

Hiroshi Tamura(san) presents the Nissan Z at PPIR on August 21, 2021. We are the first people in the world to see it in person.





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## In a Flash



August kicked off with a very well-attended General Meeting. It was nice to see Luis Lagomarsino there. I suspect the attendance was so good as many people wanted to know who was going to be on our ZCCC Board for next year. Check out the October incoming slate elsewhere in this Odometer. And please think about attending our annual banquet on Saturday evening, October 2<sup>nd</sup> where you'll see the outgoing Board and the in-coming Board all together in-person.

Talking about in-person events, that in-person BBQ at the Dermans was spectacular. Great turnout and it was back to old time fun!

Then hopefully you got to participate in some way at ZCON 2021 Colorado Springs. It was a week's worth of activities and fun, from driving to the top of Pikes Peak Highway, auto cross, drag racing, High Plains and PPIR, car shows, great meals, banquets, auctions, lots of stuff to buy, fantastic awards and fun times with old and new friends. You'll see the ZCCC car show winners in this Odometer and on Facebook. But I want to give a special recognition to Kathy Minister. When she won the People's Choice award for her 350Z, it brought tears to my eyes. I knew she wanted to win that in remembrance of her husband Fred. One thing Colorado ZCON will be remembered for is the establishment of Drifting. Credit goes to our very own Travis Scott. Drifting will now be at ZCONs for many years into the future.

One last thing about ZCON...I have to say our members are the best! Dozens of our members stepped up and volunteered like crazy all week long (and some for over a year planning the event) to make this ZCON one of the best ever! Did you see those hand-painted "Z" rock paper weights and the mountain scene table center pieces? All hand-crafted by Diana Inberg. Our ZCCC Team made ZCON 2021 a huge success!!!

If that wasn't enough for one month, we also had 2 great car shows at the end of the month...at Murphy Creek Golf Course and Empire Nissan.

I have to say, I love my Z.

Regardz, Don Gordon - President

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## **Breaking News...**

At our Wednesday night August 4th General Meeting, "Open nominations from the floor" were accepted as spelled out in our ZCCC Constitution.

Nominations were unopposed. The Slate of Officers for the upcoming year (to be installed at the Annual Meeting & Banquet Saturday October 2, 2021) will be as follows:

President: Nate Derman (new) Vice President: Don Gordon (new) Treasurer: Travis Scott (new)

Public Relations Director: Patty Troxell (new) Inter-Club Liaison: Bruce McKenney (new)

Membership Chairman: Andy Mortenson (remaining)

Secretary: Cheryl McKenney (remaining)

Odometer Editor: Cheryle Derman (remaining)

As I stated last night, I am confident this new Board will continue our focus on growing our club membership and offering a lot of FUN to our members.

Regardz,

Don Gordon President Z Car Club of Colorado



# ANNUAL ZCCC GENERAL MEETING AND BANQUET OUR FIRST IN PERSON MEETING SINCE MARCH, 2019



When: Saturday, October 2, 2021 from 5:30 to 8:30 p.m.

Where: Meadow Hills Golf Course, 3609 S. Dawson Street, Aurora, CO 80014

**Host:** Cheryle Derman **Cost:** \$25 per person

Deadline: Sign up by September 27. For last min. changes, please email Cheryle at Odometer@zccc.org.

You are cordially invited to attend the first in person meeting in 18 months of the Z Car Club of Colorado. It is our general meeting and Annual Banquet. Start the new year right by picking up your first point by joining your outgoing ZCCC board at the Annual Banquet. This is the club's annual ending/beginning of the year meeting. The outgoing board is inviting you to install the new board for 2021-2022 and receive an active member gift for those of you who have achieved 15 or more points. We are encouraging all members and their guests to attend even if this is your first ZCCC event.

The event begins with socializing and cocktails at 5:30 pm followed by board reports, announcements, gratitude to our outgoing board, installation of the new 2021/2022 board, active member gifts and a buffet dinner beginning at 6:00 p.m.

