

FAIRBANKS

Vernon L. Nash

ALASKA



Antique Automobile Club of America

2011
VERNON L. NASH
CLASSIC CAR SHOW

Raffle tickets available for your chance to win a 1967 VW Bug! Permit # 2437

May 28—29, 2011
Carlson Center
2010 2nd Ave.
Sat. 10a-5p & Sun. 11a-5p
Adults \$4.00 Kids Under 12 Free
For more information call (907) 451-7800
Carlson-center.com

PRESIDENT'S HEADLIGHTS.....

Car Season is NOW!!

As of this newsletter, we are ahead of last years raffle car sales. And like last year, we have fully paid all raffle car expenses ahead of the Carlson Center Vernon L Nash Member Car Show! **Congratulations** to John McCarthy and his raffle car committee! If you haven't already, please pick up a book of tickets (or hopefully another book of tickets) to sell to friends and/or co-workers. Also, we especially ask you consider giving some time volunteering an hour or two to sit with the car at the ticket table during the Carlson Show or at other events. It's important to know that every dollar taken goes to support our club activities.

Rod Benson and his crew have the Carlson Center Show pretty well lined out and are actively selling vendor spaces and getting volunteers to help with the show. Please return the form that has been emailed out and/or passed out at the club membership meetings in order to register your car/cars for the show. Also please consider giving Rod a hand by volunteering to help with this big event.

This edition of the newsletter is packed with summer activity information. Read all about it and keep posted on any changes by logging onto the website checking the Events page calendar. The website is at <http://local/aaca.org/fairbanks> or <http://www.oldcarsfairbanks.org>.

The May meeting is at the Fountainhead Auto Museum. We will meet for dinner about 6:00 pm at The Bakery and then head over to the Museum by 7:00 pm to start our meeting. We will have a brief (I promise to try to keep to ½ hour max) meeting and then you're free to tour the exhibits. We will have registration forms for both the Carlson and the Joint Meet at this meeting.

- Rick Larrick

Fairbanks Off Road Lions Car Show Parts Swap Meet Saturday/Sunday

May 21 10am-5 pm and May 22 11am-3pm
Home Depot Parking Lot

- ~ Swap spaces are 10'x18' Your cost = \$40 plus 10% of your sales
- ~ Entrance fee to show your car is \$10.00 (The fee is waived if you rent a space!)
- ~ Overnight security is provided if you leave your car and swap items
- ~ Set up is Friday Evening @6pm Contact Cory 378-8240 for more information

CARLSON CENTER SHOW INFO

As most of you already know, the Carlson Center Car Show will be the 28th -29th of May. As of right now, we have room for approximately 90 vehicles. Let's fill it up!

If you would like to show a vehicle(s) here are some things to remember:

1. The registration form to show your vehicle will be at the May club meeting or can be found as an attachment of this newsletter
2. Lineup to get the cars inside will be at 5:30 p.m. on Fri. the 27th of May.
3. Entry fee is \$5.00 per vehicle. (This covers the cost for security)
4. You will need current insurance coverage for all vehicles you show.
5. Operable fire extinguisher for each vehicle
6. 1/8 tank or less of fuel.
7. Battery will need to be disconnected

As always volunteers will be needed. Sign up for various duties at the May meeting or contact Rod Benson at monsignor2@hotmail.com or call 687-1543.

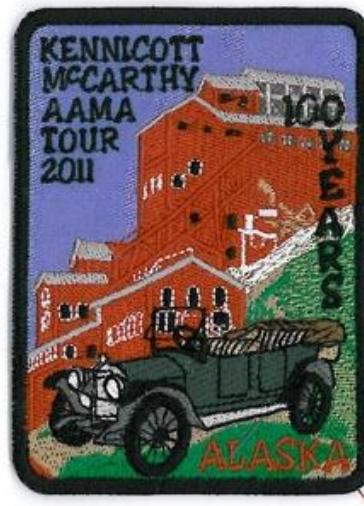


Win this Custom 1969 Volkswagen Bug
Drawing July 23 \$5/Ticket or 5 for \$20
Contact Larson's Lock Shop or any
VLNAACF member

