



THE ODOMETER JULY 2018

Colorado's Meeting Place for All Datsun/Nissan Enthusiasts



In Remembrance

Connie Hill



Connie passed away Sunday, June 17 peacefully with her family close by.

Connie has been a member of ZCCC along with

her husband Lee since 2009. We frequently saw her and Lee at the car shows.

Connie's love was her beautiful 1964 LeSaber Buick that was her mothers. She resurrected the car after being in storage for awhile. Doing a lot of the work her self. She won many awards with it. She was editor and publisher of the MHBC Portholes.

She was released from the hospital late Friday after being hospitalized with acute pneumonia. With her health already compromised, she could not fight and was able to enjoy the surroundings that she loved for this very short time.

The clubs thoughts and prayers go out to Lee and their three children, Bryan, Debe and Kevin.

Your grace and charm will be missed.

You were a true friend to all.



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Z Car Club of Colorado



President's Corner

July 2018

Ira Sanders



"The heat is on, on the street
Inside your head, on every beat
And the beat's so loud, deep inside
The pressure's high, just to stay alive
Cause the heat is on" – Glenn Frey

The Heat is on here in Denver in more ways than just the thermometer reading and old songs. In June we had our days of 90+ degrees and as this is written, we are having record breaking heat in the 100's but we also had some very hot and impressive car showings. Thank you from the bottom of my heart to everyone that attended this year's AC Concours. You came through for the club! A very impressive 16 cars made a strong showing and 5 were at the show for the first time. You are all winners in my book! This event takes a lot of planning, set-up and orchestration. A big Thank You to Fred for the considerable amount of time you invested, and I can't forget his right-hand person Kathy for the assistance and support she provides. Patty and Diana also had great participation for their events. Check out the photos and don't miss the one of the toy room at Children's Hospital. Our club members helped to fill it and brought smiles to those kids that were able to leave their hospital beds to see a lot of fantastic cars. One of their favorites, a 1937 Chrysler pickup Monster Truck, came from North Carolina on a large flatbed. It was so big, the owner had to take the monster tires off to transport it.



If you didn't make it out in June, July has two drives for you. And if the thrill of control and speed are more to your liking, the 2018 Fun Run is Aug 4 at the State Patrol track in Golden. Won't have to go near as far as High Plains would be and the cost is only \$100. Get registered and tech your cars before you get to the course. You won't regret it. Even if you don't want to go out on the course but want to hang out and help, we have a spot for you. Just let Steve Eaton and/or Mike Goddard know. They are waiting for you to step up and join this big event. We will need a few corner workers and you get credit for attending an event.

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Submissions to Odometer

Events to be published in the Odometer must be approved by the Club VP. They should be submitted to the Club VP by the 15th of each month. Please do not submit PDF files for events or other articles, as the applications used for Web publication and Odometer publication cannot incorporate PDF files. Articles, photos, classifieds, recent events, membership info, etc. to be considered for publication should be sent to the Odometer Editor. Deadline for these items is the 20th of each month. The Editor reserves the right to refuse publication of any articles due to content inimical to the best interest of the Z Car Club of Colorado, unavailability of space, or lateness. Thank You.

To Lee Hill; I am sure the Club stands behind me when I say Our Deepest Sympathies go out to you and your family with the passing of Connie.

Announcements: This is a reminder that the July meetings, both the General and Board meeting dates have been moved. The General Meeting to July 11 and the Board Meeting to July 10. The September meeting is going to be at a different location and the Board is working on that. We have a new vendor coming to the discount list. Z Car Depot specializes in parts for our 240Z, 260Z, 280Z and 510. You can contact me, Andy Mortenson or Mike Goddard for details while we get it up on the website.

Check out the Classifieds; One of our members has a '68 Datsun Roadster for sale and another is liquidating all of his car manuals. Some of the Board members have had some curve balls thrown at them this year and could use your help. If you have a little time, Mike has been trying to complete cleanup of the Club vendor list. If you could give him a hand to get this important list cleaned up, please contact Mike. It's only a matter of calling the companies on the list and confirming if they want to continue on the discount list. Could be good training for taking over Public Relations someday. Things have been getting away from me lately and I could use some help with the ZCCM subscriptions.

Finally: Security! We see this word in the news daily and seems to be at the fore front of our lives. Tiffany Gordon and Scott Swiger have done some brain storming and came up with a "Members Only Group" for Facebook users. Check out Tiffany's article about this new Facebook Security Change. My hats' off to you both for your creative thinking. I am sure our Facebook users will be very grateful for your due-diligence. It's very easy to join the Members group. I've already done it.

I'll see you all at upcoming Club events, car shows and the meeting in July.