To Register: Please complete the registration form on the next page OR electronically by going to <a href="https://forms.gle/HNXes9LTFSUddvdf9">https://forms.gle/HNXes9LTFSUddvdf9</a>. Registration must be received by Cheryle Derman NO LATER than September 27th and payment in full is due October 2, 2021 at the banquet.





## **Z CAR CLUB OF COLORADO ANNUAL MEETING AND BANQUET**

#### **REGISTRATION**

Attendee (s):	# attending
Email	
Phone number	
Total Cost enclosed \$	
Mail checks and registration to Cheryle Derman, Annual E Or Venmo your payment to @cheryle-derman. (In the co Banquet)	
Italian buffet consisting of lasagna, spaghetti with meatbasalad, dessert, coffee, tea, lemonade and a cash bar. Pleaneeds.	
Dress Code: Business casual	

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#### **ACTIVE MEMBER POINTS**

You may be on your way to receiving an Active member award. Please check the website to see how many points you may need to receive the active member award.

Please let Gail know if you want a hat or a visor.

If the points do not match your records, contact Gail Mund at <a href="mailto:vice-president@zccc.org">vice-president@zccc.org</a>. Please check out this issue of the Odometer to see all the upcoming events you can attend to achieve active member status by September 30, 2021. If you want to know the exact amount of points you have, see the article below.



#### **Interested In Checking Your Active Member Points?**

Many of us have attended or hosted events this year and are curious about our Active Member points. If you are curious how many Active Member points you have, but aren't sure how to check them, please check out this quick tutorial. <a href="https://tinyurl.com/8pv4s4x4">https://tinyurl.com/8pv4s4x4</a> If you have any other questions, please email our Social Media Director for assistance at <a href="mailto:tiffanyzccc@gmail.com">tiffanyzccc@gmail.com</a>.

Andy at Auto Cross. Photo by Bruce McKenney



At Murphy Creek Car Show. Ford GT in old Gulf Racing Team Colors



Our member winners, Beau, Roy and Colin







## **CLUB MEETING DATES**



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

## Sept. Board Meeting

When: Tues. August 31, 2021@ 6:00 p.m. Where: Zoom Conference Call. If you are not a board member and would like to attend the board meeting, please contact Don Gordon.

## Sept. General Meeting-Zoom

When: Wed. Sept. 1, 2021 @ 7:00 p.m. Where: The convenience of your home or office.

See instructions for logging in on page 9.

## Oct. Board Meeting

When: Tues. Sept. 28, 2021@ 6:00 p.m. Where: Zoom Conference Call If you are not a board member and would like to attend the board meeting, please contact Don Gordon

## Oct. Annual Meeting/ Banquet

When: Saturday Oct. 2, 2021 @ 5:30 p.m.

Where: Meadow Hills Golf Course

3609 S. Dawson Street, Aurora, CO 80014

#### **Agenda for September General Meeting**

6:30 PM: "Doors Open" to start Zoom online check-in

6:30 - 7:00: Opportunity to socialize as everyone logs in

7:00 – 7:10: Call meeting to order, Welcome everyone and explain meeting guidelines. Introduce new members and guests.

7:40 – 7:45 Approve Minutes

7:45 – 8:00: Individual Board Reports

8:00 – 8:10: President Report

8:10—8:15: Old Business/New Business/Q&A

8:30—Adjourn



Hello Z Car Club of Colorado,

We will be meeting on Zoom, due to the COVID-19 pandemic.

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.

TWO OPTIONS FOR ZOOM

Join by computer, tablet, or smart phone

Direct link to join the meeting: <a href="https://zoom.us/j/94249630045?">https://zoom.us/j/94249630045?</a> 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 or Don at 720-477- 0146.

