

The Classic Chevy Club of Tucson

BOWTIE BUGLE



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Next membership meeting



**March 17th, 2026
O'Rielly Chevrolet**



Broadway & Wilmot - 6:30PM

Raffle gifts requested from:

Pat & Sandy Croan, Mike & Rose Dalton, Jerry & Jeri Dettmann, Bill & Debbie Dixon, Erwin & Jeannie Greven, Rick Hardin, Phil & Katharine Hartman and Cesar & Jackie Hernandez.

For the information of new members, raffle gifts can be anything the member would like to donate, i.e., a gift card, a pie from a pastry shop, anything car related, etc. These inexpensive fun gifts are raffled off at the end of every meeting and half the monies collected goes to the CCCT Treasury, and the other half goes into the Lotto which is held after the raffle. Come to a meeting, see how it works and enjoy the fun!!!

GUESTS & NEW MEMBERS

There were no new members or guests welcomed. As a reminder to members: we are all interested in the care, driving and showing of all classic GM vehicles. Interested guests are always welcome to our meetings.

DON'T FORGET THE CLUB DUES \$25 ARE PAYABLE NOW, contact Pat Lucas

Official Address for payment of annual dues, ballots, correspondence, etc.
Classic Chevy Club of Tucson,
P.O. Box 32521, Tucson AZ 85751



UPCOMING CLUB EVENTS TO SAVE



MARCH ACTIVITY

Mar 22nd - Ann /Debbie R. 8th Annual Poker Run

Additional information, see flyer on page 3

Start time 9:00 am at Circle K @ N. La Cholla Blvd and W River Rd (5365 N. La Cholla Blvd) Final stop at Phil Hartman's (10207 E. Placita Cresta Mia), this is a potluck lunch. The Hartman's will be grilling hot dogs & hamburgers. Details and RSVP were emailed from 2/15/26 requesting to identify your pot luck dish with the RSVP

APRIL ACTIVITY

Apr 3rd - Chevy Showdown parking lot "Setup" at Desert Diamond Casino in Sahuarita

Apr 4th - 36th Annual Chevy Showdown; volunteers arrive by 6am, registered vehicles 7-9am

Marriage:

Last night my wife farted so loud she woke herself up. Then turned over, hit me and me disgusting. This is what love is after 20 years looks like.

Happy Birthday March Babies



MARCH BIRTHDAYS

Lilla Kurz	1st
Alex Thomas	4th
Greg Oley	9th
Linda West	21st
Ann Van Orden	24th
Daniel Velasquez	30th

MARCH ANNIVERSARIES

Daniel & Rhoda Velasquez	5th
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“Getting older teaches me that time is short, so every moment deserves to be lived”

2025-2026 CCCT Officers

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Club Website:

<https://classicchevycluboftucson.com>

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The deadline for submitting information to the editor is the 26th of each month.



Thank you Phil for your flyer

CLUB WEBSITE: <http://classicchevycluboftucson.com>

Minutes - February 17, 2026 - Classic Chevy Club Meeting

1. **Opening/Call to Order** 6:35, 28 members present.
2. **Meeting Notes in Newsletter:** Were approved as written
3. **Treasurer's Report:** 2nd was approved as read
4. **New Members:** None

Old Business:

- Timetable for next newsletter is the 26th of each month.
- Raffle prizes, if donating items, please have a \$25.00 minimum value and bring to the March meeting
- Bill and Debbie Dixon have 8 club T-shirts left; all size large for \$5.00 per shirt.
- Contact Pat by phone if you are interested in a club jacket.
- Pat has only collected 38 membership dues for 2026, if you have not paid your dues by March, you will no longer receive newsletter email.
- March 14 is the Marana High School car show and the club has voted and approved \$50.00 donation to event. Registration is \$15.00 prior to show, day of show is \$20.00, see flyer in our newsletter for details.
- March club event is our poker run on 3-22-26 and Ann is asking all those participating to bring a side dish to pot luck and please email what you are bringing. The Hartman's are grilling hot dogs and hamburgers (for pot luck). The route will be starting from East side and finishing at Hartman's home at 10207 E Placita Cresta Mia, please bring your own chairs and drinks.