Facebook Addition by Tiffany Gordon

We currently have a ZCCC Facebook PAGE. However, a Facebook PAGE is a public forum that anyone can view (whether they are a member or not). After speaking with Scott our webmaster at the CP Concours, we discussed that it would be beneficial for security purposes to have a member only GROUP. A GROUP allows for me, the admin, to only allow ZCCC members to have access to the posts and information. This will ensure that members emails, phone numbers, addresses, etc. that are shared for events stay more private (even though it may be listed in the Odometer). A GROUP will also allow you to receive all notifications if you choose. Many people have complained that they do not see everything posted on the Facebook PAGE, but would like too, this should solve that. If you choose to join the private Facebook GROUP, you will be able to post things (updates, pictures of events, etc.) without concern of it being out there for the whole world to see.

To join, you MUST have a Facebook account. You simply type in the search bar "Z Car Club of Colorado Members". Then click "join group". It's as simple as that. If you need help, you know who to call!

Our ZCCC page will still exist, this is just an additional place for information and communication in a more private GROUP setting.

Let me know if you have any questions!



EVENTS



July Board Meeting

When: Tuesday, Jul 10, 2018 @ 6:00 p.m.

Where: Via Conference Call.

If you are not a board member and would like to attend the board meeting, please contact Ira Sanders

July General Meeting

When: Wed, Jul 11, 2018 @ 7:00 p.m.

Where: Overland Golf Course,
1801 S Huron Street, Denver, CO 80223
(Near Santa Fe & Evans)

[Note: Everyone attending is requested to order off the Menu]

Aug Board Meeting

When: Tuesday, Jul 30, 2018 @ 6:00 p.m.

Where: Via Conference Call

If you are not a board member and would like to attend the board meeting, please contact Ira Sanders

Aug General Meeting

When: Wed, Aug 1, 2018 @ 7:00 p.m.

Where: Overland Golf Course,
1801 S Huron Street, Denver, CO 80223
(Near Santa Fe & Evans)

[Note: Everyone attending is requested to order off the Menu]

HELP NEEDED! The Club is looking for a venue for September 5th meeting. Overland Golf Course has their Music Festival and will be closed in preparation for said event.

Western Slope Experience

When: July 20 to July 22, 2018

Where: Grand Junction, CO

Host: Nate and Cheryle Derman, <cherylesblackorchid@comcast.net>

We are meeting at Sanders home located at [314 DeFrance Court, Golden](#) at 9:30 AM and leaving no later than 10:00 AM. We will be stopping in Silverthorne for lunch. We have a private wine tasting and dinner planned for Friday. On Saturday We have two private wine tastings and 3 other wine tastings planned plus lunch and dinner. On Sunday we have a private wine tasting planned and the self guided drive through Colorado Monument which will take 3 hours without stops. Maps and a time line will be provided. Hotels are on your own.

We hope you can attend this tasty and informative drive through the most beautiful areas of Colorado. If you do not sign up in advance, please call me no later than Thursday, July 19, 2018 to let me know you are coming.

Sky Sox Baseball

When: July 28, 2018, game starts 6:00 pm

Where: Colorado Springs Sky Sox

Host: Tammy Sanders <Odometer@zccc.org>

Deadline: July 11 to purchase tickets



It's Baseball season again! This years opponent will be the Albuquerque Isotopes (Rockies farm team). Continued on pg. 5



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Sky Sox Baseball

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A deposit has been paid for this summer night game with fireworks to follow. We have 35 tickets for the Picnic Terrace reserved but only have 15 people signed up to go. Ticket prices this year are the same as last year, \$27.00pp and includes the BBQ dinner. Put this fun event on your July calendar and root for the home team!

Deadline to Reserve your tickets, is July 11. All remaining tickets will be released back to the Sky Sox ball club. Sign up and pay for this event with Tammy Sanders.

We will meet at Wells Fargo Bank ([2195 N State Hwy 83, Franktown, CO 80116](#)) at 4:00 pm for a scenic drive south. We will leave by 4:15 for the ball park (4385 Tutt Blvd, Colorado Springs, CO 80922).

Z Car Club of Colorado—In Honor of Scott Guthrie

2018 ZCCC Fun Run @ CSP

When: August 04, 2018 @ 8:00 am—5:00 pm

Where: State Patrol Track, [2054 Quaker St, Golden, CO 80304](#)

Host: Mike Goddard <zquicky@msn.com>

Important Dates: July 28 and August 1

ZCCC Fun Run 2018 is here! Saturday, August 4th, 2018.

High Plains Raceway was a great time, but sadly due to serious/expenses and restrictions put on by HPR the past couple of years, the club needed to look elsewhere. In the past, we the club, have had great events with the CSP Track in Golden. We will have our Parade lap during the lunch hour, no helmet required, passengers and kids welcome.

The date is set aside for our event and the fee for the day will be \$100. We have two tech inspections scheduled: July 28th and August 1st.

We are looking forward to seeing members and old friends we have met over the years.

Volunteers Needed: People are needed for corner work, pit management, registration and other duties that come up. Come out and help! No experience is needed and you'll have a great time. Anyone under the age of 16 will require an adult to be present.

Have Fun and Safe Driving.