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



## MEMBERSHIP NEWS AND INFO

## Renewals Due...

**JULY:** (Your membership is past due) Beau Chandler, John Fasciani, James Revesz, Travis Scott & Mindy Wood

**AUGUST:** (Your membership is past due) Philip Aronowitz, Andy Coffman, Karen Haldane, Shawn Krebs, Colin McEuen, Jose Ramirez, Jason Spegal, Osborn Wu

#### **SEPTEMBER:** (Your membership is up for renewal)

Gregory Balsley, Rob Balsley, Mike Goddard, Don, Judy & Tiffany Gordon, John Marr, Dennis Mateski, John & Susan Mavis, Ed Mc Hugh & Judy Genoff, Tom & Susan Jacobson, Rick Mraz, J. Iredell Smith, Phil & Susan Taylor, Konstantin Zaremski

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

## **Z-Bucks**

## N/A

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.

Andy Mortenson (for Leonard & Weston Klein)

## **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

## **New Members For AUGUST**

Leonard & Weston Klein, Lake Mills, Wisconsin, 1972 240Z X2; Saylor Palmer, Denver, 2009 370Z; Hardy Fredricksmeyer, Niwot, 2014 370Z; Chris, Jessica & Theo Fischer, Boulder, 1971 240Z



## **Membership Information**

Memberships — 123 Members — 160

## **ZCCM MAGAZINE**

Renewals and new subscriptions for the full 2021 season of the ZCCM have concluded. For those interested in a new subscription of this amazing magazine for 2021, please contact Jason Spegal for a pro-rated price from the full price of \$21.50 (\$13.50 for the subscription + \$8.00 for direct mailing to your mailbox). Payment options for new subscriptions will be by check only at this time. If this is an issue please contact Jason Spegal to work out other options.

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. For the 2022 season we will be offering payment options by check and PayPal. If we are meeting again in person by this time we will also include payment by cash during the club meetings. Magazines are normally distributed during the club meetings, however due to COVID, this has been changed to mailing only. Post-COVID these options will be reevaluated to provide the best experience possible for the club and its members.

Payment using PayPal will be through the ZCCC.org website. More detailed information will be forthcoming later this year as this is implemented.

If paying by check please make the check payable to "Z Car Club of Colorado" and mail to: Z Car Club of Colorado P.O. Box 260078 Lakewood, CO 80226-0078

#### **September Birthdays:**

John Fasciani (9/18), Larry Hutfles (9/21), Mark Ingles (9/3), Scott Maher (9/24), Alex Millward (9/28), Jose Perez (9/19), Juan Miguel Pinto Diaz (9/20), Paul Reynolds (9/26), Elliot Sandberg (9/3), Ira Sanders (9/11), Tammy Sanders (9/20), Thomas Siirola (9/6), Carole Weckbaugh (9/17)





# A Case of Mistaken Identity By Andy Mortenson

We have two new members, Leonard Klein and his son Weston, who joined our club this month. They actually live in a small town in Wisconsin and they connected with our club due to a case of mistaken identity. Back in early April, I got a text from Leonard indicating that he had sent a gauge cluster to someone named Andy Mortenson and asking if I was the same person. I responded that I was not. He texted back thanking me for letting him know and added that he and his son were restoring a 1972 240Z and that a picture was attached. I responded that I had one also and that I'd send some pictures if he would text me his email address.

(I need to point out here that I only have a flip phone that isn't very smart and has a really small screen so I wasn't seeing the full texts or the pictures that Leonard had sent me. Also, texting is a chore for me regardless of the circumstances. To make matters worse, my internet was down due to problems with my modem.)

Once I got my new modem, email contact was established. I was able to see all the pictures that Leonard had sent and learned that he and his teenaged son were in the process of doing a full blown restoration of a 1972 240Z using donor parts from a second car with a rusted out body. Although Leonard is a car guy, he had never owned a 240Z before so I mentioned that there were several companies that were good sources for Z car parts and told him that most give discounts to our club. I then hooked him up with a couple of our members who are also restoring 240Z's for technical advice. We've exchanged emails over the last couple months and he's been updating me on his project including pictures. A couple weeks ago Leonard and Weston finally decided to join our club in order to take advantage of the parts discounts and the technical advice available from our members.

As Paul Harvey used to say, ".....and now for the rest of the story." It turns out that Leonard's initial text to me wasn't quite as much of a coincidence as I had thought. He has since given me some more background information that fills a lot of gaps in the story.

