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New Members

RMVR wishes to announce the following new members! Welcome to each of you. We hope you will take full advantage of your membership, all the club activities, and the camaraderie of your fellow members. Please help us in welcoming these fine folks.

- Matthew Ammer--

Membership Cards and Licenses

Will be mailed out in early April. Be sure your dues and medical are current to ensure you receive your card/license. You can easily renew from the front page of the RMVR website. Look for the 2014 Membership Renewal button on the right side under "News".

If you have questions, email admin@rmvr.com or call Dee at 303-319-3062.

Drivers' School 2014

is scheduled for April 5 & 6, 2014, at High Plains Raceway. Watch www.rmvr.com and the RMVR Bulletin Board for details as they become available.

New Administrator!

Effective immediately Dee Rosetta is taking over the duties as the RMVR Administrator from Pete Christensen. Pete will be assisting Dee during this transition, but Dee should be your first point of contact. A huge "Thank You" to Pete for his excellent service and a "Welcome Aboard" to Dee.

Pete will continue in his position as Chief of Tech.

In addition to her Administrator duties, Dee will also remain Chief of Merchandise.

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marshals@rmvr.com

Board Meetings will be typically held the 3rd Wednesday of the month, at 7:00PM. The Board Meeting location is: Garcia's Mexican Restaurant, 5050 S. Syracuse St. Denver, CO 80237 303-779-4177 [CLICK HERE](#) for map.

FOR MORE INFORMATION: RMVR c/o Dee Rosetta, RMVR Administrator
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Formula Vee Drivers' School Scholarship 10th Year

The Formula Vee Group is continuing its Drivers' School Scholarship in 2014 with a new name and format. It will now be called the Formula Vee Drivers' School Scholarship and offer free use of one or more Formula Vee race cars for RMVR's Drivers' School at High Plains Raceway on the weekend of April 4-6.

The Scholarship began in 2005 when Belinda Temple donated the RCA Formula Vee #18 to be rebuilt, driven, and maintained in honor of her late husband, Bill Temple. Nine Scholarship recipients have completed RMVR's Drivers' School and five have purchased their own Vees for racing with RMVR. In October 2012, the RCA #18 was sold to another RMVR member and the Vee Group wanted to continue the Scholarship with one or more different Vees to be offered for use by student drivers.

As before, the Scholarship winner(s) will be selected from applications received by March 15 by the Vee Scholarship Committee. The Committee members are Bill Fleming, Jess Valentine, and Chad Wight. Considerations for selection include history of RMVR membership and volunteer work and likelihood of purchasing and/or entering a vintage car in RMVR events. The scholarship recipient is responsible for the Drivers' School application and fee (if any), medical eligibility, and personal safety gear. Scholarship car owners will provide car transport and support for the Drivers' School weekend. Prior Scholarship recipients are not eligible. For further information, contact Chad Wight at 719-290-0464 or ccwight@q.com.

Ray Jones Memorial Drivers' School Scholarship

The Historic and Small Bore Race Groups are again supporting the Ray Jones Memorial Drivers' School Scholarship. The former Ray Jones Triumph Spitfire #92 was donated by Janine Jones in 2010, prepared by donations from the Historic Drivers Group, and is now cared for by Bill Fleming and Tony Peak. The scholarship provides free use of "Abby", Ray's 64 Triumph Spitfire, for the April Drivers' School at High Plains Raceway. The two race groups will provide and support the car including fuel and supplies. The scholarship recipient is responsible for the school application and fee (if any), medical eligibility, and personal safety gear. Tony and Bill will prepare the car to fit the selected driver. The scholarship winner will be selected from applications received by March 15, 2014. Considerations for selection include history of membership and volunteer work with RMVR, and likelihood of entering a car with the club as a regular racer.

For further information, contact Bill Fleming at RMVR53@aol.com, Bill Rosenbach at wgroenbach@juno.com, or Tony Peak at TonyPeak420@Gmail.com.

