



# THE JUMPSTARTER

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## February meeting 2/8!!

- Thank you to everyone that was able to make it to our December meeting at California Pizza Kitchen. It was a great time, with amazing food and a great friends and cars. Going forward we are looking for ideas on new activities that club members would like to participate in. Fred Rank and myself are open to all types of events. We are not asking everyone in the club to show up to everything but a few members at each future event can help our club to grow. Thanks to all who attended the few events we have had over the last year and a half, and to those who did not, you missed a lot. As usual, reminder emails will be sent.

Mark your calendar for February 8<sup>th</sup>. We will be resuming our monthly meeting at the California Pizza Kitchen!!

Attendance was down last month but all had a great time and Will Link shared some neat old letters that he had gotten a long time ago about the infancy of Cadillac.

Best wishes to all for a healthy and safe fall.

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### MEMBERSHIP

Monthly Dinner

2nd Tuesdays

October — April

6:00 pm



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## Presidents Message

*February 2021*

**By Robyn Schluter – Director**

The Holiday season is now in our rearview mirror. Summer and the 110 degree weather is just around the corner. We have just finished up Arizona Car week and the auctions were crazy. It looks like people are spending money on the car hobby and they are spending lots and lots of it. I am not sure how many record sales were made at Barrett-Jackson but it was on fire. Several of my friends that brought custom cars and trucks to the auction and had them sell for DOUBLE what they were hoping for. Ali said he would be happy with a \$150-175k hammer price and his Lincoln Customer hammered for \$300k. Dan Hogan was building his Blazer to be the first one to hammer of \$200k and it hammered for \$400k. Not sure if this crazy market will continue but everyone may need to consider upping their stated value insurance because if something happens you may not be able to replace it at all.

Our Monthly Membership Meetings will continue to be the second Tuesday of each month. Our next meeting will be held on February 8<sup>th</sup> at The California Pizza Kitchen at Shea and Scottsdale roads. We are currently seeking a potential restaurant replacement for our monthly Membership Meetings, watch your e-mails should a new venue be elected.

As always, check the web-site often as changes will occur in the events and photo pages, not to mention the GREAT Newsletters! Remember to support our sponsors, you can find a full list on our Sponsors Page on the web-site.

Remember-Bring a kid to a car show, let's keep the hobby alive!

Website: <http://www.clcsdr.org>

We also now have a facebook page: Cadillac LaSalle Club Sonoran Desert Region

Link to facebook page is <https://www.facebook.com/groups/4452794058092556>

New Instagram page also: clcsdr

I will try to keep that updated between meetings and newsletters.

Thanks again

Robyn



## Events

Fred Rank, Events Coordinator

**NOTE: Dates and information subject to change. Please refer to later publications of the**

**Jumpstarter Newsletter and emails from the Club**

**Monthly dinner meetings, 2nd Tuesday of Each Month @ 7:00 p.m. (Dinner @ 5:45 p.m.)**

California Pizza Kitchen  
Gold Dust and Scottsdale Road  
Scottsdale, AZ  
Check emails for complete information

**Monthly – Scuderia Southwest Cars and Coffee – 1st Saturday, 7:00 to 10:00 AM**

Market Street at DC Ranch  
20789 N Pima Rd  
Scottsdale, AZ 85255

**Highline-Autos Cars and Coffee – 1st Saturday of each month 7:00 to 10:00 AM**

Highstreet Desert Ridge 54th street and Deer Valley rsvp to Robyn as spots are reserved only

**Adam's Polishes Cars and Coffee – 4th Saturday of each month 7:00 to 9:30 AM Great detailing supplies and great product giveaways!!! Ask for Ryan to help you with all your car/home care needs!** Starting back up in January 2023. 8666 E Shea suite 149 Scottsdale, AZ

**Martin Auto Museum Tour** sometime in February. Mel is finally working on getting moved in. check back for more details to come  
43rd Av and Thunderbird

Fountain Hills Lake on Saturday Feb. 12<sup>th</sup>. We usually convoy early am from Shea and the 101 by the PGA Superstore/ Culver's. Details top follow later. We also have our own spot reserved as we have attended this show for years.

