

# Cat Tales



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**Summer  
Party**

**July 13<sup>th</sup>**

**Ramirez**



Frank & Jennifer, backs to us, with  
Barbara, Shirley, Linda, Betsy and Pat



Deb, Jane Bellings and Deanie



John and Jeanie Pucci and  
Valerie Kirby



Jackie R. and Kay Kintgen  
watch the food line



Brian has the attention of Dwight,  
Gordon, Alex, Mark and Marty

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# The Rocky Mountain Jaguar Club - RMJC

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The club's purpose is to promote interest in the preservation, operation and ownership of Jaguar automobiles and to encourage safe, careful and skillful operation. To be a source of technical information, to establish rules and regulations governing Club activities and to promote good sportsmanship at all times.

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Meetings are held on the 2nd Tuesday of each month at Piccolo's restaurant at 3563 S. Monaco Parkway, 0.2 mile east of I-25 at Hampden and 1 block south on Monaco. Meet at 6:30 pm for drinks and dinner; meeting starts at 7:15.

Meeting are held every month except July and December when special meetings are arranged.

Board meetings, open to all, are at a members house at 6:30 pm on the 1st Tuesday of every even numbered month.

Dues are \$65.00/year which includes "Cat Tales", membership in JCNA, the national "Jaguar Journal", eligibility to enter JCNA sanctioned Concours d'Elegance and other national and regional events.

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| Full page            | \$740 |

**2019 Concours: Kennedys,**  
**Dust Off: Bill Beeson and Gordon Kenney**  
**Summer Party: Ramirez's**

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See the web site for leadership and event information at  
[jagclub.org](http://jagclub.org)



## Presidents Letter by Steve Kennedy

Geeze, not that long ago it was snowing but now it's hot and summer is almost over. How did that happen?



A big thanks to Deb and Mike Ramirez for hosting the July **Summer Party**. It was certainly a fun party, but not sure how much of it she remembers. Deb found a wine glass that holds a full bottle of wine and was determined to drink the whole glass and she did.



We held a short business meeting during the party.

We had 38 or so members at the Party and lots of food and it was great fun. If you missed it hopefully you can make it next year.

The **Bid for the Kids** will be August 17<sup>th</sup> and there is still time for you to sign up. Go to [www.denverroundtable.net](http://www.denverroundtable.net) for details and to sign up for an "Evening in the Pines". This event is always a really fun evening and a great benefit for the Children's Colorado ARCH (Adaptive Recreation for Childhood Health) program and Ridge View Academy. We currently have about 16 members signed up to attend.

August is a busy month with the CCCC Air/Car show, a board meeting, monthly meeting at Piccolo's, Race against Kids Cancer at HPR and Bids for Kids.

Then the **British Conclave** will be here really quick in September. There is an application in this newsletter but you may already have received a mailed copy. As always, the club will buy the six foot long sub sandwich but please bring something to go with it.

Thanks to Mark Kintgen for updating and maintaining our club's Facebook page.

For those of you who knew of him, Norman Dewis passed away on June 18<sup>th</sup>. He was the legendary engineer and chief car test driver for Jaguar Cars. With 33 years spent developing legendary cars such as the Jaguar C-Type and D-Type, as well as setting a production car speed record in an XK 120, his great legacy will continue to inspire others.

*Members Birthdays  
in August  
wish them well*

1 Joan Moore  
11 Al Vrooman Jr  
13 Gary George  
19 Frank Albert  
19 Barb Lane  
27 David Massy  
31 Don Leach  
31 Miriam Poole



## Club Events of 2019

### August

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**August 3rd, CCCC Airport  
Car show  
and small Airplane display  
and flyby**

The CCCC used to be a part of the annual airplane/car show held at Front Range Airport.

But they moved their affiliation to the show at Metro airport (used to be called Jeffco) last year and we have encouraged our members to attend there.

The Front Range airport held its annual show on July 27th. Air Show was very modest.

