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The General Membership will vote on these two proposed changes to the ZCCC Constitution at the November General Meeting... The proposed changes are highlighted in yellow.

### **Proposed Amendment to the Constitution**

Rules of Order

ARTICLE II – Meetings

Section 1 – Regular Meetings

#### **CURRENT WORDING:**

The regular monthly meetings of ZCCC shall be held on the first Wednesday of each month at 7:00 p.m. Notice of any changes or cancellations of the regular meeting shall be given to all members of ZCCC. The Board may make temporary changes in the meeting location. A permanent change in meeting location must be approved by a majority of the members at a general meeting when the proposed change in location is voted upon. Prior notice by the Board to the Club is required by a posting in the Odometer of notice of the intent of the Board to permanently change the meeting location. That notice shall be given in at least two issues of the Odometer prior to the date of the proposed vote.

#### **PROPOSED AMENDMENT CHANGE:**

The regular monthly meetings of ZCCC shall be held on the first Wednesday of each month at 7:00 p.m.

Meetings, including but not limited to the regular monthly meetings, Special meetings, Board meetings, and Annual Meeting, shall be held in person, virtual, or a combination thereof.

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#### **REASON FOR PROPOSED AMENDMENT CHANGE:**

To include additional methods of meeting communication.



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## **Proposed Change to the Constitution**

Several months ago, the General Membership voted to modify the dates shown in our ZCCC Constitution for collecting Active Member Points to read...

Active Member Award: A ZCCC member is eligible for an active member award if they accumulate 15 or more points between September 1st of any year and August 31st of the following year.

But then we realized point collection for the Most Active Member Award had the old criteria as follows...

Current Most Active Member Award states: Most active award is given to the ZCCC member who accumulates the most points in a **fiscal year**. In case of a tie, multiple active member awards will be presented.

So, it is being proposed that the ZCCC Constitution be changed from “fiscal year” to:

Proposed Most Active Member Award would state: Most active award is given to the ZCCC member who accumulates the most points **between September 1st of any year and August 31st of the following year**. In case of a tie, multiple active member awards will be presented.

This refers to the section of the ZCCC Constitution under STANDING RULES, Section 2 – Awards, page 16.

The General Membership will get to vote on this proposed Constitutional change at the November General Meeting on Wednesday, November 2, 2022.





# 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](https://zccc.org/members) to view organizer's contact information.*

## November Board Meeting

**When:** Tues. Nov. 1 2022 @ 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

## December Board Meeting

**When:** Tues. Dec. 6, 2022 @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

## November Gen. Meeting

**When:** Wed. Nov. 2, 2022 @ 7:00 p.m.

**Where:** Zoom Conference Call

## December General Meeting

**When:** Wed. Dec. 7, 2022 @ 7:00 p.m.

**Where:** Zoom Conference Call

### AGENDA

6:30 PM: "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 FROM NOVEMBER 2022 THROUGH APRIL 2023.

SEE THE DETAILS TO LOG IN ON PAGE 6



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](https://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



Greetings pets and pet owners. I wanted to say “ruff” (hello in dog speak, and mention how many pals were at the Spooktacular car show last Saturday. There were 4 dogs and two kittens. Great to see you. I hope to see you on Zoom during the next few months Until then, Ciao Béla! (goodbye) I speak Italian now! That’s a song from Money Heist. Our costumes at the show.



## LETTER FROM YOUR EDITOR

This month’s letter is “A” for Amazing!

### From the Editor

It has been an amazing year. We had so many wonderful and unusual events and drives . If you need a review, please visit the Odometer Archives on our website. Many thanks to new hosts as well as previous hosts. We all look forward to see what you come up with next.

This is the beginning of my second year as your Editor. It was definitely a learning curve at the beginning but I have finally gotten the hang of it and I hope you are enjoying reading it. By the way, I am always looking for any suggestions, additions or changes you may have, especially Meet Your Member and Where In The World...

Members really enjoy those pages. Please send them to [odometer@zccc.org](mailto:odometer@zccc.org)

I want to thank all of you for attending the banquet. Please see my recap and pictures on Pages 10 and 13. I am already planning for next year. It’s going to be an epic celebration.

