

Capital Carriages Car Club

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Helena Chapter of the Montana Pioneer & Classic Auto Club, Inc.

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Capital Carriages August Calendar:

Club Events : Monthly Meeting: Sunday, **Sept. 11th** – Family Roots (formerly Jorgies) at 12:00 PM.
Meet and Eat: **September 7th** (Wednesday) – Overland 11:30 AM.
September 21st (Wednesday) – Chili's 11:30 AM.
MPCAC Fall Tour – **Billings September 30, October 1st and 2nd.**

Local Car Shows: Lincoln Rod Run **Saturday September 10th**
Townsend Show and Shine **Sunday October 2nd**

Last month I complained about the heat in the newsletter so our punishment is the heat continuing into September. While I realize our weather is very hot, I remember an opening day of general big game season when the high was 85 degrees. While hunting that day we were 3 miles in, standing on Crow Peak when 17 head of elk walked out below into a meadow about 100 yards from us. We would not let a young man in the group shoot one (he had the only cow permit) because there was no way to get the meat out without having it spoil. I hope the heat does not continue until that late in the fall this year!

As you can see in the above meeting schedule the board members in attendance at the August meeting made another change to the "Meet and Eat" schedule. After some discussion we decided to move the day of the week to Wednesday, while leaving the time up at 11:30 AM. This allows any those with commitments on Thursday to attend.

Seventeen members attended the August meeting at the Grub Stake along with four guests. These guests consisted of former members Jim and Sharon Black, who have rejoined the club, and Dave and Evonne Mitton, who expressed the intent to rejoin. I think everyone in attendance had a great time, Jim and Sharon drove their 1964 Volvo.

September is dues month. The dues remain at \$33.50 for a single adult or \$39.00 for a couple or a single with a guest. These should be mailed to our Treasurer Sharon Burrows at 19 South Benton, Helena MT 59601. I still believe this is a great deal with the receipt of a monthly local Newsletter, quarterly statewide club magazine, a biennial statewide club roster (this unfortunately has not been issued for the last couple of years) and the ability to attend two statewide cruises each year included. Additionally you are invited to club events including the monthly meeting, two meet and eats and other club events as they occur. We are currently discussing a drive to Deer Lodge for a visit to the car museum in the old prison. Plans for this will probably be finalized in this month's meeting

The following is Jim and Sharon Black's 1964 Volvo from the August meeting. The car was previously owned by a mutual friend, Al Rose, who has passed on.



The next picture is of part of the group at the meeting as taken by Jeane Didriksen. Only one made it through to me!

