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Nash's News

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northern region of AACA***



Carlson Member Show

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If you sit on the road to success, you will get run over.



The People's Choice Best of Show winner was this 1965 Chevrolet Chevelle Super Sport owned by Dan & Joanne Portwine.

The 2018 VLNAACF Carlson Center Show was a great success this year. We had over 70 club member's cars, motorcycles, and tractors participating. The sun was shining so our community participation was down a little bit - 486 from the previous years, 508, but I believe that those that did attend enjoyed the wide variety of vehicles that members polished up and put on display. Dan Portwine's 1965 Chevelle won the People's Choice Award, the only award given out this year. Nicely done, Dan. I would like to thank all of the



Joe Procell pitches the young man for a raffle car ticket.



Ross Beal, Ralph Moore, Willy Vinton, Rochelle Larson, and Carl Westfall and son Clifford staff the club table at the start of the show

Remember Acme from the Roadrunner cartoons? A lot like Amazon today.



The indoor show field from the mezzanine.

very generous door Prize Sponsors: NAPA, AIH, Power & Transmission, Young's Gear, Lowes, Fairbanks Chevrolet, Car Quest, Seekins Ford, and Fountainhead Antique Auto Museum and the Vendors - NAPA, Fountainhead Antique Auto Museum, and Seekins Ford.

I would also like to thank the club members that helped make this year a success, all of the volunteers that stapled ballots, called members to ensure maximum participation (thank you, Liz Masi) guided cars in, checked them in, delivered and put up the stanchions and made sure that the tables were staffed throughout the event. And a special thank you goes to those that provided all of the food. It was all delicious and greatly appreciated. A great kickoff for our summer events.

- Wilma Vinton



There were lots of signs and "extras" at the show this year to add interest.



Valve Cover Races were again a hit with the kids at the show.



JULY, 2018

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
1	2	3	4 <i>7pm Run-Around</i>	5	6	7 <i>CarsNCoffee</i> <i>Bentley Mall - Leave 10am for Creamers Dairy History Tour</i>
8	9	10 <i>Board Meeting Sam's Sourdough</i>	11 <i>7pm Run-Around</i>	12 <i>Membership Meeting - Howling Dog Saloon</i>	13	14 <i>CarsNCoffee</i> <i>Bentley Mall - Leave 10am for Delta / Clearwater Run</i>
15	16	17	18 <i>7pm Run-Around</i>	19	20	21 <i>Golden Days</i> <i>Parade / Club Picnic at Pioneer Park</i>
22	23	24	25 <i>7pm Random-Run-Around</i>	26	27	28 <i>CarsNCoffee</i> <i>Teddy Bear Car Show - Lowes check-in at 9am</i>
29 <i>Joe Procell Picnic - Salcha</i>	30	31	<div> Newsletter submission deadline is always the 20th of the month. Send in your Member ads., events, notices, and articles to vlnaacf@gmail.com </div>			

Vernon L. Nash Antique Auto Club

- Saturday, July 7th: Creamer's Dairy History Tour (pg. 8)
- July 10th: Board Meeting, Sam's Sourdough 6:30pm (most have dinner before)
- Thursday, July 12th: Membership Meeting, 7pm **HOWLING DOG SALOON** - 6pm meal before the meeting—bring salad, side or desert (pg. 8)
- Saturday, July 14th: Delta / Clearwater Run (pg. 8)
- Saturday, July 21st: Golden Days Parade, line up on 2nd at Curling Club at 9am (see pgs.18-19)
- Saturday, July 21st: Club Picnic / Raffle Car Drawing, Pioneer Park, 2pm (pg. 8)
- Saturday, July 28th: Teddy Bear Car Show, Lowes 9am - ? (see pgs. 16-17)
- Sunday, July 29th: Picnic at Joe Procell's, (pg. 9)



- Friday August 3 - Sunday, August 5th: Joint Meet with AAMA, Wasilla (pg. 15)

Other Local Events

- July 8th: Cars with Character Auto Show, Home Depot
- July 7-8th: 49th Street Rods Car Show, Palmer
- July 13th: Bear Paw Car Show, Eagle River 4-9
- July 21st: Valley Trash Car Show, Sutton
- August 5th: Jay Ofsthun Memorial

Show N Shine, Anchorage Park Strip

Antique Auto Musers

- Wednesday, July 11th: Rolling AAMA Membership Meeting, 6:30 pm Day Break Center.
- July 13th—16th: Hope Weekend, Hope, AK
- July 21st: Alaska Zoo Car Show
- July 11-15th: AACA Eastern Spring Meet, Gettysburg, PA

National AACA Events

- July 13th: Collector Car Appreciation Day
- October 10th—13th: AACA Eastern Fall Meet, Hershey, PA

Suggestion: Print or cut this page out and tape it to your refrigerator so you don't miss any of our fun times!