Until then, Happy reading—Cheryle



**WE ARE NOW MEETING ON ZOOM THROUGH APRIL 2023.**

**PLEASE SEE INSTRUCTIONS FOR HOW TO JOIN IN ON PAGE 6.**







# MEMBERSHIP NEWS AND INFO

## Renewals Due...

**SEPTEMBER:** (Your membership is past due) Philip Bachman, Derick Gifford, Keith & Lorena Lucas, Dave Nickles, Bradley Roller, Mark Saenz, Phil & Susan Taylor

**OCTOBER:** (Your membership is past due) Chris Houghton,

**NOVEMBER:** (Your membership is up for renewal): Andy Mortenson, Vincent Nicoletti, Stephen Robertson, Grant Stephenson

**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 or club apparel.

**Z BUCKS FOR OCTOBER:** Nate Derman for the Shirling family; Cheryl Derman for Ray Ruiz

## Moving or Have Moved

Don't forget to update your address, phone numbers and email in the [Edit My Profile](#) 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

## New Members For October

Korey Andrews, Fredrick, 2013 370Z; Richard, Danha & William Shirling, Parker, 1985 300ZX 2+2; Daren Roberts, Centennial, 1971 240Z. Ray Ruiz, Corporate Member (Tint World Of Aurora)

## 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 [jspegal@spegalnetworks.net](mailto:jspegal@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:

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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.

### NOVEMBER BIRTHDAYS

Joe Brinkmann (11/29), Michael Drury (11/5), Theo Fischer (11/9), Stewart Golditch (11/14),

Chris Houghton (11/21), Jeffrey Kerridge (11/26), Leonard Klein (11/16), Sheri Lynton (11/27), Charles Mickelson (11/21), Andy Mortenson (11/14), Rick Mraz (11/16), Michael Nigro (11/20), James Peterson (11/23), Travis Scott (11/9), Danha Shirling (11/9), Susan Taylor (11/7), Patty Troxell (11/4)



## Membership Information

Memberships — 112 Members — 147



# CLUB INFORMATION



## Contact Information

### **Mailing Address:**

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## **2021-2022 Elected Officers**

President: Nate Derman

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Vice-President: Don Gordon

[vice-president@zccc.org](mailto:vice-president@zccc.org)

Secretary: Cheryl McKenney

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Odometer Editor: Cheryle Derman

[Odometer@zccc.org](mailto: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



THERE WERE NO MINUTES TAKEN AT OUR OCTOBER GENERAL MEETING AND BANQUET. THE SEPTEMBER MEETING MINUTES WILL BE APPROVED AT OUR NOVEMBER ZOOM MEETING.



## GENERAL MEETING AND BANQUET MONTAGE

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## MEET YOUR MEMBER

### JOHN PAUL MAROSY

I first joined the Z Club of America in 1978 when I owned an orange '73 240Z with a black vinyl roof. My brother Pierre was employed as a mechanic by the Z Club of America which was headquartered in New Jersey. At that time, the club operated a performance shop and sponsored a 240Z race car that held the C Production lap record at Watkins Glen, driven by Joe Casella, club president.

I joined the Z Car Club of Colorado shortly after moving here in 2019. I joined because I love the fellowship with other owners who share my passion for Z cars, and I appreciate being a part of Z car history, as well as the tips I gain on performance and appearance mods. Over the years, I've enjoyed the Z Club's Shine and Show gatherings, group rides, and track events. In the future, I'd love to see our club sponsor trips to competition events, like IndyCar, F1, or an IMSA GT series race.

Today, I own and regularly drive a 2010 370Z convertible known as the "Hendri-Z." It is an ArtCar with a purpose. The Hendri-Z is a blast to drive and it attracts attention to the work of Message To Love, [www.message-to-love.org](http://www.message-to-love.org), a non-profit organization that collects guitars and amps that people are not using and gives them to kids who can't afford them. We partner with music teachers at Colorado public schools with the highest percentage of kids from low-income families and with non-profit groups serving marginalized youth, like Youth On Record [www.youthonrecord.org](http://www.youthonrecord.org)

The Hendri-Z gives expression to my three passions in life: the breakthrough psychedelic rock music of Jimi Hendrix, fast sports cars, and social justice. Mechanically stock (with 28,000 miles on the odometer), the Hendri-Z is a rolling tribute to Jimi's musical genius and cultural impact.

Three talented artists worked with me to create the Hendri-Z. Michael Freeman, a super-talented abstract visual artist who shares my passion for Hendrix's music, created four original paintings, each expressing a different phase of Jimi's short, meteoric rise to international stardom. Graphic artist Adam Carnes took digitized images of the paintings and adapted them to the shape of the 370Z. Then, we found Mark Noll, a metal sculptor, who fashioned a copper replica of the guitar that Jimi famously smashed and burned at the Monterey Pop Festival. Mark's guitar graces the rear spoiler (when the car's not being driven).

The top-notch team at PureBlind in Denver created a superb wrap based on the stunning work of the three artists. And this summer, I added an auxiliary Hendri-horn that plays the opening riffs to four of Jimi's songs, along with under-lighting for that "floating on a purple cloud" effect in the evening. Tint World of Aurora did the install on those items.

