



July Trip Report

Three of us (that's not a misprint, that's right only 3) gathered at the Albertsons parking lot for the club trip up to the North Sand Hills outside of Walden. We took a slow trip up the Poudre River Valley as Corvette Dave's grandson had a couple of spells of car sickness. Couldn't be grandpas driving, or could it?

Upon our arrival at the dunes, we met up with the "Toyota Bunch" who had camped overnight and our Walden club member, Shannon Parsons. After airing down and locking in our hubs at the potty box, all seven of us headed for the hills. After we had enough of the small hills, Coyote John took us over to "Dead Man Hill". John made it look easy, so not to be outdone Corvette Dave went down the hill. All this time a bunch of dune buggy and ATV people were

watching us and taking bets on the Cruisers. Dave's first attempt looked so easy that he had to try it again. This time he only made it about half way up. Again and again he tried to get up the hill with the same results. On his third try, when he was backing down the sand, he got crosswise and had to be winched. He tried real hard to get out, to hard it seems. One time he wrapped up that Corvette engine and hit the whoop-ti-dos at the bottom so hard that he stuffed a tire up into the wheel well and bent the rear quarter panel enough to crack that brand new paint job. Have you ever seen a grown man cry??? Well so much for picking on poor ol' Dave.

When we had enough of “Dead Man” it was over to the big bowl to try some jumps and roundy rounds. When we had all the fun we could stand, it was decided to go to the Cruiser Camp for a late lunch. They had a beautiful shaded spot next to a creek and we threw a few burritos on the campfire coals and chowed down. Now Dave didn't have all the bad luck. About fifteen feet from camp, Don M. ran over a stump and ruined a brand new tire. From the camp, we went home. On the trip up and back, we saw a

lot of wild life including some mountain goats right next to the road, moose and deer. It was just another great day of wheeling with the Mountaineer family.

El Guapo



Club Trip

The August trip will be over the Green Ridge Trail. The trail starts out at the Laramie River Road by Chambers Lake and ends at Red Feather Lakes. Consult your Chuck Wells Northern Colorado Trails book for further trail information. We will leave from the North College Ave, Albertsons parking lot promptly at 9:00 am on Sunday, August 24th. Guests are welcome.



Looking Ahead

In October we will be holding our annual Fun Daze event. Once again Brian Graves has offered the use of his land. Shane Payton has talked with Markley Motors and they have donated a perfect vehicle for us to crush, an older Oldsmobile Toronado. More about this event at the membership meeting.



4x4 Classifieds

1991 Jeep Cherokee Laredo's (2) and parts
\$1900/offer

Here's a chance to get into Cherokees. I've run out of time for this hobby and have assembled all of my Cherokee stuff into one package. It's an all or nothing proposition so don't even consider it if you

Don't want a bunch of parts and pieces. Both of these are 1991 Laredo's. Both are titled, one is drive-able. The drive-able one is a 5 speed with factory skid plate and rear tire mount. The other is an automatic with electric trailer brake and some front 1/4 damage. I have all the body parts for the builder including a front clip, hood, 1/4 panels, doors, etc. plus extra tires/rims and parts I've collected over time (see pictures). If you are looking for something to play with, this would be it.

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August 2008						
SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
					1 K&D Kinnison	2 B&M Kemp
3	4	5	6 M&L Castell	7	8 B&J Marquardt	9
10 Lloyd Vlcek Roger MacDonald	11 BOARD MEETING <i>Darren Finger</i>	12	13 D&C Stengaard	14	15	16 Ann Pryzogda
17 Ken Pryzogda	18 J&S Mueller	19	20 CLUB MEETING	21 Cody Kinnison	22	23 Ken Finley Milly Smelker
24/31 CLUB TRIP Kim Schleppy	25 Brian Graves B&K Schleppy	26	27 Katie Schrader	28 John Schrader	29	30

September 2008						
SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
	1	2	3	4	5	6
7 Cotton Riley	8 BOARD MEETING <i>Brett Newton</i>	9 Jim Miller	10 Christopher Finley Ethan Finley	11 Brett Newton	12 Cameron Lkien	13
14 Cory Kinnison	15	16 Jack Pryzogda C&M Smelker	17 CLUB MEETING	18	19 Amanda Hobbs	20 Skylar Payton
21 CLUB TRIP	22 Heidi Crue	23 M&J McQuaid	24 Nathaniel DeWitt Troy White	25	26 R&K Kapperman	27
28	29 Bev Klien	30				

Board Meeting: Sep. 8 6:30pm Brett Newton
 Oct. 6 7:30pm Brandon Kapperman
 Membership Meeting: Aug. 20 7:30pm Knights of Columbus, 121 N. Meldrum, Ft. Collins
 Sep. 17 7:30pm Knights of Columbus, 121 N. Meldrum, Ft. Collins
 Club Trip: Aug. 24 **9:00am** **Albertson's Parking Lot N. College & Willox**



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