Basic safety requirements to drive on the track:

1. Protective clothing — Long cotton pants, Shoes of natural or non-combustible material, Long sleeve cotton shirt while on track

2. Snell 2000 or newer (M or SA) helmet

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Colorado State Patrol (CSP) Fun Run continued

- 3. Drivers must abide by all safety rules
- 4. All drivers must attend the driver's meeting before the event

Registration form can be found on
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Tech inspection form can be found on
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Wine Tasting and BBQ

When: August 11, 2018 @ 6:00 pm—9:00 pm

Where: [1545 S Richfield Way, Aurora, CO 80017](#)

Host: Cheryle Derman, <720-937-2437>

Come join us Saturday evening, August 11, 2018 for wine sharing & barbeque at our home. Please bring a bottle of your favorite wine or beverage, and a side dish or dessert to share. There will be a sign up sheet at the general meetings to sign up for one of these items. We plan to have a wonderful evening of food, wine, fire pit and lively conversation. We look forward to seeing you at our home.

Call Cheryle for more information

Drive to Eastern Colorado

When: August 18-19, 2018

Where: Sand Creek Massacre National Historic Site

Host: Tammy Sanders, <Odometer@zccc.org>

Deadline: book hotel asap see Tammy for details

Join me on a drive to see a little Colorado History. We will visit the Sand Creek Massacre National Historic Site, and 8 historically significant sites in Cheyenne, Elbert, Kit Carson, and Lincoln counties. Day 1 we set out from Aurora and Drive to the towns of Hugo and Aroya and on to Sand Creek. Day 2 we will be visiting 6 other sites, but there is a catch. Think of it as a Treasure Hunt.

This can be either a single day or two day drive. If you chose to do both days, I have arranged for lodging for the night of August 18th. We will meet Saturday morning, 7:45 am at Starbucks located at 3455 N Salida St, Aurora ([Tower & I-70](#)). Additional information will be provided when you sign up.

So, hitch up the ole wagon, grab your map (Colorado of course) and hat and head out for an old fashion adventure. And don't forget your compass.

This drive is NOT recommended for your Z cars, as there are some dirt roads.



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Nissan Fest 1 Up

When: Saturday, August 25, 2018 @ 9:00 a.m. to 3:00 p.m.,
Check-in 8 a.m.

Where: [Main Parking](#) Structure in Estes Park

Host: Don Gordon <vice-president@zccc.org> (303)570-5794

Entry Fee: Free!!!



We will be joining another car club and lots of Nissans in beautiful Estes Park. Please email me a picture of your car so I can **pre-register** you. Check-in: 8am. Main Event: 9am—3pm. Trophy Winners: 3pm. Categories: Best Nissan, Best Infiniti, Best Datsun, Best All-Terrain (truck or SUV), Best Engine Bay, Best Stance, Best in Show

Following this big day, you'll want a bite to eat and to relax. Please join us at our home in Estes Park for some Brats and Italian sausage on the grill along with some iced tea. You are welcome to bring another beverage and/or a side dish to share. Hope you can make this fun event.!

Annual Oktoberfest at the Spirit of Flight Center

When: Saturday, September 8, 2018 @ 9:00 a.m. to 2:00 p.m., set-up 8 a.m.

Where: [Spirit of Flight Center, Erie Airport](#)

Host: Patty Troxell <rtcats@juno.com> (303)514-4301

Entry Fee: Car show registration \$10.00pv

Beer, Brats, Live Band, Pancake Breakfast, and Trophies. It's time for the Spirit of Flight Center's Oktoberfest Car Show/Fly-In to be held on Saturday, September 8th at the Flight Center's Museum on the West side of the Erie Airport, 2650 So. Main Street, Unit A, Erie, CO. Their web address is www.spiritofflight.com. Car show registration and set-up starts at 8am with advertised show hours of 9a-2p. The car show registration fee is \$10 per vehicle which includes the Pancake Breakfast and admission fee. If you do not want to show your car but want to attend the car show the admission fee is \$5 per person however does not include the Pancake Breakfast, which is approximately \$5.

Beer and Brats is an additional cost not included in the fees listed above.

The Spirit of Flight Center Museum is a collection of general and military aviation artifacts, several of which are one of a kind pieces.

If you have any questions, please contact me.
Patty Troxell, rtcats@juno.com, or (303)514-4301.



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10th Annual Rods and Wings Car Show Wrap-Up

I would like to thank everyone who attended the Rods and Wings Car Show and Fly-In on June 8th at the Spirit of Flight Center in Erie. Kathy Minister, Ed McHugh, Tammy Sanders, Rob Marlow, Diana Inberg and myself entered our cars in the show. Congratulations to Ed McHugh who won the Best in Class Trophy showing his 2018 Heritage Edition 370Z, expertly detailed by Ed and Judy. Way to go!

Patty Troxell





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Concours D' Elegance Wrap-Up

We want to say THANK YOU!!!

On behalf of the children, individuals and families we serve, THANK YOU for your incredible support. With your help and the support of the community, the show was a great success with over \$116,000 raised for our Creative Options program. We had 408 entries (not including sponsor/vendor cars) on display.