My wife Donna and I and our son Martin (2007 350Z convertible and also a member of the Club) enjoy showing the Hendri-Z at automotive, art, music, and community events. I look forward to meeting more Z Club members in the year to come. Please keep Message To Love in mind if you come across someone who's got an extra guitar or amplifier collecting dust. We know a kid who would love to play it!



#### WE WOULD LIKE TO FEATURE YOU AND YOUR VEHICLE

Name:

Member since:

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](mailto:Odometer@zccc.org)

# WHERE IN THE WORLD IS Z CAR CLUB OF COLORADO?

## WE CAUGHT YOU DISPLAYING YOUR ZCCC MEMORABILIA

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.

This month it's a montage. Debbie and Bob Carlson, Ron Gardner with Don Gordon at Paint Mines wearing previous Active Member clothing, Chloe Derman using "her" blanket and chair enjoying music and a picnic and Patty Troxell dining at The Outback in this year's Active Member shirt..

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](mailto:editor@zccc.org).







## OCTOBER 1, 2022 GENERAL MEETING RECAP

### BY CHERYLE AND NATE DERMAN

Our second in person General Meeting and Banquet was again held at Meadow Hills Golf Course. The rooms were newly decorated and the fireplace was lit for a warm and cozy atmosphere. The new owners, Jim and Stacy, were wonderful hosts and extremely hands on. The buffet, grilled chicken and salmon, were cooked to perfection and every guest enjoyed outstanding table service as well. The bar was definitely hopping. We were especially thrilled to have long time member Steve Robertson and our special guests Devin DiSimone and his wife, Anjanette from Gateway Classic Cars join us.

Members were met by our lovely greeters, Judy Gordon and Cheryl McKenney with the assistance of Tiffany Gordon handing out envelopes containing personalized magnets. Gail was also on hand to sell 50/50 tickets. Everyone quickly found their table and a cocktail.

Tiffany called diners to enjoy the buffet by “event” table. President, Nate Derman, began the festivities by leading happy birthday greetings and calling on Vice President, Don Gordon. Don presented the Active Member Gifts and Nate won most active member (again). Cheryle Derman presented “Pawticipation” certificates. She turned the mic back over to Nate to present the outgoing/incoming board (exactly the same) for 2022-23 and gave them their comfy Board gift blankets. He then made two special awards. Tiffany Gordon received the President’s Award for her invaluable help in all facets of things ZCCC including her position as Social Media Director. Patty Troxell received the coveted Lifetime Achievement Award for having been a member since 1996 and holding numerous board positions. The 50/50 drawing was held and 16 lucky winners received extremely beautiful 2023 calendars created by our 50/50 Door Prize Coordinator, Wendy Rhynes. She definitely out did herself.

We slowly said our goodbyes after thanking our wonderful crew.

I want to especially thank my wonderful husband, Nate for all his help with the event. I could not have done it without his help every step of the way. Thanks to Tiffany for the many photos and postings on our Facebook page. In fact, someone saw the pictures and joined five minutes later. Thanks to everyone who came early to help set up also.

Thank you all for attending and making this a great party. See you on October 7, 2023.



See more pictures on Page 10

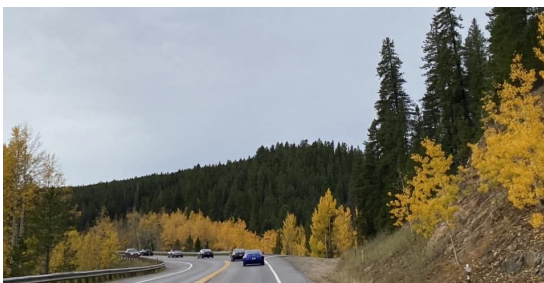




## DRIVE WITH THE RHYNES

### Sunday, October 2, Hosts: Wendy & Mike Rhyne

The drive took place on October 2nd. The weather started with cloudy skies and some light rain and ended with sunshine. The fall colors were just about at their peak so it was a beautiful drive. Due to the weather, traffic was lighter than what we have encountered in other years and that was a nice change! We ended the drive with an optional lunch at Lariat Lodge Brewing where we all enjoyed a good lunch and great conversation. I think everyone had a great day. Thank you to all who came. Z you next year! See more photos on <https://www.facebook.com/>







## ZCCC Road Trip to Paint Mines Interpretive Park Recap

Saturday, October 8, 2022 Hosts: Bob and Mariann Byrne

TGFGPS (Thank Garmin for GPS)! It came in very handy for the group of 10 cars and 18 members participating in the Paint Mines event. We became separated in Elizabeth due to traffic lights and large trucks, but everyone arrived safely in Calhan, though some by unusual routes. Only one Z car was present for the event; everyone was scared off by the two miles of dirt road. That two miles was not just dirt, but some of the worst washboard road ever traveled and a strain on every bladder and spine.