Here's Leonard's side of the story.

He had sent the gauge cluster for his wife's BMW Z3 out for repair to a shop located in the Denver area that specializes in the repair of automotive gauges. His contact there was a guy named Andy Mortenson. He sent him the gauge cluster in early March and was promised a two day turnaround. After a week or so he reached out for an update, but didn't receive a response. He kept trying to contact the guy for a month, but to no avail.

As a last resort, Leonard tried searching for "Andy Mortenson Denver" on Google which produced a list including a link to the Odometer. That link produced a PDF copy of the June 2011 edition that had my name and phone number as the membership contact for the club. Having exhausted his other options he sent me a text asking if I was the "Andy Mortenson" who had his gauge cluster along with some additional explanation which I didn't see. That's when I responded that I was the wrong "Andy Mortenson". He then sent a text thanking me for responding and mentioned that he and his son were restoring a 1972 240Z and sent me a picture of their project. At that point my internet was restored and we began communicating regularly via email.

By the way, Leonard finally got his gauges back.









## **CLUB INFORMATION**

## **Contact Information**



Mailing Address: Z Car Club of Colorado

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#### 2020-2021 Elected Officers

President: Don Gordon president@zccc.org

Vice-President: Gail Mund vice-president@zccc.org

Secretary: Cheryl McKenney

secretary@zccc.org

Treasurer: Bill Lohringel <a href="mailto:treasurer@zccc.org">treasurer@zccc.org</a>

Membership: Andy Mortenson

membership@zccc.org

Public Relations: Nate Derman <u>publicrelations@zccc.org</u>

Inter-Club Liaison: Travis Scott

club@zccc.org

Odometer Editor: Cheryle Derman

Odometer@zccc.org

## **Appointed Positions**

ZCCC Representative to the ZCC Association: Travis Scott

Motorsports: Travis Scott

Historian: Bruce McKenney

**CP Concours: Roy Davis** 

Name Badges & Decals:

**Jason Spegal** 

50/50 Drawing: Gail Mund and Travis Scott

Social Media Director: Tiffany Gordon

ZCCM Magazine: Jason Spegal

Constitution Analyst: Patty Troxell

Election Director: Cheryl McKenney

Webmaster: Mike Rhyne



## August 4, 2021

By Secretary, Cheryl McKenney

The meeting was called to order at 7:03 pm and quorum was established.

#### Secretary Report: Cheryl McKenney

The approval of the minutes was motioned, seconded and approved with the change to check the website **and** Facebook before going to events.

#### Vice President Report: Gail Mund

Many members are close to the 15 points needed to become active members with many events before the end of September. This year's active member award will be either a baseball cap or a visor.

#### **Past Events:**

July 24<sup>th</sup> - Autocross

July 31<sup>st</sup> – Z Greatest Car Show at Empire Nissan Lakewood (cancelled)

#### **Future Events:**

August 7<sup>th</sup> – Wine tasting and BBQ

August 16<sup>th</sup> - 21<sup>st</sup> - ZCON

August 28<sup>th</sup> – Murphy Creek Car Show

August 28<sup>th</sup> – Empire Nissan Lakewood Shine-n-Show

September 12<sup>th</sup> – Concours d'Elegance

September 25<sup>th</sup> – Empire Nissan Lakewood Z Greatest Car Show

September 25<sup>th</sup> -Mississippi Avenue Baptist Church Car Show

October 2<sup>nd</sup> – Annual Banquet

#### Treasurer's Report: Bill Lohringel

The treasurer was not in attendance and no report was given.

#### Membership: Andy Mortenson

The Club has 122 memberships and 157 members.

#### **Public Relations: Nate Derman**

The Empire Nissan Littleton location has been sold to Schomp Automotive. Will be reaching out to them to see if they would be willing to offer a discount to club members. Will also reach out to Tynan's to see if they would also be willing to give club members a discount.

#### **Interclub: Travis Scott**

Registration for ZCON is still open but will be closing soon. A Saturday only pass for the event is now available. The volunteer signup link has been added to the website and Facebook. The club is looking for volunteers to man the ZCCC booth for a few days.

