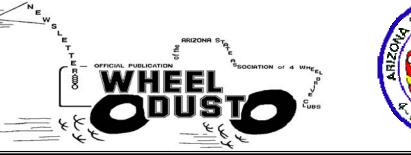


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## 2007 ASA4WDC WINCH RAFFLE WINNERS

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The 2007 ASA4WDC winch raffle is over and congratulations to all of our winners.

We had another successful raffle again this year, in fact we are going to do it again next year. So if you missed out you will have another chance.

The grand prize is a Warn winch, from Four Wheeler Supply, thanks for your continued support!

The winner of the Warn winch was the AZLOST 4 wheel drive club.

1st prize \$250 - Christine Curz, ASA4WDC Member 2nd prize \$200 - Joan Beck, ASA4WDC Member 3rd prize \$100 Ronald Stover 4th prize \$100 Ken Peterson, ASA4WDC Member 5th prize - Jim Bedwell, ASA4WDC Member

Again thanks to all who bought tickets and to those who donated the prizes, Four Wheeler supply - Winch; \$250 from Classic Broncos; \$200 from Paul Shupp Precision Automotive, Kingman (last raffles winner); third prize \$100 Bullhead Four Wheelers and \$100 from Walapai Four Wheelers.

We will be starting another raffle again in the next couple of months so look forward to more information.

## 2007 ASA4WDC FOUR WHEELER OF THE

It is that time of the year again to start thinking of the four wheeler of the year for 2007.

Each year the ASA4WDC honors one of our outstanding members. All you need to do is send your nomination in writing to Don Hick, the ASA4WDC Membership Chair.

## ASA4WDC FEBURARY

The February Quarterly meeting will be held in Parker, Arizona on February 9. The meeting will be at the Parker Senior Center, 1115 12th Street, Parker, Meeting starts at 1:00, the board meeting will start at 10:00 am.

## ASA4WDC NOVEMBER QUARTERLY MEETING

The minutes from the November quarterly Delegates meeting will be available at the February Quarterly meeting in Parker, Arizona. See you all there.

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### ASA4WDC ALENDAR

#### FEBURARY

ASA4WDC Quarterly Delegates Meeting - Parker Senior Center, 1115 12th Street, Parker, Meeting starts at 1:00, the board meeting will start at 10:00 am.

#### MAY

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2-4 Walapai Four Wheelers Ghost Town Jamboree

ASA4WDC Quarterly Delegates Meeting and Convention -Wickenburg

#### AUGUST

ASA4WDC Quarterly Delegates Meeting - location to be announced

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## JEEP TRACKS



ASA4WDC President Rheal Tetreault

This will be my final column for the Wheeldust as President. I have served as

your president for two terms, four years. It has been an experience that I have enjoyed and sometimes regretted, but that was only a couple of times when I was dealing with the IRS.

I have handed my gavel off to your next president Becky. What a surprise that is. This is in no way a endorsement for what is going on in our present US political situation.

I want to thank my board and the delegates who have helped me make it through the past four years. I would like to suggest that some of you who haven't' been involved with the ASA on an executive level do so. It is a great experience to be in the thick of things.

And it is also a good way to really see what makes your association work.

We could use a little "younger" blood within our ranks with a fresh look at things.

So thanks again for all of the work that the board and the delegates have done and to all of you for your continued support.

## WHAT DOES ASA4WDC DO FOR ME?

The age old question: What does ASA4WDC do for me?

That is a difficult question to answer.

The ASA4WDC offers many things to its members.

Your dues to the ASA4WDC are \$20 a year, you can't even buy a tank of gas for \$20. There aren't to many places that you can even go out to dinner for \$20.

The main and import benefits are the idea of an umbrella type organization that give you a seat at the table with our state agencies. The ASA4WDC has developed a very respectable name over the last 25 + years within the state.

What does that mean to you?

