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NATE'Z NOTEZ

Happy New Year ZCCC family. Hope your holidays were wonderful and your New Year is off to a great start. For those of you that joined our Zoom meeting in December, it was nice to see your faces. We did have a few in-person events during the month that are re-capped in this month's Odometer.

On the 10th, we welcomed our Z family and guests to our house for our annual Z Holiday party hosted by Cheryle and Chloe (and yours truly). You can read the re-cap and view pictures on page 14.

The McKenney's once again hosted their holiday lights drive on the 17th. You can read about it and view the pictures on page 15.

Robert Eagan (Bert-O-Matic) hosted a toy drive in conjunction with the VQ Club for Childrens Hospital on Sunday the 18th, and the re-cap and pictures for this event are on page 16.

I am writing this article on the 21st as Cheryle and I will be heading to L.A. for the last few days of Chanukah and Christmas with our son, daughter-in-law and grandson. We are also going to the Rams/Broncos game at SoFi Stadium on Christmas day. We will be back in Colorado on the 27th. Too late to write this so we hope to see you all next year, (January 4th, at 7:00 PM).

Until then, Happy holiday's to all, and "keep the rubber side down, and the shiny side up". Best regardz, Nate



Great time but bad loss!

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CLUB MEETING

Disclaimer: The views and opinions expressed in this newsletter are those of the authors and do not necessarily reflect the official policy or position of the Z Car Club of Colorado or the Odometer editor.

To protect club member's privacy, for events hosted by members, please log into zccc.org/members to view organizer's contact information.

January Board Meeting

When: Tues. Jan. 3, 2023 @ 7:00 p.m. Where: Zoom Conference Call.

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

January Gen. Meeting

When: Wed. Jan. 4, 2023 @ 7:00 p.m. Where: Zoom Conference Call

Feb. Board Meeting

When: Tues. Jan. 31, 2023 @7:00 p.m. Where: Zoom Conference Call If you are not a board member and would like to attend the board meeting, please contact Nate Derman

February General Meeting

When: Wed. Feb. 1, 2023 @ 7:00 p.m. Where: Zoom Conference Call

AGENDA

6:30 PM: "Zoom Doors Open" Opportunity to socialize

7:00 PM Call meeting to order, establish a quorum, welcome everyone and introduce any new members, birthday greetings. Board reports. Old business, new business.

Adjourn

WE WILL BE MEETING VIA ZOOM THROUGH APRIL 2023.

SEE THE DETAILS TO LOG IN ON PAGE 4



This is so very important! Even though our general meeting will be on Zoom through April of 2023. there are still several events being held. Please remember to check Facebook https://www.facebook.com/
ZCarClubOfColorado/ and the website zccc.org before heading out to an event. Due to unforeseen circumstances or weather, events may be cancelled or just check for event updates.





Hello Z Car Club of Colorado,

We will be meeting on Zoom from November, 2022 through April, 2023. In May we we will resume our in person meetings at Gateway Classic Cars

We will have socializing time from 6:30 PM-7:00pm. Then our official meeting will begin at 7:00 pm. Come and mingle with fellow car enthusiasts and see what Zooming is all about!

TWO OPTIONS FOR ZOOM

Join by computer, tablet, or smart phone

Direct link to join the meeting: https://zoom.us/j/94249630045? pwd=YkYzT0FGL1h1UzF2cS9BNXh0NUhPUT09

Join by phone. You can use any phone (including land-lines) to participate via audio only.

Dial this Number (646) 568-7788

Meeting ID: 942 4963 0045

Password: 123456

Hints if using the phone option:

To mute/unmute yourself on the phone hit *6

To raise your hand on the phone hit *9

If you are having technical difficulties please call Tiffany at 720-334-8195

Zoom is inclusive for all. As long as you have a phone you can join us. We hope to Z you there.

-ZCCC Board



LETTER FROM YOUR EDITOR

This month's letter is W for Winter

Ahh, it is definitely winter with single digit lows and plenty of snowy days to look forward to. We just got another 8 inches at my house. I am glad I don't have to leave the house very often. Even though it is wintertime, we have 3 events to look forward to in January, February and March. Our Club is scheduled out through next November. You can check out all of the upcoming events in this issue on page 29 with lots more coming up in warmer weather I'm sure. Be sure and check out page 11 for another Colorado Cars and Coffee issue of Shift Magazine. Our Spooktacular was featured on pages 97 and 98.