#### **Odometer: Cheryle Derman**

Submissions of articles for the Odometer are due by the 20th of the month. Please send pictures from ZCON and the upcoming car shows to be included in the Odometer. Also please send any interesting articles for the Odometer.

#### **Guest Speaker:**

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#### **AUGUST 4, 2021 MINUTES**

#### **President: Don Gordon**

Birthday greetings to the club members with birthdays in August. Proceeded to new business and nomination of open Board positions.

#### **Guest Speaker:**

None.

#### **Old Business:**

The QR code on the ZCON Facebook page will add the list of daily events to your mobile device.

#### **New Business:**

Nominations for the new Board have been made. Nate Derman was nominated for President, Don Gordon for Vice President, Travis Scott for Treasurer, Patty Troxell for Public Relations and Bruce McKenney for Interclub Liaison.

A door prize drawing was not held this month.



#### DO BUSINESS WITH EMPIRE NISSAN LAKEWOOD AND GET AN ACTIVE MEMBER POINT!

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, Gail Mund. This is a great way to show your appreciation for our sponsor and keep your vehicle in tip top shape.

## MEET YOUR MEMBERS ED MCHUGH AND JUDY GENOFF



2018 370 Heritage Edition

#### ED

I am from Evanston, III. I Came to Colorado on vacation in 1972 and never went back. I have 3 children, and 3 step children, 12 grandchildren and 3 great grandchildren. I worked for AT&T for 40 years and retired in 1996. I got my 1st Z in 2000, a 1975 280 and joined the ZCCC at that time. In 2004 I got a 1993 300ZXTT, in 2007 a 2006 350. In 2010 a 370 roadster, and in 2018 a 370 Heritage Edition which I still have. Over the years I have collected many awards for all of these cars. The latest was 1st place, street modified at the 2019 ZCON.

#### JUDY

Is also from Evanston, III. We lived 2 blocks apart and went to school together. After high school Judy moved to Elgin, III. and worked for Elgin Watch. She then got married and moved to Southern III. She had 3 children and has lost count of grandchildren. She moved to Colorado in 1983 and worked for Coors.

We met up again in 2010 and I brought her to the ZCCC. She was accepted right away and I was put on probation.

The club and the people in it have been a real joy and we have gained many close and dear friends

Note: I / We have not held any office in the club, but have always been very high on the active member list.

One year I was most active and was voted the Best Event.



1993 300 300ZXTT



2006 350Z



2010 370 Z Roadster



1969 Buick Electra 225

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

## WINE TASTING AND BBQ RECAP





What a beautiful night for a BBQ and wine sharing......23 members and guests enjoyed one of the first opportunities to get together in person to eat, drink and socialize in almost 18 months. Long time members and new members had the chance to talk about Z things in person in a relaxed atmosphere. I want to thank all of you for making this annual event a big success. From appetizers, to desserts contributed by all of you and the wonderful selections of wines, the evening was truly enjoyed by all. On behalf of Cheryle, Chloe and I, Thanks again and we look forward to doing it again next summer.

Nate

























## ZCON AUGUST 16th — 21st, 2021 RECAP

#### BY CHERYLE DERMAN FOR TRAVIS SCOTT, INTER-CLUB LIAISON

The highly anticipated ZCON 2021 34th annual convention finally arrived. Several members went down early to set up the event and we had numerous members volunteer throughout the week to make sure everything went smoothly. Many thanks to all who worked tirelessly to create a wonderful event from beginning to end including Co-Chairs, Alex Millward and Diana Inberg along with Travis Scott. Diana's creativity went far beyond with table decorations and awards. Bruce McKinney, the Sanders, Debbie Carlson and Mike Nigro worked registration and group rides. Patty Troxell helped with sponsorships and sat all day manning the Suds N Shine and more. Others such as Mike and Wendy Rhyne, Don and Tiffany Gordon, Gail Mund, Andy Mortenson, Nate Derman and the Golditches also volunteered their time.