Mark Your Calendar With These Dates

May 12 th	Club Mtg @ Car Museum 7pm
May 21st	Lion's Car Show/Swap/Sell @ Home Depot
May 21st	Crusin with Santa—Lion's Club @ N Pole
May 28th—29th	Carlson Center Member Car Show
June 1st	Wednesday Night
	Run-Arounds thru mid Sept
June 4th	FTWW Car Show
June 4th	Mondo Shake Down Poker Run
June 11th	Gary Nash C.H.S. Cabin Poker Run
June 17th—18th	Alaska Joint Meet with ANC Auto Musher's River's Edge Resort in Fairbanks
June 19th	Father's Day Car Show
June 21st	Midnight Sun Rally for Desert
June 25th	Denali Park Drive
July 4th	North Pole & Ester Parades
July 7th—11th	Joint Tour with ANC AAMA Club to Kennicott
July 8th	Delta Jct Car Show
July 16th	American Tire Show and Shine
July 23rd	Golden Days Parade Raffle Car Drawing and Picnic at Pioneer Park

McCarthy / Kennicott Long Distance Tour



If you would like to purchase this patch, please send \$25 to :

Bill Chace
PO 55931
N.Pole, AK
99705

No later than
May 10th

This fine patch, designed by Bill Chace, could adorn your jacket if you attend the 100 year commemoration of the completion of Copper River & Northwestern Railway from the Kennicott mines to tidewater in Cordova! The AAMA crew has generously invited our Club to join them in their celebration with the community this July 8 through 10 with travel days on July 7 & 11 (or longer if you wish travel with our leader who is driving his 1932 Studebaker). Housing is limited, so contact Scott Grundy NOW at 457-3526 if you are interested in joining this gala long distance tour!!

VLNAAC Annual Joint Meet

Rivers Edge Resort ~ Fairbanks Alaska
 Friday June 17th and Saturday June 18th, 2011

FRIDAY JUNE 17th

Friday Evening ~ Join us at the Rivers Edge RV Park for the informal potluck/BBQ as traditionally done.

- VLNAAC to provide main course.
- Anchorage Car Club Participants-Desserts
- Fairbanks Car Club Participants-Salads and Side dishes

* Please bring your own beverages

SATURDAY JUNE 18th

Saturday ~ Breakfast is on your own.
 10:00 am: Meet up at Rivers Edge Resort: car games
 2:00 pm: Scenic drive through the interior and a stop for a tour at J and T Foundry and Design in North Pole.

Saturday Evening ~ 6:00pm Dinner at Rivers Edge Resort.
 Buffett dinner- two entrees and multiple side selections. Cost is \$26.85 per-person.
 Pre -Payment for dinner is required and due by Saturday, June 4, 2011.

To make Reservations contact:
 RIVERS EDGE RESORT: Special Room/Cabin Rates \$109.00 night excluding taxes
Tell them you are with the car club.
 4200 Boat Street
 (907)474-0286
 Email: info@riversedge.net
 www.riversedge.net



Questions or comments? Email Scott and Donna Culbertson sdrculbertson@gci.net (907)451-7911
PLEASE DETACH and SEND TO VLNAACF Po Box 71253, Fairbanks AK 99707

Name(s) of Attendee(s) _____

	YES	NO
Friday Night B-B-Q	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Saturday- Car Games	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Tour to Foundry	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>

Before June 4, 2011
PLEASE SEND TO:
 VLNAACF
 Joint Meet
 PO BOX 71253
 Fairbanks, AK 99707

Saturday Evening Dinner Buffet: Pre-payment of \$26.85 per-person for Dinner is required by June 4th 2011. Entrées are Chicken Marsala & Chena's Style Pot Roast, both with side dishes; includes coffee, tea & ice tea. ***Kids 3-12yrs have special rate, please contact Culbertson's for amount.***



J & T Foundry and Design was started in 2000 by Jerry and Louis Shepherd at 2008 Levado Ave. North Pole. Jerry and Louis run the foundry by themselves except in the summer months when business is at its highest. J & T Foundry is a green sand foundry and they specialize in Bronze and Aluminum casting.