We had an amazing turnout for our annual holiday party. Thanks to all of you for coming out.

I hope to see many of you on Zoom and upcoming events this year. I hope you had a wonderful Christmas, Channukah and a happy new year celebration.

Stay warm and happy reading to my Z family and friends!



WE ARE NOW MEETING ON ZOOM THROUGH APRIL 2023. PLEASE SEE INSTRUCTIONS FOR HOW TO JOIN IN ON PAGE 4.





MEMBERSHIP NEWS AND INFO

Renewals Due...

NOVEMBER: (Your membership is past due): Grant

Stephenson

DECEMBER: (Your membership is past due): Nicholas

Luongo

JANUARY: (Your membership is up for renewal): Jenny Boyd, Robert Eagon, David Goltermann, Mark Ingles, Albert Powell, Rhett Tree

Memberships not renewed within 2 months of the anniversary due date will be dropped from the Club's active status.

Z-Bucks

To receive a Z buck, the name of the referring member must appear on the new member's application.

What are they and how do I get them? Refer someone to join the club, and when they do, you get \$5.00 in Z bucks to use toward membership.

Z BUCKS FOR DECEMBER: None

New Members For November

None

Membership Information

Memberships — 105 Members —138

Moving or Have Moved

Don't forget to update your address, phone numbers and email in the <u>Edit My Profile</u> under your name in the upper right corner.

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

ZCCM MAGAZINE

Renewals and new subscriptions for the full 2023 season of the ZCCM are underway.

For those interested in renewing, or a new subscription of this amazing magazine for 2023, please contact Jason Spegal. The price will be \$21.50 (\$13.50 for the subscription + \$8.00 for direct mailing to your mailbox).

Payment options:

You can pay via PayPal, or by check. If either of these do not work for you please contact Jason Spegal to see if an alternative option can be worked out.

If paying by PayPal please send

to ispegal@spegalnetworks.net, and include a note with your name and "ZCCM". Example: "ZCCM for John Doe" If paying by check please make the check payable to "Z Car Club"

of Colorado" and mail to: Z Car Club of Colorado

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How the ZCCM works: The club renews its subscription with the ZCCM every February and receives a discounted rate of \$13.50 per magazine adjusted annually. New and renewing club members can sign-up for a full year of the ZCCM within the November to January time frame. Outside of this period new subscriptions can be added for the current season at a pro-rated price.

Magazines are normally distributed during the club meetings, however, we are only meeting in person May through September, this has been changed to mailing only.

JANUARY BIRTHDAYS

Jenny Boyd (1/20), Nick Cardozo (1/26), Bob Carlson (1/21), Chris Chidley (1/6), Judy Genoff (1/11), Robert Ingram (1/26), Lorena Lucas (1/27), John Paul Marosy (1/15), Kathleen Minister (1/26), Jason Spegal (1/16)





CLUB INFORMATION

Contact Information



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2021-2022 Elected Officers

President: Nate Derman president@zccc.org

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

Secretary: Cheryl McKenney

secretary@zccc.org

Treasurer: Travis Scott treasurer@zccc.org

Membership: Andy Mortenson

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Public Relations: Patty Troxell publicrelations@zccc.org

Inter-Club Liaison: Bruce McKenney

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Odometer Editor: Cheryle Derman

Odometer@zccc.org

Appointed Positions

ZCCC Representative to the ZCCA: Bruce McKenney

Motorsports: Travis Scott

Historian: Bruce McKenney

Name Badges & Decals:

Jason Spegal

50/50 Drawing: Gail Mund

Welcoming Host: Judy Gordon

50/50 Door Prize Coordinator: Wendy Rhyne

Social Media Director: Tiffany Gordon

ZCCM Magazine: Jason Spegal

Constitution Analyst: Patty Troxell

Election Director: Cheryl McKenney

Webmaster: Mike Rhyne

MEETING MINUTES

December 7, 2022

By Patty Troxell in the absence of Secretary, Cheryl McKenney

VIA ZOOM

The meeting was called to order at 7:01 pm and a quorum was established.