New Business:

- Driven to Show online registration is at 49 as of 2/16/26, with physical and on-line.
- Thank you Ron & Lilla for taking over raffle prize organization, and give your donations to Ron or Lilla at March's meeting, if you're intending to bring an item on day of show you must inform Ron & Lilla by email or phone and what you are bringing so they have an accurate idea as to what they have. If a member is donating a basket or bucket you need to prepare this and have a total value of at least \$25.00. O'Rielly Chevrolet has pledged \$800.00 donation for this year's raffle.
- Our club informational return for TY2025 has been filed with IRS (990N e-Postcard, no charge to file, Tony and Pat has copies.
- Website – Seeking changes to be more interactive. Will be moving monthly Newsletters to our website and Jeri will not be emailing it each month, she has offered to help Van. Anyone interested in helping Van?

Upcoming Events:

- *Flyers handed out at meeting for the above events.*
- *See newsletter for car show listings.*
- Birthdays and anniversaries were gone over for those members who were present.

- **Lotto:** Phillip & Kathrina Hartman, not present \$30.00 rolled over

- **Raffle winners:** there were 5 winners but no names...sorry

- **Next group for raffle prizes for January:** Pat & Sandy Croan, Mike & Rose Dalton, Jerry & Jeri Dettmann, Bill & Debbie Dixon, Erwin & Jeannie Greven, Rick Hardin, Phil & Kat Hartman, Cesar & Jackie Hernandez.

- **Adjourn 7:38 pm.**

- **Next meeting: March 17, 2026 @ 6:30**

MaryLou Lopez secretary

A MESSAGE FROM OUR CLUB PRESIDENT

Happy March CCCT,

By now, we'll have had a wonderful club breakfast at Laverna's- our longstanding annual tradition for February. She may have some of the best pancakes in town! Spring weather is here and it's time to get the Classics out to one of the many shows happening around town.

I plan to attend the Diamonds in the Desert show in Oro Valley on 3/7 with several fellow club members. This event is hosted by the Canyon Del Oro High School Auto Program and was exceptionally well-organized last year, featuring more than 150 cars.

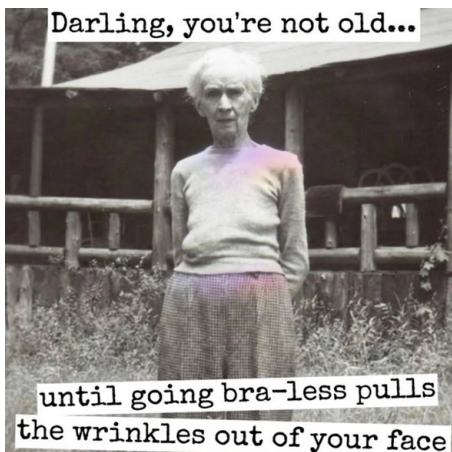
With only five weeks to go until Chevy Showdown, thank you in advance to everyone who helps make this event possible. Please, please, please make every effort to attend the March club meeting. It's our final opportunity to run through the Showdown checklist and ensure we're fully prepared for April 4th.

Until our next meeting on 3/17,
-Anthony Warren, CCCT President

When I say it should take 15 minutes to fix what I really mean is it will take all day & at least 2 trips to the auto parts store



TRYING TO UNDERSTAND SOME PEOPLE IS LIKE TRYING TO PICK UP A TURD BY THE CLEAN END...



The other night, my wife asked me how many women I'd slept with. I told her, "Only you. All the others kept me awake all night!" The doctor says I should be able to see again in about ten days. The broken arm will take about a month.





March 2026



Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
1	2	3	4	5	6	7
8	9	10	11	12	13	14
15	16	17 Club Mtg 6:30	18	19	20	21
22 Club Event	23	24	25	26 NEWSLETTER INPUT DEADLINE	27	28
29	30	31				

CHECK CCCT WEBSITE FOR MORE LOCAL SHOWS & FOR INFO ON OTHER CAR SHOWS IN ARIZONA ALSO CHECK OUT:
<https://sites.google.com/view/cruisinaz> - arizonacarshows.com and allevents.in

Mark Your Calendar - Upcoming Car Shows

SEE FLYERS POSTED ON PAGES 7-8 FOR CAR SHOWS

Just Want to Get Out of The Garage? Cruise-in's

Little Anthony's Diner- Broadway & Kolb
 Mar 14 & 28th **Day Time:** 10AM-2PM

Dave & Buster's Tucson - Friday Feb 13th, 6:30pm
 @ 1390 E. Tucson Marketplace Blvd (Costco Shopping Center)

Freddy's Custard &Steakburgers - Orange & Thornydale, Marana –every Thursday's @ 5-8PM

