



# BRAKE CABLES

## NEWS FROM THE OREGON REGION OF CCCA

### DIRECTOR'S MESSAGE

It finally feels like spring, with the days getting longer and occasional sunny days. From a farmer's perspective, it is still too early to get a tractor in the fields, but the weeds are loving it. The lavender is waking up—much later than last year, but it seems to have wintered well.

It is time to get the old cars out and ready them for touring. Our first tour of the year is to the Mt. Angel Abby, with an overnight stay at The Oregon Garden. Rodger Eddy and Robert Douglas are finalizing the details, with 10 couples already signed up. Rodger will cover details at our April meeting. Rodger is making the room reservations, so it is important that you let him know your intentions.

April 6-9 is swap meet weekend at both PIR and EXPO. I'll be near the EXPO light rail station in stall 8237 so come by and say hi.

Sylvia Potter has finalized arrangements for the ladies tea, to be held on Saturday, May 6<sup>th</sup>, in Beaverton. Please contact Sylvia if you plan to attend. This will be a free event for dues paying members.

Our monthly member's meeting will be held at O'Connor's Restaurant, this coming Thursday, April 6th at 6:30 pm. Rodger Eddy will be providing the program.

The overnight tour to Skamania Lodge with the Mercedes Club, May 29-30 has been cancelled for lack of interest from our club. If you are interested in doing a Saturday only tour with the Mercedes Club, contact me, and I will put you in touch with the tour organizers.

The Packard Club, Western Regions tour is May 19-21. If you are interested, contact Matt Hackney, Robert Douglas or John Imlay.

April, 2017—Bill Jabs, Director

## **UPCOMING ACTIVITIES**

April 6th, Member's Meeting, 6:30 pm, O'Connor's

April 6-9, EXPO and PIR Swap Meets.

April 29-30, Overnight tour to Mt. Angel Abby, Silverton and The Oregon Garden.

May 6. Ladies Tea, planned by Sylvia Potter.

May 13, Portland Transmission Car Show.

May 19-21, Packard Club Western Regions Tour, Northern Calif.

June 11<sup>th</sup>, Strawberry Social at Eagle Creek Lavender. Details to follow

## **Suggestions for Tours or Tour Stops!**

Contact: Tour Directors, Howard Freedman, Roger Eddy, Robert Douglas or George or Sylvia Potter.

## **More Members**

If you know someone with a Classic Car or a keen interest in Classics, please introduce them to our club by encouraging them to come to an event or dinner meeting. Also, invite them to visit our website: [www.oregonccca.com](http://www.oregonccca.com).

Bill Price, our membership director, will be happy to provide information and contact the prospective member.

## **CCCA GRAND CLASSICS**

There will be a Grand Classic in Sequim, Washington June 23-25, sponsored by the Pacific Northwest Region. Get your hotel reservation soon, if you plan on attending. Contact Howard Freedman if you wish to attend. Our club needs to show support to the PNW Region Club.

## **CCCA Passport Driving Program**

This new Driving Program is about the joy of owning a Classic Car and the true thrill of taking the wheel to use them as they were originally attended – for motoring. Mileage Car Badges are awarded based on the miles that you drive your full classic. The first badge comes at 1,000 miles, additional badges are awarded as you achieve higher mileage. To register your cars the odometer reading must be verified, and a registration form filled out and mailed to CCCA with a fee of \$25 per car. This is a good program to promote driving our cars. Now is a good time to get registered for 2016

## **OUR WEBSITE**

If you misplaced your Hood Release or deleted the Brake Cables or a reminder Blast, just go to the Website [www.oregonccca.com](http://www.oregonccca.com) to get the information. Thanks to George Potter for keeping our website updated.

**IF YOU WISH TO HAVE A PHOTO OF YOUR CLASSIC CAR POSTED ON OUR WEBSITE, PLEASE SEND A PHOTO TO GEORGE POTTER.**