Happy Birthday to Dennis Lynton who has a birthday on Dec. 15th and to members with December birthday's not present at tonight's meeting.

Welcome to New Members Peter Doe and Mark Noble. Peter drives a Cadillac and is interested in a Z. Mark lives in Colorado Springs. He has a 1979 280ZX and enjoys working on his car. No guests in attendance.

The approval of the November minutes was motioned, seconded, and approved.

BOARD REPORTS:

Secretary – Cheryl McKenney

Absent but relayed she has nothing to report.

Interclub Liaison – Bruce McKenney

Absent. Cheryle Derman encouraged members to visit the Colorado Cars and Coffee website or Facebook page to see their current and upcoming events.

Membership - Andy Mortenson

The club has 110 memberships and 145 members.

Of note, Andy reported that long time club member Phil Taylor has not renewed his membership as he no longer has his Z.

Public Relations – Patty Troxell

Reviewed steps for members to access vendor discount information in the member Vendor Discount List.

Members should review discount details, address, etc. before using a vendor. Changes are made as they are received.

Welcome to new Colorado Springs vendor Rocky Mountain Upholstery Co.

The Discount Tire listings have been removed from the Vendor Discount List. Update from Andrew Woodward of Elevated Audio/Elevated Racing Club regarding his possible future racing simulator event was given.

Reminder for members to always identify themselves as a ZCCC member and have their current membership card/image available.

Treasurer – Travis Scott

Absent. Reported to Cheryle Derman that the club's financial health is good, checks have been received and bills have been paid

Odometer – Cheryle Derman

Shift Colorado, the first publication of Colorado Cars and Coffee, highlights the Z Car Club of Colorado. The article was written by Cheryle Derman. The second edition will come out on December 9, 2022.

Not all members have received the email notification that the Odometer has been published. The Odometer is published at the end of each month or the first day of the month. If you do not receive the email notice, please go to the club website or Facebook page to read the Odometer or check your spam folder.

Vice President - Don Gordon

Discussed points; what they are, how to accrue them, Active Member Awards and showed examples of past Active Member Award gifts.

Reviewed upcoming events.

President – Nate Derman

Shared his and Cheryle's Thanksgiving activities.

Reminder there are 4 months of Zoom meetings until the club returns to in-person meetings May 2023 at Gateway Classic Cars – Denver.

Thank you to Devin diSimone of Gateway for having our club return to their location for in-person meetings next year.

The next general meeting will be on Zoom, January 4th, 2023!!

Wishing everyone Happy Holidays and a Happy, prosperous New Year.

Webmaster (appointed position) - Mike Rhyne

Is looking into why some members are not receiving the monthly email announcing the publication of the Odometer.

OLD BUSINESS:

None.

NEW BUSINESS:

A Member requested a financial report update be given at the next general meeting. Member Dennis Lynton wants to host a paint correction demo at his home. Dennis will write up event details for submission to Don Gordon for entry

into the club's Event Calendar.

50/50: not done at Zoom meetings.

ADJOURN:

A motion to adjourn the meeting was made, seconded and approved. The meeting was adjourned at 8:13 pm.

MEET YOUR MEMBER

RICK AND DEBBIE MRAZ



I believe I may have joined in 2005. We have always liked the "Z" car. In the late '70s and '80s, I had friends who owned 240Zs, 280Zs, and 280ZXs. A good friend had an original Scarab – Blue-Print, Balanced, Ported, 327 V8 Conversion from California. Corvette eater! Each time I had an opportunity to buy a Z, timing, family, and my constant moving in the Air Force didn't allow me to make the purchase.



So, I looked in earnest in 1997-1998 for a Z car worth the price and effort to maintain. Luckily, my grandfather was a mechanic, and I grew up working on cars. I finally found my Z car in 1998 in Virginia Beach, VA: 1972 240Z in Lime! I am the third owner. The car was originally from San Diego, CA.

