



# Newsletter

## Cadillac LaSalle Club

### Las Vegas Region

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## CADILLAC

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Award-winning club website  
for more info:  
<http://lasvegasclc.com>**

**Saturday September 23, 2017**  
**5-9 p.m. Village Square**  
**Sahara and Ft. Apache**  
**All Cadillac Show—All Makes and Models**  
**Sponsored by**  
**LV Cadillac & LaSalle Club**  
**Village Square**  
**Vendors, Music and Food!**



Like us on Facebook, and have meeting and event reminders automatically

Meeting is the 4th Wednesday 6 p.m. at the Blue Ox on West Sahara



**Las Vegas Region Website  
Receives National Recognition**  
**Margaret Rawson—Webmaster**  
**Kudos and a Big Thank you to Margaret  
for all of your hard work**

The Website was recognized at the 2017 Grand National in McLean Virginia for the Las Vegas Region Website. There is only one of these awards given annually. We also send a thank you to all contributors of pictures and information.



**Happy Birthday Cadillac**

Cadillac was founded out of the ruins of automotive pioneer Henry Ford's second failed company (his third effort, the Ford Motor Company, finally succeeded). When the shareholders of the defunct Henry Ford Company called in Detroit machinist Henry Leland to assess the company's assets for their planned sale, Leland convinced them to stay in business. His idea was to combine Ford's latest chassis (frame) with a single-cylinder engine developed by Oldsmobile, another early automaker. To that end, the Cadillac Car Company (named for the French explorer Antoine Laumet de La Mothe Cadillac, who founded the city of Detroit in 1701) was founded in August 1902. Leland introduced the first Cadillac—priced at \$850—at the New York Auto Show the following year.

**Thank You John Bergler For picking up the great cake!**

# Drive My Cadi: Las Vegas CLC Region Club Activities

September 2017							October 2017							November 2017							December 2017						
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## September 2017

Thur Sept 21  
5-8:30



**Third Thursday!** Village Square, Fort Apache and Sahara, Charity Raffle, Music Classic cars Join the group outside at Viva Mercado's for Happy Hour

Sat Sept 23  
5 p.m. Park  
6-10p Show



**CTS—Cadillacs Under The Stars** Village Square Fort Apache and West Sahara **ALL CADILLAC SHOW! FREE** but need to register. Invite your friends. Cadillacs only! You do not need to be a member to participate. Form attached to email or see web site.

Wed Sept 27  
6-8 p.m.



**Monthly Meeting/Meetup and Social Hour** Blue Ox 5825 W. Sahara - SE corner at Jones behind the Dunkin Doughnuts/Burlington Shopping Center

## October 2017

Thur. Oct. 5  
4-7 p.m.



Celebrate with Toys4Smiles 300,000 toys at this Open House and Silent Auction at the Toy Shop. 4315 Dean Martin Dr. #200 89103 Looking for donations! <http://www.toys4smileslasvegas.org>

October 13-15 - Annual California North-South Meet—see info in the box below

Thur Oct 19  
5-8:30



**Third Thursday!** Village Square, Fort Apache and Sahara, Charity Raffle, Music Classic cars Join the group outside at Viva Mercado's for Happy Hour

Wed Oct 25  
6-8 p.m.



**Monthly Meeting/Meetup and Social Hour** Blue Ox 5825 W. Sahara - SE corner at Jones behind the Dunkin Doughnuts/Burlington Shopping Center

## November 2017

Thur Nov \_\_\_\_  
5-8:30



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Wed Oct 25  
6-8 p.m.



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## December 2017—No Club Meeting on 4th Wednesday See You in January

Sun Dec 10 5 to 8:30 p.

Holiday Party at the Suncoast Hotel & Casino See Attached email Flyer for Details

Sat Dec 16

Toy Run with the Las Vegas Cruising Association; details to be announced

Thur Dec 21  
5-8:30



**Third Thursday!** Village Square, Fort Apache and Sahara, Charity Raffle, Music Classic cars Join the group inside at Viva Mercado's for Happy Hour

## You Are Invited! Cadillac & LaSalle Club Southern California Region

"Annual North-South Meet" **October 13-15, 2017** Apple Farm San Luis Obispo

We have been getting together for over 50 years and enjoy seeing old friends and making new ones. It is not required that you drive your classic Cadillac or LaSalle to this event. The flyer is also available on our web-site at [www.clcsocal.com](http://www.clcsocal.com) - click on the Upcoming Events tab. **To take advantage of our group rate, be sure to make your hotel reservations before September 13, 2017 (see Reservation ID on the flyer).** For questions contact Betsy Davenport 626-281-0706 or [bd@clcsocal.com](mailto:bd@clcsocal.com)



## Toys4Smiles: August Road Trip

Photos by John Bergler



Toys4Smiles is one of our charities. On Saturday August 12 a group went to the workshop to see how to create toys for a smile. Toys4Smiles is always looking for volunteers and there is always something to be done to help (contact them directly if interested) make the smiles. Thanks for opening for us for the day. There may even be a Cadillac toy car there in the near future.

