

IMPALA INFO



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All Chevy car show coming April 6

Show entrants receive 10% off at Impala Bob's day of the show

It's almost time for Arizona Impalas biggest event yet: our first club-sponsored car show at Impala Bob's April 6 in Mesa.

Registration begins at 9 a.m. and the show runs from 10 a.m. to 2 p.m. There will be raffle drawings throughout the

day, a 50/50, and people's choice trophies to be awarded in 12 classes.

Entrants receive an Impala Bob's T-shirt, a dash plaque, and a hot dog lunch for two. Entrants can also get 10% off their total order from Impala Bob's on the day of the show.

As of March 15, we have 23 cars registered for the show. If you haven't yet signed up and your Impala is running, **we need you**. Send in your registration ahead of time or bring it (and \$20) to the show on April 6.

Volunteers assigned for April 6 show

Thanks to all the members who have volunteered to help with various functions of our April 6 show. We couldn't do it without you!

Please plan to be at Impala Bob's by 8 a.m. if you are involved with registration and set up. If you have any questions about your assignment, please contact Daryl Wimer at 623-875-1676 or azwhip56@aol.com.

1. Order dash plaques and trophies: George Stebbins.
 2. Coordinate with DJ: Daryl Wimer.
 3. Prepare goody
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Impala Bob's is located in Northeast Mesa at Falcon Field Airport. Take U.S. 60 east to the exit at Greenfield Rd., then Greenfield about five miles north to McKellips Rd. Turn right on McKellips to the traffic light at Falcon Dr. Turn left on Falcon Dr. and go north about 1/2 mile.

Visit our Web site at www.arizonaimpalas.com

Impalas show at Sierra Vista benefit



Gary and Samantha Dulude's '64 Impala sport sedan and George

and Devona Stebbins '64 Impala SS join a '64 Impala SS convertible

at the Sierra Vista Boys and Girls Club benefit show March 16.

Raffle ticket prices set for April 6 show

Part of the fun of a classic car show are all the raffle drawings, and there will be plenty of prizes given away at our April 6 show.

Entrants will receive one raffle ticket in their goody bags, and tickets will be sold throughout the day. Ticket prices have been set as follows:
 \$1 for one ticket
 \$5 for six tickets

\$10 for the length of your arm.

\$25 for the length of your car.

Thanks to all the members who solicited donations for the raffle. Prizes include:

- Two In-N-Out Burgers shirts
- Two free meals at In-N-Out Burger
- Impala/crossed flags emblem

- Two free oil changes at United Car Care
- Four Dinner and show packages (each good for four people) at Salt River Casino
- Michael Waltrip NASCAR die-cast bank from the Gilbert NAPA store
- Harkins movie passes from Bob and Andrea Kohler, Coldwell Banker

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House Bill 2045 to change emissions requirements

During the March 3 club picnic, Daryl Wimer brought up a proposed change in emissions testing before the Arizona Legislature.

House Bill 2045 would change the current emissions requirements for older vehicles. Currently, only cars built before 1967 are exempt from emissions testing. HB2045 would change the law to a floating 20-year exemption. As a result, once a car is 20 years old, it would no longer require an annual emissions test to renew its registration.

Among the members present, there was a general consensus that the state should not exempt vehicles that came with emissions control devices as original equipment. Daryl will check on the bill's outcome in committee, with a recommendation for club members to contact their state representatives at a future meeting.

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Member spotlight — Mike and Felicia Peters' '67 Impala sport coupe

Mike and Felicia Peters are the fourth owners of their 1967 Impala sport coupe. Originally from California, it has a 327 V-8, Turbo-HydraMatic 400 transmission, factory A/C and power steering.

It is a restoration in progress, having been recently repainted to its original ermine white. The interior is currently being restored using the original gold upholstery and trim. They have registrations for the car going all the way back to 1966.

In addition to their Impala, Mike and Felicia have a '71 Chevelle Malibu 4-door hardtop.



Show raffle ticket prices and prizes

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| Success Realty | ball card | • SOCAL sweatshirt |
| • Solar calculator from National Impala Association | • 1957 Chevy Poster | • NAPA Football |
| • Signed Bill Mueller Chicago Cubs base- | • Desk calculator | • Gift Basket |
| | • Nike gym bag | • Sno Cap T-Shirt |
| | • License Plate | • Two Indian Vases |
| | • Car Quest hats | • Back Up Light Kit |
| | • Cactus Plant | • Car Pet Guard |

Volunteer assignments for April 6 show

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| bags: Kevin and Marty Dowd Byrnes and Gary and Samantha Dulude. | 6. Direct check-in and registration (two tables): Cindy Becker, Marty Dowd Byrnes, Samantha Dulude, and Danielle Meaney. | and Karl Becker. | awards: Daryl Wimer, George and Devona Stebbins, and Karl Becker. |
| 4. Direct parking for show entrants: Gene Johnson, Kevin Byrnes, and Ron Trainor. | 7. Make up ballots for people's choice voting: Gary Dulude | 9. Sell raffle and 50/50 tickets: Karl and Cindy Becker, Samantha Dulude, and Danielle Meaney. | 12. Write thank you letters to raffle donors: Daryl Wimer. |
| 5. Photograph incoming show entrants: Gary Dulude. | 8. Tally ballots for awards: George and Devona Stebbins | 10. Announce raffle ticket winners: Daryl Wimer. | 13. Order appreciation plaque for Impala Bob's: Samantha Dulude |
| | | 11. Announce trophy winners and present | |

UPCOMING EVENTS

- April 6:** Arizona Impalas All Chevy Show and Impala Bob's Open House. 10 a.m. to 2 p.m. at Impala Bob's, 4753 E. Falcon Drive, Mesa.
- April 7:** Desert Corvette Associations 9th Annual Sweetheart All Chevy and Corvette Car Show. Brown and Brown Chevrolet, 145 E. Main Street, Mesa. Call 480-892-8439 for information.
- April 27:** Classic Chevy Club of Tucson 17th Annual Chevy Showdown, Reid Park, Tucson. Call 520-297-3791 or 520-743-1714 for information.
- May 3-5:** Historic Route 66 Association of Arizona 15th Annual Route 66 Fun Run. Call 520-753-5001 for information.
- May 11:** Cruizin' the Valley Annual Car & Truck Show, 10 a.m. - 4 p.m., Victory Lane Sports Complex, 43rd Avenue and Pinnacle Peak Road, Phoenix. Call 623-780-9777 for information.



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