Freddy's Custard &Steakburgers - 11143 N Oracle Rd, Oro Vly - LAST SATURDAY of month

Tucson Cars & Coffee - 4075 W. Ina Rd, Marana **Second Saturday** of the month @ 7-10AM

Cars & Coffee @ La Encantada Mall on Skyline Dr. Every **Second Saturday** of the month 7-9 (Mar-Oct) 8-10 (Nov-Feb)

Eastside Cars & Coffee @ Viva Burrito: 8995 E. Tanque Verde Rd **Last Saturday** of the month @ 7-11am



THERE ARE PEOPLE OUT THERE TRAINING FOR MARATHONS... AND HERE I AM, ON THE COUCH, TRYING TO LASSO THE REMOTE WITH MY PHONE CHARGER.

Up Coming Car Shows

CDO AUTO CLUB PRESENTS
DIAMONDS IN THE DESERT
MARCH 7, 2026
10:00-2:00
ORO VALLEY MARKETPLACE
CAR SHOW

Pre-registration \$25 / \$30 Day of show
Club's Choice, People's Choice & Sponsor Awards



- Dash Plaques for the first 100 cars signed up
- Goodie bags for the first 150 registered cars
- Live DJ, vendor booths, and raffle drawings all day
- Vendor/Sponsor opportunities
- Spectators are free

diamondsinthedesert.com
 All proceeds benefit the CDO Auto Program




15th Anniversary Amado Chili Cook-off

Randy & Rose Estes

Classic Car & Motorcycle Show
 (An Alcohol-free and Drug-free Event)

Saturday March 7, 2026

509-979-1325

amadochilicookoff.org



Car Show 8 am to 1:30 pm
Online Registration Fee: \$30
Online Cutoff Date: 3/4/26
Day of Registration Fee: CASH \$35
Registration: 8 am – 10 am
Voting Ends: 12 pm
Car Show Awards: 1:30 pm

CATEGORIES

- A. Cars 1950 and Earlier
- B. Cars 1951 to 1990
- C. Cars 1991 to Present
- D. Trucks/Jeeps 1965 and Earlier
- E. Trucks/Jeeps 1966 to Present
- F. Street Rods
- G. Sports Cars
- H. Specialty Cars & Replicas
- I. Motorcycles

The Amado Territory | I-19 & Exit 48 | 3001 East Frontage Road | Amado AZ 85645

The Amado Chili Cook-off, a project of the Amado Community Alliance of PPEP, Inc., is supported by sponsorships, donations, and proceeds that support the Amado Youth Center Programs.

Tucson Street Rod Association
SWAP MEET

PUBLIC INVITED BRING A FRIEND
 ALL NEW FOOD TRUCK 6 A.M.-2 P.M. BREAKFAST & LUNCH

SATURDAY, MARCH 7, 2026
 6:30 a.m. - 2:00 p.m.
TUCSON SPEEDWAY
11955 S. Harrison Road

Houghton Rd. south, past PCC Fair Grounds, turn right on Dawn Rd. to Tucson Speedway, at corner of Dawn Rd. & Harrison Rd.

AUTO PARTS — RACE CAR PARTS
SELL YOUR HOTROD OR VINTAGE CAR
ANTIQUES • TOYS • ARTS & CRAFTS

SWAP SPACES \$30 CAR SALES \$30



FOR INFORMATION CALL:
RICK YASKANICH 520-444-1717
KEN BURK 520-282-3494

DAVE GORDON, SWAP MEET CHAIRMAN 520-574-9015

Set-up Open at 5:00 a.m., SWAP 6:30 a.m. - 2:00 p.m., March 7, 2026
 (Overnight parking/setup available after 5:30 p.m. Friday, March 6, 2026)
 Registration Fees collected on Day of Swap Meet

tucsonstreetrodassociation.net No Fire Arms or Drugs on premises TSRA FORM SM 1 — NOVEMBER 2025

12TH ANNUAL MOUNTAIN VIEW BAPTIST CHURCH
CAR SHOW
SATURDAY, MARCH 7, 2026
10 A.M. TO 2 P.M.
3500 W. Overton Road

YOUR SUPPORT HELPS TEENS GO TO CAMP!