President's Headlights

- Mike Lecorchick

Wow! What crummy June weather we've had. I'm hoping for a more typical July with lots of sunshine and warmer temperatures. Attendance at some of the club functions in June has been lower than in the past...I'm assuming that our weather had something to do with that.

Speaking of being off the mark, raffle ticket sales are way down this year. I don't believe that we've even sold enough to pay for the car yet. Which brings us to the annual picnic, one of our more popular summer events. Some years ago the club decided that if all the tickets were sold before the drawing that they would splurge and provide a better choice of food for the picnic....pulled pork and German sausage. If all the tickets weren't sold we'd have hotdogs and hamburgers.... so if things don't change..... Please everyone, make an effort to sell more tickets!

Another favorite July event is the Golden Days Parade. Parade pre-registration forms can be found in this newsletter. Get completed forms to Wilma Vinton as soon as possible so that she can make sure that you have a typed and laminated placard for your car. If you're late you may end up with a hand written placard.

If you plan to attend the Joint meet on August 3rd, 4th and 5th please let me know ASAP. The Anchorage club would like to have a head count for some of the events they are planning.

- Mike



SUNSHINE REPORT:

Sunshine Committee Report: No report

- Tracy McLeod

Tracy McLeod is the Sunshine Contact. Please send her an e-mail if you know of a club member who could use a little "sunshine".

*e-mail: tksplits@yahoo.com .
For a postal mail address contact Tracy or a Board member.*

JULY

ANNIVERSARIES

- 1 - Brenda & Roy Wilbur
- 8 - Paula & Ross Beal
- 19 - Kelly & Dale Oines
- 20 - Rena & William Storey
- 25 - Ruth & Al Haynes
- 28 - Wyan & Hank Grant
- Katy Rice & David Karpik
- 30 - Carla & Rob Holt

JULY BIRTHDAYS

- 1 - Ron Allen
- 2 - Ellie Tempel
- 11 - Clutch Lounsbury
Carla Holt
- 13 - Dick Ellsworth
Tammy Maxwell
- 20 - Jerry Krier
Marily Naquin
- 21 - Ed McLaughlin
- 22 - Bub Larson
- 24 - Bear Schmit
- 25 - Carrie Jurgens
- 25 - Peter Lundquist
- 27 - Karen Chancler
Judy Saupe
- 31 - Jim Brand

People born in 1979 were the same age as Bart when the Simpson first aired - now they are Homer's age.



2018 Tour to KODIAK ISLAND ENJOYED BY MANY!!

By Scott Grundy, Cat Herder Jr.

The 2018 Adventure Before Dementia Tour (ABDT) occurred on June 15 through 22 and involved THREE CLUBS. The trip to Kodiak was organized by Jim Fredenhagen of the Antique Auto Musers of Alaska (AAMA). Jim also leads the Model A Group so they joined too. Our club had seven vehicles, three of which were vintage cars and one was a vintage truck. The southern contingency had 15 vehicles – 10 of which were Model A's! Kodiak loved us!!

This was our tenth ABDT and was likely the most informative we have had to date. We spent three fun-filled days touring Kodiak! But, you best talk with the "Cats" who attended for their unbiased review: Robbie & Doris Ca-



Photos - from top, clockwise: 1) Kodiak, 2) Group in the "play tank" at the Fisheries Research Center, 3) Full group photo, taken at the top of Mt. Pillar [photo credit: Scott Grundy], 4) All the cars at the top of Mt. Pillar, 5) Robbie looks at radio gear at the Ft. Abercrombie Military History Museum, 6) View of the bunker and gun site which houses the Military History Museum.



Aliens invaded the moon on July 20th, 1969...

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Cars arrive at Launch Silo #1 inside the Kodiak Pacific Spaceport Complex - Alaska

sey with friend Della Reese, Dan & Vickie Domke, Hank & Wyan Grant (1968 Olds Holiday Coupe 442) with son Jayson and his three-year-old twins, Bub & Rochelle Larson (1978 Ford crew cab PU), Rick and Jill Larrick (1955 Buick Century) and of course Linda and myself (1955 Plymouth Belvedere). Sixteen souls in all.

On the first morning in Kodiak we visited the very informative saltwater fishery research center where we could all touch some weird marine critters. Afterward, we browsed nifty local museums. Late in the morning, we drove up a steep road to the base of wind turbines atop Mt. Pillar for a picnic lunch, but encountered fog so thick one could barely see the huge lower blade of the turbine as it passed its base. After a group photo we quickly descended to the bluebird weather in the lower elevations and picnicked at the Ft. Abercrombie Historic Park; the area was a WWII defense site so we enjoyed the many artifacts that remain (BIG guns, etc.), incredible views of waves breaking over offshore rocks and the very interesting private museum of WWII history housed in a storage bunker that was open to us. All special indeed!