### October

- 1 Board Meeting – Oakleys
- 8 Monthly Meeting at Piccolos  
IJF Report - Kennedys

### November

- 2 Forney Museum Reception
- 12 Monthly Meeting at Piccolos

### December

- 3 Board Meeting - Kennedys
- 7 Holiday Party



**"Rocky Mountain Car Show and Swap Meet"**  
11705 Airport Way, Broomfield, CO 80021  
8:00 AM to 2:00 PM  
August 3, 2019  
Cost of the car show is FREE ...  
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Swap meet \$40.00 per space Car corral \$20.00 per space  
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**"Cars and Coffee" events are  
on a regular basis - just show up!**

Let your editor know of these types of events  
and they will get listed

*First Saturday, Hagerty, Golden  
Second Saturday, Vehicle Vault, Parker  
Last Saturday, Gateway Classic Cars  
Last Sunday, N.C. Club, Windsor*

## Details of Upcoming Events

### August 10-11 - Race Against Cancer - Frank Albert



**ACCELERATE 2019**  
**RACE AGAINST KIDS' CANCER**  
BENEFITING THE MORGAN ADAMS FOUNDATION

**ROCKY MOUNTAIN VINTAGE RACING**

**AUGUST 10-11 | 2019**  
HIGH PLAINS RACEWAY, DEER TRAIL, CO

8am-5pm **BOTH DAYS!**

**SATURDAY, AUGUST 10**  
Ticket to Ride (high speed)  
Track Tours (low speed)

**SUNDAY, AUGUST 11**  
Ticket to Ride (high speed)  
Track Tours (low speed)

The Race Against Kids' Cancer is an exhilarating weekend of vintage car racing to benefit life-saving kids cancer research funded by the Morgan Adams Foundation. There are several different fun groups to watch the race weekend including open wheel cars, small and big runners, hot rods and a chance to buy a time to ride! The race starts in south of a scenic race track at a slow track and it starts own personal car and much more to come.

**Morgan Adams FOUNDATION**  
RACEAGAINSTKIDSCANCER.ORG

RMJC member Frank Albert is racing in the event and is fundraising for the effort - he's usually one of the top fundraisers and if you'd like to help him get there again this year you can go to his fundraising page here at this web address:

[rmvr.raceagainstkidscancer.org/frank-albert/](http://rmvr.raceagainstkidscancer.org/frank-albert/)

#### Franks Story:

In 2011 I realized a boyhood dream of racing a historic sports car thanks to the urging of my then fiancée Jennifer. I joined Rocky Mountain Vintage Racing, completed competition school, bought a race car, a 1967 Sunbeam Alpine and my first race was the first RAKC. After all the time dreaming, I was in a race club and driving my own race car, and making a difference for kids suffering with cancer.

Needless to say, RAKC holds a special place in my heart. I've had the honor and privilege to serve as Race Chairman 3 times; I've worked hard and had support from many, many friends to raise some good amounts for the Morgan Adams Foundation and the excellent work it supports; and was lucky enough to make the cut for the Pro Am last year, and certainly hope to make a big impact again this time!



This year I have a fundraising goal of \$10,000 and in fact hope to beat that! I invite your support to help MAF help even more kids this year. Please know that last year Rocky Mountain Vintage Racing will surpass \$1,000,000 in our 8th year of the Race Against Kids Cancer and we aim to double that in half the time moving forward!! I also invite you to come out to the race on August 10 & 11 at High Plains Raceway - you can even get a ticket to ride and be a passenger in one of the race cars, driving at speed on the track at lunch time!! Humans age 8 and up can ride.

Thank you for your support, for helping me toward my goal of \$10,000, for helping RMVR with our \$250,000 goal - best of all, for helping a lot of kids!



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## August 17 - Bids for Kids - Brent McGibbon



Denver Round Table  
7255 S. Valencia Way  
Centennial, CO 80112

The Denver Round Table  
Invites you to  
*An Evening in the Pines*

Save the date!! Our 42nd annual fund raiser is happening on Saturday, August 17th, 2019. We are again supporting both the Children's Colorado ARCH program and Ridge View Academy.

This year's event is *very* special. We are at a new and absolutely unique venue.

It is a private event center nestled in the woods in beautiful Castle Pines. We have been selected as one of the few charitable organizations to host an event at this stunning 20,000 square foot estate.

Our emcee for the evening is *Channel Seven News Chief Meteorologist Mike Nelson*.