Our start at Ponderosa High School was not promising: cold, breezy, and dull gray with overcast skies. By the time we arrived at the park, the sun came out and the clouds disappeared to reveal that iconic Colorado Blue Sky that made the day all the more special and illuminated the rock formations so brilliantly.

A constant refrain by those that went was, "how is it I never heard of this place?" As you will see from the photographs, it is a place of amazing natural beauty and the wonderment of Nature's role in sculpting this planet. It would be safe to say that all the attendees focused on exploring the rock formations. Let's allow the photographs that are posted to speak for themselves.

Another refrain was "I cannot believe they don't charge admission to be here!" In addition to being free, there were two El Paso County Parks volunteers there to answer questions and enforce the "Do Not Climb on the Formations" rule. However, they were outgoing and cheerful at their task of educating visitors adding to the special nature of Paint Mines.

After all the exploration was done, members drove into Calhan for lunch at Roosters. The food and service was really good and welcome after a fun morning at Paint Mines. Thanks to all who supported this event.

Bob and Mariann Byrne



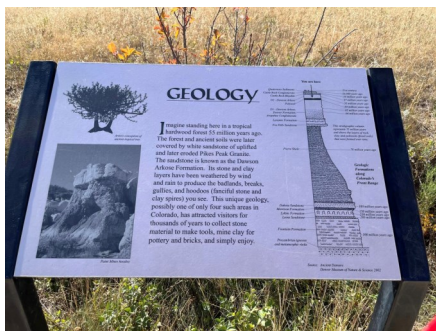
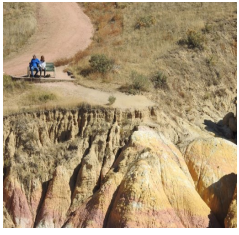
Many of you couldn't believe that admission was free and asked if there was a way for you to make a donation.

<https://communityservices.elpasoco.com/parks-and-recreation/paint-mines-interpretive-park/>

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## INTERPRETIVE PAINT MINES CONTINUED



Buzz Lightyear and his family were spotted







## EMPIRE LAKEWOOD NISSAN HALLOWEEN SPOOKTACULAR TRUNK OR TREAT SHOW RECAP

Date: Oct 29, 2022  
Dennis & Sheri Lynton

The 2022 Halloween Trunk or Treat was a great success! The parking lot for the show cars was almost full. Parents and kids from all over Denver flooded the parking lot to get some treats. There were many outstanding costumes, adults and kids alike. Some of them were scary, others fun and cute. Chris, owner of Empire Nissan, and I kept very busy directing the cars into the show parking lots.

There was a kid's section with games and treats and the show cars had candy bowls for the kids. Halloween music filled the entire parking lot, including classics like Monster Mash and Thriller. The food truck was a big hit with long lines. People walked around admiring the cars and showing off their costumes.

Z Car Club attendees (17) dressed their cars, themselves and some even dressed their dogs and kittens in creative Halloween costumes. Prizes for show car attendees were awarded in five categories. Best Car/Person Costume, Best Nissan, Best S Chassis, Best R Chassis, and Best Z Chassis.

### Winners:

#### Best Car/Person Costume –

1. Bruce and Cheryl McKenney and Leo **MEMBERS**
2. Tom and Lynne Brunkak and their kittens **MEMBERS**
3. Nate and Cheryle Derman and Chloe **MEMBERS**

#### Best Nissan

1. Luis Morales
2. Bruce and Cheryl McKenney **MEMBERS**
3. Dennis Lynton **MEMBER**

#### Best S Chassis (Not enough votes) Skyline

#### Best R Chassis (GTR)

1. Tim Upton

#### Best Z Chassis

1. Dennis Lynton **MEMBER**
2. Bruce and Cheryl McKenney **MEMBER**
3. Greg Anderson

This was another fun event for Nissan and the community. Thanks to Empire Nissan for providing the prizes, including clothing, model cars, car signs, mugs and other items. Thank you Z Car Club of Colorado for your attendance and support!

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**DENNIS LYNTON ALSO  
WON FOR:  
  
BEST NISSAN  
3RD PLACE  
  
BEST Z CHASSIS  
1ST PLACE**

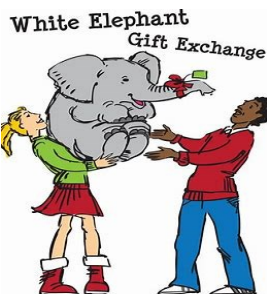


**BRUCE AND CHERYLE MCKENNEY  
ALSO WON FOR:  
  
BEST NISSAN 2ND PLACE  
  
BEST Z CHASSIS 2ND PLACE**



**CONGRATULATIONS TO ALL OUR MEMBER WINNERS**





## EVENTS



### ANNUAL HOLIDAY PARTY AND GIFT EXCHANGE

**WHEN: Saturday, December 10, 2022**

**TIME: 6:00 PM**

**WHERE: 1545 S. RICHFIELD WAY, AURORA, CO 80017**

**HOST: CHERYLE DERMAN**

The annual holiday party will be held in person at the home of Nate and Cheryle Derman. Please join Nate, Cheryle and Chloe for a dinner and White Elephant gift exchange (no gag gifts).