The second day we drove the scenic roadways to the state owned Pacific Spaceport Complex – Alaska. Art Isham, of the AAMA, is a contractor at this satellite launching facility, so we were treated to

a very detailed and insightful tour. I attended a similar tour in 2010 and still learned much more. Some beachcombed the Surfers Beach that is exposed to impressive rollers from the south.

Our last day was mostly occupied by a terrific tour of our nation's largest U. S. Coast Guard base (30,000 acres!). After a greeting by the base commander and his staff, we were provided a driving tour of the base, time to beachcomb on the base's Jewel Beach (surf worn glass pieces), an in-depth tour and explanation of the USCG aircraft that included a show of our vehicles in the huge hanger. Lastly, we toured the USCG cutter Spar which tends the navigation

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Above: Art Isham explains operations in Launch Silo #1. Below: a Vector rocket in the receiving area of the clean room Payload Assembly Area.



I asked my wife if older men wear boxers or briefs? She said, Depends.

CLUB PICNIC / RAFFLE DRAW JULY 21st



Picnic is at the Pioneer Park Square Dance Pavilion. Raffle Car Drawing will occur at 2pm. Picnic dinner will follow. Club will bring the main course; members should bring salads, sides, or desserts.

MONTHLY MEETING: HOWLING DOG JULY 12th



Ralph Glasgow will supply beer brats for the main course - members are to bring salads, sides or desserts. Dinner at 6pm; meeting at 7pm. If you wish to make it an evening, The Howling Dog has music starting at 8pm inside.

CREAMERS DAIRY HISTORY TOUR JULY 7th



Photo by Jeff Creamer

Come join me for a history tour on Sunday, July 7th, after Cars'NCoffee. We will meet at the Bentley Mall in the usual spot, and cruise through town, then back to College Road and on to the farmhouse. I'll give a bit of the family and business history, probably make some lame jokes, and tell some stories of my family experiences as a young boy on the farm. Dress for the weather of the day, good shoes a plus as we will take a short walk on the paths around the buildings. This event was originally scheduled for Sunday the 8th, and a "Neighborhood Tour" for the 7th, (I am PPR for both!) but lucky for me someone scheduled a car show at Home Depot for the 8th, and I thought it would be better to do the history walk on Saturday so anyone who wants to go to the car show Sunday won't be conflicted and need professional counseling... If the weather is good, we can head for Bucko's afterward for ice cream! I look forward to seeing you there!

DELTA / CLEARWATER RUN JULY 14th



Photo by Theresa Chase

Clearwater Lodge is our destination for the Saturday, July 14th poker run to Delta / Clearwater. We will leave from our Cars N Coffee rendezvous point at the Great Harvest Bread Co. about 10:30am with a poker run down the Richardson Highway.

The folks at the Clearwater Lodge will have a "mini car show area" designated for our cars on the lawn overlooking the beautiful Clearwater River. Food will be available for purchase along with your favorite beverage. Enjoy the lodge, bring your lawn chairs, or if you're into fishing, bring your favorite pole and tackle box and match your wit with the river's grayling.

All roads to the lodge are paved. Come along for an afternoon of camaraderie, splendid scenery and the beautiful new Clearwater Lodge. Questions? Contact John McCarthy, 907-347-5056.
- John McCarthy

The clam wouldn't share because it was a little shellfish.

TEDDY BEAR CAR SHOW JULY 28th

Imagine being a sick little child and being brought to the hospital for treatment. It's frightening for kids. Now imagine the smiles on their face when they're given a teddy bear/stuffed animal to cuddle and keep.

The goal of the Teddy Bear Benefit is to bring smiles to the children with donations of teddy bears/stuffed animals at the car show.

Kelly Atlee, the PR rep. for FMH, reports there were 5000 pediatric patients (ages 17yrs and younger) seen in ER in 2017, with 500 admitted to the pediatric unit. That's a lot of kids that could use a smile!

The pre-registration is a \$10.00 donation and if you choose to register on-site at the car show, it's \$15.00. Teddy bears/stuffed animals are encouraged and appreciated to be donated to the pediatric unit at Fairbanks Memorial Hospital.

You do not have to be a VLNAACF club member to enter a car in this show - but there's 228 car members in our club and if everyone brought a car and teddy bear we could have a tremendous car show!!

Thanks to all who will participate! Come one, come all to the greatest show in Fairbanks, July 28, 2018 from 10am to 2pm with car line-up starting @ 0900. To pre-register send form and payment to VLNAACF, P.O. Box 71253, Fairbanks, Ak. 99707 or call Doris Casey 907-488-3321.