Feel free to share this with anyone who might be interested in attending. A formal invitation will follow this "Save The Date"

More information about this event can be found at: [www.denverroundtable.net](http://www.denverroundtable.net)



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# Registration for English Motoring Conclave, Sept. 14-15

## REGISTRATION

*Mailed registrations must be received by 9/9/19*

**Make checks payable to:** Colorado Conclave

**Mail to:** Scott Story, 1025 S. Laredo Way, Aurora, CO 80017

Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

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Home Phone: (\_\_\_\_) \_\_\_\_\_

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### VEHICLES COMING TO MEET:

| Year | Manufacturer | Model | requested Class | Car | Race Car | Motorcycle |
|------|--------------|-------|-----------------|-----|----------|------------|
|      |              |       |                 |     |          |            |
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Requested Class, please see our website ([www.thecoloradoconclave.com](http://www.thecoloradoconclave.com)) for class definitions, otherwise leave blank.

## Entry Fee

Please mail by September 8th

S \_\_\_\_\_ *Registration fee: 1st \$25.00 2nd \$15 per vehicle received by September 1st(3rd or more free, provided you are the owner of each vehicle). \$30.00 and \$20 per vehicle after September 1st or day of the show. Entry fee is good for both days.*

S \_\_\_\_\_ *Swap meet space: \$25.00 per space received before September 1st. \$30 After Sept. 1st or day of the Conclave (private parties only). Space reserved till 9:30 am then resold*

\$ \_\_\_\_\_ **AMOUNT ENCLOSED** (there can be no refunds)

## PLEASE SIGN...

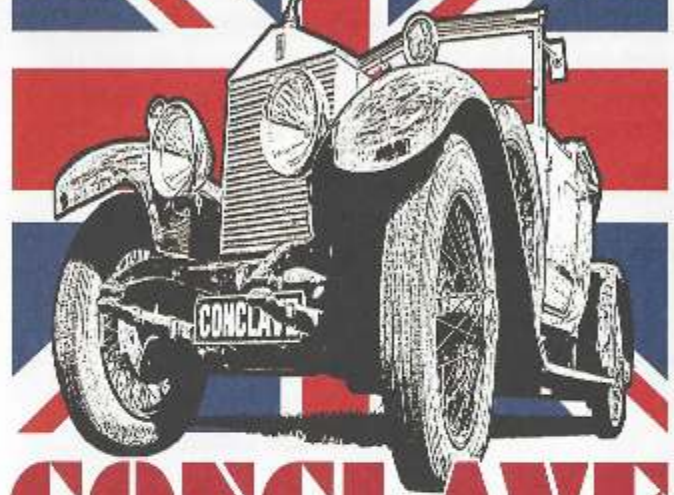
RELEASE AND WAIVER: I am aware of the hazards inherent with motor vehicle events and, specifically release and indemnify the organizers, supporting car and bike clubs and the City of Arvada and North Jeffco Parks and Recreation Department, collectively and separately, from any and all liability for personal injury or property damage incurred by me or my guests, while participating in this event. I also agree not to start any loud vehicles during the day of the event and to abide by the City of Arvada's rules regarding no smoking. No **"FOR SALE"** signs and no **trucks or trailers in the park.**

SIGNED \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_ / \_\_\_\_ / 2019

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# COLORADO

# English Motoring



# CONCLAVE

# 2019

## An invitation to all

### BRITISH

# Car and Bike Owners

## September 2019

**14th** *Ride The Rockies*  
Saturday

**15th** *The Conclave*  
Sunday

### 36th All British Car and Bike Meet

Oak Park, Arvada, Colorado  
10425 W. 64th Place, Arvada, Colorado



### SEPTEMBER 14th

#### Start your Conclave weekend with "Ride the Rockies" tour, Saturday, September 15th.

Hosted by the Colorado English Motoring Conclave, owners of all two, three, and four-wheeled British vehicles are invited to a motoring tour of the Rocky Mountains.

Don't wait until Sunday to begin the fun. Make the Conclave weekend complete by participating in the "Ride the Rockies" tour. Join your fellow British motoring enthusiasts in the beautiful Colorado Rocky Mountains.

The tour will leave the Oak Park Conclave site and wind its way casually to a lunch time destination high in the mountains. For those who want a bit of fun and adventure along the way, the tour will incorporate a Gimmick Rallye. Awards will be presented to the top 3 scorers.

**DATE:** Saturday, September 14th

**LOCATION:** 8:30 AM Vehicles will assemble at Oak Park.  
10:00 AM "Ride the Rockies" leaves Oak Park.  
*Awards presented on Sunday.*

**REGISTRATION FEE:** \$25.00 in advance.  
\$30.00 day of the event.  
*(price also includes Conclave)*

### SEPTEMBER 15th

#### The 36th Annual Colorado English Motoring Conclave, Sunday, September 16th.

Once again, the City of Arvada has offered Oak Park for the Conclave. If you have come to the Conclave in the past, you know what a great day this can be. With your help we will have well over 500 British cars and bikes in attendance.