Be creative with the gifts with a maximum dollar amount of \$25.00. Each guest wanting to play must provide a gift. If you have a holiday sweater (ugly or not) please feel free to wear it. A pot luck dinner will be served. Please bring an appetizer, side dish, main dish or dessert and your own tasty beverage. Please let Cheryle know you are attending at one of the upcoming general meetings.

In the past this has been a well attended party to launch the holiday season. The Dermans hope all members and guests will attend. It should be a festive and fun event.



Great gifts, great friends. Don't miss out!

## EVENTS

# Holiday Toy Collection

**Date: Tentatively December 18, 2022**

**Time: TBD**

**Where: TBD**

**Host: Robert Eagon**



ZCCC will be teaming up with the VQ club to donate gifts to children in need over the holiday season at Childrens Hospital. The gifts need to be brand new and unwrapped. The date is tentively set for December 18th, 2022, but we are still waiting to confirm the time and location. Please check the December edition of the Odometer, Facebook and the website for an update and more details.

The following is a list of requested toys to be donated and guidelines:

To help you find the right items to donate, please keep in mind:

- Items must be brand-new and in their original packaging. We cannot accept used items, due to infection control guidelines.

**We cannot accept:**

- o Toys that depict violence, such as guns or swords, NERF™ guns or figurines armed with weapons
- o Games that are rated "M" or movies that are rated "R"
- o Crocheted or hand-knitted items
- o Food products
- o Potted plants
- o Latex balloons

**Children's Colorado's wish list**

Needs and wish lists vary by location, but we're always looking for the items below. We also have wish lists available online with Amazon and Target for your consideration. Target and Amazon are not exclusive partners or vendors of Children's Colorado, we welcome the gift of toys for our patients from all retailers.

For babies and toddlers

- Toys, including light-up, interactive and musical toys, and infant mobiles
- Music and activity boxes that attach to cribs
- Board books, including books in Spanish and recordable or interactive books
- Rattles and teethers
- Clothing (0 to 18 months)
- Books, including Spanish books and "search and find" books
- Journals
- Magnetic building tiles
- Mini cars and track sets
- Nintendo Switch™ gaming systems and games
- Mario Kart Live: Home Circuit
- Sphero Bolt
- Ring Fit Adventure
- Gift cards in any amount, including Amazon, Target, Wal-Mart, Visa and Netflix
- Playing cards, Uno, Phase 10, Skip-Bo





### For older children

- Sensory toys, such as wand spinners and stress balls
- Art supplies, such as paint, paintbrushes, colored pencils, markers, crayons, pastels, artists' charcoal, sketch pads, play dough, modeling clay, coloring books, bead kits and craft kits
- Stuffed animals
- Lego®, Duplo® and Mega Bloks® (all sizes and skill levels)
- Medical play kits
- "Thank you, heroes" medical action figures
- Dry-erase boards and markers
- Play-doh or similar putty
- NERF™ basketball hoops

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- Ring Fit Adventure
- Gift cards in any amount, including Amazon, Target, Wal-Mart, Visa and Netflix
- Playing cards, Uno, Phase 10, Skip-Bo
- Bluetooth earbuds, headphones and speakers