The previous owner had a new motor installed in the mid-90's (260Z block), new struts, and transmission rework. Mechanically, the car was a keeper. The rest of the car needed a lot of TLC. So, I started my renovations in 1998 and worked at it a little at a time. Here's the short list of my repairs: New Floor Pans, Re-dyed vinyl, New Jute and Carpet, Removed old A/C system, Removed the smog system (only needed in CA), New Front Brakes, New Rear Brakes, Upgraded to the 280zx Distributor and Alternator, Upgraded headlight and marker light wiring, New Exhaust, Z Therapy SU Carb refresh, New Seat Foam and covers, Polyurethane Bushings, Repainted lots of trim and interior parts, Konig 16" Wheels, Replaced Rear Strut Pins, and New Transmission Mounts. My next effort will be paint and body work. I plan on a complete tear-down. The car has been painted at least four times. It has more rust to repair (Hatch, Fenders, Rocker Panels, Wheel Arches). The "yellow" hides the imperfections well.

In 2003, I bought a 1982 280ZX for my late-wife, Mary. Silver, non-turbo, T-top. The car was 20 years old and only had 60,000 miles on the odometer. I bought the car from Todd Wagner (Tidewater Z). He is also on the ZCON board. He refurbished the car and won a People's Choice Award at ZCON in 2001 or 2002. The car was Mary's daily driver. It did well in the snow with a set of four snow tires, too! I did some work such as Polyure-thane Bushing upgrades, New Exhaust Manifold and Gasket, Minor Fuel Injection fixes, Fuel Pump, and New Carpet.

We sold the car in 2012 when we became grandparents. It seems grandma's 2-seat sports car doesn't work with little kids!





Debbie is also a Z car fan. In 1986, as an Air Force Lieutenant, she bought a new 300ZX (non-turbo). White with burgundy Interior, and the Digital Dash.



This was her daily driver in Texas, California, Washington DC, and Germany. Debbie loved taking it on the Autobahn. Debbie's parents became furious over the digital dash failure while helping drive the car from California to Washington DC. No speedo, No gas gauge...nothing. A junk yard part got it fixed. She sold the 300ZX in 2001 before returning stateside from Germany. Now, Debbie has her sights set on the new 2023 Nissan Z in Blue.

Debbie and I plan on attending more Z Car Club events in the future. We like to do drives and car shows such as the Concourse D'Elegance. Let me know if anyone would like to talk about Zs or how to fix them.

WE WOULD LIKE TO FEATURE YOU AS OUR MEMBER OF THE MONTH.

What type of vehicle you own (can be more than one). Add pictures please.

Why you joined:

What activities you would like to see in the future:

What you are interested in participating in currently:

Please email this information to Odometer@zccc.org

NEWS AND NOTEWORTHY

By Member ACE King



240z Window Glass Installation Installing the door window glass is a major pain in the ass. Hopefully this will help.

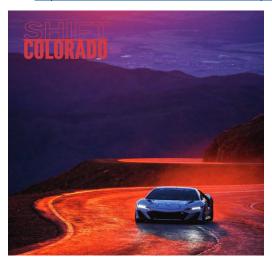
Once again I've updated the site, this time adding a procedure for installing the door window glass, which can be a major pain. For the entire article and additional articles, go to his webpage: http://ace240z.com/



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We are featured on pages 97 and 98 at Empire Nissan Spooktacular.

Be sure to check out our first issue at https://coloradocarsandcoffee.com/3d-flip-book/shift-colorado-issue-1-0/



Make sure you go to pages 56/57 for the article I wrote about ZCCC. A great many of you are pictured. Article written by Cheryle Derman.

2023 Bull Market Pick: 2003-08 Nissan 350Z

Steven Cole Smith

07 December 2022



Submission by Andy Mortenson

https://www.hagerty.com/media/market-trends/2023-bull-market-pick-2003-08-nissan-350z-nismo/

Welcome back to the Hagerty Bull Market List, our annual deep dive into the collector cars (and bikes) climbing the value ranks. This vehicle is one of 11 chosen for the 2023 installment of the List. To see the other 10, <u>click</u> <u>here</u>.