AUGUST DATES:

Aug 3,4,5 - Joint Meet (see pg. 15)

Aug 5th - Knotty Shop Run

Aug 9th - Membership Meeting

Aug 11th - Ivory Jack's Run

Aug 18th - Food Bank Vol. Day

Aug 19th - Mondo Run

Aug 25th - BBQ Run

SEPTEMBER DATES:

Sept 9th - Chatanika Run

Sept 13th - Sternwheeler Cruise

JOE PROCELL PICNIC JULY 29TH



Picnic is Sunday afternoon, July 29th.
Watch for Rochelle's email with details.

TIME TO TURN IN THE MONEY AND THE TICKET STUBS FOR THE RAFFLE CAR DRAWING!



All ticket stubs and money from tickets must be turned in to Rochelle Larson as soon as possible in preparation for the raffle car drawing on July 21st.

Stubs and cash can be turned in at Larson's Locksmith

All stubs must be accounted for by July 21st.

Mars is a planet entirely inhabited by robots.



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Above: Car show in Hangar #1 at Base Kodiak (from the cockpit of a C-130), Below left: Aboard Cutter SPAR as ISO Commander Chillum describes her command of the pilot house. Below right: Helo and C130 Captains explain their craft and duties to the group in Hangar #1

buoys throughout western and northern Alaska. We all were so impressed by the professionalism and dedication of these fine young men and women. All heroes indeed.

Two days of highly scenic driving occurred with an overnight in Wasilla to split the 600 mile drive to and from the ferry in Homer. Most pleasing to me was the assistance I received from the participants (cats) helping me plan our 2019 ABDT to Whitehorse, Dawson City and Tok in late June and early July. It promises to be a very fun time indeed! Stay tuned for details!



Frogs are generally happy because they just eat what bugs them!

Member Ads



FOR SALE: 1934 Ford Cabriolet hotrod. Trying to find a garage so it's for sale, asking \$35,000. Or a realistic offer. Al Haynes 388 9621



FOR SALE: 1968 Matchless G15CS 750 twin one owner bike, asking \$7000. Or? Al Haynes 388 9621.

FOR SALE: Restored 1972 Triumph Daytona 500, asking \$6500. Call Al Haynes at 388 9621 for details.



FOR SALE: 1978 Cadillac Eldorado.

This gem has 46,253 original miles and is a complete head turner. Rust free body and underbody. Well-loved and has never had a snow flake touch it. Asking \$17,000.



The Cadillac Eldorado Biarritz was announced to the dealers in April 1978.

The Classic was a limited production Biarritz model with only 2,000 units produced between May and July of 1978. The Classic included the following options which were basically offered on the Custom Biarritz. There was the two-tone exterior paint, which combined the Arizona beige and Demitasse brown which was on the front hood and the roof surface. There were additional options that were offered unique to the Classic which were the two-tone interior in light beige and dark saddle, leather wrapped steering wheel rim, gold plated Biarritz script on the exterior sail panels and the trunk lid, and dark brown accent stripping.

The Arizona beige car was painted at American Sunroof with the Demitasse brown painted on the hood, and the front half of the roof was also painted Demitasse brown. The Biarritz trim molding was added as well as the dark brown accent stripping. The special gold plated Biarritz script was also added. This completed the work by American Sunroof, and the cars were shipped back to the Cadillac factory.

Contact Cindy or Russ Reason for contact information for the owner of this car. snobounders@gci.net 488-8299



FOR SALE: TWO 1977 Cadillac Eldorado 2 doors . Two cars - one for FREE which needs to be towed, and one that drives for \$1000. If interested, Rochelle Larson has contact information. rochelle1987@hotmail.com 590-8593

FOR SALE: 1955 Thunderbird 2-Door Roadster, 292 V8, 2bbl. carburetor & 3 speed. Color red, white interior, black soft top. Overall condition is fair. Professionally appraised at \$17,000. ESTATE SALE.



Contact Scott Grundy for details at 457-3526.

STUDEBAKERS FOR SALE:



JOHN McDONALD 488-1843

DRIVER WANTED:

Driver wanted to drive my 1915 Model T Touring in the Golden Days Parade. Will chauffeur me and Miss Fairbanks near the front of the VLNAACF section leading the parade. Call Stella Carpenter at 488-4251

For sale: 1928 Hupmobile opera coupe this is a good running car that has been a part of VLNAACF & Fairbanks since the early 1970s. price on this car is \$16,000.00.



1925 Chrysler model 70 touring car that is a great car and is ready for the summer tours. Been part of VLNAACF & Fairbanks since the early 1970s also. Price \$25,500.00.

Contact Willy Vinton 388-8252 to view these cars.



You have to hand it to the short people! (because they can't reach it on their own...)