Bring a picnic lunch or buy food and drink from the Kiwanis club (*all profits go back to the community*), and have a picnic under the trees.

Bring your parts to sell at the Swap Meet or bring your list of parts you need to buy. Above all, bring yourselves and your vehicles, for your participation is necessary to make this event the highlight of Colorado British motoring.

**DATE:** Sunday, September 15th

**LOCATION:** Oak Park, W 64th Place. *(see map)* in Arvada.

**AGENDA:** Registration begins 7:30 AM and ends at NOON.  
Voting ends at 12:30. Awards approximately 2:00

**REGISTRATION FEE:** \$25.00 in advance. \$30.00 day of the event.  
*(see registration, includes Ride the Rockies)*

**For further information call:** Gary George (303) 477-0189 days  
Scott Story (303) 755-1426

### TWO DAYS OF ACTION AND ACTIVITIES

Join us for a memorable weekend as the Colorado English Motoring Conclave continues its traditional two days of fun and activities.

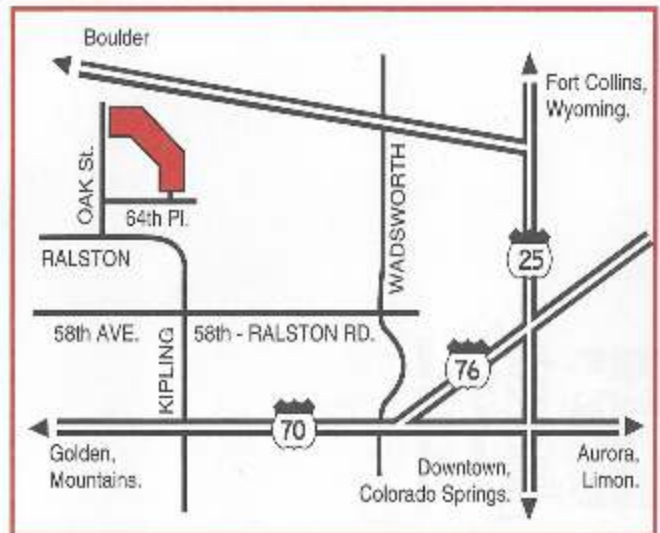
This event was coordinated in 1983 as a joint effort for the many English vehicle clubs in the Denver metro area. Austin Healey, Jaguar, Lotus, MG Car Clubs, (MGA, MGB, T Series), Morris Minor, Rolls Royce, Sunbeam, Triumph, TVR, Rocky Mountain Vintage Racing and the British Motorcycle Association. See website for class makeup. The purpose of this event is to further the operation, preservation and owner participation of the British marques.

The condition of your bike or car is not important; this is an event for the everyday vehicles as well as the concours d'elegance example.

- See a wide assortment of British marques.
- Become acquainted with local British Auto Clubs.
- Learn of sources for specialized services.
- Enjoy food, fun and entertainment in the park.
- Visit local vendors and take advantage of some super deals.
- Stroll through the swap meet during Sunday's Conclave.

**NOTICE:** "As per the City of Arvada"

To preserve everyone's right to continue to use the park. Please, use the **OIL CLOTHS** supplied in registration packets. Please **NO Trucks or Trailers in the Park & NO "For Sale" signs**. Loud vehicles must be pushed into place. They may not be started up in the park. We will refund entry fees to violators and ask them to leave. Also **"NO SMOKING"** or **"SPITTING"** in Arvada Parks.



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## Report on the Mecum Auction - July 12-13<sup>th</sup> by Gordon K.

Bill Beeson, his friend Jim Lewien and I attended the Friday auction at the Denver Convention Center. The following list is the sales results obtained from their web site. There were 358 cars sold for a total of \$10.2 million.