As you know, proceeds raised from the car show provide nutrition programs for our families, health and dental screenings, social worker support and a variety of therapies. Last year 534 children, birth to five years old received early childhood care, education, intervention and family support. Ability Connection Colorado's growth and success is largely due to the generosity of the community, which truly embraces our mission --- the belief that quality of life, dignity and inclusion in the community are the inherent rights of all people. It is important to know that eighty-eight cents of every dollar goes directly to the life changing work here at Ability Connection Colorado.

Sincerely,

Judy & Terri



ZCCC FUN RUN AT STATE PATROL

REGISTRATION FORM

August 4, 2018, 8:00 A.M. until 5:15 P.M.

Driver#1 _____ Driver#2 _____

Street address: (city, state, zip) _____

Phone: Home _____ Work _____ Cell _____

E-mail address: _____

Z Car Club of Colo. Membership # _____ Expires _____ Non-Member _____

Car: Make _____ Model _____ Year _____ Color _____

Performance mods. _____

Driver 1 experience: ____ novice (D); ____ intermediate (C); ____ advanced (B); ____ expert (A)

Driver 2 experience: ____ novice (D); ____ intermediate (C); ____ advanced (B); ____ expert (A)

Driver 1 (Member) ____ \$100.00 Driver 1 (Non-Member) ____ \$100.00

Driver 2 (Member) ____ \$ 50.00 Driver 2 (Non-Member) ____ \$ 70.00

Please check appropriate lines and enter amount enclosed: \$ _____

Your check should be made out to Z Car Club of Colorado (ZCCC).

Registration will be limited to the first 50 cars, so please register early

For advance tech inspection, please contact Roy Davis (see below). For all cars not tech'd earlier, inspection will be held at the track as time permits. Cars with inadequate tires, brakes, steering, or with fluid leaks or loose parts will not be allowed on the course. Open or excessively loud exhausts will also be disallowed. DRIVERS ARE ENCOURAGED TO CHECK THEIR CARS *and make any needed repairs* BEFORE coming to the track.

Mail registration with check to:

Z Car Club of Colorado
P.O. Box 260078
Lakewood, Colorado 80226-0078

DRIVER'S CERTIFICATION: I am entering this event to have fun and to drive safely on High Plains Raceway (HPR). I agree: to abide by all ZCCC written and verbal instructions and track steward at this event, including but not limited to the strict rules regarding passing on the track, to wear an approved (at Tech Inspection) Snell rated helmet on the track along with long pants, long sleeved tops, and close toed shoes of natural or non-combustible materials. I also understand that passengers without proper restraints, clothing, helmet, shoes and a valid driver's license will not be allowed on the course.

Signature (Driver 2): _____ Date: _____

Signature (Driver 1): _____ Date: _____

For information, contact: Mike Goddard (303) 988-7859, zquicky@msn.com
secondary: Steve Eaton, Ls1Eaton@msn.com, (303) 204-3102

TECHNICAL INSPECTION: Z Car Club of Colorado (ZCCC)

July 28 and August 1

Driver #1 _____ Run Group _____

Driver #2 _____ Run Group _____

Make: _____ Year: _____ Model: _____

Cockpit:

- ___ Clear of loose items
- ___ Safety belts installed, secure
- ___ Snell approved helmet
- ___ Rear view mirror OK

Wheels & Tires:

- ___ Front wheel bearings tight
- ___ Lug nuts/bolts torque
- ___ Center caps/hubcaps removed
- ___ Tire tread safe, tires matched
- ___ Wheels not cracked or bent

Brakes: *I certify that my brakes, incl. rotors, calipers, pads, master cylinder & lines/hoses, are in track worthy condition.*

Mechanicals/Fluids:

- ___ Brake fluid level up
- ___ Battery restraint tight
- ___ Brake pedal pressure OK
- ___ Gas line secure, dry
- ___ Steering gear tight
- ___ Oil level up
- ___ Coolant level OK
- ___ Wiring, hoses secure, dry

Body & Exterior:

- ___ Gas cap secure
- ___ Body parts and molding not loose or protruding
- ___ Glass not broken, cracked or loose

Driver _____ Date _____

DRIVER INSTRUCTIONS: This is not a wheel-to-wheel race event! PASSING IS NOT PERMITTED except between turn #15 to #1(front straight) and turn #3 to #4 (back straight). If a driver closes on you from behind, you must, at the beginning of the back straight, you must hand signal out the window for him/her to pass, and slow down until he/she has completed the pass. Drivers who do not yield and signal and slow down at the top of the back straight when approached from behind will be black-flagged off the track. Drivers who pass without a signal will also be black-flagged. Drivers passing in non-designated area will be black-flagged off the track. Only persons 16 or older with proper clothing (long cotton pants/shirts, non-plastic/vinyl shoes) and helmet will be permitted on the track (including passengers).

The Chief Steward and the Starters can and will black flag anyone who appears to be engaging in wheel-to-wheel racing, driving unsafely, driving too close to the car in front of them, or failing to comply with flag or other instructions.

