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President's Letter

Wow it is March already! Time to start thinking about driving your Stude to our next breakfast meeting which is on March 1st. Do not forget that if you bring your car, you will be entered into our Drive Your Studebaker drawing.

I would like to thank John & Dianne Levanger for sponsoring our Valentine party at Siragusa's. The food, fun, and games made for a wonderful time.

On March 15th, the club will again be traveling to Grantsville for the Grantsville Sociable Car Show. See flyer below for further details.

We are announcing the plans for our 30th anniversary party. After considerable thought and a lot of planning, we will be going to The Other Place on April 12th at 1:30 pm. We hope that you will be able to join us in our celebration. Please see attached flyer for more info as an RSVP is required.

I regret to inform you that we lost a club member, Vernon Freeman, after a courageous battle with cancer. He will be sorely missed.

Gale

Upcoming Events

March 1, 2025:

Membership Breakfast @ Golden Corral, 655 East Fort Union Blvd., Midvale, UT. 9:30 a.m.

March 15, 2025:

*Grantsville Sociable Car Show, Grantsville, UT
Host: No host*

April 5, 2025:

Membership Breakfast @ Golden Corral, 655 East Fort Union Blvd., Midvale, UT. 9:30 a.m.

April 12, 2025:

Anniversary Party 1:30 pm The Other Place, 469 E 300 S, Salt Lake City, UT No Host

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We welcome submissions for the newsletter. They are due by the 25th of the month. Please send them to StudeU45@gmail.com.

February 1, 2025 Breakfast Meeting

Gale thanked everyone for coming out to the planning meeting. We have lots of fun activities planned. Reminder that you are welcome to bring family and friends to join us in the club events.

John mentioned that the Valentine's party is being held on February 15th at 1:30 pm. It will be at Siragusa's. A sign in sheet was circulated. As we have at least 30 signed up, we will be in the big room in the back. We will be ordering off the lunch menu.

Gale reminded everyone that our March activity is on March 15th. We will be attending the Old Folks Sociable car show in Grantsville. The plan is to meet at the McDonald's in Lakeside at 10 am. More information to be discussed at the next breakfast meeting.

Terry reminded us that in March we will be starting up the Drive Your Studebaker drawing. Gale said that this was a good reminder to get your car out and ready to go.

We were all reminded to leave a tip.

The 50/50 drawing was won by John Levanger.

Those in attendance were: Fred Ball; Raymond & Diana Compton; Candido Gallegos; Eddy Julius; John & Diane Levanger; Bruce Linger; David Mark; Gale & Linda Nation; Marjeen Nation & Jeff Susott; Terry & Janell Overturf; Barbara Varner; and Elisabeth Walker.

Valentine's Party

The annual Valentine's party was held on February 15th at Siragusa's. The day was nice, and everyone was in a cheerful mood. We had 28 people present and were grateful for all the guests that attended.

We had the back room all to ourselves. A lot of visiting with each other happened. We were greeted with festive placemats and a yummy donut in a box with a fancy bow. Menus were provided.

There were lots of options available, making it hard to choose what to order.

As orders were being placed, John passed out some puzzles for us to work on. Lots of collaboration happened and maybe even a little cheating (looking up answers online). There was applause and even a few groans thrown in as John revealed the answers.

Pretty soon our food started coming out. All of it smelling good. It got quieter as everyone ate. We all were enjoying our yummy food.

After the bills were all paid up, Gale stood up and thanked John and Diane for hosting a lovely event.

Sorry that no pictures were taken, the photographers seemed to be on strike 😊.

Those in attendance were: Fred Ball; Dan & Vina English; Candido & Francis Gallegos and guests Don Gallegos, Randy Smith & Madalene Vecchi; Eddy & Babette Julius; John & Dianne Levanger and guests Ethan & Ruby Millard; David & Martha Mark; Gale & Linda Nation and guests Ashley & Roxanne Sears; Marjeen Nation & Jeff Susott; Terry & Janell Overturf and guest Kristi; Barbara Varner; and Elisabeth Walker and guest Luann Martinez.



February Birthdays



Terry Overturf	3/9
Jeff Susott	3/10
Dorris Gabbitas	3/15
Jan Brunvand	3/23

February Anniversaries



Doug & Myrna Forney 3/20/2004

Sponsor Announcement



It is that time of the year, we need to start thinking about sponsors. If you know of anyone who would be a good sponsor, please reach out to them.

*** Reminder ***

If your contact information changes or you add or delete from your Studebaker collection, please let one of the officers know so that we can update the roster. Thanks!!