You have a conduit for information from each agency. Whether it be BLM, Forest Service, State Parks and even the Arizona State Land Department.

A few of our members have worked very hard to keep our association updated with the latest information about road access and road closures.

I will give Sandee McCullen all of the

credit for working with the Arizona State Land Department with our permits.

Also, Sandee was instrumental in working with the BLM on many fronts including our past Jamborees.

The ASA4WDC provides our associated clubs benefits that are cost prohibitive for many clubs to arrange on their own.

Benefits like land agency insurance for your events, incorporation, non-profit status, a land action fund, and a seat at the table at the state and national level in land use discussions. Every club needs these benefits in order to be a sustainable, long term organization.

And like any organization you get out what you put in. Our future as offhighway vehicle enthusiasts is far from certain.

Our sport will never survive as individuals doing our own thing. Our only hope is to band together, stay involved, and maintain our seat at the table to advocate for our rights. It's up to each of us.

So think of it this way, my \$20 a year will help keep some of our trails open due to the hard work of your ASA4WDC.

Thanks to Don Hicks, Joan Beck and Vern Baker for helping me with these ideas.

Becky Antle Editor

#### ASA4WDC LAND ISSUES

Sandee McCullen Environmental Affairs

Florence Area Land fill is going forward, I have been asked to be involved will keep everyone updated.

OHV Bill - The same bill will be submitted again this year as last year. Arizona State Land department will not be part of the bill and will not receive any monies if they are not going to cooperate with the OHV community.

State Land Permits are not going to

be issued for the ASA4WDC this year, please get your own personal permit.

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Nominations for the new OHVAG board members have been sent to Arizona State Parks but have not been approved as yet.

BLM is working on their RMP (Route Management Plans) in all areas of the state. So keep in touch with your local office to see what affects you. You can also check the BLM website.

The new Air Quality rules are taking effect in the State of Maricopa. There will be high advisory days of dust and those will be days that we are not to be using dirt roads due to dust abatement.

BLM is asking for the following information for recreational permits on public lands: amount of people, potty stops, photo stops, lunch stops etc. this is from the BLM section 2930 chapter 2 October 2006.

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## GONE BUT NOT FORGOTTEN

#### "Chili" Bill Garbutt

Retired U.S. Army Sgt. 1st Class William N. Garbutt, 60, of Sierra Vista, Ariz., passed away Dec. 11, 2007. He was born June 9, 1947.

Bill was a member of the Sierra Vista Range Riders for as long as I can remember being a member of the ASA4WDC.

Bills favorite things in life were Chili Cook-Offs, the beach in Mexico and the Arizona Rough Riders Spook Rally

We would only see Bill once a year lately and that was at the Spook Rally.

Bill will be missed.

#### TRIBUTE TO CURT GOODWIN

The sport of four wheeling has lost a good and true friend. Curt Goodwin of the Copperstate 4 Wheelers passed from this life on January 4, 2008 in Mesa, Arizona.

Curt became involved in 4 wheeling in the early 1990's when he joined the Copperstaters to be followed soon after by his son's Carl (Butch) and Bill Goodwin, who all became very active members of the club. Curt along with his wife, Betty, participated in numerous outings with the club and was a good sport about some of the little tricks that 4 wheelers like to play on each other. Curt and Betty worked many of the Copperstate Jamborees, they readily pitched in helping with the cooking, clean up and whatever else was required for the club to be successful.

A memorial service for Curt was held on January 12, 2008 at the Las Palmas Grand community. Numerous friends and acquaintances were in attendance to remember Curt for the good times.

### PLANNING CONTINUED

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Curt will be sorely missed by all.

Ross Slifer - also passed away this year.



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To promote a more responsible attitude towards vehicle use on public lands; To prevent legislation which would impose undo restriction on recreational 4-wheeling; To institute programs of conservation, education and safety and to provide social and recreational activities for its members; The ASA4WDC also assists the state and national resource management agencies.

