

# BRAKE CABLES



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April 2026

# From your Directors...

## MARCH TECH SESSION

Our tech session held on Saturday, March 14<sup>th</sup> at Dave Charvet's garage was a great success with about 20 people in attendance including a few folks from the Cadillac club! Special thanks to Mike McCready who actually made positive crankcase ventilation very interesting! Who knew?? Folks also lingered afterward to chat with Mike and learn what they could about other issues as well. Also, thanks to Dave Charvet for hosting the event and providing the donuts and sandwiches!

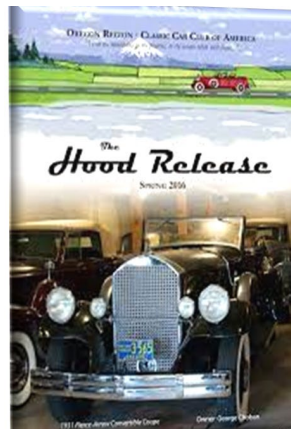


We have found a new location that serves food and is used by other clubs. Our next meeting is this Thursday, **April 2nd**, at **the High Rocks Restaurant and Lounge- 915 E Arlington St., Gladstone, OR 97027**. We will meet at 6PM as usual for dinner and to chat, but **the meeting will commence at 6:30PM**. Give yourself a little extra time to get there if it's your first time. It is a full-service restaurant with a banquet room for our meeting!

As always, please send any ideas, pictures, project info, etc. to our publications editor, Dave Charvet, for the Hood Release and Oregon Clipper!!

## "Gary Martin" Tour

On **Saturday, April 25<sup>th</sup>**, we plan to motor out to Scappoose to visit Gary Martin's pattern making shop as well as wife Jackie's Sewing and Quilting shop. This should really be something different and interesting for us! After the visit, we will have lunch at the Warren Country Inn before **possibly** visiting a private Snow Cat collection. We'll know more as the date gets closer. Be on the lookout for a flyer on this!



# Event Details and Club Info

## *2026 Fall Tour*

Our fall “Howie” tour is in the planning stages and hopefully, you have seen the flyer sent out earlier. This year, we plan to experience the Olympic Peninsula and National Forest including Lake Quinault, Lake Crescent, and a couple of days in Victoria BC before heading back south. This year’s tour is planned for seven days instead of the usual nine days. Get your \$100 deposit in if you’d like to attend!!



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The Oregon Region CCCA and Packards of Oregon have been invited to participate in a small static display of antique cars at the centennial celebration for the Burnside Bridge. It will be on Saturday, May 30, 2026.

The celebration will run from noon to 5pm when the bridge will be closed to motor vehicle traffic. This is not a parade, just static displays at the ends of the bridge. We are, of course, concerned about protecting the cars while on display and have asked for further information before agreeing to participate. More to come when we have the info.

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Just visit the appropriate website if you misplaced a publication, deleted the Brake Cables or a reminder blast. Its all there!

Also, if you wish to have a photo of your cars(s) posted on our websites, please send photos to Joe Munsch for both clubs. **Thanks Joe for keeping our websites updated!**

CCCA: [www.oregonccca.com](http://www.oregonccca.com)

Packard Club: [www.packardsoforegon.net](http://www.packardsoforegon.net)

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You can see all of our 2026 activities at [packardsoforegon.net](http://packardsoforegon.net) & [oregonccca.com](http://oregonccca.com)

## May Wine Tour

Members Tom and Dee Sarpola are working to plan a one overnight wine tour in the Willamette Valley on the weekend of **May 16<sup>th</sup> and 17<sup>th</sup>**. Stay tuned for details!!



# 2026 Events Calendar

## APRIL

**2<sup>nd</sup> - Monthly Membership Meeting - 6PM High Rocks Restaurant**  
**25<sup>th</sup> - “Gary Martin” Shop Tour – Sno Cat Collection**

## MAY

**7<sup>th</sup> - Monthly Membership Meeting - 6PM High Rocks Restaurant**  
**16/17<sup>th</sup> - Southern Willamette Valley Wine Tour – overnight**

## JUNE

**4<sup>th</sup> - Monthly Membership Meeting - 6PM High Rocks Restaurant**  
**20<sup>th</sup> - Strawberry Social – Jobs Estate**  
**24<sup>th</sup>-27<sup>th</sup> - Packard Club Western Regions Tour - Mammoth Lakes, CA**

## JULY

**2<sup>nd</sup> - Monthly Membership Meeting - 6PM High Rocks Restaurant**  
**4<sup>th</sup> - Glud Picnic**  
**12<sup>th</sup>-16<sup>th</sup> - Packard Club National Meet – Warwick, RI**  
**19<sup>th</sup> - Forest Grove Concours d’Elegance**  
**21<sup>st</sup> - Hillsboro Tuesday Market**

## AUGUST

**6<sup>th</sup> - Monthly Membership Meeting - 6PM High Rocks Restaurant**  
**30<sup>th</sup> - Lake Oswego Car and Boat Show**

## SEPTEMBER

**5<sup>th</sup> - Monthly Membership Meeting – 6PM High Rocks Restaurant**  
**13<sup>th</sup>-19<sup>th</sup> - Annual Fall Tour – Olympic Peninsula and Victoria, BC**

## OCTOBER

**1<sup>st</sup> - Monthly Membership Meeting – 6PM - High Rocks Restaurant**  
**17<sup>th</sup> - Train Ride? Lebanon?**

## NOVEMBER

**7<sup>th</sup> - Annual Planning Meeting**

**\*\* Flyers with details on much of the above will be coming!**

Refer to the CCCA and Packard Club websites for info on National and Regional events.

[www.packardclub.org](http://www.packardclub.org)

[www.classiccarclub.org](http://www.classiccarclub.org)