsletters _____

Other Family names living with you: _____

Classic Car or Cars

Year	Make	Model	Stock	or	Modified

Auto Skills: _____

Other Hobbies: _____

Official Club Use

Dues Paid Date: _____ Check # _____ Cash _____ Treasurer init. _____