

BRAKE CABLES



News from:
Oregon Region CCCA
&
Packards of Oregon

April 2026

From your Directors...

MARCH TECH SESSION

Our tech session held on Saturday, March 14th 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!

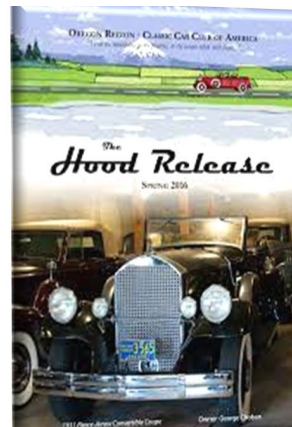
"Gary Martin" Tour

On **Saturday, April 25th**, 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!



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!!



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!!



A celebratory graphic for the Burnside Bridge's 100th anniversary. It features a circular logo at the top with a bridge illustration and the text "SPANNING A CENTURY • 1926 • BURNSIDE BRIDGE TURNS 100! • 2026". Below the logo, the text "Celebrate with us!" is written in a large, bold font. Underneath, it says "PARTY STARTS AT NOON ON THE BRIDGE" with decorative lines. The date "MAY 30TH" is prominently displayed in a blue box. At the bottom, the website "www.BurnsideTurns100.com" is listed. The background is dark blue with confetti and a green-tinted image of the bridge.

The Oregon Region CCA 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!**

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You can see all of our 2026 activities at packardsoforegon.net & oregonccca.com

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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 16th and 17th**. Stay tuned for details!!



2026 Events Calendar

APRIL

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

MAY

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

JUNE

4th - Monthly Membership Meeting - 6PM High Rocks Restaurant
20th - Strawberry Social – Jabs Estate
24th-27th – Packard Club Western Regions Tour - Mammoth Lakes, CA

JULY

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

AUGUST

6th – Monthly Membership Meeting - 6PM High Rocks Restaurant
30th – Lake Oswego Car and Boat Show

SEPTEMBER

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

OCTOBER

1st – Monthly Membership Meeting – 6PM - High Rocks Restaurant
17th – Train Ride? Lebanon?

NOVEMBER

7th - 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

www.classiccarclub.org