DOOR SLAMMERS mountain view BAPTIST CHURCH

Food. Music. Raffles. Trophies awarded to "Top Ten" Vehicles.
REGISTER FOR \$20 AT MVBCTUCSON.ORG

Up Coming Car Shows

**MARANA HIGH SCHOOL
AUTO CLUB
GRAND CAR SHOW
FUNDRAISER**

SATURDAY, MARCH 14, 2026
MARANA VISTA ACADEMY
8333 N. SILVERBELL ROAD

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8333 N. SILVERBELL ROAD
MARANAUSD.ORG

**BASKETS
4 HOPE**
CAR SHOW & FUNDRAISER

520-221-6097
bethelightaz.com

MARCH 22ND
12PM - 4PM • 10AM ROLL-IN
MAIN EVENT
4700 S LANDING WAY
\$10 EASTER BASKET OR \$10 IN ITEMS TO GO INSIDE EASTER BASKET!

CHEVY SHOWDOWN

38TH ANNUAL

APRIL 4, 2026
FEATURING ALL GM VEHICLES 1996 & OLDER

Anthony Warren
President
(520) 310-5910
tdub0208@gmail.com



Frank Pella
Showdown Coordinator
(520) 437-2481
corvair68@icloud.com

Online registration and forms available @ www.classicchevycluboftucson.com

The Boys & Girls Club of Sierra Vista and Fraternal Order of Police, Lodge #28
PRESENT

KARS FOR KIDS
CAR ~ TRUCK ~ MOTORCYCLE SHOW ~ ALL YEARS WELCOME

~ SATURDAY ~ APRIL 4, 2026 ~
C-A-L RANCH STORE & HOBBY LOBBY
673/657 N. Hwy 90 Bypass ~ Sierra Vista, AZ

REGISTRATION: 8-10 AM ~ LIVE AUCTION: 2:00 PM ~ AWARDS: 2:30 PM
\$35 PRE-REGISTERED (before March 23rd) ~ \$40 LATE/DAY OF SHOW

Register On-Line at www.bgsqvaz.org (after December 1st) or Mail Form to Address Below
~ Over 20 Award Plaques ~ Event T-Shirts ~ Dash Plaques ~ Public Safety Displays
One 2026 event t-shirt and dash plaque to first 250 entrants.
Shirt sizes not marked or received after March 23rd will be subject to stock on hand.
PLEASE arrive together to park together ~ Please NO canopy stakes in the asphalt.
~ DJ ~ \$1,000 Cash Raffle ~ Live Auction w/20 Items of Value ~ Event Tees For Sale ~

PLEASE PRINT AND RETURN ENTIRE FORM WITH PAYMENT TO THE F.O.P. AT THE ADDRESS BELOW

Name: _____ Phone: _____
Address: _____ City: _____ State: _____ ZIP: _____
Make: _____ Model: _____ Year: _____
Email: _____ Club: _____
T-shirt: S, M, L, XL, XXL (+ \$2), XXXL (+ \$3) TOTAL ENCLOSED: \$ _____

The undersigned hereby releases the Boys & Girls Club of Sierra Vista, its Board of Directors, the Fraternal Order of Police, Lodge #28, its Officers, C-A-L Ranch Supply, Hobby Lobby, property owners, event sponsors and anyone who is connected with the 38th Annual Kars for Kids Car Show of and from any claims or damages, injuries, losses, judgments, and/or claims from any cause whatsoever that may be suffered by anyone participating in the event or by any spectators. Classic car exhibitors may NOT transmit any sales or business from their space without prior approval of the Boys & Girls Club. You may exhibit one F.O.P. SALE sign on your vehicle. Event goes on "rain or shine". 201 Insurance, alcohol/beverages, food, music, drinks, public, sanitation or dogs prohibited on the show site.

Signature: _____ Date: _____
FRATERNAL ORDER OF POLICE
P.O. BOX 518
SIERRA VISTA, AZ 85656

SHOW INFORMATION:
520-515-0055
fop28@cox.net

Up Coming Car Shows

SPONSORED BY



ENTRY FORM



SATURDAY - APRIL 11, 2026

NO DAY OF SHOW ENTRIES!

Show Limited to First 400 Entries - Expect Sellout
Pre-Registered: 7-9 a.m. Car Show: 9 a.m.-2:30 p.m.