Mecum Glendale March 16-19, 2022

Arrowhead Cadillac all Cadillac Show. Spring 2022

## MEMBER OF THE MONTH

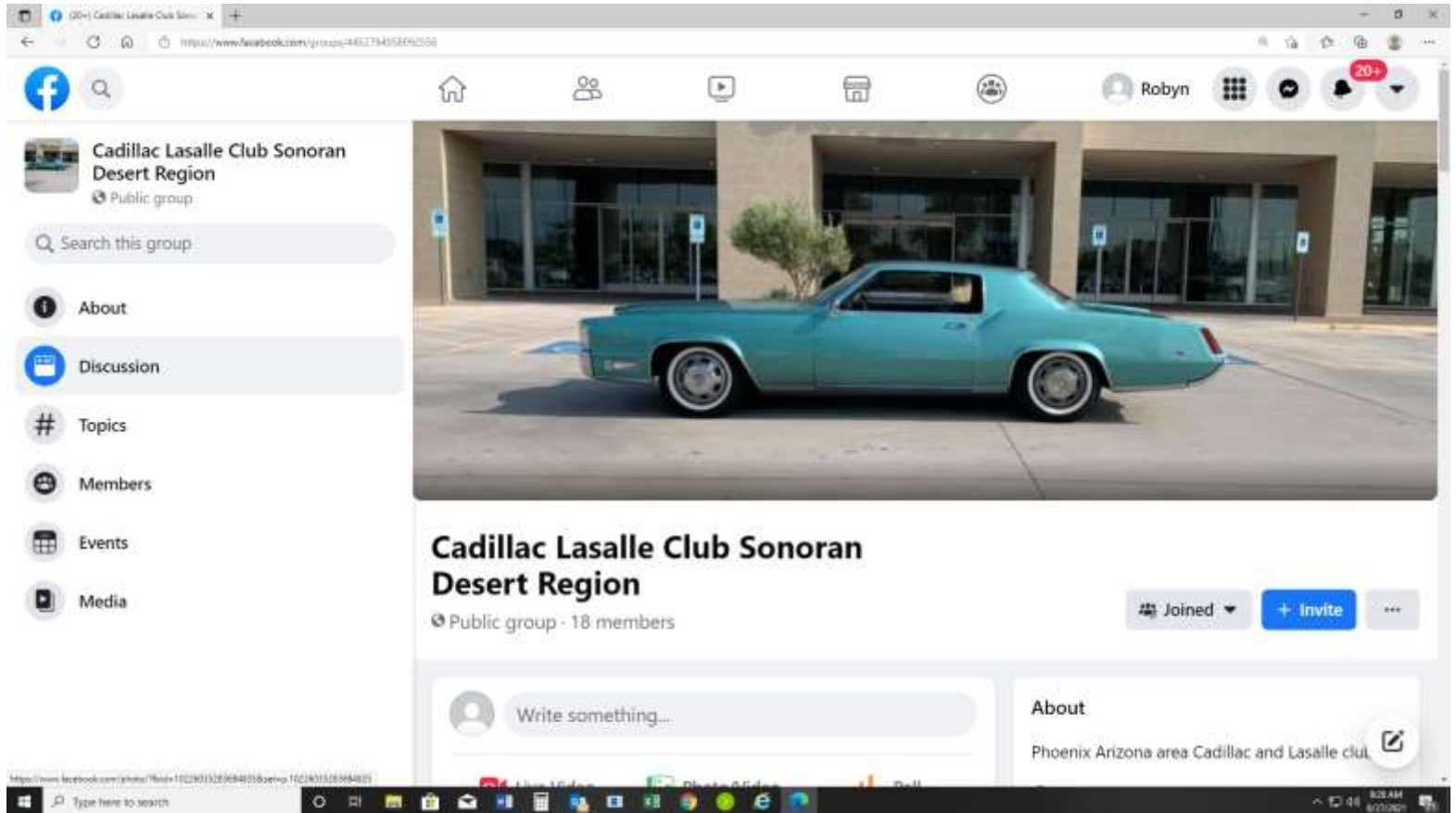
I am going to cheat a little this month. While there are some amazing collections in this club and some amazing single vehicles out there, but I am going to feature Mel Martin this month as he is finally getting to move in to the new museum. If you don't know Mel, you should get to know the guy. His heart is much bigger than his collection and has an incredible drive for his age or any age. He can run circles around anyone I know. Here are a couple pictures from a couple weeks ago when they were just starting to move in.



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