



TVCC NEWSLETTER FOR JULY 2008

JULY EVENTS TO REMEMBER:

July 12 – Siggy's Cruise Night

July 15 – TVCC Meeting: Carrows Murrieta Restaurant 4:30 tour committee; 5:30 dinner and 6:30 general meeting.

SOME ADDITIONAL JULY CAR EVENTS:

Saturday, July 5 – Car show San Jacinto @ Sanderson/Esplanade – 9:00 a.m – 11:30 a.m.

Sunday, July 6 – Car show @ Farmers Corner in San Jacinto/ Hemet 1 – 4 p.m.

Sunday, July 13th & 27th – (always the 2nd and 4th Sundays) 4 – 7 p.m. Aloja "J" open to pre 74 vehicles @ Bank of America @ 27497 Ynez Rd. , Temecula (951) 737-7063.

Saturday, July 19 – Farmer Boys Car Show @ Sanderson/Stetson 4 – 7 p.m. DJ: Gary

Sunday, July 27th – Garden of Angels Charity Car Show – Yucaipa Regional Park , Yucaipa . 9 a.m. to 2:00 p.m. Registration fee \$20. DJ: Gary

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THE PRESIDENT'S CORNER: *By: Alphy Norman*

Summer is upon us and the weather being quite warm, people are not getting out to many of the events that are happening. I do believe the gas prices are not helping either. For those that have attended our monthly meetings, thanks for the participation.

If you have not received a membership roster by now, please contact Harvey, our membership chairman; they were handed out at our last meeting. Also, if there are any changes to be updated, please let him know that also.

With half the year gone by, it won't be long before the announcement of new officers. If you are interested in any of the positions, please contact either myself, or one of the board members.

We are presenting a drive to boost our membership; please read details in the following minutes from our June meeting. Flyers were handed out.

I understand that we had 11 members at the Fathers' Day Car show, and that a couple of them won trophies. Congratulations!

Continue to keep our members who have had medical problems in your prayers.

Our next general meeting will be July 15th. Hope to see many of you there!

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VICE PRESIDENT'S REPORT: *By: Mike Kienitz*

Many thanks to Skip Humphrey for organizing our participation in the Murrieta Fathers' Day Car Show! And thanks to all those who participated. There was a great variety of cars and lots of spectators as well as entrants.

Stay tuned for more information on a Labor Day Car Show! This is taking place at Rancho California Outdoor Resorts (on the southern end of Temecula – looks like it’s out a bit – 18 miles off the Temecula Parkway/Hwy 79 South exit). I will forward more information. They would like us to supply 15 cars. They are offering \$40 per car for gas money (up to 15 cars), a donation to each car club represented, and free lunch. The car show part of the celebration is on Saturday, August 30, from 10:00 a.m. to 2:00 p.m. Apparently this is a 4-day event but the car show is only for Saturday. Please contact me if you are interested and haven’t already talked to me.

We still do not have any events scheduled for October and November. We’d really appreciate it if someone would step up and plan an event for those months.

HAPPY 4TH OF JULY –

HAVE A SAFE, SANE AND FUN WEEKEND!

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FOURTH OF JULY TIDBIT: (supplied by Alphy): In the early 1990’s, the mostly British crew of an exclusive cruise ship wanted to celebrate the day with a sign to greet their mostly American passengers and make a statement that there were no hard feelings after all the problems the two countries had experienced in the 18th, 19th, and 20th centuries, but nothing they came up with seemed right. A number of them adjourned to one of the bars on board the ship and after a few brews came up with a sign they all agreed upon. The next morning the American passengers were greeted with this sign: “HAPPY BIRTHDAY, USA ! LOVE, MUM.”

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SIGGY’S JUNE CRUISE REPORT: See Minutes of the June meeting. The Cruise Report was unavailable as of publication time.

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FATHERS’ DAY CAR SHOW: *By: Skip Humphrey*

The Fathers’ Day Car Show took place at the Murrieta Sports Park, California Oaks Road in Murrieta on June 15, 2008.

We had eleven cars that met at Carl's Jr., at 6:30 a.m. We left at 7:05 a.m. and caravanned to the entrance to the park, where we were at the end of a very long line. The Brown's 59 Caddy overheated, but cooled down enough to get it on the field in plenty of time.