## EVENTS



**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.

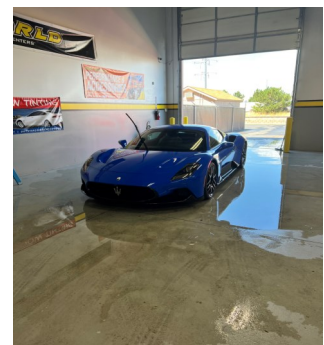
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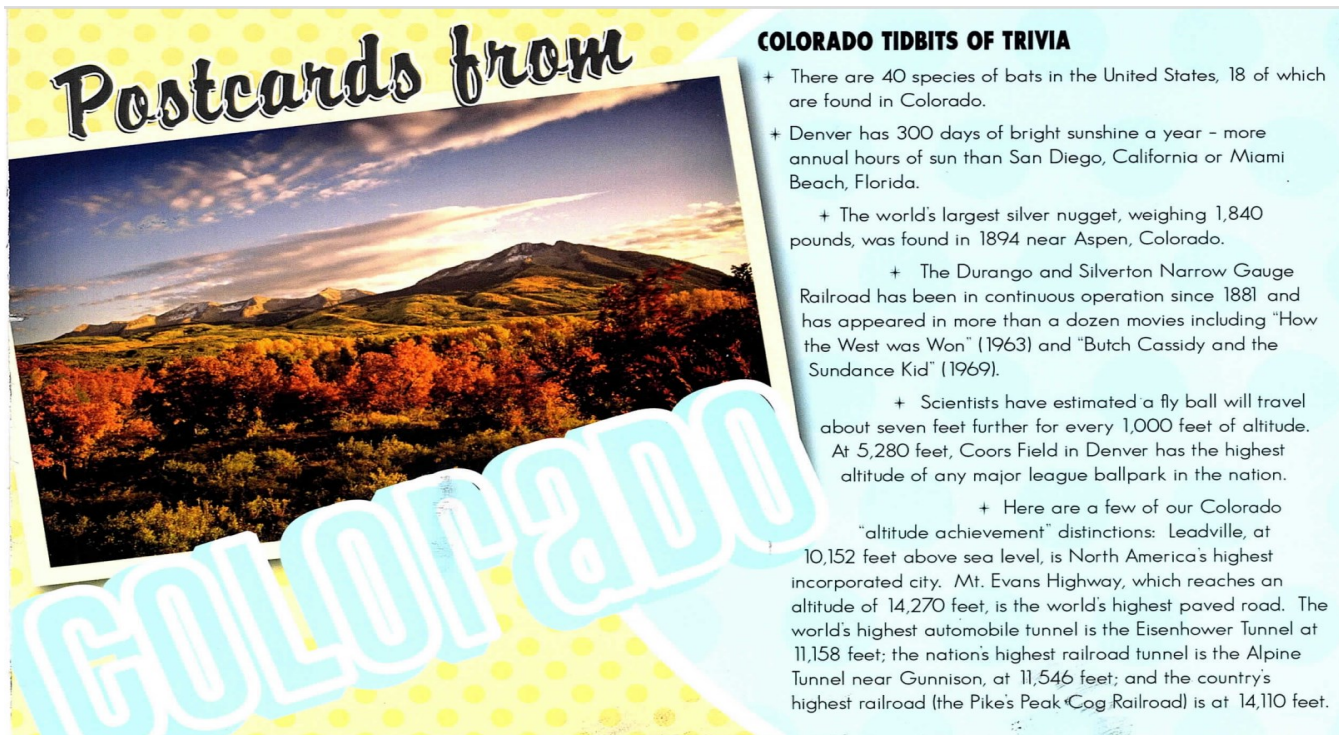


Front End paint protection. Highest quality ceramic tint on full truck including windshield, 2 coats of ceramic coating on paint and wheels



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## Post Banquet Excitement

**Bob and Mariann Byrne**

Mariann and I arrived home from the ZCCC banquet around 9:30 PM. As we rounded the turn to our house, our headlights washed the front yard revealing a bear eating apples that had fallen from our two apple trees. The bear was startled by the lights and moved about 15 yards into the shadows by the side of the house.

After we garaged the car and closed the garage door, a must in Roxborough Park, we went to the front window to see if the bear had returned. We keep a trail camera focused on the apple trees and capture photos of all sorts of animals. The deer and turkeys particularly like the apples. We'll see an occasional fox, racoon, coyote, and bobcat. This time of year, the bears love our trees and frequently stop by to gorge on apples in preparation for hibernation.

This particular bear had been stopping by around 12:45 AM, so we were very surprised to see him at 9:30 PM. Below are some pictures of the bear, claw marks on the tree, and the mess he leaves of branches, leaves, and scat. The car in the picture was that of our nephew who was visiting us at the time.





## FEATURED VENDOR



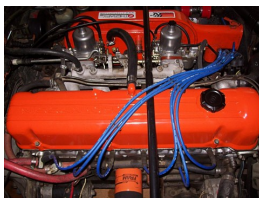
### **Northern Colorado Custom Coatings, LLC (formerly Custom Coatings)**

This month our featured club discount vendor is Northern Colorado Custom Coatings, LLC (formerly Custom Coatings) located in Berthoud, Colorado.

Northern Colorado Custom Coatings, LLC have been a club discount vendor since 2014 offering professional metal powder coating and sand blasting services. These services can provide long lasting protection for your car's rims or change their color, under the hood custom colorization, even patio furniture and more. Free consultation. Walk-ins accepted.