For Sale- Fresh FF 1600 Uprated engine. Complete from carb to flywheel. Balanced, rods re-sized, fresh head, rings, bearings, blueprinted 4 port oil pump, Ivey Carb, crank scraper, spot on GT cam, more. Comes with Tilton Super Starter. \$6,500 or Best Offer. Terry Allard 303-816-0776

Classifieds



For Sale: 1970 STURDGESS F-100 SPORTSRACER #1 of 3, built by Elden for '70-'71 English F-100 series; imported to US, raced SCCA and

vintage; 1600 crossflow, 191 dyno hp, Hewland; prof. maintained, fully sorted, many wins; great cosmetics, immaculate condition; RMVR logbook; spares inc; \$48,000; truck & trailer avail; Bill, 520-572-2448.

Vintage Messenger Fine Print- Our goal is to publish the Vintage Messenger at the first of every month. If you wish to assure that your information / announcement / ad is included in the Vintage Messenger, it should be in the hands of the editor three days before the first of the month. Photos should be .jpg or .tiff formats. Attached files should be in .txt or doc format. Ads run on a per issue basis. If you wish to have your ad run in subsequent issues, you must re-submit the ad, monthly. Ads are free for members for auto / racing related items. E-mail to messenger@rmvr.com. FAX to 970-824-3737. The Editor returns a confirmation of E-mail submittals. If you don't receive a confirmation E-mail, your submittal probably did not get to the Editor.

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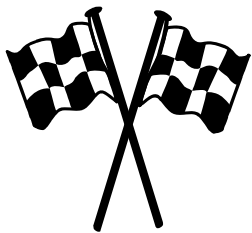
2014 Event Schedule

March 29 & 30, 2014	Fire & Rescue School
April 5 & 6, 2014	Drivers' School
May 17 & 18, 2014	Spring Grand Prix @ HPR
June 14 & 15, 2014	Pueblo Grand Prix
August 2 & 3, 2014	Race Against Kids' Cancer @ HPR
August 30 & 31, 2014	Labor Day Grand Prix
October 4 & 5, 2014	Enduro @HPR
October 25 & 26, 2014	Octoberfast Spooktacular @PPIR

RMVR Website- <http://rmvr.com>

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RMVR VOLUNTEER NEWS

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By B.J. Kellogg

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Schedule and Agenda

Saturday, 29 March, 7:00 am to 3:00 pm

- 07:00 Registration opens
- 08:00 class starts; introductions; first part of F&C program
- 10:00 Break
- 10:11 Second part of F&C program; introduction to first aid
- 12:00 Lunch
- 13:30 With wrecker and van—fire instruction and “pick and pull”

Sunday, 30 March, 7:30 am to 4:00 pm

- 07:30 Registration
- 08:00 Class starts; Q&A from Sat, construction, safety devices, helmet removal
- 10:00 Break
- 10:11 Boarding and extraction
- 12:00 Lunch
- 13:30 First aid

Both Saturday and Sunday training take place out of doors. Weather could cause schedule adjustments. Wear comfortable, non-flammable (no nylon), old clothes, as practice can (and probably will) be dirty. Coffee and donuts will be available in the morning and there are lots of fast food restaurants in the area for lunch.

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North Washington Fire Department
8055 N. Washington Street Denver, CO

Please keep Anita Boucher (usually on the van with Rick) in your thoughts and prayers. The day after Thanksgiving she went to the doctor - and was sent to St. Joseph Hospital. She was diagnosed with acute myeloid leukemia. She has undergone some chemo to prepare for bone marrow transplant which should start the first of March.

Randy Rosetta is looking for pictures from the Spooktacular. In particular, people were taking pictures of Buddy in his pirate costume. If you have one you can email it to Dee at rmvradmin@gmail.com

To all my friends and acquaintances in RMVR; I recently blew the head gasket in my Toyota 4runner. I don't have the \$1,500.00 to have a mechanic do it. I am an OK mechanic on older stuff but not real familiar with newer cars. Nor do I have a garage to work on it in. Would anyone out there be willing to help me fix it? I have some money and I will help. I would also be willing to trade for any kind of remodeling work or fixing things around the house. I am a very good carpenter and tile setter. I also do concrete. Thanks for reading this. Wish me luck. Frank Taiclet franktaiclet@gmail.com

PLEASE SEND IN RESPONSE TO THE APPROPRIATE CHIEF LISTED BELOW.

If you have any preferences as to whom you share a room with, please be sure to let your chief know. Remember that all specialties are limited as to the number of workers for whom they can provide accommodations, so send in your reply form before the deadline.

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