We wanted to park together; unfortunately, the parking directors were not very co-operative, and we wound up with four cars at the north end of the field and the balance at the south end in the next row.

Other than the very loud music, I think we all had a great day. Mike Kienitz got a trophy (second year in a row) with his 49 Caddy "Mob Limo". Also, a new member, Barry Hayden, got two trophies for his 62 Chevy Pick-up.

Next year we will get to the park at 6:00 a.m.

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ANOTHER JULY 4TH TIDBIT: (also from Alphy): A group of settlers calling themselves the "Fair Play Men," gathered under what was called the Tiadaghton Elm in another part of Pennsylvania . Fed up with British rule of North America, they declared their independence of Great Britain on July 4, 1776, completely unaware of what the Continental Congress was doing on that same date in Philadelphia !

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MINUTES OF JUNE 17TH MEETING

Submitted By: Nancy Humphrey, Interim Secretary

Temecula Valley Car Club: Minutes of the June 17th Board and General meeting held at Carrows on Madison Avenue in Murrieta.

Those in attendance were as follows: Alphy Norman, Celestina & Mark Norman , Roger Serianni, Harvey Williamson, Carol & Don Kratzer, Marguerite & Fred Jungles, Nancy & Dick Benjamin, Nancy & Skip Humphrey, Mike Kienitz.

The meeting was called to order by President Alphy Norman at 6:16 p.m. Alphy introduced her brother, Roger Serianni, who has rejoined the club; he was welcomed by all.

Wellness Report: Virginia Kelly is doing a little better. Chuck Williams, with his daughter, Barbara, attended the Fathers' Day Car Show. Tolly Williamson broke her right wrist. Harvey is being "nurse." Cynthia Brown is still getting her strength back; we hope to see her soon.

Interim Secretary Nancy Humphrey asked for a motion to accept the minutes as printed. A motion was made and accepted.

Treasurer Harvey Williamson gave the report of our funds. A motion was made and seconded and the report was accepted. Harvey also reported that the California Franchise Tax Board has accepted the tax exemption status forever. We have 38 members.

Newsletter report by Mike Kienitz in Betty Kienitz's absence. She needs all information for the newsletter by the 20th of the month so that she can get it printed and e-mailed (or snail mailed to those without computers.)

Historian Mark Norman asked for any pictures of any events that we attend, with dates, location and names so that he can add them to our books.

Cruise Night in Duncan's absence – it was reported that we had 30 plus cars, and most of the attendees liked the gift cards used as raffle prizes.

Publicity person Skip Humphrey said all is well and under control with both papers.

Vice President Mike Kienitz would like 15 cars to attend Rancho California Outdoor Resorts for an outing southeast on Highway 79. This will be on August 30 as part of a Labor Day Weekend celebration. There will be a Bar-B-Que (free); there will also be dancing and music. The hours are from 10:00 a.m. to 2:00 p.m. Each driver will get \$40.00 for gas and a donation will be made to the club. Contact Mike for further information.

At our next meeting, which will be July 15th, we will have a meeting at 4:30 p.m. for the tour committee, with the regular meeting at 6:30 p.m.

A discussion to generate new members took place. For each member who brings in 3 new members, that member will have their dues of \$10.00 paid for by the club for the next year. A motion was made, seconded and approved.

New Business. A variety of car shows were mentioned. Anyone interested in attending an event at California Speedway to see Melanie Schneider race her new dragster sometime over the weekend of July 25-27 should contact Skip. She and her husband brought the dragster to Siggy's to our Cruise Night and also to the Fathers' Day Car Show.

With no further business, a motion was made to adjourn. It was seconded, and approved. We adjourned at 6:57 p.m.

Respectfully submitted by interim secretary, Nancy Humphrey.

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A WARM WELCOME TO OUR NEWEST MEMBERS:

Pat Walsh, Barry Hayden, and Roger Serianni. We all look forward to meeting and greeting you at Siggy's Cruise Nights, Carrows dinner and meeting nights, and up-coming events!

HAVE A HAPPY 4TH OF JULY WHEREVER YOU MAY BE CELEBRATING!

NOTICE TO STATE OF CALIFORNIA DRIVERS: California Vehicle Code section 26708(a)(1) provides that "No person shall drive any motor vehicle with any object or material placed, displayed, installed, affixed, or applied upon the windshield or side or rear windows." Drivers in California should not use the suction mount on their windshield or side or rear windows.