Performance-wise, 1996 began seven long years of darkness for Nissan. The fast, pretty 300ZX had ended its production, and there wasn't much in Nissan's U.S. portfolio to interest the power-hungry. The wait was on for the next Z, and briefly, it seemed as though Nissan had minimal interest in a meaningful revival of its most heralded model. It took until 2002 for Nissan to introduce the 2003 350Z, and it was deserving of the name. Rave reviews followed. *Automobile* magazine named it Automobile of the Year, and *Car and Driver* named it to its 10Best, calling it "a re-creation of the segment-busting Datsun 240Z that set the sports-car world on its ear in 1970." Segment-busting or not, sales were strong, especially after a roadster version debuted for 2004. The coupe was offered with a complicated roster of Base, Enthusiast, Performance, Touring, and Track versions, while the roadster came only in Enthusiast and Touring.

Power came from a 287-hp version of the versatile VQ35DE 3.5-liter V-6, and manual and automatic transmissions were offered. The so-called Rev Up engine with upgraded internals and a bump to 300 horsepower appeared in the 2005 Track model, and in 2007, it was boosted to 306 horsepower for all models.

Nissan was back on the performance radar, but it wasn't until late in the 2007 model year that the company really cashed in on America's fascination with NISMO, the name of Nissan's performance tuning division in Japan. The golden child of the 350Z lineup, the 2007–08 Nissan 3Steve Ellis of Los Angeles was living in Texas when he found his 2008 Nissan 350Z NISMO in San Antonio. With 130,000 miles, "It was in pretty rough shape, but it had a clean title, and like all of us, it just needed some love and attention." The NISMO Z was an excellent track-day car from the factory, but Ellis added bigger tires and wheels, refreshed the suspension with solid bushings and an adjustable linkage, and gave it "a little more aggressive alignment that helps on track days."

The nearly trouble-free car has since had plenty of track days, autocrosses, and just plain driving—all of which has added more than 70,000 fresh miles to the odometer. "My main takeaway was astonishment at just how solid it felt, even with the incredible 204,000 miles on the clock. The rest of us had similar reactions," says Joe DeMatio, senior content manager.

Whether you choose a Base 350 or a NISMO variant, it's hard to go wrong with one of these Zs. "They're just good, solid cars," Ellis says, 350Z NISMO is by far the most valuable model today.



WHERE IN THE WORLD IS Z CAR CLUB OF COLORADO? WE CAUGHT YOU DISPLAYING YOUR ZCCC MEMORBILIA

We thought it would be fun if you took a picture wearing or displaying something with the ZCCC logo. The photo could be taken at a special scenic place in beautiful Colorado, in another state or during an international trip. Perhaps at one of our events or even dining out.

If you travel somewhere or just relax locally and would like to share your photos displaying the ZCCC logo, just send the photos and description to Cheryle Derman at editor@zccc.org.

Bruce and Cheryle McKenney were spotted wearing their 2022 active member shirts. Looks like they made some new friends. They are in Disney Springs, Orlando, Florida. Gail Mund and Jason Spegal were at the Annual Holiday Party. Jason Spegal is showing off his 2022 shirt and his White Elephant gift. Gail was captured chatting about her 2022 shirt and 2019 thermos with James Pasono.











ANNUAL HOLIDAY PARTY AND GIFT EXCHANGE RECAP **DECEMBER 10, 2022** BY CHERYLE DERMAN



'IT WAS ONE OF THE BEST PARTIES YET"

The food was sumptuous and the alcohol was flowing. We even had a homemade brew by the Rhynes. Nate made homemade Paella and of course, Kathy's egg are always a must have. All of the 28 guests enjoyed getting together in person to celebrate the holidays. Nate and I managed to infiltrate some Channukah décore with 3 menorahs and festive lights. We had our own "Elf On The Stairs". The White Elephant gift exchange got exceptionally "brutal" this year with several gifts being "locked" and a few people were picked on. All in all, I think everyone was happy with their gifts. Thank you everyone who attended. We always enjoy having all of you to our home. Merry Christmas, Happy Channukah and of course, a very happy 2023. Cheryle, Nate and Chloe.







































HOLIDAY LIGHTS TOUR RECAP Saturday December 17, 2022 BY BRUCE AND CHERYL McKENNEY