The Chief Steward's decision on any matter is **final**.

I have read and understand, and agree to comply with the above instructions and any others given by the Chief Steward or his designee. I have inspected the above automobile and believe it to comply with all safety requirements. I understand and agree that this inspection by ZCCC is not a certification by the inspector or by ZCCC that the above automobile is fit or safe to drive.

Signature (Driver) _____ Date: _____

Signature (2nd Driver) _____ Date: _____

Inspected by: _____ Date: _____ Approved: _____



MEMBERSHIP NEWS AND INFO

Going-Going-Gone

May:

Pierre & Christina Barthle, Jerry Harris,
John & Lois Student

June:

Matt & Sandy Bourgeois, Walt Caron,
David Fisher, Ron Hartness, George Kopp,
Dave & Christine Weber

July:

Bill & Jacki Barton, Michael Drury, Fred &
Kathleen Minister, Ira & Tammy Sanders

Membership Information

Memberships – 78

Members – 106

Membership Cards are available for print
on the web site. If you would like a
laminated card, email Andy Mortenson



Pierre Barthle (7/30)

Richard Branch (7/6)

Steve Eaton (7/5)

Judy Gordon (7/14)

Ron Hartness (7/14)

William Lohringel (7/7)

John Mavis (7/20)

Matthew McDole
(7/10)

Karen Peterson (7/14)



Welcome to New Members and Guests

Michael Jacobs, Boulder, 1977 280Z

Gary Rubin, Longmont, Datsun 1600
Roadster

Alex Millward (returning member), Castle
Rock, 1984 300ZXT & 1989 300ZXT

Marc Connolly, Highlands Ranch, 1982
280ZX

How to be a Member

Dues: Single Membership \$35, Family \$45,
Corporate \$50.

To receive the Odometer via postal mail
add \$10 annually.

Referrals & Z Bucks

N/A

ZCCM Magazine

Magazines have come in. Please see Ira
Sanders if you have not received your copy



Guest Speakers

The board would like to
bring back to the General
meetings a guest speaker.

If you know of someone or have ideas,
Please contact and coordinate with VP

MOTORSPORT COORDINATOR

Looking for someone to coordinate Club
Fun Run events. The Club does not have
anyone performing these duties currently!

Duties: Will be responsible for securing
track dates and will attend all Colorado
Motorsport Council meetings and will re-
port to the general membership as neces-
sary.



CLUB INFORMATION



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2017-2018 Elected Officers

President: Ira Sanders
president@zccc.org

Vice-President: Don Gordon
vice-president@zccc.org

Secretary: Cheryl McKenney
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Treasurer: Bill Lohringel
Treasurer@zccc.org

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membership@zccc.org

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Inter-Club Liaison: Diana Inberg

Odometer Editor: Tammy Sanders
Odometer@zccc.org

Appointed Positions

ZCCC Representative to the ZCC Association: Diana Inberg

Welcoming Host: Kathy Minister

Motorsports: **VACANT**

Webmaster: Scott Swiger

Historian: Bruce McKenney

CP Concours: Fred Minister

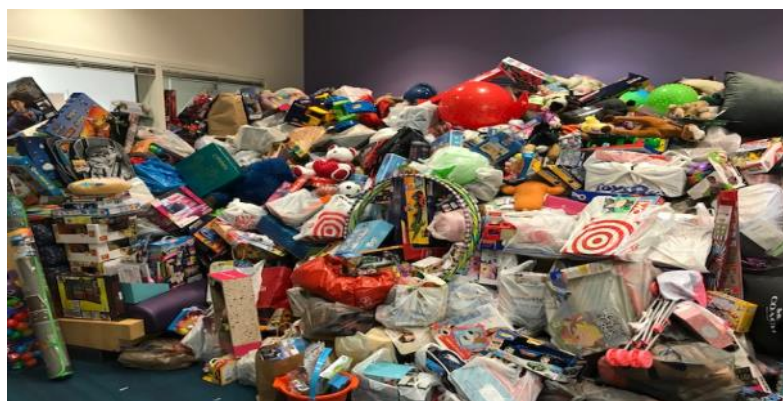
Name Badges: Fred Minister

50/50 Drawing:
Don Gordon & Ira Sanders

Facebook: Tiffany Gordon

ZCCM Magazine Subscription: Sanders

Club Sponsor:



Children's Hospital Toy Room

Guide to the ZCCC WEBSITE/FACEBOOK

To get to the website go to www.zccc.org

What can I see from the main page? You can see the calendar with upcoming events, button shortcuts, and the most recent odometer, as well as the login page

How do I login to the Member's only part of the website?

1. Scroll to the very bottom of the webpage
2. On the bottom left hand side of the page you'll see a place to enter your username and password. Enter your username and Password (if unsure send an email to Tom or try clicking "Forgot Password")

What can I do under the member tab at the top of the webpage?

1. I can renew my membership (there is a small processing fee)
2. I can check out my Active Member Points
3. I can look at the club directory
4. And more...

How do I check out the Odometer?