Event Information

- Pre-1996 Vehicles Only: Hot rods, trucks, muscle cars, rat rods and customs, race cars, special interest and electric vehicles, and vintage campers.
- Spectators welcome/Free admission/Free parking

- Free Pima College garage tours of the ALL NEW PCC Automotive, Welding, and Advanced Technology Center -
Tours: 9 a.m./10 a.m./11 a.m./Noon

\$1000.00 Cash Raffle • Collector T-Shirts • Silent Auction • Vendors • Food Trucks
Silent Auction: Closes 1 p.m. \$1,000 Drawing and Awards: 2 p.m.

Arizona Pest Control \$1000 CASH RAFFLE

HOSTED BY



LOCATION:
Downtown Campus
1255 N. Stone Ave.
Stone & Speedway



Scheduled for April 11th, update should be available this month

Name: _____ Email: _____
 Address: _____ City: _____ State: _____ Zip: _____ Phone: _____
 Make: _____ Model: _____ Year: _____

51st ANNUAL RODDERS DAYS CAR SHOW REGISTRATION FEE \$15.00

- REGISTER & PAY ON-LINE: \$15 DEADLINE APRIL 6TH <tucsonstreetrodassociation.net>
- REGISTRATION BY MAIL: \$15 DEADLINE MARCH 27TH - MUST BE POST-MARKED BY MARCH 27, 2026
- 250 YEARS USA T-SHIRTS FOR SALE AT T-SHIRT SALES BOOTH
- FREE DASH PLAQUE WITH REGISTRATION

Payment Information

Check Credit Card # _____ Exp. ____/____ Security Code _____ Zip Code _____
 Make checks payable to and mail to TSRA, Rodders Days, PO Box 40742, Tucson, AZ 85717

Thank you! Your support of this car show has contributed to Pima Community College building one of the most advanced trade schools in America, and also contributions to 15 other local charities.

NO DAY OF SHOW REGISTRATIONS

Register Now!

Open to All Pre-1996 Cars and Trucks
300 Shaded 10 ft. Parking Spots
Limited to 400 Vehicles



In consideration of the acceptance of the right to participate in Rodders Days, the participant agrees to indemnify and hold harmless the Tucson Street Rod Association and Pima Community College, property owner, agents, volunteers and anyone else connected with the

management or presentation of this event from and against all liability of the loss that participant or participant's guests or family members may sustain or incur as a result of claims, demands or judgments arising from participant's involvement in Rodders Days.

Signature: _____

Date: _____



Smoke-Free Campus; No Drugs, Guns, Alcohol, Music, or Political Items

NO UNAUTHORIZED: BBQs, Motor Homes or Solicitations

CAR SHOW INFORMATION: Terry Melen (520) 528-0832 • terry.melen@gmail.com



Car Show



Saturday, May 2nd, 2026

5919 E Broadway Blvd

10:00 AM - 2:00 PM

Everyone Welcome - \$5 Registration Fee

Trophies, Door Prizes, 50 / 50, Dash Plaques
Any Questions Contact Bill: 520-237-6180



We are currently in the process of updating the DM50 website (www.dm50.com) to enable you to register on-line. Detail on-line registering should be available in March. Email will be sent when I receive notice. You can also sign up via the Protocol database.

Santa Cruz Catholic Church Show and Shine
 1220 S 6th Ave, Tucson

Rescheduled to
May 2nd, 2026
 From 10-3pm

Sahuarita Car Show-Jan 31st

The 31st Annual Sahuarita Classics Car Show rolled into Quail Creek Veterans Municipal Park on January 31, 2026, bringing together an impressive display of automotive history. Hosted by the Santa Cruz Valley Car Nuts, the event showcased collector cars ranging from the early 1900s to modern-day models, along with dedicated classes for British, European, and Corvette enthusiasts.

Despite a chilly, damp start to the morning, the weather warmed up and made for an enjoyable day. Five CCCT members participated in the show, with a few others attending as spectators. This year's event drew approximately 340 vehicles, filling the park with chrome, color, and plenty of conversation.

Proceeds from the show support the Pima First Sahuarita Wins Scholarship Program as well as the automotive programs at Walnut Grove High School, helping foster the next generation of car enthusiasts and technicians.



Hops to a Cure 5th Annual Car & Bike Show -Feb 7th

Dave White and Gary Smith attended the fifth annual Breast Cancer Awareness car show sponsored by Hops Sports Grill located on Broadway and Houghton. A nice turn out of cars, trucks, motorcycles and even a Ford GT40 in addition to your regular roadsters and hot rods, a total of 130 vehicles were in attendance. It was a nice day for a car show, 78° degrees, just another chilly winter's day in Arizona!