At J & T Foundry and Design, they are able to manufacture many types of castings for industrial use. Some of these include, but are not limited to bushings, impellers, thrust washers, pump housings and stove doors. Your castings can be made from patterns that you provide or they can have them made for you. The rough castings can either be sent to the machine shop of your choice to be machined or they work closely with local machine shops to provide you with a totally finished product.

J & T Foundry has on hand the following alloys:

- C93200 Sae 660 (general purpose bushing, washers, non-pressure applications).
- C87500 Silicon Bronze substituted for tin-zinc bronzes.
- 95400 Aluminum Bronze spur and low speed, heavily loaded worm gears, nuts, pumps and landing gear parts.
- C92200 Leaded tin bronze medium pressure hydraulic and steam to 550 degree F. marine and ornamental castings.
- Aluminum 356 Primary and Secondary

Any other nonferrous metals will be considered on a case by case basis.

They can pour up to 800 lbs. of brass or 250 lbs. of aluminum in a single pour.

Two of our members have had work done by J & T Foundry, engine parts and decorative trim. Those that have had work done at the foundry have been happy to have a local business to work with.



Pictured above is Ed McLaughlin painting a sample panel.

Thanks to John McCarthy for organizing the Martin Senour Paints workshop at the Hutchinson High School Auto Body Shop. My son Nathan and I attend with hopes of learning some good information. We had spent the winter completing the body work on his '71 Charger for new paint. He was excited to learn that the color we were spraying at the seminar was "Plum Crazy", the color he was thinking about painting his car. Luckily, one of the few panels that were completed by the end of the evening was one of his. He couldn't wait to bring it home to hold it up next to his car. The workshop was well attended, even despite a few glitches with the paint booth. Attendees learned panel preparation, primers, sealers, and base/clear coat application techniques. - Bret Helms



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AACA Museum

To support &
Buy tickets contact

Rick
459-0311
Or email

rick@dreamworksalaska.
com

Special Raffle Permit License #140 Permit
2000 Plymouth Prowler (or \$20,000 in cash),
2010 Harley Davidson & \$3000 Cash Raffle

Benefits AACA, AACA Library & Research Center & AACA Museum

AWARDED BY DRAWING ON:
October 8, 2011
at the
AACA Eastern Division
Fall Meet (Hershey, PA)



Winner need not be present to win and is responsible for all taxes.

Prowler donated by Richard Ullman, Harley Davidson donated by Richie Clyne

Information: (717) 534-1910, (717) 566-7100 or (717) 534-2082

\$20 each
Thank you!

President Rick Larrick has tickets for sale

Fountainhead Museum will present this beautiful 1932 V-16 Cadillac this summer. It is the only one in our state. As some would say, we're raising Alaska's standards!



We've had a surprisingly busy winter behind the scenes at the museum. We've had countless visitors request that we produce a book, so I've spent the last several months putting together "The Fountainhead Collection: Vintage Treads & Threads in the Last Frontier." The book showcases 42 of the museum cars, plus a selection of historic clothing and photographs. We hope to have the first shipment here by mid-June.

Manager Willy Vinton has stayed busy with tours, repair work and a lot of trips on behalf of the museum. He and Wilma traveled to Florida for the Amelia Island Concours d'Elegance in March, where our 1932 V-16 Cadillac won "Most Elegant Sedan." We expect that beauty to be shipped here in June.

We are delighted that Charlie Jurgens has joined our crew as a mechanic. All winter he and Willy repaired and tuned up cars, including the 1905 Oldsmobile, 1910 Oakland, 1912 Buick, 1914 Grant, 1922 Wills Sainte Claire, 1933 Auburn and our new 1917 Pierce-Arrow Model 66 A-4.

Historic fashion curator Barbara Cerny added a number of new clothing displays to the floor this winter, including several outfits once owned by Fairbanks pioneers. She and her crew have also made good progress creating signs for the clothing exhibits.