We had another year of festive lights and holiday cheer! The holiday lights tour was on December 17th. We started the evening with a happy hour at our home. Rudolph greeted everyone and guided their sleigh for parking. We snacked on many delicious appetizers and treats and enjoyed some great company. We then departed our home for the light tour. The trip around the area included several stops where we saw Santa, reindeer, many furry friends and even a few movie stars. There were also lots of beautiful lighted trees and even some giant snow-flakes. One of the houses flashed along with holiday music and we were greeted by Santa passing out candy and cocoa at one stop. After viewing lights in the neighborhood, we headed to Arapahoe County Fairgrounds for the drive thru light show. After a bit of a wait, we headed into the show and saw thousands of synchronized lights. We drove through tunnels and arches and by many lighted displays. The show was worth the wait and was the grand finale of our evening. For videos and photos please view our Holiday Lights Album on our Facebook Page at https://www.facebook.com/media/set/?set=a.453837940288918&type=3



































Holiday Toy Collection Recap December 18, 2022

Childrens Hospital in Aurora By Robert Eagon



We had a great turnout for the annual toy drive this year and collectively donated thousands of dollars worth of toys for all the kids that are struggling with health issues during this holiday season at the Children's Hospital. Thank you all who came out and donated. We will do it again next year.

Thank you, thank you, thank you,

Robert Eagon aka. Bert-o-matic



































Business: Tint World Automotive Styling Center

Where: 3155 Chambers Rd., Unit F, Aurora, CO 80011

When: January 7, 2023 (Saturday)

Time:10am followed by an optional lunch at Applebees (No point for lunch only!)

Host: Patty Troxell

Please join me in welcoming new club vendor Tint World Automotive Styling Center conveniently located in Aurora. Business owner and Business Member Ray Ruiz will be there to answer your questions and go over the many services offered to us. He will be performing a demo on one of the vehicles he will be working on. Please visit our Vendor List on our website for more details of the many services he offers and discount. Choose the Aurora location. Come on out to this event, to meet our vendor, support our newest member and welcome him to the Club! I will provide coffee and muffins.

Lunch, (optional) will be held at Applebee's Restaurant-Gateway Park location.

Address: 16485 E. 40th Cir., Aurora, CO 80011

Phone: 303-371-4114 Time: directly after event.

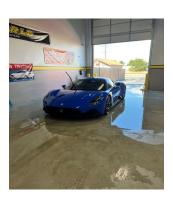
There will not be a meet-up location to caravan to Tint World Aurora. I will be there ahead of the 10am start time to set up coffee and muffins. Attendees go directly to Tint World Aurora on their own. https://goo.gl/maps/sXTFBHFd2edp6R8S9



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FROZEN TOEZ RENDEZ VOUS

Hosts: Bob and Mariann Byrne

Where: South Platte River Historical Society, Ft. Lupton, CO

When: Saturday, February 25, 2023 Meeting Time 9:00AM

Meeting Place: Rocky Mountain Arsenal National Wildlife Refuge

Gateway Rd Parking lot Directions to Tallow Rivers will be handed out.

Depart: 9:30 AM

The Tallow River Trappers of the SPRHS hold an annual rendezvous at Ft. Lupton in late February each year. They recreate a winter rendezvous at the park in full period costume while living as the trappers did. The Ft Lupton park contains a replica of the 1830s trading fort, a trappers cabin, pioneer farm house and barn.

There will be a trader's row where trade and craft goods are sold. If you want to join in the reenactment, you can buy your buckskins, coon skin hat, and supplies. There is a shooting range in the park for black powder musket shooting competitions and demonstrations. Dress warm! Leave your Z in the garage and drive your AWD to this event. It will not be canceled because of snow or cold.

After the event, we will drive into town for lunch at a local restaurant. Location TBD.





CROCK





WHEN: March 11, 2023

TIME: 6:00 P.M.

WHERE: 1545 S. Richfield Way, Aurora, CO 80017

HOST: Nate Derman

Please join Cheryle, Chloe and I for our second and hopefully, annual Crock Pot Luck. Last year it was a huge success. In the past, our creative members have produced lots of different recipes in their crock pots from chilis, to briskets, to soups to meatballs. We invite you to come up with **your** favorite crock pot recipe to share with all of us. If you don't have a crock pot, please sign up to bring an appetizer, side dish or dessert.