Thank you Gary for submitting this great write-up and photos



Getting to Know Matt & Suzanne Vilella

My dad helped me purchase my first car in 1987. I had about \$1000.00 saved from teen age work experiences in stores (you know...K-Mart, a fried chicken joint, and some other now extinct places (he claims it's not his fault)) and lawn jobs etc... The choice I (I mean my dad) made was to purchase a 1956 Chevy. My dad was a "car guy", a real motor-head. He built/restored a '33 and '36 Plymouth along with an eventual '55 Chevy while acting as the Antique Automobile Club of Tallahassee, FL president.

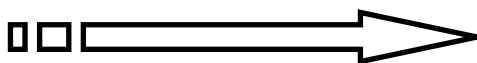
As you might imagine, I was not "in love" with my classic car at that time but was routinely amazed when surrounded by some other really beautiful cars. Between the TLC required for normal classic car operation of my '56, the hole in the gas tank and plexiglass windows without A/C made for some difficult days in the south, especially for a young teen with little resources. Even worse was the fact that there was only one white and blue-toned 50's-era classic chevy with gold rims running around so everyone knew exactly where I was...and more importantly, where I was not (school)! I was quick to pass the car off to my younger brother to inherit a sleeker, more A/C friendly, Nissan Sentra from the early 80s! Little did I think the day would come where I wished he had made some different choices. Nevertheless, he formed a respect and admiration for those classics throughout my childhood which would bring me to the CCCT all those years later.

Suzanne & I met right here in Tucson in the mid-90s. After some bribery, Suzanne decided to marry me in 1998 and off they went on a 26.5-yr adventure in the Air Force with Matt flying A-10s (along with the unfortunate desks every once-in-a-while) and Suzanne patiently learning new streets, schools, and people while staying home to raise our children. After a brief stay together in Tucson through 2000, we moved across the world—Alaska, Las Vegas, Ohio, DC, Las Vegas, Georgia, Pennsylvania, Germany and back to Tucson.

It was in Ohio when I had a good friend reintroduce him to classic-ish cars with his 1973 Corvette. After some prodding, I decided to join his friend and subsequently purchased "our" 1970 Corvette Coupe in 2006. In fact, Suzanne had to, on a few occasions, singlehandedly load it (now named Patriot) onto a trailer for a move across the continental U.S. Yes, like our kids, the corvette made (almost) the same number of moves. The car carved up streets across the U.S. but, when we left for Germany, the Patriot was stored by an acquaintance with a climate-controlled garage. After returning to Tucson from Germany in 2018, I eventually got our car shipped here from Pennsylvania. Following a series on unfortunate events, Patriot became a world class shelf in the garage...who doesn't love a hangar queen project? Realizing I needed a community for like-minded classic car buffs (and some help), I searched for a club...and found you all! With much of your advice and pointers, Patriot is up and running to meetings and events with our club.

As for us now, I fly for FedEx but will insist it's not my fault if anything does not make it on time. As many of you know, he is also involved with the 390TH Memorial Museum here in Tucson. Suzanne is an artist who shows her work locally. Suzanne was the president of the Southern Arizona Arts Guild from 2022-2024, so if you need some art, she can point you in the right direction. We both like to golf and work in the yard. I, of course, like to spend time in the garage as well. Together we have raised 3 great young adult children who have got to see a bunch of the world. We are very grateful to be a part of the Classic Chevy Club of Tucson and look forward to more shows, cruises and events coming!

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Getting to Know Matt & Suzanne Villella

1. My Dads '55 (orange) pre/post restoration photos
2. The family [(L-R), oldest daughter, Matts mom, Matt, Suzanne, our son, our youngest daughter) at Matts Air Force final flight and retirement.
3. Matt at "Corvettes at Carlisle
4. Suzanne being awesome
5. Matt and his dad going for a ride



Two things to make your day better
1. Do not watch the news.
2. Stay off the bathroom scales.

Q: Where can single men over the age of 70 find younger women who are interested in them?



Sahuarita High School Automotive Technology Car Show

Dave White and Gary Smith attended the Sahuaro High School Automotive Technology Car Show on 21 February 21, 2026. The show was open to all types and years of cars, not just older classic cars, 103 vehicles were in attendance, a mix bag of anything and everything which is excellent in my opinion. There were five trophies given out in total, best of show was a new Ferrari, followed by two newer Corvette, 2017 Dodge Charger which was the "oldest" car to receive a trophy!!!