## Save The Date

### 300,000 Toys Celebration

Thursday, October 5, 2017  
4:00 p.m. to 7:00 p.m.  
Silent Auction-Raffle Prizes  
Need not be present to win.

Toys for Smiles Shop  
4315 Dean Martin DR. Suite 200  
Las Vegas, Nevada 89103  
Phone 702-232-8191  
Email: info@toys4smileslasvegas.org  
www.toys4smileslasvegas.org  
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ELEVEN YEARS AND 300,000 TOYS AGO  
TOYS4SMILES LAS VEGAS WAS LAUNCHED.

Our Mission  
To provide a toy to children of all ages  
in need of a smile, while providing a sense of  
purpose, caring and community to the  
volunteers of Toys4smiles



All are welcome - come and see how  
smiles are made.

## Volunteer Opportunity

If you want to volunteer to check in guests on Thursday October 5 at the 300,000 Toys Celebration, contact Carolyn Weaver at 702-813-7372—OK to text or leave a voice mail.

## Thank You Mike C!



Mike Conforti is a VERY special member of the LVCLC, Long Beach and the national club for many years. We presented him with the recognition award in August. He organizes the picnic and the 4th of July parade. Mike has ALWAYS been available to do what is needed AND loves his Cadillac.



Project car guys be like:



WHAT HAPPENED  
TO YOUR WINGS?

## Las Vegas CLC Board Members

### Officers

**DR Rawson** President, National and Findlay Rep; CTTY [dr@lasvegasclc.com](mailto:dr@lasvegasclc.com)

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**Margaret Rawson** Secretary, Findlay Rep

### Board Members

**John Bergler**

**Colin Christie**

**Mike Conforti**

**Rick Hawkins**

**Hal Sheaks** Drop

Tops Director

**Carolyn Weaver**,

Newsletter Editor



## Cadillac & LaSalle Club National and International Events



Cadillac & LaSalle Club National and International Events give you the opportunity to tour the country and meet others that enjoy Cadillacs.

See the national web site/Self Start-

er magazine for details and registration forms

### **Fall Festival**

September 21-24, Gilmore Museum, Mi

**June 5 to 9, 2018**

CLC Grand National — San Marcos, TX

**March 21-28, 2018**

Australian Grand National, Renmark SA

**2019**

CLC National Tour Amarillo, Palo Duro Canyon

## Do you want to order a club shirt or other Cadillac and Club logo items?

<https://gmphotogifts.com/collections/cadillac-lasalle-club-las-vegas-region>

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## Cadillac Innovation: Cadillac's 2017 CT6 Features A Rear-view Mirror, Industry's First Application of Full-Display Technology

Cadillac has added high-resolution streaming video to the function of a traditional rearview mirror, removing obstructions of passengers, headrests and the vehicle's roof and rear pillars. The groundbreaking feature comes standard on the 2017 CT6 Sedan. Cadillac's innovative new streaming video mirror improves field of vision by an estimated 300 percent, or roughly four times greater than a standard rearview mirror.

Thanks to a high dynamic range, the camera's video feed reduces glare and allows a crisper image in low-light situations, versus a traditional glass electrochromatic, or auto-dimming, rearview mirror. The in-mirror display is an industry-leading 1280 by 240-pixel TFT-LCD display with 171 pixels per inch, combined with a HD camera designed specifically to enhance rear view lane width and maximize low-light situations. A water-shedding hydrophobic coating is applied to the camera to keep it clean to maintain visibility regardless of the driving conditions.



**Classic Car Rear View**

Researchers and engineers working on this Cadillac innovation have been awarded 10 patents – one for the streaming video mirror and nine for video processing. The patents cover innovations in the wide field of view camera image calibration, de-warping, glare reduction and camera hardware design.

Drivers can disable the mirror's video streaming function; flipping the toggle on the underside of the mirror will revert it to a traditional electrochromatic rearview mirror. The 2017 CT6 also comes packed with a 360-degree camera view around the vehicle, displayed on the Cadillac CUE screen – which helps reduce blind spots around the vehicle.

Source: <http://media.cadillac.com/media/me/en/cadillac/news.detail.html/content/Pages/news/me/en/2016/Cadillac/07062016-Cadillac-2017-CT6-Features-Rear-Camera-Mirror-Display-Technology.html>