Observations: The 1993 XJS was a beautifully presented car that sold strong. The 1967 Jaguar 420 RHD was in good condition and had a lot of bidder interest.; we talked with a lady from MO who was photographing it before it sold and she said her husband really wanted one. The 2006 XK8 was a beautiful convertible with only 35k miles and looked new but it was one of 3 XK8's that didn't get bids to meet reserve. It was not a good venue for those Jaguars.

| <u>Description</u>                   | <u>Auction Results</u> |
|--------------------------------------|------------------------|
| 1993 Jaguar XJS Convertible          | sold \$15,400          |
| 2012 Jaguar XJL Saloon               | sold \$18,700          |
| 2006 Jaguar XJ ReportVaden Plas      | sold \$5,500           |
| 1967 Jaguar 420 Saloon rhd           | sold \$17,600          |
| 2010 Jaguar XK Convertible           | sold \$18,150          |
| 1997 Jaguar XK8 Convertible          | not sold, bid \$4,000  |
| 1986 Jaguar Vaden Plas               | not sold, bid \$3,000  |
| 1970 Jaguar E-Type, S2 Road., blue   | not sold, bid \$52,000 |
| 2016 Jaguar F-Type Project 7         | sold \$143,000         |
| 2006 Jaguar XK8 Convertible, It blue | not sold, bid \$12,000 |
| 1997 Jaguar XK8                      | not sold, bid \$5,000  |



F-Type Project 7 - \$143,000  
but not to us

### Other Vehicles of Interest

|                           |                       |
|---------------------------|-----------------------|
| 1973 Triumph TR6          | sold \$13,200         |
| 1946 Mercury 4 door sedan | not sold, bid \$7,500 |
| 1937 John Deere B Tractor | sold \$7,500          |

This 1946 Mercury was just like the one I had while in college.

If I bought it I could go to the Ford V8 club with the Kennedys. But I didn't.







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## Report of the July 13<sup>th</sup> Summer Party

### At Deb & Mike Ramirez's

Holy Moly Guacamole. The Fiesta (Summer Party) was filled with heat. The temperature was toasty and the stuffed jalapeño appetizer had a kick of heat.

The party was enjoyed by approximately 40 members. It was a fun filled day of eating and having a few libations.

Appetizers were Awesome, and Desserts were Delicious. Dinner included burritos, enchiladas, chicken tacos and green chili. We had a few margaritas to quench our thirst.

A little rain put a damper on enjoying the outdoors, but the party was able to continue indoors. A huge thank you for all the appetizers and desserts. I heard recipes being shared.

Oh and I was proud to announce at the end of the evening that I had just finished my one and only glass of wine (had to be there).

.....Deb



The weather for the party was great but many experienced downpours on the drive home.



**Bob Grossman and Kerry Kirby share conversation and refreshments under the "big hats"**



**Steven Kreisman discuss events with Vince Lane and Don Leach**



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## ***Buying your first Electric Vehicle (EV) by Gordon K.***

Selecting your 1<sup>st</sup> electric car can be a difficult process and I recommend shopping from a short list of models (Leafs, Bolts, Jaguar I-Pace and Teslas) as detailed on the next page. These cover the complete price and performance range, are readily available and have track records.

**What is the intended use of the car (how much range do I need)?** Is it going to be the ONLY car or will it be used only for daily transportation for work, school or shopping. EV's with ranges of 150 to 200 miles are best suited for in-town daily needs but long distance driving will benefit from longer ranges and 300+ range is useful.

**How much money to spend?** New or used EV's are available from \$10,000 to over \$100,000. Most new EV's qualify for the Federal Tax Credit (can be up to \$7,500) and for the Colorado Alternative fuel incentive of \$5,000 but used EV's do not qualify for either.

**Charge your EV?** All EV's can use "Level 1" chargers (110 volt) which can provide 50 miles of range per day. Most EV's can use "Level 2" (240 volt) chargers which is the best setup for daily use and can provide hundreds of miles of range charging overnight. But long distance driving needs "DC" (direct current) charging capability with rating of at least 50 kW (kilowatts) and preferably 100 kW or more. Not all EV's can accept DC charging.

**Range Extended EV's**, like the discontinued Chev Volt, are excellent used EV buys. You get the EV driving experience but have a gas powered generator if needed so you never experience "range anxiety". Used 1st and 2nd generation Volts and Nissan Leafs are available at Carmax and at the Green Eyed Motors in Boulder.

### **How and Where to for shop for an EV:**

Both New and Used Nissan "**Leafs**" and Chevrolet "**Bolts**" are at dealers. Prices start around \$30k and go up to \$45k. Desirable upgrades include larger batteries and improved charging capability. Go to the dealer, look at what is available and how they are priced and then DO THE TEST DRIVE.