This party could be a crock... of fun! Let us know if you will attend at one of the Zoom meetings coming up. We look forward to zeeing you there.











SEMAFEST

DATES: 11/3/2023-11/4/2023 HOSTS: Mike and Wendy Rhyne

LOCATION: Las Vegas Festival Grounds, lodging at the new Conrad Las Vegas at Resorts World

Beginning on Friday evening (11/3/2023) of SEMA Week, SEMA will take over the Las Vegas Festival Grounds through Saturday night with an all-new SEMAFEST.

For 2023, SEMAFEST will take place at the Las Vegas Festival Grounds and be open to everyone, bringing together automotive enthusiasts with the aftermarket industry in a high-octane and immersive festival-like celebration of car culture. SEMAFEST will feature top music and entertainment, a car show and cruise, VIP experiences, craft food, automotive celebrities and motorsports. It will run alongside the popular SEMA Ignited Cruise and SEMA Show after-party, which draw thousands of enthusiasts on Friday night.

SEMAFEST is currently planned to be Friday 11/3/2023 and Saturday 11/4/2023 but details are not published yet.

Participants need to book early to guarantee lodging. We would ask those that would like to attend to contact us so we can collaborate and plan.

FEATURED VENDOR

January 2023 Featured Vendor

Tint World – Aurora 3155 Chambers Road, Unit F Aurora, CO 80011 720-388-6677

Tint World of Aurora is this month's featured vendor. Store owner Ray Ruiz and his team can transform your vehicle from ho-hum to WOW. Tint World offers a variety of services and products. Enjoy the rich sound of upgraded speakers or a new sound system (they did this on my 2003 350Z). Don't forget about safety. Tint World can install park assist cameras, blind spot detection system warning, car remote start and security systems. Headlight restoration, another service offered, is an important component of safety on the road. Paint correction can remove oxidation and paint swirls (they did this as well). Paintless dent repair is another service available (I used that too). There is a full line of window tinting, paint protection wraps and more. Tint World – Aurora can customize your car for a unique look to make it your ride. Their website address is: www.tintworld.com/locations/co/aurora/107. Be sure to call the store at 720-388-6677 and ask for Ray to discuss your car's needs and member discount details.

Ray Ruiz is a new ZCCC Business Member as well.

- *Members need to log in to the club website, scroll down to the Vendor Discount List, in the search bar type Tint World Aurora, click on search to see *important vendor and discount information*. As always, please identify yourself as a ZCCC member and have your membership card/image available.
- *Please join me at Tint World Aurora on Saturday, January 7th at 10 am. Coffee and muffins will be available. Meet Ray and see many of the services offered. Event details are in the club's Event Calendar.



IMPORTANT INFORMATION ABOUT RECENT CHANGES AND ADDITIONS TO THE VENDOR DISCOUNT LIST

Patty Troxell, Public Relations Director

ELEVATED AUDIO DEMO UPDATE

Update from Andrew Woodward of Elevated Audio/Elevated Racing Club: due to a delay in completion of the simulator build and related project items, Andrew has delayed the racing simulator demo. I will keep you posted.

TINT WORLD AURORA

*There has been a change in the member discount from Tint World – Aurora. Members need to log in to the ZCCC website, scroll down to the Vendor Discount List, type Tint World – Aurora in the search bar and click on search. Details regarding the discount change are noted there.

DID YOU KNOW

ZCCC has a NATIONWIDE Corporate/Commercial account with O'Reilly's Auto Parts?

ZCCC has a discount agreement with Caliber Auto Glass that is valid at ALL COLORADO LOCATIONS?

ZCCC has a discount agreement with Big O Tires/Midas through the Leeds West Group (LWG) at various locations throughout Colorado including 2 in Colorado Springs, 1 in Firestone, and 1 in Monument?

Did you know Big O Tires and Midas offer many of the same services including engine tune-up services, ignition and fuel system services, radiator and transmission flush, A/C recharge and repair, factory recommended maintenance and more?

To see vendor details and how to identify the club to get our discount with the above vendors, members need to:

Log in to the ZCCC website

On the Members tab, scroll down and click on the Vendor Discount List.