WORK IN PROGRESS



My newest project

My intent is to remove all body parts from this 1997 Ram 2500 (As shown). 5.9L Cummings diesel. Will send the engine, tranny, transfer case out for a total redo. Engine will come back at or about 500hp.



I will be installing the 1937 1 1/2 ton truck body plus flat bed on the original 1997 Ram 2500 4wd chassis.



Everything will be the time tried and proven Ram original truck but the cab. 🤖

Final project will be a four wheel drive, 500 hp, dually, truck with a show quality paint job, and custom interior. The intent is to have an all season 12 month hot truck to drive every day. Not just a three month summer truck.

Jim Gibertoni HSD/AWG



John McDonald had a big turn-out for his **Tailgate Picnic** on Sunday, June 24th. Ralph Moore fixed a mess of really delicious ribs, tending them on the fire for 5 hours or more before the crowd of more than 60 folks descended. The members enjoyed John's

McDonald's Tailgate



collection of cars, and there were a number of new acquisitions which showed up for the picnic.



Tall people spend more on soap.

Arctic Health Link Car Show (Slow Poke Run)

Mike Lecorchick



On June 16th the Arctic Health Link at Ft. Wainwright held what is going to be an annual event providing health information to military families. They held a 5K run, had tables set up with information on heart health, diabetes and other health issues. For the kids there was a bounce house along with other games. Food trucks and a small car show with 5 members of the VLNAACF showing their cars. It was a gloomy morning and had rained early on and I assume that was the reason for the poor showing from the club.

Photo by Mike Lecorchick



VNAACF Monthly Membership Meeting

June 14, 2018

Chena Lakes Recreation Area
(Light attendance due to smoke and weather)

President Mike Lecorchick brought the meeting to order at 7:10 Pm. after a Box Dinner Exchange coordinated by Joyce and Paul Tekin.

President Mike called for approval of the previous membership meeting minutes, a motion for approval was made by John McCarthy and seconded by Doris Casey, passed unanimously with no discussion.

The minutes of the June 12, 2018 Board of Directors meeting were read by John McCarthy.

The treasurers report was summarized by President Mike Lecorchick, and a motion was made by Doris Casey and seconded by Rochelle

Larson to approve the treasurers report, passed unanimously without discussion,

Rochelle Larson submitted the membership report: 12 memberships were paid in the last month bringing the total membership to 228.

John McCarthy gave a report on the raffle car. Ticket sales are way down from previous years. Car will be presented at the Basset Hospital car show on the 16th, and again on the 17th at the Sourdough car show.

Doris Casey gave a report on the Teddy Bear Rally scheduled for July 28 at Lowe's.

President Mike gave the details for accessing FTWW for the Basset car show.

President Mike asked for a show of hands of those planning to attend the Joint Meet in Anchorage. Very

few club members responded positively.

No logo gear report given.

President Mike presented the plaque to Dan and Joanne Portwine for the people's choice award from the Carlson center car show.

Carl Westphal read the June birthdays and anniversaries.

Good of the Order: John McCarthy expressed his appreciation of all the help he received in transporting, setting up, and taking down all the equipment for the Carlson Center Car Show.

At 7:35 a motion to adjourn was made by Paul Tekin and seconded by Ralph Moore.

Respectively submitted by Jeff Creamer in the absence of Donna Wojciechowski.



It's pretty ironic that the internet was created to save time...

Mondo Run

June 9th



Above: Cars line up at the Monderosa. Below: at one of the poker card draw stops along the way.



We had a wonderful day for a drive. We had 15 vehicles and 32 people on the run. The weather was beautiful all the way to the Monderosa, near Nenana. Once we were seated the skies opened up and a few members had to make a mad dash out to their cars to close windows and raise convertible tops. The skies cleared for a nice drive home. We had three people with three of a kind: top winner was new member Bob Davidson, second prize went to Nancy Allen and third went to Scott and Lynn Grundy's

Guest Bev Ricketts. Also Clifford Westphal had 2 pairs so he received a Car puzzle. We only had a couple of issues Bob had to run home and change vehicles as his Mustang was having issues. And Bub Larson believes he will have to pull his radiator and get it cleaned out as it keeps overheating. Thanks again for all the fun.

- Rochelle Larson



Ross says he was "just checking"...

NATIONAL NEWS

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AACA is proud to support the SEMA Action Network (SAN) in declaring July 13, 2018, as National [Collector Car Appreciation Day \(CCAD\)](#). It is a day to help raise awareness of the entire car hobby and its role in American society. This will be the ninth consecutive year for what has become an annual event to recognize the importance of automotive restoration and collection. Each year since 2010, this "holiday" has been marked by a U.S. Senate Resolution at the request of the SAN to honor the classics of the past and the future.



If mosquitoes sucked fat instead of blood, life would be so much better.