1. Click directly on the tab labeled "Odometer" located at the top of the webpage
2. Then look for the Odometer you want to read
3. On that Odometer click "continue reading"
4. Then click on the year_month (example: 2017_03)

Guide to the ZCCC Facebook Page

How do I check out the page without signing in or having an account?

1. Go to <https://www.facebook.com/ZCarClubOfColorado/>
2. From there you can see recent updates and postings

How do I like and follow the club's Facebook Page?

1. Go to www.facebook.com
 2. Login OR create an account
 3. In the top left hand corner look for something that says "Search Facebook"
 4. In that box type "Z Car Club of Colorado" Then click on our page.
 5. Once there you'll see a large picture that is Z related...right below that picture there is a button to press that says "Like"
 6. Click the "Like" button
 7. You will now occasionally be told/notified when I update, add, or change something
 8. You can also post/write/upload things on the Facebook page
 9. Do steps 1-3 every time you want to look at our Facebook page
- Tutorial Done By: Tiffany Gordon (ZCCC Facebook Admin)
Contact me with any questions: musictif@yahoo.com or 720-227-3841

How to order Apparel & Accessories with/without our Z Car Club Logo

If someone wants to order something, please contact Don Gordon for now.

Here are the 2 websites used by the club: www.sanmar.com, www.alphabroder.com





LAST MONTHS MEETING MINUTES



The meeting was called to order at 6:59 pm.
Welcome to guest's and new members.

Secretary Report: Cheryl McKenney

Minutes from May2018 motioned, seconded and approved.
Nothing to report at this time.

Vice President Report: Don Gordon

With the end of the year banquet quickly approaching it is important to know how many points you have and how you can earn points. Points are earned by attending and hosting events. If you host an event you earn 4 points and attending an event is one point. This year the active member gift will be a vest in either red or blue. Upcoming events include the following:

- ◇ June: 9th – Spirit of Flight Car show in Erie
- ◇ 10th – Concours D'Elegance at Arapahoe Community College
- ◇ 16th – Lobster Dinner at the Minister's
- ◇ 23rd – Toy Run Car Show at Children's Hospital
- ◇ July 11th – General membership meeting
- ◇ 20th – 22nd – Western slope drive
- ◇ 28th – Sky Sox game in Colorado Springs
- ◇ August: 4th – Track Day at the State Patrol
- ◇ 11th – Wine tasting and barbeque
- ◇ 18th – 19th – Eastern Colorado Drive to Sand Creek Massacre NHS
- ◇ 25th – Estes Park Car show
- ◇ September 8th – Oktoberfest Spirit of Flight Museum

Treasurer's Report: Bill Lohringel

Nothing to report at this time.

Membership: Andy Mortenson

There are 7 renewals and 1 new membership

Public Relations: Mike Goddard

Looking for help verifying the vendors on the discount list.

Interclub: Diana Inberg

Nothing to report at this time.

Odometer: Tammy Sanders

Submissions to the Odometer are due by June 20th, 2018.

President: Ira Sanders

The meeting for July will be held on the 11th since the 4th is the first Wednesday of the month. The club is also looking for a place to have the September meeting as Overland Golf Course will not be available. The club is looking for volunteers for the track event in August. Any one interested in volunteering will be trained for the day. There has also been some confusion on the discount, cont. pg 17



CLASSIFIEDS



Placing a Z-Related Ad:

Ads should be submitted **by email** to the Editor. Ads will be in upper and lower case lettering. Ads are posted for 3 months. Resubmit as necessary. If you have a clear photo, please send it with your request to the Editor.

Payment should be made by check payable to "ZCCC" and sent by mail to the attention of the Editor at the address listed under "Club Information." The Editor will hold your ad pending received payment clearing the bank.

	Cost	Members	Non-Members
1/4 Page		\$0	\$35
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We are in the process of getting our home ready to sell. I have 30 Sport Z magazines encompassing the years 1996 - 2003 and 11 Nissan Sport magazines years 2007-2008. I thought people in the club would be interested in them and I would like to donate them. They are available for someone to pick up at my home. If anyone is interested, please email me and we'll make arrangements.

I also have repair manuals for 240Z and 280ZX including a rare 1972 240Z Service manual (Chassis and Body) which sells for \$200-\$250 on ebay. I would sell mine for less than that. Here is what I have:

1. Service Manual (Chassis and Body) 1972 240Z
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3. Clymer Publications Datsun 240Z through 1972 Service and Repair Handbook.
4. Chilton's Repair and Tune-Up for Datsun/Nissan 1979-1984 280ZX.
5. Haynes Datsun 280ZX 1979-1983 Repair manual.

I have five Books under the following titles:

1. Datsun 280Z and ZX 1975-1983 Brooklands Road Tests
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5. Essential Datsun Z the cars and Their Story 1969-1983.

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continued from page 15. at Larry H. Miller, the club will need to visit the dealership to confirm the discounts. If anyone is interested in being the liaison for the ZCCM please see Ira Sanders.

Guest Speaker:

No speaker for June.

