



NUTS & BOLTS

Santa Cruz Valley Car Nuts, Inc.
January 2019

FROM THE EDITOR

Our Car Show is getting closer—January 26. All of the workers are busy and Gary Ballew and Rich Marsula will be busy planning and having meetings often so that the 25th Anniversary car show will run smoothly.

Registrations are coming in ahead of last year. The big change is online registration. The BBQ fills up fast so people need to register soon.

If you haven't signed up for the car show, you can go to car-nuts.org and click on the picture of the car in the square box and it will take you to our online registration.

The poster stuffing pizza party is happening at this moment. It will be a great poster that can be framed and hung in your garage.

See you on January 26.



It's Not Always About the Ride

It's not always about the ride. Or perhaps the ride loses its excitement. "Car Nuts" can be fickle - "Car Nuts" sometimes like a challenge.

So here's the story:

Ken built this Gazelle kit car. As you can see from the "Used Car Ad" it was to resemble a 1929 Mercedes SSK. He loved building it and driving it. But here's the rub: One day while reading the newspaper he stumbles upon an ad for another kit car! This was a Cobra. And the best part? - an opportunity and I mean hands on! It was only partially completed - the seller was giving up on the project. The seller realized he was "out of his league and comfort zone".

Ken says, "What an opportunity" "I can do it" - shall I say, "Me Tarzan" or is that too much? Anyhow, he has all the pieces and now is happily assembling and dreaming about the day he can actually drive it down our Vias, Caminos, Lanes and Drives. I hope he will share his progress with us CAR NUTS!

By: Carol Shelton

My car is a running, driving, fully-functional Gazelle kit car, which is intended to resemble a 1929 Mercedes SSK. It has a Remanufactured 2.3 liter Ford (Pinto) motor with a 2-barrel Holley carb and a Pinto 4-speed Transmission. Virtually everything on the car that could be replaced, was. It has 1953.7 miles on it as of today, new seats and carpet, decorative roll bars, and 15" Mustang GT wheels with new tires. I've had it on Craigs List, but got only one bona fide nibble in six months. We are tired of having to pay storage on it, and will accept any reasonable offer over \$4,000 (I've got over \$8,000 in it). I've attached a couple of photos.

Ken Davenport



Minutes of General and Board Meetings

General Meeting January 2019

The January general meeting, held at Quail Creek. It was called to order by President Carol Shelton at 8:10 a.m. with 58 members in attendance.

25th Anniversary Car Show at the Tubac Golf Resort:

President Shelton asked for an update on Car Show entries. Bob Smith provided details and information provided was positive.

As Co-Car Show coordinator with Rich Marsula, Gary Ballew presented an update, stated that things were on track and going well.

A "poster stuffing party" is being planned for Thursday, January 17 at the home of Roberta Rogers and Gary Fahrenz. They live in the beautiful hills on the West Side of Tubac. Contact them for directions at (520) 979-4122.

Treasurer's Report:

Arthur Mournian was unable to attend the meeting so there was no treasurer's. Contact Arthur if there are any questions.

Kids of Canoa Car Show:

President Shelton spoke about the First Annual Kids of Canoa Car Show that was held Saturday January 5th. Only five cars were entered and five trophy's awarded. All belonged to Car Nuts – unfortunately they could not awarded day of show because they hadn't made it out of Pennsylvania from their vendor. President Shelton spoke on the following:

Christmas Event at the West Center:

Sam Giordano's beautiful red Buick Grand Am greeted spectators to the Christmas show early December. Carol Giordano sported a Santa Claus hat, but the star of that threesome was our Santa Claus – Randy Graf. Randy is the President of the Board of the Green Valley Sahuarita Chamber of Commerce. The three of them passed out Car Nut flyers with a candy cane attached. The flyers advertised our 25th Anniversary Car Show at Tubac. The finale was when the President/CEO of the Chamber announced our show in front of the audience and explained how we fund scholarships with our net profits.