People from as far as Sudan and Tampa, Florida attended events such as the Suds N Shine; Pikes Peak Group Drive; Opening dinner at Flying W Ranch; Judged Car Show; Hump Daze; HPR track Day; Downtown Invasion; Drifting; Auto Cross; Drag Racing; Nissan Z reveal with parade laps and overhead group photo; Tech Talks with fascinating speakers including Mad Mike, Peter Brock, Hiroshi Tamura and many others. Saturday was complete with the People's Choice Car Show and closing banquet with an award ceremony and silent Auction.

We are proud to announce so many of our members won awards for their cars and received recognition awards including ZCCC sponsor award. The winners are shown here. Please look at the entire newsletter for pictures and video links. Thanks again to all of you that attended and donated your time. I hope I didn't leave anyone out. You all made it truly memorable.



Jason Spegal Nissan Factory Favorite Most Potential



Alex Millward People's Choice Z31 1st Place plus many more



**Travis Scott** People's Choice Z32 1st Place



Diana Inberg Judged and People's Choice 1st Place Modified 350 Z



Kathy Minister People's Choice 2nd Place Modified 350Z



Mike Goddard Judged 1st Place Stock 350Z



Mario Busnardo Judged 1st Place Daily Driver 240Z



Mark Ingalls Judged 1st Place Daily Driver 350Z



Ira Sanders Judged 1st place Street Modified 370Z



Tom Brunjak Judged Stock 2nd Place 280ZX



Don Gordon, ZCCC President Sponsor Award



Roy Davis Judged 2nd Place Modified Z32





















#### **WELCOME TO THE 34TH ANNUAL ZCON**





















































Thank you to everyone who contributed photos and videos including Mike Rhyne, Nate Derman, Cheryle Derman, Travis Scott, Don Gordon and Jason Spegal and anyone else that may have contributed to this month's Odometer. Some photos are from Christopher Karl and Facebook website

YouTube videos by Jason Spegal

https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=wI9puapqnMQ https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=VIvyf4NxpOI





























A "tail" of two Gails and a Tiffany...Gail Brock, Gail Mund, Tiffany Gordon and Kit the Sheba

Look what's holding our tent up! Can you see the tie downs?





## **Group buy for ZCON High Plains Raceway T-Shirts**

By Jason Spegal \$25.00 each



For those who are interested in purchasing the ZCON High Plains T-Shirt and may have missed out, we are working on a second chance as a group buy. Please let Jason Spegal know along with the sizes and quantity desired. Also please include your email/contact information. This is to figure out if there is enough interest to meet the minimum order requirement. The expectation would be if we meet the minimum number of shirts required to place an order this will turn into a purchase and payment would be expected. If you know others who may be interested outside of the club, they are welcome to also put forth their interest. We're working on confirming the price and minimum order size for the group buy. ZCON pricing was \$25, and the hope is that it will be similar for us. If there is enough interest everyone will be contacted to confirm their order and receive prepayment for their shirts. The group buy will be placed once everyone has paid. Stating interest does not guarantee that a purchase will be made. jspegal@spegalnetworks.net



## **Murphy Creek Car Classic Recap**

## August 28, 2021



BY Host: Don Gordon

There was a great showing of Z Cars at the Murphy Creek Car Show. We had a lot of fun under the canopy sporting our club banner. Thanks to Tiffany for supplying the drinks and snacks. We even had a surprise visit from Tom Ziegelbauer (former president, webmaster and member) and Stacey Ziegelbauer (former Odometer Editor and member) in their new versions of Batmobile and Wonder Woman vehicles. A live band played for our enjoyment. Thanks to all for coming!!!











A tent with various Z people!

New Batmobile and Wonder Woman vehicles



Patty Troxell showing off her new Z



## EMPIRE NISSAN LAKEWOOD SHINE N SHOW

#### **AUGUST 28, 2021**

#### BY HOST TRAVIS SCOTT

Our club sponsor Empire Nissan had their monthly event E.N.E. (Empire Nissan Enthusiasts), hosting an array of various Nissans, tuner cars, and rare imported vehicles. Many Z club members were able to attend and possible new members learned about the club and it's discounts. Future events at Empire will be in the westside parking lot from now on as a designated area for our shine and shows. Hope to see everyone next month for our People's Choice car show. Thank you for those that attended. Jacob was happy with the turnout so close to ZCON. Jacob estimated about 60 cars attended.