For Sale

If you have cars or parts for sale, why not list them here. This way others near and far can be informed as to what is happening! It costs nothing but your time.

1962 Chevrolet Corvair Convertible, white, new top, new upholstery, new tires, new exhaust, 3-year-old paint, mechanically sound. Many extra parts. \$16,500. Call Candido at 801-232-0608 for photos or more information.

Well Wishes

For any members who have been feeling under the weather or undergoing medical procedures, we cannot wait to see you, cheerful, happy, and healthy again.

Healing wishes go out to Marjeen Nation on her recent nerve release surgery.

Condolences

Our thoughts are with Marilyn Freeman and her family on the passing of Vernon.

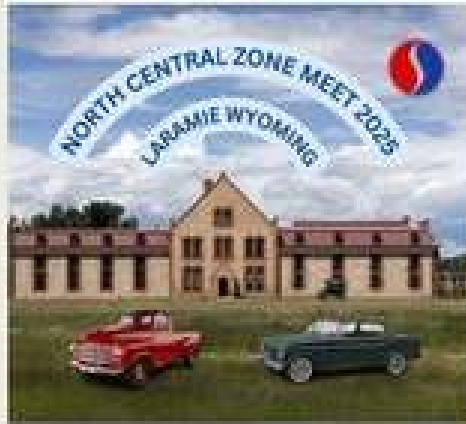
Thanks for Paying Dues

Mark & Christine Aletto
Clifton Pritzkau

Help Needed

Your help is needed. If anybody has suggestions for meeting rooms, restaurants, gathering places, etc., please let an officer know.





REGISTRATION FORM

2025 North Central Zone Meet sponsored jointly by the Conestoga and Wyoming SDC Chapters, June 5, 6, and 7, 2025 in Laramie, Wyoming

MEET HOTEL: Hilton Garden Inn, 2229 Grand Avenue, Laramie, Wyoming. Attendees will need to make their own room reservations for the meet. Use the on-line direct Hilton reservation system at: <https://group.hiltongardeninn.com/1ffc23> or call the desk at #1-307-745-5500 to reserve at the discounted rate of \$145/night plus taxes. This discounted room rate will hold until 5-1-2025 when the rates revert to ordinary prices.

VEHICLE(S) PRESENTED:

Year _____ Make _____ Model _____

First Name _____ Last Name _____

Guests/Spouse Name _____

Address: Street _____ City _____ State _____

Email _____ Phone _____ Zip _____

Registration Fee (\$40 before 5-1-2025, \$50 after 5-1-2025) \$ _____

Friday driving tour box lunch \$ 15/ lunch, X number of meals \$ _____

Saturday Banquet Buffet \$ 45.00/meal, X number of meals \$ _____
(Cannot reserve meals after 5-22-2025, but there is a work around for those who may be late to reserve)

Donation (not required, but much appreciated) \$ _____

Total Due: \$ _____

1. Please bring unneeded or redundant Studebaker-related items to be placed into the silent auction.
2. Please send a copy of this form with a check made out to: Ford Stoecker, Zone Meet
3. Mail to: Ford Stoecker
400 23rd Street
Golden, Colorado 80401-2439
4. Questions?: Contact Ford at: lynford310.incg@gmail.com or #720-614-2664 (Mountain Time Zone before 10 pm)
5. Refunds after 5-1-2025 granted at the discretion of the Conestoga and Wyoming Chapters.