You can do a custom search by typing in the business name or type of business in the Search Listings bar then click on Find Listings.

Be sure to read all the information provided for the vendor you have selected.

As always, please identify yourself as a member of the Z Car Club of Colorado and have your membership card/image available.

Happy Motoring.

Patty Troxell
Public Relations Director

ROCKY MOUNTAIN UPHOLSTERY CO.

VENDOR DISCOUNT LIST Through October 2022



Being a member of the Z Car Club of Colorado comes with many perks. In addition to new and exciting road trips, car shows, monthly meetings and comradery, you have access to the Vendor Discount List. Members enjoy a 10-20% discount from the vendors listed below. When contacting or visiting a vendor, please identify yourself as a member of the Z Car Club of Colorado and have your current membership card available. Always check the website first as the Vendor Discount List is always subject to change. zccc.org. You will need to log in as a member to view the list.

Vendor Discount List:

Action Auto Glass-Englewood Adam's Polishes-Thornton Alloy Wheel Pro-Colorado Springs Applied Plastic Coatings-Wheatridge Banzai Motorworks-Maryland Big O Tires/Midas (Leeds West Group) - various Big O Tire-Parker

Brakes Plus-Thornton Caliber Auto Glass-All Colorado Locations

Car Toys-Aurora

Chuck's Discount Muffler-Denver

Dent Clinic-Lakewood

Elevated Audio, Inc.-Lakewood

Elite Hail Systems-Englewood

Empire Lakewood Nissan***ZCCC Sponsor***

Gary's Full Service Auto Repair-Aurora

IDS Window Tint And Clear Mask-Littleton

Jazz Car Wash & Detailing-Littleton

John's Sunroofs & Window Tint-Englewood

Junkyard Jenny's Quality Used Parts-Ft. Lupton

Maaco Collision Repair & Auto Painting-Commerce City

Mike Ward Infiniti-Highlands Ranch

Motorsport Auto-Orange, California

Northern Colorado Custom Coatings, LLC. -Berthoud

O'Reilly's Auto Parts-Nationwide

Prima Car Care-Denver

Professional Upholstery & Window Tinting-Pueblo

Ralph's Specialty Shop-Arvada

Rocky Mountain Upholstery-Colorado Springs

South Colorado Springs Nissan

SpeedEFX-Centennial

The Man Cave Auto Detailing-Westminster

Tint World Automotive Styling-Aurora

Tint World Automotive Styling-Colorado Springs

Valley Nissan-Longmont

Woodman Nissan-Colorado Springs

Z Car Depot-Missouri

ZTrix-Arizona

*Vendor participation and discount may change.



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Ads should be submitted **by email** to the <u>Editor@zccc.org</u>. 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.

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	1/2 page	\$0	\$60
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Member Jenny Boyd



Member Tom Brunjak Doing business throughout Colorado





Member Michael Bergren





New Member Tint World Of Aurora. Please visit his website and our Vendor Directory for more details. We are looking forward to an event there on January 7!

There is no cost to members and \$60.00 per year for non-members. The ad will be listed in the Odometer for one year unless removed at the owners request. At the end of the year it is the owner's responsibility to renew their business card ad.

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Please attend their car shows beginning next March. Look for the dates for our Club hosted events.



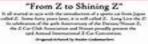
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UPCOMING EVENTS QUICK REFERENCE

General Meeting Wednesday, January 4, 2023 7:00 PM Zoom **Tint World Tint World Of Aurora** Saturday, January 7, 2023 10:00 AM **General Meeting** Wednesday, February 1, 2023 7:00 PM Zoom **FroZen ToeZ RendeZvous** Saturday, February 25, 2003 9:00 AM Meet at The Arsenal **General Meeting** Wednesday, March 1, 2023 7:00 PM Zoom **Crock PotLuck** Saturday, March 11, 2023 6:00 PM **Dermans' Home** Semafest Fri. Sat. November 3-4, 2023 All day Las Vegas, Nevada

JANUARY IS THE ONLY MONTH THAT DOESN'T HAVE A HOLIDAY. HAPPY Z CAR CLUB OF COLORADO MONTH. PARTY ON!