In Memorial: Long time member Wayne Potter's Celebration of Life will be held on 2/9/19 at 11:00 a.m. at the Elks Lodge. Nancy McCoy passed after an operation on 12/31/18. At this time, no further information was available.

50/50: The total collected for the 50/50 was \$150. Jon Stein was the lucky winner and he donated his share back to the Club. Thank you, Mr. Stein! The meeting was adjourned at 8:35 a.m.



Next
General Meeting
February 4, 2019
Breakfast - 7:30am
Meeting - 8am
Quail creek

Board Meeting January 2019

The January Board Meeting was called to order by President Shelton at 9:00 a.m. with Board Members Jay Lucas, Del Hammond, Gary Ballew, Rich Marsula and Lila Szedlus in attendance. Dan McGuire was not in attendance, Arthur Mournian was absent due to illness and John Beckman was unavailable due to an emergency.

The minutes and treasurers reports were reviewed and approved.

Car Show Activities:

The license plates we will give this year for our 25th Anniversary Show will arrive soon. The Valley Magazine provided us with a no cost advertisement for our show.

Guy Atchley, previous TV news announcer and now radio personality, has spoken about taking pictures at our show. More information will be obtained prior to a decision from the board.

A motion was made by Jay Lucas to allow Haggerty insurance provide in informational tent at our show. They will soon have a physical presence in Green Valley. They will provide information only and no product sales. The motion was seconded by Gary Ballew and the motion passed.

A motion was made by Rich Marsula to "grandfather" all previous vendors in "Dealer's Row" thus allowing them each year without additional voting. The motion was se-

conded by Gary Ballew and passed.

The board commended Rich Marsula and Gary Ballew for providing the detail tasks and numbers of members required to run the show. This document is meant to be updated and added to each year for future shows.

It was agreed that Pizza and soda be furnished at club cost on the day of the poster stuffing party.

It was suggested to keep all funds earned from the sale of water at the car show separate from all other funds.

A motion was made by Gary Ballew that the original water color painting bidding should begin at \$300. This was seconded by Jay Lucas and passed.

A motion was made that the poster designated No. 1 and signed by Roberta Rogers should begin at \$100.

A motion was made by Rich Marsula and seconded by Gary Ballew that the handmade wooden car made by Dan Swartz should begin at \$200. The motion passed.

Meeting adjourned at 9:30 a.m.

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JANUARY GENERAL MEETING



This beautiful Woodie car made by Dan Swartz will be auctioned off at the BBQ.



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SNOW in AMADO

Past President, John Murray, recently moved to Amado, AZ and woke up to snow in his yard. What a surprise. You never know what will happen in Arizona!



DON'T FORGET TO CHECK US OUT ON FACEBOOK
Go to your own Facebook page and type in the search bar "Santa Cruz Valley Car Nuts"



FOR SALE

1988 Pontiac Fiero Formula One. 82,200 miles, \$4500, Diane Russell, 207-9504, azhiker@cox.net (9-2018)

1970 Lincoln Continental Mark III. 138,000 miles. \$10,500. Contact Dennis at preacoupe@msn.com OR 520-299-2288 (9/2018)

1955 DeSoto Firedome 62,300 miles, \$11,000, Don Saffold, 417 342 5332 (9/2018)

1990 Buick Riviera 65,700 Miles, \$5500.00 Lorrain 775-513-3069 (7/2019)

If you have a car for sale, just let me know. maryann614@cox.net

If your car is listed here for sale and it has already be sold let me know. I will be starting over with a list of cars and will date them and leave them up for 6 months and then take them down. Thanks Maryann Miller, maryann614@cox.net



If anyone has questions or corrections for the newsletter, please contact: carnuts@cox.net

Car Shows

Little Anthony's Day shows:
1/19; 2/2; 2/23; 3/9; 3/23

January 26—25th Anniversary Collector Car Show
Tubac Golf Resort, 10am—3pm

March 10—Fords on 4th
4th Ave. Tucson 9am—3pm
Info: 520-668-0402 or
www.southernarizonamustangclub.org

Check out www.cruisinarizona.com for the latest info on car shows around the state.