The **Jaguar I-Pace** is in the upper price bracket (\$70k to \$90k) and used ones may be available. Go to the dealerships and look and learn and DO THE TEST DRIVE. Ask about charging.

**Teslas** can be seen at showrooms and test drives arranged at the Cherry Creek Shopping Center (303-200-4240, ext.3).or at the Park Meadows Mall (303-792-3450) where you can also see a Supercharger station in use. Go to a showroom and TAKE ONE OR MORE TEST DRIVES. The Model 3 starts at \$39,000 and the Model S and X start at \$80,000 new. Used ones of each model are available with many at half price or less. Purchasing, new or used, is done on-line; sign on to Tesla.com, in upper RH corner go to "find us", then to "store". Explore New or Used Inventory, enter the "buy" process and go through the program to see how it works. Also learn about the hundreds of Supercharger station along the highways of the US which greatly facilitates cross-country travel.

Last winter I took a test drive in a new Model S. Then using the Tesla.com program I searched used inventory, selected a 2015 Model S, asked for more detail, decided to buy, made a deposit and bought the car. I didn't talk to anybody during this whole process until the day of delivery. The process worked beautifully

I invite you to drive it (carefully). Gordon K.



## Popular EV's sold in the first half of 2019 in US

| <u>Model</u>   | <u>Sold</u> | <u>MSRP</u>      | <u>range in miles</u> |  |
|----------------|-------------|------------------|-----------------------|--|
| Nissan Leaf, + | 6,000       | 30k to 36k\$'s   | 150 to 226            | The sales data is from "insideev.com" which lists sales for the 48 different EV models sold in the US. |
| Chevrolet Bolt | 8,281       | 32k to 40k\$'s   | 238                   |  |
| Jaguar I-Pace  | 1,309       | \$69,500         | 234                   |  |
| Tesla Model 3  | 67,690      | \$39k to 48k\$'s | 220 to 310            | The top selling 10 EV's sold 123,861 in the first 6 months.  |
| Tesla Model S  | 7,225       | \$79,900         | 370                   |  |
| Tesla Model X  | 9,000       | \$84,900         | 325                   |  |

These EV's models have been sold for at least a year and are in stock at dealers; used models are usually available. They are an excellent group from which to obtain ones first EV. Many other EV's are now available but the group above includes most that are being bought and driven now.

The MSRP listed is for the basic car but popular options can increase the cost from \$500 up to \$20,000. The Leaf and Bolt are very likely to be discounted by the dealer and used models may be available at about half of new cost. New EV's are eligible for the Colorado \$5,000 incentive and Federal Tax credits from \$1,875 to \$7,500.

The Jaguar I-Pace is new to the market and sells in small numbers in the U.S. but it's being very well received worldwide. It has collected many accolades and International recognition and gets great driving reviews. It has the Jaguar style, is very nicely finished and has good range and charging ability; it would be a great "first" EV.

Tesla Related Notes: More than half of the EV's sold are Teslas and the Model 3's, the Model S and the Model X set the "standard" for new EV's.

One reason the Tesla Model 3 dominates the EV market includes its price which starts at less than \$39k and provides good range with many having ranges of more than 300 miles. All have fast acceleration and high performance models are available. Every Tesla includes "autopilot" driving aids and full self-driving capability is an option. All are Internet connected and receive frequent no-cost upgrades

Unique to Tesla is 24/7 access to the hundreds of "Supercharger" stations along the interstate highways. All are high rate DC chargers and some now provide 75 miles of range charge in 5 minutes. The vehicle warranty, both new and used, is comprehensive and includes roadside service anywhere in the US. When service is needed most likely it will be provided by "mobile service" where they come to your home or business and do the work. When introduced in 2012 the car received Motor Trend's "Car of the Year" award and just this year they named the 2013 Model S the most "transformative" car of the last 70 years. NHTSA gives them the highest safety rating of any car manufactured.

Keep these parameters in mind when buying your very first EV.

Dealing with Tesla is different than with conventional auto dealers. There are few "new" cars on display and all purchasing, new or used, is done on-line using a very simple program. But the popularity of the cars is reflective of the value of the cars. They sell well because they are good. Gordon K.

