

# 2020 CLC Winter Board Meeting New Orleans, LA

*Martina Butler – National Director*

When I attended to my first national board meeting in 2009 our meeting was in Chicago. I still remember the incredible cold weather with snow and sub zero temperatures. Decisions were made to pay the extra room cost and meet in warmer locations. This time we picked New Orleans. The week before we arrived, the temperatures were in the very comfortable 70s but when we met it was quite chilly.

We arrived a few days before the meeting to meet up with fellow board members and enjoy the city. Marsha Redman arranged for a nice itinerary for us. A visit to the World War II Museum was certainly a highlight, and best of all, it was within walking distance of our hotel.



Board meeting



Gary Fisher, Martina, Jeff Montgomery, Bob Crimmins

The meeting was called to order by our president **Glenn Brown**. **Jeff Papciak** gave the secretary's report from our GN board meeting in Louisville.

**Jack McClow**, our national treasurer, submitted his report. The club finances are in good shape despite the decline in membership. In December 2018 we had 6,455 members and in December 2019 we had 6,369 members. Since this peak in membership in early 2011 we have lost 887 members.

**Jeff Shively**, our Self Starter Editor is always looking for articles. When we arrived in New Orleans, Jeff went to lunch with us. It is interesting to hear his comments about future articles. We found out that it was his birthday, so we celebrated with beignets!



Frank Butler, Martina Butler, Jack McClow and Jeff Shively

**Mike and Nancy Book** serve as our office managers, but were not able to attend. Mike was recovering from a car accident. Happily, he is making a great recovery. If you have issues with your membership or other club questions, please contact them. They will solve your problems in a hurry! (614-478-4622)

**Dave Leash** is our Integrated Sales Manager. He has lost the Coker Tire account. A lot of companies are leaving print advertising. Cadillac did not buy an advertising page in the Self Starter for the month of March.

**Ron Zahn** is our International Affiliate VP. He reported that there is an interest in Russia. They have 5 new members. Germany will host the 2021 Grand European Meet.

**Peter Gariepy** is our “technology” guy and in charge of our YOUR MEMBERSHIP software. If you have issues, please contact him.

**Bill Anderson** reported on the CLC Museum and Research Center. Please remember, donations are always appreciated. **Tim Pawl** is the curator. Our Peach State member Paul Philips joined the Museum board and is now in charge of the recruitment for vehicles for the Gilmore Fall Festival. Not an easy task!

Please help find items for the GN silent auction. All proceeds go to the museum.

**Bill Anderson** is also actively seeking judges for our GN.

**Greg Powers** is in charge of the Newsletter Excellence Awards. He has a new email address: [GPSixtyspecial@gmail.com](mailto:GPSixtyspecial@gmail.com).

**Regional VP Reports:** All regions are in good standing.

**Awards Committee:** Yann Sanders expressed his dissatisfaction that we awarded two *Yann Sanders International Activity Awards* in 2019. He started an email attack on our President Glenn Brown and our Awards Chair Gary Fisher. The board made the decision not to present this award in 2020 and resume again in 2021 renaming it the **International Activity Award**.

We are also looking for a replacement for Gary Fisher and Chris Hamann who have handled all the car awards for many years. All other awards will still be managed by Gary Fisher and me. Hopefully someone in our region is ready to assume the role. If you are interested, please let me know and I will give you some further information.

**Please mark you calendars for all the upcoming events**

June 9 – 13, 2020	MISSOURI VALLEY REGION GN Marriott Hotel, Kansas City Overland Park They have great room rates at \$ 117 per night 913-451-8000
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August 22 – 28, 2020	PACIFIC NORTHWEST DRIVING TOUR Oregon and Washington Approx 600 miles of driving – staying in two hotels
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I have made reservations for this trip. When I saw their power point presentation a few years ago I knew I wanted to see this part of the country. It is not too late to make your reservations!



**CLC 2020**  
**NATIONAL DRIVING TOUR**  
**AUGUST 22-28**  
**PORTLAND, OREGON**



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Your don't want to miss this driving tour

## 2021 Cadillac & LaSalle Club GRAND NATIONALBUQUERQUE



### Tours we plan to offer:

- Sandia Peak Tram
- Turquoise Museum
- Indian Pueblo Cultural Center
- Guided tour of the National Museum of Nuclear Science and History by the NM Region Director, Andy Rogulich
- Unser Racing Museum
- Part II of Mr. Dennis Little's presentation on his 30-year career as GM's Chief Designer (Part I will be given at the 2020 GN in Kansas City)
- International Balloon Museum
- Santa Fe Shopping Tour
- Albuquerque Old Town Shopping Tour

**AND MUCH MORE!**



2021 Cadillac & LaSalle Club  
GRAND NATIONALBUQUERQUE



# Albuquerque

Home of the Mother Road

Make plans for Summer 2021

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The New Mexico region has made incredible plans for us! Put the date on your calendar!

September 2021 BADGER REGION DRIVING TOUR

June 2022 WEST OF THE LAKE REGION GN  
Lombard, IL

October 15 – 22, 2022 MULTI REGION DRIVING TOUR – South Eastern States  
The Peach State Region will be part of it



## Cadillac & LaSalle Club National Driving Tour Summer 2022

**Exciting News!** At the 2019 Winter CLC Board of Directors meeting, a large-scale, big-deal, mother-of-all National Driving Tours was approved to be held in the Southeastern United States. The tour is still in the planning stages, but it will run from seven to 10 days, and go for 1,000 miles or more! More information to follow...stay tuned.

### Participating Regions

- Peach State
- Carolina
- Hampton Roads

### What to see?

- Beaches
- Mountains
- Car Collections
- Good Food
- New and Old Friends

## Great Southeast states!

For more details, see [cadillaclasalleclub.org/page/Touring](http://cadillaclasalleclub.org/page/Touring)



2023

LAS VEGAS REGION DRIVING TOUR  
Tri City and Route 66  
April or October pending board approval

2023

RARITAN RIVER REGION GN

Also, I want to mention that the board meetings are open to all CLC club members if you would like to find out how the club operates. Let me know if you are interested in attending our summer or winter board meetings.

It has been my pleasure representing the vibrant Peach State Region.

Happy Motoring,  
**Martina Butler**  
CLC National Director