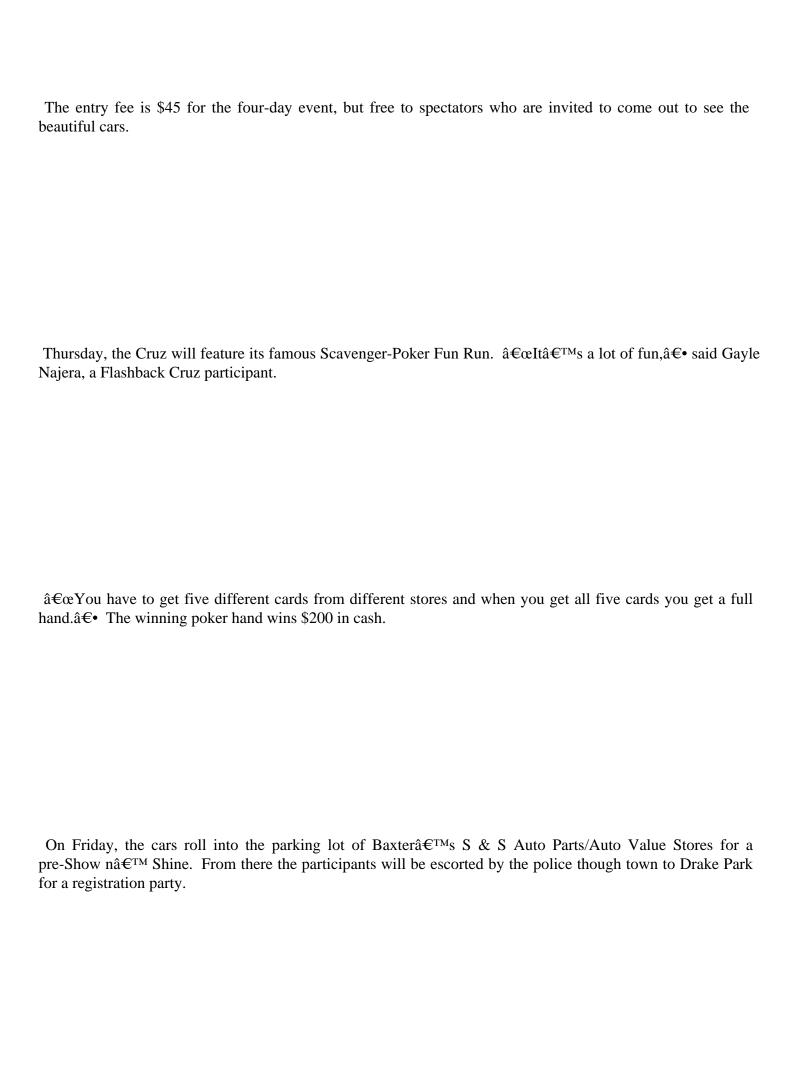
by K_Guice Classic car collectors and admirers alike can rev up their weekend at the 21st Annual Flashback Cruz. August 3-6, over 300 vintage vehicles, 1974 and older, will roll into Bend for the open class event. "This is our seventh open class,― said Joan Spongberg, chairperson for the Flashback Cruz. "We used to just have Chevys, but then their friends got upset,― she laughed. (Top) 2005 Winner. Remaining 3 photos courtesy of Traditional Mountaineering.org Car enthusiasts come from all over to show their cars off in the popular Bend event. "We have a lot coming from Washington, all over Oregon, California, one in Arizona, Montana and Idaho,― Spongberg said.

Classic Car Event Cruises Through Bend



"The public is invited to come down, see the cars and we will have music from the Cascade Horizon Band,― Spongberg said.
On Saturday, the cars will be featured at a Show n' Shine in Drake Park on the grass. "This is great for the whole family,― she said. The public can take in the sites, enjoy great eats and kick back and relax to a little retro-musical entertainment.
Food will be provided by two non-profits. "The Mount Bachelor Rotary and the Salvation Army are going to be cooking the burgers down there with the help of volunteers from Jake's Diner,― Spongberg. All of the proceeds benefit their respective charities.
There will also be a silent auction and raffles benefiting charity. "A portion of the proceeds from the event will benefit Habitat for Humanities for the second First Ladies' House,― Spongberg said.