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### Not For Sale - It SOLD

#### - 1968 Jaguar E-type

Added to the Jaguars of Will Rense of Estes Park

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### For Sale: 2006 XK8 2 Door Convertible

Black Exterior and Top with a medium gray leather interior, 4.2 OL V8, AC, AM-FM Radio, CD Player, and an up-graded Grill. Purchased from Stevenson Jaguar in 2009 with 42,000 miles on it and it now has 115,500 miles. You are welcome to see and drive the vehicle in Evergreen where I live or I can bring it to you at another location for your inspection. Asking \$8300.00 or Best Offer. Gene Cookenboo @303-674-7154



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### 74 E-Type 4-Speed OTS For Sale

Regency Red, Saddle Leather Interior (no cracks) were upgraded "new" During engine out (tranny rebuilt) rotisserie restoration 10 years ago along with total new interior package. New carpet, door interior panels, replaced big Bertha bumpers, etc., completed by 2nd owner. I'm the 3<sup>rd</sup> owner and have owned it for 7 years. Driven less than 15K miles since then. Approximately 6k on current tires. AC blew cold last summer. Great top and back window. Four Fantail exhaust, 89K miles. Great overall condition, maintained by Kats, Appraised by Gary George. A Dream to Drive. Very Reliable and Comfortable to Take on Long Trips. \$93,750.00... Need Garage Space. [Todd Keleske, tmkkel@yahoo.com](mailto:tmkkel@yahoo.com) 970-390-0070 Grand Lake CO



## Another Jaguar listed for sale for the first time

**For Sale: 1990 Jaguar XKS Collection Rouge Edition:** Only 16,500 miles from new. This really is one of those little, old, lady car stories. I bought the car from an estate with 11,000 miles on it. Cosmetically the car is beautiful. Never any body work, the red paint is beautiful and the cream colored leather interior shows only a few signs of wear. Runs beautifully and has the original tool set.



I have made many upgrades including converting to a 5 speed transmission. In addition I replaced all engine gaskets and seals, differential gasket, all belts and hoses, cam shafts reworked to be a little more aggressive, fuel injectors removed and sent to WitchHunter Performance for cleaning and flow testing, radiator reworked and TEFBA coolant filters installed, converted a/c to R12 (R134), replaced wiring harness for car, engine wiring harness, shocks (all 6 of them), installed LED light bulbs so you can now see the gauges when driving at night, installed new starter, new front and rear sway bars from V12 performance, "Large Throttle" kit and TT exhaust system from AJ6 Engineering, new console ski-slope cup holder model, premium sound system (\$4,000) and new tires with less than 4,000 miles on them.

It is a really beautiful car that you can be proud of and that you won't have to sink a fortune into to get it to run.



The car is on consignment at Gunbarrel Import Motors in Niwot. Call John at 303-652-3040 for more information or to schedule an appointment to see the car.  
Gary Horton





## Jaguar Books Available



Angel Lianes has a collection of Jaguar related books he no longer needs.

He would like to sell them all with the proceeds going to a charity.

Hopes to raise \$40 obo.

Contact him at 303-885-1015 or at [angel\\_llanes@msn.com](mailto:angel_llanes@msn.com)

## CCCC Collector Car Council:

### Minutes of Meeting, 3 July 2019

The meeting was called to order at 7:37 pm by President Dick Thompson at the ColoRODans clubhouse, 209 Kimbark St., in Longmont CO. Officers in attendance were Dick Thompson, president; Samantha Baker, 2<sup>nd</sup> VP; Dick Fritz, secretary, and Tom Kay, treasurer. 18 member clubs plus one individual member were signed in. Dick thanked the ColoRODans, specifically



**Air & Ground Show and Swap Meet, August 3.** Dick Thompson reported on progress and plans for the Airport Show; the number of aircraft displays is growing steadily. Aircraft from both WWII and WWI will be there. For the swap meet 100 spaces will be marked off. Vendors can erect canopies but these should not be set up Friday night (remember the winds last year?). Canopies must be weighted down with 40# at each leg. The Car Show area will accommodate 600 vehicles; Car Show entry is free. Spectator parking (\$5/car) will be at one lot (Oracle) and shuttle service to the show is provided. **Volunteers are needed** and we urge clubs to sign up as a group. We will issue a follow-up notice saying where and when volunteers are needed.

The CCCC lobbyist Leo Boyle was not at the meeting so no legislative news was presented.

NOTE: Dick Thompson recently suffered a heart attack and was transferred from a hospital to a rehab facility around the 3<sup>rd</sup> week of July.



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