Brett Hufford is our contact person. He can be reached at 1-970-532-1446 or via email at [powdercoating@hotmail.com](mailto:powdercoating@hotmail.com). Hours of operation are 8a-4:30p Monday-Friday. Address: 795 N. 2nd St., Berthoud, CO 80513 Be sure to visit their website at [www.northerncoloradocustomcoating.com](http://www.northerncoloradocustomcoating.com). Members can log on to the club website, use the discount vendor tab, and in the search bar, type Northern Colorado Custom Coatings, LLC for discount information. As always, when contacting a vendor, please identify yourself as a member of the Z Car Club of Colorado and have either your current membership card, or image, available

\*\*\*Change is in the air. Club vendor Custom Coatings is now Northern Colorado Custom Coatings, LLC. They are my monthly Featured Vendor. Please see the Featured Vendor article above to see the many facets of their business.





A personal invitation to ZCCC members from Andrew Woodward, Founder and Acoustics Specialist, of Elevated Audio.

Have you ever wondered what it would be like to drive a Formula One car on the racetrack? Andrew is bringing the most realistic off-track training experience to Denver and the Front Range at Elevated Audio.

Andrew and Willis Wood, RMVR Formula Vee driver, are inviting our club members into the most exclusive driving club in Denver, the Elevated Racing Club. They have the most advanced racing simulator in commercial production.

Elevated Racing Club will provide amateur and professional drivers access to hundreds of real tracks and production vehicles allowing them to experience feedback using Force Dynamics 401c. Members will feel consistent real-life g-forces as they pull hard through corners in an F1 car or fly over jumps in a trophy truck.

Andrew would like to host a “get-together to show off the machine to club members and give them some time behind the wheel”. There is NO COST for the demo session which will last approximately 10 minutes.

**\*\*This is not open to the public. It is a private invitation to ZCCC. Membership in ZCCC is required and you will need to provide your membership card/image\*\*.**

Andrew may be able to coordinate a Saturday showing of the simulator if there is enough interest (15-20 demos). Please visit

<https://elevatedaudioinc.com/product/erc> and use the survey button further down in the article to register your interest. Be sure to select Z Car Club of Colorado as the referral source in the survey.

**\*At their request, aspiring drivers must be 14y/o+ are welcome and a guardian must accompany minors under the age of 18.**

You will also find additional information regarding the Elevated Racing Club.

If you have questions, please email Andrew at [design@elevatedaudioinc.com](mailto:design@elevatedaudioinc.com). Please identify yourself as a ZCCC member.

If there is enough interest for a Saturday demo, Andrew will be in touch to set up this unique experience.

## **IMPORTANT INFORMATION ABOUT RECENT CHANGES TO THE VENDOR DISCOUNT LIST**

**Patty Troxell, public relations Director**

### **LARRY H MILLER DEALERSHIPS**

Due to a change in ownership and management, Larry H. Miller Nissan on Arapahoe Rd and Larry H. Miller Colorado Jeep are no longer offering discounts.

### **WE HAVE TO SAY GOODBYE TO FLITZ USA**

Flitz USA is no longer a vendor for the club. Tim Meints, our representative, is selling his business. We wish him the very best in future endeavors and will miss his long time support of the Club on our Vendor List.

### **IDS WINDOW TINT AND CLEAR MASK**

Long time club vendor IDS has a new name. They are now IDS Window Tint & Clear Mask. Same great location in Littleton and phone number. Please log in to the club website, and go to the Vendor Discount List for details.

### **TINT WORLD AUTOMOTIVE STYLING CENTERS-AURORA**

Tint World Automotive Styling Centers-Aurora is a new vendor for ZCCC. They offer our members various services including auto security systems, wraps and graphics, auto reconditioning and detailing, audio and video systems, remote starts and more. Please log on to the ZCCC website, go to the Members tab, use the Vendor Discount List tab and do a search for Tint World Automotive Styling Centers-Aurora for details. Store owner Ray Ruiz is also a new Business Member. Congratulations Ray.

### **Tint World Automotive Styling Centers located-Colorado Springs**

Tint World Automotive Styling Centers located in Colorado Springs has also become a new vendor. Conveniently located on North Academy Blvd. Their location offers a variety of services including paintless dent repair, powder coating of rims, LED and HID lighting, audio and video systems, auto security, residential and commercial window tint, custom leather interiors and more. Please log on to the ZCCC website, go to the Members tab, use the Vendor Discount List tab and do a search for Tint World Automotive Styling Centers and select the appropriate location for discount details.



## 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](http://zccc.org). You will need to log in as a member to view the list.