Jacob Rogers, 180SX RP-S13



Chris Lenckosz, dealer principal

Dennis and Sheri Lynton



BMWi8 with gulf wing doors

Mike Nigro







# Concours d'Elegance & Exotic Sports Car Show SEPTEMBER 12, 2021

**HOST: ROY DAVIS** 

## Concours d'Elegance & Exotic Sports Car Show is back for 2021

Hey fellow Z Car Club Members. Our favorite car show is back this year at Arapahoe Community College. This year they are featuring electric cars. This does not mean a good Datsun/Nissan won't catch the eye of a car enthusiast. Come out and support a worthy cause with your entry into the car show. Here is the link for the Registration Form. It includes instructions, form & map for moving forward.

https://bit.ly/21CDEDayReg



On line registration is closed. Please complete the registration form on the link and pay at the gate.

We will meet at Aspen Groove Shopping Center near Starbucks (7301 S Santa Fe Dr, Littleton, CO 80120) then proceed to the college campus at 7:30am. Please arrive at Aspen Grove at **7:00 a.m.** for a **7:30 departure**, arriving on the show field about 8am with the show starting at 9am. Andy Mortenson will be the ZCCC lead from Aspen Grove to the college campus. We will be parked in our normal location on the field, so bring a chair. This year we have the following classes in the car show S30 (240, 260, 280Z), S130 (280ZX), Z31 (300ZX 1984-1989), Z32 (1990-1996), Z33 (2002-2008), and Z34 (2008-2020). Please show your show your car to support our Club and this worthy cause. Ribbons will be awarded.

Kathy Minister is asking all our members to attend the event and show their vehicles. Let's see how many cars we can get there to honor Fred with this event. He always felt this was a special event and supported it with many hours of work and dedication. Members are also invited to walk in and visit our booth. You may still receive a point for attending and supporting our Club.

We realize that this event has been shadowed by ZCON but we hope to see you all in September to show we still miss our lost



Established 1983







#### **MABC AUTO SHOW**

WHEN: Saturday, September 25, 2021

WHERE: Mississippi Avenue Baptist Church

13231 E. Mississippi Avenue, Aurora, CO

TIME: 9:00 AM - 1:00 PM

**HOST:** Andy Mortenson



After a one year hiatus due to the pandemic, Mississippi Avenue Baptist Church will be having their 8th annual car show on Saturday, September 25th. There will be a free pancake breakfast and car show starting at 9:00 AM and lasting until 1:00 PM. Awards will be given for the best vehicles in the following categories: American, Muscle, and Foreign cars, as well as Trucks and Motorcycles. The church is located at 13231 E. Mississippi Avenue in Aurora two blocks west of I-225. So stop by for breakfast, show off your car and then head over to Empire Nissan for their big show later in the day.

Please contact Andy Mortenson if you have any questions.







September 2018 Photos courtesy of Nate Derman





#### EMPIRE LAKEWOOD NISSAN AND Z CAR CLUB OF COLORADO PRESENT

"Z GREATEST CAR SHOW OF ALL TIME"

When: Saturday, September 25, 2021 (Rescheduled from July 31, 2021 rain out)

Time: 4:00 to 8:00 p.m.

Where: Empire Lakewood Nissan

14707 W. Colfax Ave, Lakewood, CO 80401

**Host: Nate Derman** 





Come one come all to the Z Greatest Car Show Of All Time! Empire Lakewood Nissan and Z Car Club Of Colorado are joining forces to present one of the largest People's Choice Car Shows in a long time. There will be music, food and lots of spectators. This is one of the regularly scheduled car shows that Empire Nissan enthusiasts puts on the last Saturday of each month.