Wasatch Mountain Chapter Calendar of Events 2025/2026

February 1, 2025:	Breakfast Meeting, 9:30 a.m., Golden Corral, 655 E Ft. Union Blvd., Midvale, UT
February 15, 2025:	WMC Annual Valentine's Party Hosts: John and Dianne Levanger, 801-971-6409
March 1, 2025:	Breakfast Meeting, 9:30 a.m., Golden Corral, 655 E Ft Union Blvd., Midvale, UT
March 15, 2025:	Grantsville Sociable Car Show, Grantsville, UT Host: No host
April 5, 2025:	Breakfast Meeting, 9:30 a.m., Golden Corral, 655 E Ft. Union Blvd., Midvale, UT
April ?, 2025:	30 th Club Anniversary Hosts: Board of Directors
May 3, 2025:	Breakfast Meeting, 9:30 a.m., Golden Corral, 655 E Ft. Union Blvd., Midvale, UT
May 15, 2025:	Legends Museum, Springville, UT Host: Dan English, 801-654-4657
June 7, 2025:	Breakfast Meeting, 9:30 a.m. Golden Corral, 655 E Ft. Union Blvd., Midvale, UT
June 5-7, 2025:	North Central Zone Meet, Laramie, WY
June 21, 2025:	Sparks Museum, Provo, UT Hosts: Dan English, 801-654-4657 & Gale Nation, 801-266-7582
July 5, 2025:	Breakfast Meeting, 9:30 a.m., Golden Corral, 655 E Ft. Union Blvd., Midvale, UT
July 19, 2025:	Daughters of Utah Pioneers Museum, Heber, UT Host: Marjeen Nation, 801-281-2590
August 2, 2025:	Breakfast Meeting, 9:30 a.m., Golden Corral, 655 E Ft. Union Blvd., Midvale, UT
August 16, 2025:	Kruisers 4 Kids, Midvale, UT Host: John Levanager, 801-971-6409
August 23, 2025:	Visit to Ophir, UT Hosts: Phil and Debbie Smart, 435-882-2785
September 6, 2025:	Breakfast Meeting, 9:30 a.m., Golden Corral, 655 E Ft. Union Blvd., Midvale, UT
September 13, 2025:	IDYSD, Club picnic, Fairview, UT Hosts: Raymond and Diana Compton, 435-427-3946
September 16-20, 2025:	61st International Meet, Washington, PA
October 4, 2025:	Breakfast Meeting, 9:30 a.m., Golden Corral, 655 E Ft. Union Blvd., Midvale, UT
October 11, 2025:	Oakley Diner, Oakley, UT Host: Terry Overturf, 801-759-3343
November 1, 2025:	Breakfast/Election Meeting, 9:30 a.m., Golden Corral, 655 E Ft. Union Blvd., Midvale, UT
December 6, 2025:	Breakfast, 9:30 a.m., Golden Corral, 655 E Ft. Union Blvd., Midvale, UT
December ?, 2025:	WMC Annual Christmas Party, TBD Hosts: Eddy & Babette Julius, 801-641-2583 and 801-641-1670
January 3, 2026:	Breakfast Meeting, 9:30 a.m., Golden Corral, 655, E Ft. Union Blvd., Midvale, UT
January 17, 2026:	Planning Meeting Salt Lake City, UT Host: Linda Nation, 801-266-7582
February 7, 2026:	Breakfast Meeting, 9:30 a.m., Golden Corral, 655 E Ft. Union Blvd., Midvale, UT
February 14, 2026:	WMC Annual Valentine's Party Hosts: John and Dianne Levanger, 801-971-6409
March 7, 2026:	Breakfast Meeting, 9:30 a.m., Golden Corral, 655 E Ft Union Blvd., Midvale, UT
March 21?, 2026:	Grantsville Sociable Car Show, Grantsville, UT Host: No host



March 15 2025

Time: 11 am to 4 pm
Meet at Lakeside McDonald's at 10 am

Grantsville Sociable
155 E Cherry Street, Grantsville, UT

No Host



April 12, 2025

Time: 1:30 pm

Anniversary Party
The Other Place, 469 E 300 S, Salt Lake City, UT

No Host

RSVP ASAP to Gale or Linda Nation, 801-266-7582

Keep your eyes open

We are always looking for places where we can hold our activities/events. If you are aware of a location that has a room that could accommodate us (up to 30 people, free of charge), please let one of the officers know. Thanks!!!

Autobody

Bruce Linger & Doris Gabittas

Note: Bruce's Autobody has Closed for Business,
but remain a sponsor of our newsletter.
Thanks for your help, Bruce & Doris.

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<p>Wasatch Mountain Chapter Club Membership</p>	
<p>The Wasatch Mountain Chapter of the Studebaker Drivers Club is open to anyone who shares the love of Studebakers. Ownership of a Studebaker is not necessary to become a member; however, membership in the national organization is <i>Required</i>. Send check for \$46.00 for new members for the first year) to Studebaker Drivers Club, Cornerstone Registration, Ltd., P.O. Box 1715, Maple Grove, MN 55311-7615 for national dues and be sure to include source of referral and how many Studes owned. Wasatch Mountain Chapter dues are \$15.00 (Jan. 1 – Dec. 31, pro-rated at \$1.25 per month). Please make checks payable to Wasatch Mountain Chapter and send to David Mark, 357 E Belview Ave., Murray, UT 84107.</p>	
<p>Name _____ Address _____ E-mail address: _____ Spouse _____ Spouse's Birthday _____ Nat'l SDC Number _____ Studebakers Owned _____</p>	