Old Business:

None to report at this time.

New Business:

None to report at this time.

Winner of the 50/50 drawing was Ed McHugh. Meeting adjourned at 8:29 pm.



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Cops seize \$130,000 Nissan Skyline GT-R at car show and the story is wild

By David Tracy and Ryan Felton, 4/26/18 3:05pm

<https://jalopnik.com/cops-seize-130-000-nissan-skyline-gt-r-at-florida-car-1825542919>

Car forums wept when pictures appeared of a 1999 Nissan Skyline GT-R getting towed away by Florida police at a car show in Daytona Beach. In some ways it's not surprising—that generation of Skyline isn't really legal to be in the U.S., though some are here under dubious circumstances. But what may look like a typical JDM import gone awry is so much more, now a case involving theft allegations between two longtime dealers and a legendary performance car being stuck in a confusing custody battle.



As a result, the dispute between a Japanese car importer and a former import car dealer has law enforcement baffled as to who actually owns the vehicle.

According to a Daytona Beach Police report, the seizure comes after a woman associated with a Japanese car importing operation reported the car stolen from her driveway in early April. About two weeks later, police discovered the allegedly-swiped vehicle at a car show in Daytona, but were told by the former imported car dealer—who was apparently showing the car off at the show—that the vehicle doesn't actually belong to the importer, but rather to the dealer.

The situation has the police utterly confused. "It is unclear at the moment who the lawful owner is of [the Skyline]," the report filed last Saturday reads, "as neither party was able to produce any paperwork showing ownership."

This uncertainty forced authorities to take the car away until they could figure out who actually owns the thing. "Due to the fact that the lawful owner of [the Skyline] could not be determined at this time," the police officer wrote, "the [Skyline] was towed by Daytona Wrecker Service to the Daytona Beach Police Department for safekeeping until Detective Bryant can determine lawful ownership."

It's a confounding case for sure, and it only gets weirder from here.

The backstory, according to the report, begins with this: two automobile importers, Myoung Kim and John Stagnitta, had a longtime business arrangement where Kim, who's 75, imported cars from Japan and had 51 year-old Stagnitta, operating in Orlando, Florida under the name Black Ops Performance, sell them. (Black Ops' website is currently blank, having apparently suspended operations in late March.)

It's unclear how long the relationship went on—the report only describes it as an "extended period of time"—but Kim told police Stagnitta had sold "multiple vehicles" that she had brought into the states. But at some point, the pair's relationship soured, the report said. It's not exactly clear why that happened.

Stagnitta wouldn't discuss their relationship in detail when reached Wednesday over Facebook. Kim didn't seem interested in talking, either. When we called the number in the police report listed for Kim, someone answered but then quickly hung up. Repeated calls went straight to voicemail. We were able to reach Kim's husband on Thursday morning, but he said he'd have to call us back later. We haven't heard from him yet but will update if we do.

Yet the now-seized red Skyline may be the reason why the business relationship ended on such bad terms. As written in the report, Stagnitta had told Kim he would sell the 1999 Nissan Skyline GT-R for her. (And based on the post above, which we found on the "Black Ops Squad," a car owner's club related to Black Ops Performance, it appears that he did try to sell the car).

The report goes on, saying "weeks passed" but Kim didn't hear back from Stagnitta, so she called him to have her vehicle returned. "Kim got her vehicle back, and she had parked it in her driveway," the police report says.

It's not clear exactly when Kim got her car back, but on April 6, according to the report, Kim discovered the Skyline went "missing from her driveway." She reported the car stolen to the Philadelphia Police Department, which declined to comment on the situation Wednesday.

Kim then contacted Stagnitta, who reportedly "gave her the runaround" by telling her the car was in California, then in Orlando. Kim allegedly flew to both locations, eventually catching up with Stagnitta in Daytona, where the Skyline from her driveway was found at a car show in Daytona Beach. It's there that police took possession of the car and towed it away to an impound lot, according to the report.



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“So with deep regret we have suspend operations,” he wrote. “We will still be getting together as a squad at shows and for cruises. Do your research and watch out for scams and shady importers.”

As of now, it’s stuck in a custody battle, with Kim and Stagnitta at the center.

According to the report, Kim was able to show the police the Skyline’s Pennsylvania registration and also a picture of a title on her phone. It’s unclear how she’d have been able to register the vehicle considering the U.S.’s strict 25-year import rule, although some R34 Skylines have exceptions there—rare exceptions.

But Stagnitta told police the car was not Kim’s. Upon being asked if he was the owner, Stagnitta reportedly told officers yes, but that the documentation proving so was all “in a safety deposit box in a bank in Orlando.”

According to the report, Stagnitta told officers he had the “Bill of De-Registration from Japan,” that he’d bought the car from Kim over two years ago, and that he doesn’t believe the car has ever been registered or titled in the U.S.

We spoke with Stagnitta over Facebook messenger about the situation, and he told us that his team is involved in a lawsuit with Kim, that the car actually belongs to one of his clients (Stagnitta would not tell me if he sold the car to this client, or how the client got the car), and that he thinks the client will get the car back soon.