So much for our older "true" classic cars but what the heck it was fun and for a good cause, the kids! The show officially started at 10:30 and was over by 12, my kind of parking lot car show 2 1/2 hours, I guess I had a thing for yellow cars today. LOL.



Holding your wife's hand in public looks romantic, but it's really just to keep her from wandering off and buying things you don't need! 🤔

Husbands will be over there snoring loud enough to shake the walls, then open their eyes and confidently claim, "I wasn't asleep."

Soon, there will be grandmothers who don't know how to cook, knit, or bake - but will have big lips, fake breasts, long eyelashes, and tattoos.

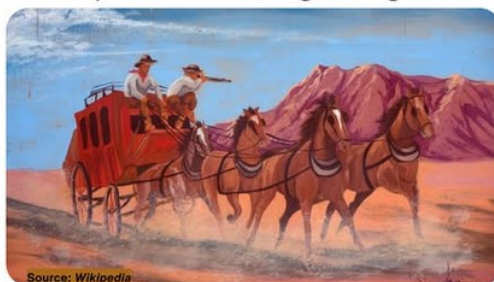
When I was eighteen I used to touch my toes twenty times each morning, these days I have a cup of coffee and wave at them ☕️



FUN FACTS



When stagecoaches were standard in the 1880s, the driver would typically assign his passenger seat to an armed partner whose duty was to keep thieves away. Hence, the expression "riding shotgun."



The first testicular guard, the "Cup," was used in Hockey in 1874 and the first helmet was used in 1974.

That means it only took 100 years for men to realize that their brain is also important.

Ladies.....Quit Laughing.

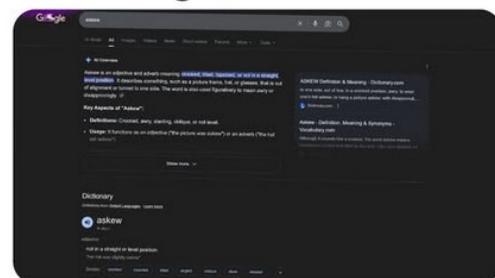
It's impossible to hold your nose and hum at the same time because to make a sound, your larynx needs to have air passing through it. With your lips sealed, there's nowhere the air can go to produce noise.



Pirates wore eye patches to increase night vision, not to cover a missing eye.



If you search the word "askew" on Google, the page itself tilts slightly to the right.



Give it a try.....

Looking for a Club shirt with your name on it?



Contact Ann Van Orden 770-778-2963 she is charging \$5 to embroider your name and club logo.

NOTE: YOU MUST PROVIDE YOUR OWN SHIRT

For Sale: 350 small block complete with water pump, power steering pump alternator, starter, engine mounts stock exhaust manifolds and several other bits and pieces. Needs distributor and carburetor . Has approximately 2500 miles on it. Before engine was removed was warmed up and oil changed. New oil and filter installed, run for 10 minutes oil and filter changed refilled with mobile 1 new filter and not run. Engine is a two bolt main. Has not run since 2019. Has been in my garage and not exposed the elements.

FREE - Come and get it

Contact J.P @ 520-444-2569 or Sophiloki2009@gmail.com

For Sale 2- 14 x 5 rally wheels dated 1967

Contact Jeff Britt @ 520-790-0730



OUR MISSION STATEMENT

To have a good time while loving, restoring and preserving the Classic Chevrolet and other GM vehicles through 1987



THE ACTIVE MEMBER

Are you an active member? The kind that would be missed, or are you just contented that your name is on the list. Do you attend the meetings and mingle with the flock, or do you stay home and criticize and knock?

Do you take an active part to help the work along, or are you satisfied to be the kind that "just belong?". Do you ever go to visit a member who is sick, or leave the work to just a few and talk about the clique? There's quite a program scheduled that I'm sure you've heard about. And we'll appreciate it if you'll come and help us out. So come to the meetings often and help us with work and hearts. Don't be just a member, but take an active part. Think this over member:

You know right from wrong.

Are you an ACTIVE member or do YOU just belong?



Welcome to your senior years, where you get mad when they rearrange the grocery store.

ASSOCIATE MEMBERSHIPS

In accordance with the revised CCCT By-Laws, Associate Memberships are available to anyone who lives in excess of 75 miles one way from the City of Tucson. Annual dues shall be 60% of the full dues established by the membership which at this time is \$25.00. There are no voting privileges extended to Associate Members.