

BRAKE CABLES



News from:
Oregon Region CCCA
&
Packards of Oregon

August 2025

From your Directors...



As most of you know, Howard Freedman left this world on Sunday, August 3rd, surrounded by family and friends. It is difficult to express what a loss this is not only personally, but also to our clubs and the car collector hobby. For more than 30 years, Howard has been a leading force, both locally and nationally. He was chairman of the CCCA Museum in Hickory Corners, MI for over 10 years, and was treasurer of the national CCCA organization. Locally, he was our treasurer for decades, he was the instigator and planner of our September "Howie Tours," and led the charge for a CCCA Grand Tour in 2012. Not only did he provide a meeting place for many of our gatherings, he did most of the arranging for our monthly events. Howard will be greatly missed. Funeral Services will be held Tuesday, August 5th at 3:30PM **at Avahai Sholom Cemetery – 9323 SW 1st Ave. Portland, OR 97219**

Our next regular meeting is **THIS Thursday, August 7th** at **The Old Spaghetti Factory, 715 S. Bancroft St., Portland, Oregon 97239**. Dinner will start at 6:00 pm followed by our meeting at 7:00 pm. Howard was able to find this new location for us at a moments notice. Please plan to attend this meeting to give us feedback on this or another suitable location.



Event Details and Club Info



We had nice cool weather for FG this year and our clubs were well represented. Mr. Charvet, of course, did a great job as host and emcee. **Dennis Gilman** received the Best Classic Prewar Car Award and was one of four nominated for Best of Show!! While there were many in attendance at the show, it was apparent that registrations were down somewhat. Field spaces usually filled with cars were vacant. Why you ask? Not sure, perhaps the now \$100 suggested donation to register a car? Perhaps the difficult web-based process to sign up? Hmmmmm.....



The Lake Oswego Car Show is scheduled for August 24th. This is an event that our clubs have supported well in the past. If you have not signed up, please go to: www.oswegoheritage.org/event-617776, and register online. We will meet at the Lake O Safeway parking lot at 7:15am and depart together for the show.

Our **September 13-21 "Howie Tour"**, to Lake Coeur d' Alene and points in between is all scheduled and planned. If you have signed up and have any changes or questions, please contact Bob Douglas or Bill Jabs. More information to follow prior to the tour. Our departure time and location will be 9:00 am at Lewis and Clark State Park.



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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!**

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Packard Club: www.packardsoforegon.net

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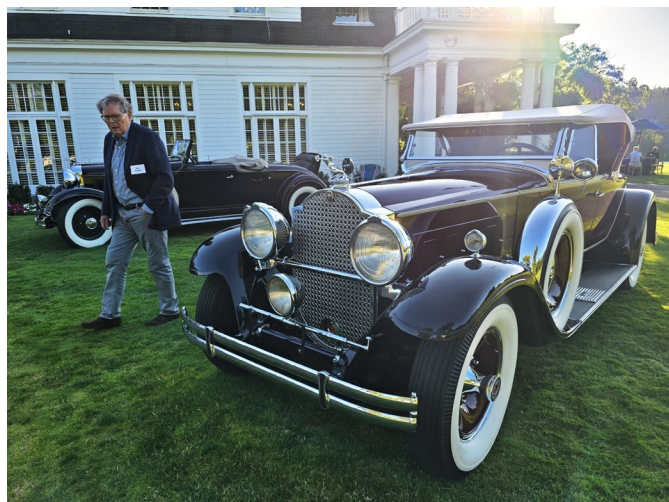
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Our previously scheduled Beach's/PIR event on August 13th **has been cancelled**. Your leadership felt it is too difficult to get to PIR at that time of day (3-5 pm), coupled with likely hot temperatures. This will be a good topic of discussion at our November planning meeting.

Waverly Country Club

On Thursday afternoon, July 24th, three of our club members, Bill Jabs, Paul Duden, and John Imlay were guests of Ferguson-Wellman Capital Management at the WCC. They were celebrating their 50th anniversary and were going with an Art Deco themed party. As a result, they asked our club for three cars to help enhance the ambiance. Paul brought his 1931 Lincoln, Bill his 1930 Packard, and John his 1939 Packard. It was a lovely and very enjoyable evening.



You can see all of our 2024 activities at packardsoforegon.net & oregonccca.com

2025 Events Calendar

AUGUST

- 7th – Monthly Membership Meeting - Old Spaghetti Factory 6PM
- 24th – Lake Oswego Car Show 9AM – George Rogers Park

SEPTEMBER

- 4th - Monthly Membership Meeting - 6PM
- 6th - Silver Ghost Tour Gathering – Skamania Lodge
- 13th-21st – Annual Oregon Region CCCA Fall Tour

OCTOBER

- 2nd - Monthly Membership Meeting - 6PM
- 18th – Tech Session – Cameron Guerin – TBD
- 25th – Annual Halloween Party – TBD

NOVEMBER

- 1st-2nd – Fall Color Tour - TBD
- 8th – Annual Planning Meeting – TBD 10AM

DECEMBER

- 14th – Annual Holiday Dinner and Meeting – Tualatin Country Club

**** 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

www.classiccarclub.org