The museum will switch to summer hours on May 16, meaning that we will be open seven days/week through mid-September. We are in need of new and returning

volunteers, so if you can help please contact Willy at museum@fdifairbanks.com or 450-2100. We don't have a new docent training class scheduled yet, but we are offering some workshops for returning and prospective docents in May: Under the Hood, New Acquisitions, and Historic Clothing. Details TBA.

We have completely revamped the museum website, so be sure to visit it at www.fountainheadmuseum.com. You can link to our blog from there and also follow us on Facebook and Twitter.

We're looking forward to hosting the club meeting in May!

Nancy DeWitt, historian

SUNSHINE CLUB



If you know of a club member who would appreciate being remembered or has a particular need, share that information with the sunshine club.

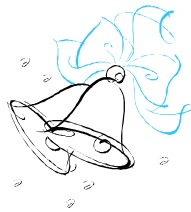
Please call or e-mail the information to: Linda Grundy 457-3526 grundy@mosquionet.

May Birthdays

Kirschner	Linda	1-May
Bennett	Margaret	2-May
Cromer, Jr.	George	5-May
Karpik	Katy Rice	5-May
Allen	Nancy	6-May
Grundy	Linda	6-May
Oines	Angie	6-May
Lounsbury	Lorna	15-May
Whitledge	Terry	18-May
McCarthy	John	20-May
Oslund	Greg	29-May
Weaver	Amy	25-May
Stidham	Flor	28-May



Julio	Marily	Merced/Naquin	19-May
Mel	Jan	Brabham	22-May
Glenn	Gladys	Shaw	25-May
Ted	Colleen	Kimzey	28-May



Wedding transportation needed on June 11 from St. Raphael's Church to the Alpine Lodge. Contact Brain Powell @ 347-5462 or email 907snow@gmail.com



This is one of the coolest things I've ever seen. About 8 soldiers show up on the main street of Halifax, Nova Scotia. They are in a standard issue WWII type Willy Jeep. In the span of about 5 to 6 minutes, they completely disassemble the vehicle and reassemble it and drive off in it fully operable. The idea being to show the genius that went into the making of the jeep and its basic simplicity. This is fantastic. Hold down the ctrl button on your keyboard and click below or type in this address

<http://tinyurl.com/2e83p3a>

Willy's Jeep

The 4 Sale Corner



1957 FORD RANCHERO
"A CLASSIC RESTORATION"

Model 66 B w/25K Miles on Driveline
302 V-8 Engine w/C-4 Automatic Transmission
Power Brakes (front disc) & Cruise Control
Turquoise Exterior w/White Roll & Tuck Interior
Electric Wipers--Tinted Glass--Padded Dash
Ground Effects Lighting--Tonneau Cover
A Great Cruiser and a Multiple Trophy Winner

\$27,500 (OBO)

907) 694-7717 or E-Mail mot.nesnej@gmail.com

Wanted/needed:

Top Dressing, 1 qt
Annie has some tiny leaks & needs a fix

Dan Gullickson
dan_lavonne@hotmail.com

Gary Farnham has several items to sell. Contact him @ 750-1468

- '66 Toyota Stout P/K \$1,000
- '86 Jeep Wagonier--Part Car \$600
- '72 Chevy P/K style side short bed 305 c.i. 30 over \$3,500
- 1915 Ford 1 1/2 ton frames \$\$ '46 Travel Trailer \$800
- 1946-47 Hudson Pickup Box w/o fenders \$\$\$?

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VLNAAC Website: <http://local.aaca.org/fairbanks/>

NEXT MEETINGS

The General Membership meeting is on May 12th at the Bakery in Fairbanks. Dinner at 6pm with the meeting relocating to the Fountainhead Auto Museum at 7pm.

The Board meeting is at 6pm at Sam's Sourdough Café on May 10th. Everyone is welcome to attend Board Meetings.

Newsletter Deadline

All materials for the newsletter should be in by the 20th of the month to be considered for the next newsletter. Email chelms@ptialaska.net or mail your items to her home address; 770 Bennett Rd., Fairbanks, AK 99712.

Have a story about how you got your car? A favorite trip? A real repair hassle? Send it in!



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