JOINT MEET INFO:

Date: Friday evening August 3rd to Sunday morning, August 5th

Place: Mat-Su Valley

Host Club: Anchorage Auto Musers

Hotel: Best Western Lake Lucille



The hotel in Wasilla is the Lake Lucille Best Western. \$152 + tax. (Normal rate is \$180/nite) 907-373-1776 The reservation code is AACAA (Fri-Sun 3-5 August) It sounds like keeping the room until Monday would not be a problem for people staying for the Anchorage Show N Shine.

Our Friday Night BBQ and car games will be at the MATI transport museum. The have indoor meeting rooms that we can use in case it rains. The Saturday Car Games will also be at the Museum at 9am Saturday morning. In the afternoon, the group will tour the Engine 557 Restoration Work Shop and drive up to Hatcher Pass (Pie at the Hatcher Pass Chalet, if desired). Awards dinner location on Saturday evening to be announced.

For those who stay, Sunday is the Jay Ofsten Memorial Show N Shine on the Anchorage Park Strip. This is Anchorage's largest car show, typically with 300-400 cars.



EDITOR'S LEFT (on) BLINKER

This club "works" because of the dedication of key members who over many years pitch in and do their part. For examples, we should all appreciate what folks like Wilma and Willy Vinton have done over a number of years for our club, both officially as club officers, and as volunteer PPRs for many events. John McCarthy is always there with picnic supplies from our storage unit, is a past president and still serves on the Board. Rochelle has taken care of membership and has sent out all those reminder emails for every event for a number of years, while also coordinating events and volunteering as PPR for at least one event every year.

Another key member is Scott Grundy, who with wife, Linda, have planned and led our long distance



tours (ABDT), in addition to serving as an officer in the club and planning several of our Joint Meets.

A lot of work goes in to planning one of the major club events, so we should be appreciative of those who lead them, and should be willing to volunteer to help with planning and carrying out small pieces of those events - that support is critical to being able to count on folks to do the big stuff. Other members should step up to lead the many club events - as "PPR" as we call it (primary person responsible).

The more we expand and grow this core of leadership, the more our club will grow and the stronger it will be.

Next event you attend, be sure to tell the PPR, "Thank You". Those words are magic, and seldom seem to be said in appreciation for the leadership and planning that the PPR has done for us.



The biggest cause of cancer in mice is research.

ALASKA FOR HIRE PLATES



Commercial license plate in my collection. Juneau issued Dealer license plates in the early 1930's. Buying any Alaska City license plates in any condition. Bryce Crumb, e-mail bttrfly123@att.net, (386) 365-7064.

From 1926-45 have For Hire across the bottom. Alaska For Hire license plates from 1926-31 have Alaska across top.

However, Alaska was removed from top of For Hire license plates in 1932. Alaska For Hire license plates from 1932-43 have NO Alaska across top.

1945 Alaska soy fiberboard For Hire license plates once again have Alaska across top, with For Hire across bottom.

1946 Alaska soy fiberboard For Hire license plates reversed with For Hire across top, and Alaska across bottom.

1947 Alaska soy fiberboard For Hire license plates again reversed with Alaska across top, and For Hire across bottom.

1948 format changed to F over H on left side of license plate with Alaska across bottom.

Alaska For Hire license plates from 1926-48 are same color combination, size, and material as Alaska Passenger license plates of the period.

Year	Series	1937	100-500
1926	100-299	1938	1-500
1927	100-450	1939	5000-5500
1928	100-450	1940	6000-6999
1929	100-450	1941	6000-6999
1930	100-450	1942	10000-10999
1931	1-350	1943	10000-10999
1932	100-500	1945	10000-10999
1933	100-500	1946	10000-10999
1934	100-500	1947	10000-10999
1935	100-500	1948	1-999
1936	1-500		

Please, refer to June 2018 Alaska Passenger license Plates article for this information. Alert, be watchful for aluminum reproductions of Alaska For Hire license plates 1926-1931.

Sample #000 1929 Alaska For Hire license plates exist. However, other dates might also exist.

- Bryce Crumb

FAKE ALERT:

Fake 56 AK Passenger License Plate for sale on e-bay.

Easily recognizable as NOT HAVING SLAT HOLES for metal 57 tab.

First one of these I've seen.

- Bryce



Teddy Bear Benefit July 28th 2018

Lowes Parking Lot – 425 Merhar Ave, Fairbanks AK
Rollin Starts 9:00 AM Show Starts At 10:00 AM
Contact Doris Casey 907-488-3321 for Information

Make:	Model:	Yr:
Type of Vehicle: <input type="checkbox"/> Original <input type="checkbox"/> Street <input type="checkbox"/> Modified <input type="checkbox"/> Specialty		
Name:		
Address:		
Telephone:	Email:	

SEND APPLICATION TO : Vernon L Nash Antique Auto Club of Fairbanks
Attn: Wilma Vinton, Treasurer
124 Nilgrub Ave Fairbanks AK 99712

Cost: \$10.00 pre-registration fee or \$15.00 Day of Show; ALWAYS ADDITIONAL FEES ACCEPTED!