This show will be totally different. Members that wish to display their vehicles if they want to participate in the People's Choice voting will receive an entry sheet with an assigned number to be placed on the inside of the windshield with vehicle information on it so everyone attending may vote. Hopefully we will have a separate area to display these vechicles. All spectators and members may vote. The categories are: 240Z; 260Z; 280Z; 300ZX-300Z; 350Z; 370Z and Z Greatest in show. Only our Club may enter. We need to have a count for the vehicles that are entering the contest so we can hopefully reserve private parking spaces. If you want to enter, please let Nate know at <a href="mailto:publicrelations@zccc.org">publicrelations@zccc.org</a> by September 23, 2021 so that Empire knows how many spaces to reserve.

Please come out to either enter you car, show your car without entering, or merely see what a great event this will be. Whatever your choice, we look forward to "Zeeing" you there.

The MABC Car Show is that morning so shine up your car and attend both shows.









## EVENTS SUNDAY, OCTOBER 3, 2021

## **Drive With the RhyneZ**

Join us for a scenic drive through the mountains towards Ward, Lyons and back to Golden (or Boulder) with an optional lunch. We are still finalizing the route and will get more information out on Facebook and zccc.org before the event. Provided will be an electronic Google Maps version and a printed version of the route.

When: Sunday, October 3, meet at 8:30 am, leaving at 9:00am sharp.

Where: We will meet in the Target parking lot at 14500 W Colfax Ave Unit B1, Lakewood, CO 80401 on the North side of the parking lot closest to the road. We will also eat lunch somewhere near there. More details coming soon.

**Host:** Wendy & Mike Rhyne

The drive is a 1/2 day: about 3.25 hours of driving (120 miles) plus optional lunch.

Email Mike with questions webmaster@zccc.org





## Road Trip October 16, 2021



The largest collection of AMC vehicles in the world is right here in Colorado only an hour away in Elizabeth. Over 600 vehicles lovingly curated along with other interesting collections housed in six buildings. ZCCC last visited the Rambler Ranch in 2010 and according to Terry Gale, owner, much has changed.

Meeting Place: Roxborough Park Community Center

6237 Roxborough Drive

Littleton, CO

Time: 9:00 AM Coffee, hot chocolate and pastries.

Depart: 10:00 AM Drive through Roxborough Park then depart

for one hour drive to Rambler Ranch

Cost: \$20 per person donation at Rambler Ranch

Lunch Bring your own picnic lunch

RSVP: Bob Byrne <a href="michaelbyrne@yahoo.com">michaelbyrne@yahoo.com</a> by October 12, 2021



https://www.ramblerranch.com









July 16, 2010 Photos by Nate Derman



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	1/2 page	\$0	\$60
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Alan Hardy (referred by Ron Gardner)



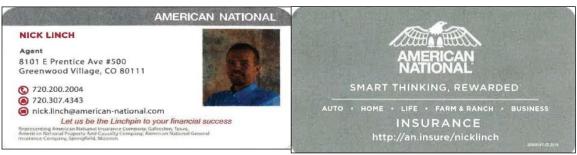
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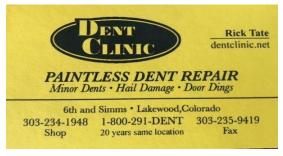
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LAKEWOOD

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OCTOBER 31, 2021

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## UPCOMING EVENTS QUICK REFERENCE

**September General Meeting** 

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**MABC Auto Show** 

**Z Greatest Empire Nissan Shine N Show** 

October Annual Meeting/Banquet

**Riding With The Rhynez** 

**October Road Trip** 

**Shine N Show** 

Wed. Sept. 1 2021
Sunday, September 12, 2021
Saturday, September 25, 2021
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Saturday, October 2, 2021
Sunday, October 3, 2021
Saturday, October 16, 2021
Saturday, October 31, 2021

7:00 p.m. ZOOM
9:00—3:00 Arapahoe Community College
9:00—1:00 Mississippi Ave Baptist Church
4:00-8:00 Empire Nissan Lakewood
5:30 PM Mission Hills Golf Course
8:30 AM Target Parking Lot —Lakewood
9:00 AM Roxborough Park Community Center

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