### Vendor Discount List:

Action Auto Glass  
Adam's Polishes  
Alloy Wheel Pro – Colorado Springs  
Applied Plastic Coatings  
Banzai Motorworks-Maryland  
Big O Tires/Midas (Leeds West Group)  
Big O Tire-Parker  
Brakes Plus-Thornton  
Caliber Auto Glass  
Car Toys-Aurora  
Chuck's Discount Muffler  
Dent Clinic  
Discount Tire-Arvada\*\*\*Pending  
Discount Tire-Aurora\*\*\*Pending  
Discount Tire-Boulder\*\*\*Pending  
Elevated Audio, Inc.  
Elite Hail Systems  
Empire Lakewood Nissan\*\*\*ZCCC Sponsor\*\*\*  
Gary's Full Service Auto Repair  
IDS Window Tint And Clear Mask\*\*\*formerly IDS  
Jazz Car Wash & Detailing  
John's Sunroofs & Window Tint  
Junkyard Jenny's Quality Used Parts  
Maaco Collision Repair & Auto Painting-Commerce City  
Mike Ward Infiniti  
Motorsport Auto-California  
Northern Colorado Custom Coatings, LLC. \*\*\*Formerly Custom Coating  
O'Reilly's Auto Parts  
Prima Car Care  
Professional Upholstery & Window Tinting-Pueblo  
Ralph's Specialty Shop-Arvada  
South Colorado Springs Nissan  
SpeedEFX  
The Man Cave Auto Detailing-Westminster  
Tint World of Aurora\*\*\*Individual Owner, Ray Ruiz  
Tint World Of Colorado Springs\*\*\*Individual Owners, Eric and Tracy Nauert  
Valley Nissan-Longmont  
Woodman Nissan-Colorado Springs  
Z Car Depot-Missouri  
ZTriX-Arizona  
\*Vendor participation and discount may change.



# CLASSIFIEDS



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Ads should be submitted **by email** to the [Editor@zccc.org](mailto:Editor@zccc.org). 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.

### SELL YOUR VEHICLE HERE OR ADVERTIZE YOUR BUSINESS



Cost	Members	Non-Members
1/4 page	\$0	\$35
1/2 page	\$0	\$60
Full page	\$50	\$100

## 1968 Datsun 1600 Roadster \$35,000

Please contact Rhett Trees at (303)888-2826  
or [Rhett@RhettTrees.com](mailto:Rhett@RhettTrees.com)

This beautiful 1968 Datsun 1600 Roadster was restored to its original glory in silver over red upholstery which was paired with a 1.6-liter inline-four is said to have been overhauled and fitted with a 2.0-liter stroker kit. Equipment includes a five-speed manual transmission; rare, dual U20 carburetors; a removable black soft top; refinished chrome bumpers; 14" Minilite wheels; front lowering springs; and an AM radio. This 1600 Roadster is offered by Rhett Trees, a long-time Datsun collector, ZCCC Member to include service records and a clean Montana title.

The polished 14" Minilite alloy wheels wear Kenda Kenetica Touring A/S tires and stopping power is provided by front discs and rear drums.

The interior features low-back bucket seats that have been reupholstered in red vinyl with a matching parcel shelf, door panels, carpets, and lap belts. A plastic dash cap has been installed, and amenities include an AM radio, roll-up windows, and a heater.

A wood-rimmed Grant GT steering wheel fronts a 7k-rpm tachometer, a 120-mph speedometer, and gauges for coolant temperature, amperage, oil pressure, and fuel level. The five-digit odometer shows 5k miles, though total mileage is unknown.

The 1.6-liter R16 inline-four was reportedly overhauled and fitted with a 2.0-liter stroker kit in 2019 and equipment includes dual U20 carburetors and a modified R16 intake manifold.

Power is sent to the rear wheels through a five-speed manual transmission that has reportedly been fitted with an upgraded fifth gear. Additional photos available on request. The car resides in Central Denver and is available for viewing at your convenience.







# Business Card Ads

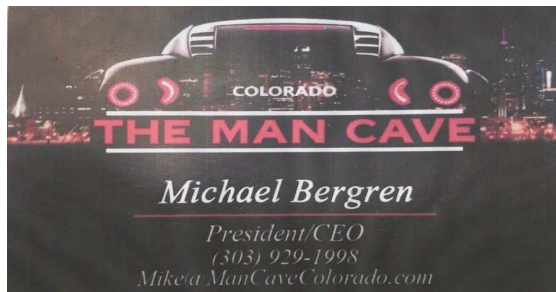


[www.junkyardjenny.com](http://www.junkyardjenny.com)

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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Any time you get your vehicle serviced, buy parts or even purchase a new vehicle from Empire Nissan Lakewood dealership. One active member point will be awarded per transaction. You just need to send a copy of your documentation to our Vice President, Don Gordon. This is a great way to show your appreciation for our sponsor and keep your vehicle in tip top shape.

**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

Annual Holiday Party	Saturday, December 10, 2022	6:00 PM	Derman's Home
Holiday Collection	Sunday, December 18, 2022	TBD	TBD
Tint World Of Aurora	Saturday, January 7, 2023	10:00 AM	Tint World

**LET'S GET BUSY!**  
**HAPPY THANKSGIVING**