The Show Participant and each associated therewith (i.e. employees, spouses, guests) as represented by the person who's name and signature appears on the application, herein agrees to indemnify, defend and hold harmless and the release and forever discharge, from any and all known and unknown damage, injury, death, loss, etc. The Vernon Nash Antique Car Club and Lowes, any of it's representatives or volunteers which are involved in putting on said event.

Signature _____ Date: _____

Vernon L Nash Antique Auto Club Fairbanks

AND



Are Proud to Present the

1st Annual Teddy Bear Benefit

July 28th 2018

Proceeds to Benefit Pediatric Patients at Fairbanks Memorial Hospital

ALL CLASSIC/ANTIQUE CARS, TRUCKS,
MOTORCYCLES AND SPECIAL INTEREST
VEHICLES ARE WELCOME

Event Fees

Pre-Registration \$10

Registration \$15

(Pre-Registration Dead-
line July 20th)

Day of Show

50/50 RAFFLE

(Must Be Present to Win)

AK Raffle Permit #2437



Event Free to Public

Donations of New Teddy Bears are Accepted and Greatly Appreciated

For More Information and Registration Form See Back of Flyer

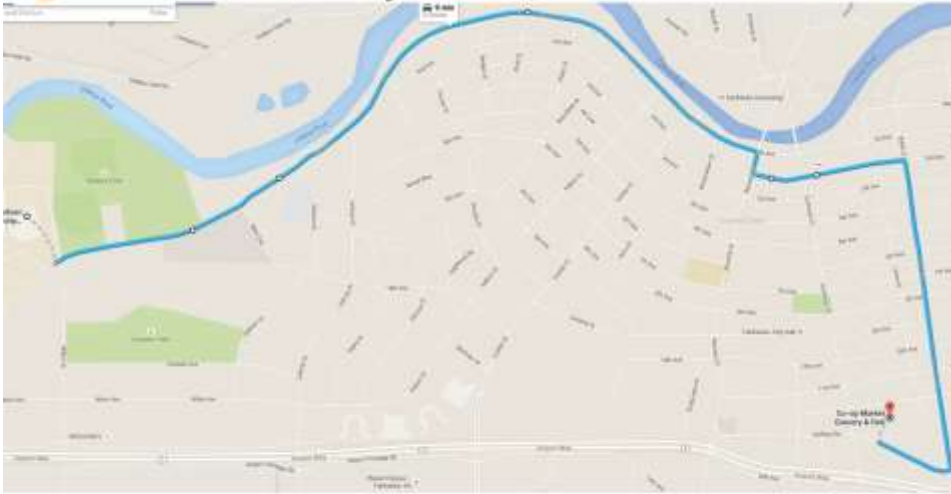
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Any store is a drive-through, if you're fast enough



2018 Kinross Fort Knox Mine Golden Days Grande Parade Route

KINROSS Fort Knox



Golden Days Grande Parade Route

1. Begins at the Carlson Center on 1st Avenue which turns into 2nd Avenue
2. Turns Right onto Barnette Street
3. Turns Left onto 2nd Avenue and crosses over Cushman Street
4. Turns Right onto Noble Street
5. Ends at Gaffney Road Intersection

Saturday, July 21, 2018
Parade kicks off at 10 a.m.

For more information about the Parade, please call your Fairbanks Chamber Office at (907) 452-1105

2018 GRANDE PARADE presented by KINROSS FORT KNOX

PARENTAL CONSENT FORM FOR PARTICIPATION

THIS DOCUMENT RELIEVES THE GREATER FAIRBANKS CHAMBER OF COMMERCE, THE FAIRBANKS NORTHSTARBOROUGH, THE CITY OF FAIRBANKS, KINROSS FORT KNOX MINE, AND OTHERS FROM LIABILITY FOR PERSONAL INJURY, WRONGFUL DEATH, AND PROPERTY DAMAGE CAUSED BY NEGLIGENCE. I HAVE READ THIS DOCUMENT, UNDERSTAND THAT I HAVE GIVEN UP SUBSTANTIAL RIGHTS BY SIGNING IT, AND SIGN VOLUNTARILY.

Please Print

Name of Display, Entry or Float: _____

Name of Child: _____ Age of Child: _____

I, _____ (print name)

hereby consent to the participation of my child _____
_____ (print name) in

the 2018 KINROSS FORT KNOX MINE Grande Parade on July 21, 2018 on or with the
entry, display or float listed above.