“As far as the car being stolen,” he told us, “we submitted proof to the Daytona Police Department today showing that the vehicle has been in Florida and was in our possession since July last year. That is why there are no charges pending for car theft.”

“We are confident the vehicle will be recovered by our client shortly. I will contact you with a result of the other lawsuit when it resolves,” he said.

We asked Daytona police on Thursday morning for an update on the situation. A police spokesperson only told us: “I’ve just been informed that this is a civil matter. So we have nothing to comment on.”

Stagnitta has had previous runs-in with the law. Police in Brevard County, Florida, arrested Stagnitta for schemes to defraud and grand theft, when he sold an unspecified engine to someone on the Internet for \$1,200—but allegedly never sent the part. “[The victim] made an agreement to purchase a car engine from John Stagnitta for \$1,200 over the Internet,” an affidavit requesting criminal charges states.

“[The victim mailed] the cashiers check to Stagnitta ... on 02/02/04 and Stagnitta received the check on 02/03/04. The check was cashed, however, [the victim] never received the engine which he purchased.” The affidavit went on to say that Stagnitta admitted that he received the funds, and remained adamant that he sent the engine to [the victim], but during an interview he couldn’t provide any proof.

“He admitted to selling the car parts,” the affidavit says, “using the address, phone number and email in this case, but cannot provide docs or recall any specifics on the transaction.”

Court records show Stagnitta struck a plea agreement with prosecutors, and received probation for the grand theft count while the other charges were dismissed. Stagnitta was arrested again for violating his probation in 2006, but was soon after released, according to court records.

When questioned about his past, Stagnitta declined to comment on any legal matters.

Stagnitta has also been having legal troubles more recently. In March of this year, Stagnitta and his company were sued in Florida state court by a plaintiff named Joshua Velasco-Cariaga for conversion, civil theft, breach of contract and fraud. According to the lawsuit, Stagnitta’s business, Black Ops Performance, allegedly received money from Cariaga last fall to finance the purchase of a “custom vehicle” from Japan.





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That money allegedly included a \$1,500 initial deposit, and then \$25,000, which Black Ops Performance had reportedly told Cariaga to pay as soon as the imported car dealership had “secured” a car in Japan.

The lawsuit alleges that Black Ops said it would buy the car from Japan last September, but after that, Cariaga was left in the dark. “Between September to present,” the document reads, “Defendants have failed to deliver the custom vehicle, failed to regularly provide updates, and refused to return Plaintiff’s Deposit or the Funds.”



It goes on, claiming that Stagnitta had never actually purchased the car from Japan, and then mentions this email that the Black Ops Performance chief sent to the client, indicating that the company had spent Cariaga’s money:

Our intention is to refund you but as [I] said we are not in a financial position to do that right away. . . . I have the payment details for our purchases. I would like to talk to you for a few minutes. Since I already have sta[t]ed in writing that we plan to repay you I’ve basically handed you a victory in any legal action.

When we asked Stagnitta over Facebook messenger for a comment, he responded, saying: “The lawsuit is pending so I can’t comment.”

There’s still a lot we don’t know, especially since we haven’t been able to find much of anything on the car importer, Kim.

Records show she and her husband have had civil judgments filed against them stretching back to the 1980s, but she appears to have no online presence whatsoever. A google search on import-related car forums found only a couple of references to a “Ms. Kim,” but they don’t provide any detail on who she actually is.

We did find that there appears to be ongoing import-related activity operating out of Kim’s listed address in the police report. Shipping records show a company named JDM Exchange Corporation is operating out of the same location in Philadelphia.

A bill of lading from last month shows that used car parts were shipped from Japan to Newark, intended for JDM Exchange, and an eBay user by the name of jdmexchange2005 is currently selling an array of Japanese car parts and shipping them out of the Philly area.

Stagnitta, in our conversation, suggested he had ongoing litigation against Kim, but we couldn’t verify if a complaint has been filed as of Wednesday. In his Black Ops sendoff, which was posted earlier on Instagram, Stagnitta said he’s “always strived to provide our customers with JDM Cars that are step above the competition.”

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Sky Sox Baseball	Saturday, July 28, 2018	6:00 pm	Colorado Springs, CO
August General Meeting	Wednesday, Aug 1, 2018	7:00 pm	Overland Golf Course
State Patrol Track-Tune Up	Saturday, Aug 4, 2018	All day	Golden, CO
Wine Tasting and BBQ	Saturday, Aug 11, 2018	6 pm to 9 pm	Derman's home
Drive Eastern Colorado	Saturday Aug 18-19, 2018	7:45 am	Starbucks
Nissan Fest 1 Up	Saturday Aug 25, 2018	9: 00 am to 3:00 pm	Estes Park
September General Meeting	Wednesday, Sept 5, 2018	7:00 pm	??? - Need Venue ???
Oktoberfest Car Show	Saturday, Sep 8, 2018	9 am to 2 pm	Erie Airport