We lost a long time member and friend this month. His memorial service will be Feb. 9 at the Elks Club in Green Valley at 11am. Food will be served so let Carol Shelton know tubaccarol@aol.com

Wayne Potter



Carnuts member Nancy McCoy passed away after an operation on 12/31/18. At this time, no further information was available. She will be missed.



February Birthdays

1. Jon Stein
1. Wendy Buitenhuis
1. Dave Carver
3. David Rude
4. Vern Bonar
4. Gerrie Hepfer
8. Terry O'Connell
11. Marv Berke
13. Karen Reid
14. Angie Werner
16. Barbara Cottos
17. Phillip vonMicka Reichenberg
22. Dan McGuire
23. Darillyn Doss
24. John Morrison
27. Richard Slater

February Anniversaries

3. Norm & Elaine Carver
14. Phillip/Lori von Micka-Reichenberg
14. Bob & Anne Smith
15. Ted & Marna Kudart
17. Gary & Roberta Fahrenz
17. Tom & Linda Stevenson
18. Terry/Teresa O'Connell
22. Norm/Judy Broshous



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Tubac Time

It is almost that time. January 26 is getting closer and closer. The BBQ always fills up fast. If you haven't sent in your registration, now is the time before it fills up.

The Friday Night BBQ will be held at the Tubac Golf Resort again this year on January 24. There will be a social hour with a cash bar at 5pm and dinner at 6pm. The menu is salad, grilled chicken, ranch beans, corn on cob, pulled BBQ beef and water, coffee, or tea.

On Saturday January 26 the car show starts at 10am, with cars parking on the driving range.

The deadline for entering a car is January 18, 2019. There will be no refunds after this date. The show is pre-registration only. If you have questions about your registration call Maryann 520-400-3801 or Arthur 269-7587

SOME OF LAST YEAR'S WINNERS



Some
of Last
Years
winners



EMAIL that REGISTRANTS Will receive

Thank you for registering for the 25th Anniversary Tubac Collectors Car Show. Make sure you print your Order Confirmations and Tickets or use the Eventbrite Phone App to track your registration and merchandise you may have purchased. You will need your tickets and order confirmations in order to claim your Friday BBQ Dinner on the 25th and gain access to the event grounds on Saturday, January 26th beginning at 8:00 a.m. with your vehicle(s) and collect your T-Shirt orders, posters, and license plate. If you ordered multiple tickets, you will need to bring all tickets and confirmations.

Please follow the schedule below when arriving at the Show Area Entrance (just south of the Tubac Golf Resort's Bag Drop Area on Otero Road) on Saturday, January 26th. No one should arrive prior to 8:00 am. Entrance to the Show Area may be delayed due to frost on the driving range. If the temperature is 35 degrees or below please adjust your arrival time by at least 30 minutes. Your vehicle's Class Number is your Row Number. Please DO NOT arrive before your assigned time slot. Once you have positioned your vehicle in the proper row for your classification proceed to the Registration Table to pickup your Dash Card, Ballot, Show Poster and T-Shirts you may have purchased

Class/Row 15-22	8:00 am
Class/Row 11-14	8:30 am and All Trailered Vehicles
Class/Row 6-10	8:45 am
Class/Row 1-5	9:00 am

The Friday BBQ Dinner at the Tubac Golf Resort begins at 5:00pm in the Geronimo Rooms adjacent to Stables Restaurant with Social Hour followed by Dinner at 6:00pm.

Be sure you print your confirmations or have your phone with the Eventbrite App registration ready to present at the entrance to the show area. If you don't have this information, you may be asked to drive to a holding lot until your name and vehicle can be verified.



If you would like the story of your car/cars in the newsletter, just email your story to carnuts@cox.net and I will try and fit it in the newsletter. Your articles are always welcome.