I have investigated the suitability of my child's participation in this event given my child's age, abilities and level of supervision available by this floats organizers. I understand and agree that my child will be participating in the Parade even if I am not present.

I understand that the City of Fairbanks, the Fairbanks North Star Borough, the Greater Fairbanks Chamber of Commerce, and Kinross Fort Knox Mine are not responsible for my child's safety. On behalf of myself and my child, I hereby release the City of Fairbanks, the Fairbanks North Star Borough, the Greater Fairbanks Chamber of Commerce, Kinross Fort Knox Mine and others, and waive any and all claims against them for loss or damage resulting from my child's participation.

Parent's Name: _____ Date: _____

Printed Signature: _____

PARADE RULES – Grande Parade presented by Kinross Fort Knox Gold Mine

- Failure to comply with rules and conditions of entry may result in your parade entry being pulled
- The Parade Committee reserves the right to remove any entrant from the parade – prior to staging, in the staging area, or at any time during the parade
- You will be removed from the parade if you are the cause of any delays
- This is a family friendly event – please be mindful of the audience as you prepare your costumes and floats.
- Additional requirements may be initiated by the Parade Committee, Board of Directors, or Chamber Staff at any time
- No entry may leave the designated parade route except as directed
- No objects may be thrown or tossed, this includes candy. Objects may be handed to spectators
- The designated person and/or alternate must be on the float or walking with the float at all times.
- The designated representative will be responsible for assuring that the float and all float participants comply with the parade rules.
- There will be SEVERAL volunteer parade marshals wearing safety vests as well as police officers along the entire route ensuring that all participants are following safety guidelines. Participants are expected to comply with safety marshal instructions.
- All entries must be able to maintain their speed and position throughout the parade (approx. 2-3 mph)
- Distance between entries must be 30 feet. If you have multiple vehicles, walkers, floats, etc. please keep your entry together
- Creating large gaps complicates traffic control and makes the jobs of law enforcement and safety marshals harder. Keep your group moving
- Performance at commentary stand – 2nd and Barnette
- DO NOT entice or encourage spectators to come into the street or parade route
- Possession or consumption of alcoholic beverages is prohibited
- No participant shall get on or off a MOVING float.
- Applicants will be required to follow all applicable laws and drivers must be properly licensed
- NO POWER BRAKING. Consequences if something goes wrong are not worth the risk

Safety Reminders

- Pedestrians are primarily responsible for their safety
- No throwing objects to the spectators
- Getting on/off a moving vehicle is EXPRESSLY prohibited
- Follow all directions from Safety Marshals and Law Enforcement Officials
- Do not allow large gaps to form
- Kids are very excited. Expect them to be unaware.



Golden Days Parade Sign up

Member Name: _____

If you want to have a sign for your car please complete the following and turn in by **Thursday, July 12th**. If you had your car in last year's parade, I already have a sign for you. However, I need a good number for the parade officials of how many cars we will have in the lineup. Also, let me know if there are any changes to the sign from last year.

Vehicle 1 Year: _____

Vehicle 1 Make: _____

Vehicle 1 Model: _____

Vehicle 2 Year: _____

Vehicle 2 Make: _____

Vehicle 2 Model: _____

Vehicle 3 Year: _____

Vehicle 3 Make: _____

Vehicle 3 Model: _____

Please arrive at the lineup area in front of the Carlson Center by 9:00 am on Saturday, July 21st. Drivers will check in with Wilma or Willy Vinton or the volunteers wearing the yellow vests, to be placed in line by model year.

If you plan to have children under the age of 18 in your vehicle, you will need to complete a Parental Consent form **NO LATER THAN Thursday, July 12th** and turn it in to Wilma Vinton. That can be found at www.fairbankschamber.org/grand-parade or picked up at Larson's Locksmith on Noble Street.

The following parade rules MUST be followed:

- *No objects by be thrown, handed or tossed from the vehicles.*

All entries must be able to maintain their speed and position throughout the parade. This means that we may not have walkers beside our cars. Our vehicle pace is too fast for walkers to keep up.

Complete rules are available for review at: www.fairbankschamber.org/grand-parade

Signed: _____

Fax to 456-3970 or email to wlvinton@gmail.com; **you may also leave them at Larson's Locksmith on Noble street or IREMSC at 2503 18th Ave (across from the DMV on Peger).**

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NEXT MEETINGS

The Membership Meeting is **Thursday, July 12th- at THE HOWLING DOG SALOON in Fox**. Meeting starts at 7:00 pm. - Howling Dog provides Brats; members bring sides, salads and desserts. See Pg. 8.

The Board Meeting is **Tuesday, July 10th** — at Sam's Sourdough. Meeting starts at 6:30pm, with dinner before. Board Meetings are open to members.



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