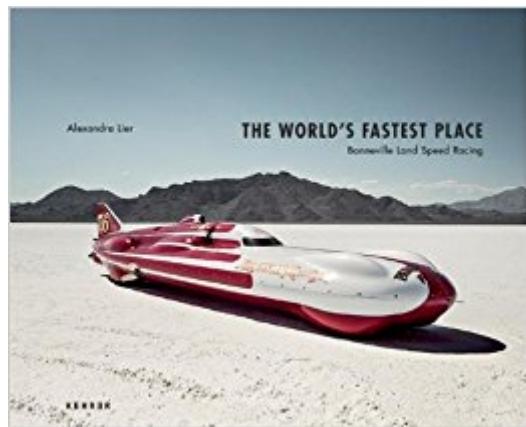


The book was found

The World's Fastest Place: Bonneville Landspeed Racing



Synopsis

Nowhere else have so many land speed records been set as at the Bonneville Salt Flats, Utah. Each year, devoted gearheads and adrenaline junkies from around the world gather to add their names to the hall of fame with their hot rods, roadsters, motorcycles, and belly tankers. German photographer Alexandra Lier visited the famous Speed Week at Bonneville for the first time in 1999 and has returned annually ever since. In this book she documents the fanatically passionate culture of speed record chasers, the drivers, and their beautiful vehicles, set in the amazing landscape of the Utah salt flats. LIEFERBAR IN EUROPA SEIT ENDE SEPTEMBER 2015!

Book Information

Hardcover: 120 pages

Publisher: Kehrer Verlag (December 1, 2015)

Language: English

ISBN-10: 3868286136

ISBN-13: 978-3868286137

Product Dimensions: 11.9 x 0.6 x 9.6 inches

Shipping Weight: 1.6 pounds (View shipping rates and policies)

Average Customer Review: 5.0 out of 5 stars 7 customer reviews

Best Sellers Rank: #432,292 in Books (See Top 100 in Books) #110 in Books > Sports & Outdoors > Individual Sports > Cycling > Excursion Guides #132 in Books > Engineering & Transportation > Automotive > Racing #141 in Books > Travel > United States > South > West South Central

Customer Reviews

Alexandra Lier (b. 1971 in Frankfurt, Germany) visited the famous Speed Week at Bonneville Salt Flats, Utah, for the first time in 1999. Immediately, a lasting obsession with fast cars, hot rods, and customs was born. She has returned annually ever since, taking photographs, honing her own skills at burning rubber with the best of them, and becoming a member of the salt community herself. Alexandra Lier has a professional background in marketing and is an award-winning art director and designer. She received her photography education at the Frankfurt Academy of Communication and Design. Living in Hamburg, Germany, she was a member of the girl Punk rock band Twiggy Killers and has recently picked up playing guitar for the band Clara Bow. Kevin Robert Thomson, a photographer, author, and musician, is a gearhead himself. He has published widely in books, magazines, and underground publications on the hot rod scene.

As a big fan of Alex Lier's earlier work on the US Automotive scene, Speedseekers, this dedication to the Bonneville experience is a very logical and welcome work. If you are looking just for facts and figures and nuts and bolts, this isn't the best literary vehicle for you, but if you want to experience that search for speed that gets under the skin and brings people back to this barren piece of salt year after year, this book is about the visceral experience of being out on an expanse of salt, bringing all of your equipment and everything you need to life for a week or two and trying out a car that you designed and developed for yourself. The Salt Flats is really the last true bastion of hot rodding ... get an idea, build it and let's go for it ... in the background of what is maybe one of the most desolate places on the planet. Always the background of the Bonneville flats in the background while you see everything presented from the most primitive to wonderfully advanced-technology streamliners. Yes, there is a history for context, and nicely done captions to fill in details, but this is about the salt and the fact that it allows automotive expression like no other place on earth. This book presents Bonneville in that context, so if you want your eyes and your heart to feel what this can be for people, please pick up "The World's Fastest Place: Bonneville Land Speed Racing." This is the real deal from one of the most talented visual artists that i know. You will appreciate it.

Important photo book of Bonneville, the most unique place and event for the bragging rights to the fastest.

My husband loves this book.

Beautiful!

Unique perspective of the place, the vehicles and the people...

Fantastic photos.

Dad liked the book

[Download to continue reading...](#)

The World's Fastest Place: Bonneville Landspeed Racing Top Fuel Dragster: The quickest and fastest racing cars on the planet! (Owners' Workshop Manual) Red Bull Racing F 1 Car: An Insight

into the Technology, Engineering, Maintenance and Operation of the World Championship-Winning Red Bull Racing RB6 (Owners' Workshop Manual) Triumph Bonneville and TR6 Motorcycle Restoration Guide: 1956-83 Triumph Bonneville, T100, Speedmaster, America, Thruxton & Scrambler '01 to '15 (Haynes Service & Repair Manual) The Historical Works of Washington Irving: Life of George Washington, The Adventures of Captain Bonneville, Astoria, Chronicle of the Conquest of Granada, Life of Oliver Goldsmith Triumph Bonneville: The Essential Buyer's Guide Triumph Bonneville (Haynes Great Bikes) State Parks of Utah: A Guide and History (Bonneville Books) If We Had a Boat: Green River Explorers, Adventurers, and Runners (Bonneville Books) Salt Lake City, Utah: Including its History, The Utah Museum of Fine Arts, The Salt Lake Temple, The Bonneville Salt Flats, and More Racing Weight: How to Get Lean for Peak Performance (The Racing Weight Series) Canoe Racing: The Competitor's Guide to Marathon and Downriver Canoe Racing Drag Racing (Racing Mania) Beckett Racing Collectibles & Die-Cast Price Guide (Beckett Racing Collectibles and Die-Cast Price Guide) Beckett Racing Collectibles and Die-Cast Price Guide (Beckett Racing Collectibles Price Guide) Beckett Racing Price Guide and Alphabetical Checklist (Beckett Racing Collectibles and Die-Cast Price Guide, 7) Beckett Racing Collectibles and Die-Cast Price Guides (Beckett Racing Collectibles Price Guide) Beckett Racing Collectibles Price Guide (Beckett Racing Collectibles and Die-Cast Price Guide) Beckett Racing Price Guide (Beckett Racing Collectibles)

[Contact Us](#)

[DMCA](#)

[Privacy](#)

[FAQ & Help](#)