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Santa Cruz Valley Car Nuts, Inc. JULY 2019

FROM THE EDITOR

Our President, Carol Shelton has planned lots of activities for the summer months.. Emails will be sent out with more information.

Our next general meeting will be at Dominick's at the Green Valley Country Club again in August. They did a great job of serving everyone.

REMINDER:

IF YOU HAVEN'T PAID YOUR DUES, THEY ARE LATE!!!!! THEY ARE \$25 FOR THE YEAR. IF WE DON'T RECEIVE THEM, YOU WILL NOT RECEIVE YOUR NEWSLETTER. WE WILL MISS YOU.



IT ALL STARTED WHEN.....

Jude Cook spent his career in the design and sign industry. He began his own sign business over 40 years ago, first in Iowa and then Cook & Company Sign Makers inTucson. Approximately nine years ago he started restoring historic neon signs in Tucson, which now totals twenty-three in the Tucson area, several in Casa Grande and one in Silver City, New Mexico.

Not only has Jude created and restored signs, he collected them too, both large and small. His collection reached critical mass. It filled the walls and the backyard of his sign business and took over parts of his home, so it was time to do something with all those signs, so he decided to share his collection with other sign lovers.

And that's what he did and that's where 15 Car Nuts and three guests went on June 17. What an amazing place!! They opened the museum just for our club and had a marquee prepared stating: "Welcome to Santa Cruz Valley Car Nuts".

When our tour and the history of the signs was completed, we drove to the Welcome Diner and had a private room and food homemade and delicious. Several desserts went "to go".









Minutes of General and Board Meetings

General Meeting July 2019

held at Dominick's. It was Shelton stated called to order by President Cranor passed away. with 27 members in attend- vices. ance.

is an organizer of this show Diner. and wanted to thank the Car Canyon View Memory Care Nuts for their assistance with Car Show: John Hepfer helped organize got to look at our cars. busy and productive. He ex- Register of Historic Places. plained that Amado is merely Father's Day Car Show: Santa Cruz County. income families and some next year. experience substance abuse. July Cruise: Miniature Museand teens. and given a meal.

Treasurer's Report:

Arthur Mournian gave the the sheet. treasurer's report.

you card for her scholarship. . Club. . Also given in the New Members: We had two 50/50 was a \$50 gift certificate new members join. They are for Brake Masters and donat-Dan Cooper and Wendy Berg. ed by Jon Stein. It was won Dan has a 1932 Ford and by John Hepfer. Wendy a 2003 TBird.

The July General Meeting was **Health and Welfare**: Carol No Carol Shelton at 7:50 a.m. plans are known as to ser-

Cruise to Ignite – Neon Sign Tony Bruno – The Randy and Museum: Bob Smith told the Rose Estes Amado Chili Cook details of our cruise to the Ne--off and Car Show: Tony Bru- on Sign Museum and our delino was our guest speaker. He cious lunch at the Welcome

Carol Shelton the show. Our members Ar- spoke about our recent car thur Mournian, Jay Lucas and show and that many patients

this show. He also thanked 1st Canoa Cup. Collector the club for the \$1,000 dona- Car Show Fundraiser. Sat-The donation will help urday 9-21-19 from 9:00 a.m. build a facility for the Amado to 2:00 a.m. Historic Canoa Youth Center they run. The Ranch. Funds go towards the previous facility was destroyed restoration and preservation of in the flood. The goal of this the Historic Canoa Ranch center is to help the youth which is listed in the National

a place on the road and not a Bruce Dean let the club know town. It is in both Pima and that he attended a car show The held at Old Tucson. This is an youth come from Rio Rico to annual event and he suggest-Sahuarita and are from low ed we might want to attend

There are various programs: um. This is a permanent colincluding very young children lection of over 300 miniature They presently models and a temporary colmeet at various locations. lection of small scale models The teen program is focused created by John Ackerman. It upon keeping them in school. will be held on July 25. Meet When they arrive they are at Walmart at 9:00 a.m. A helped with their homework sign-up sheet was passed. Contact Carol Shelton (520) 398-3261 if you did not sign

Contact 50/50: The total collected for Arthur if there are any ques- the 50/50 was \$50. Ed Bigby was the lucky winner and he Bethany Alger sent a thank donated his share back to the

The meeting was adjourned at 8:45 a.m.



Next General Meeting August 5, 2019

Breakfast - 7:30am Meeting - 8am **Dominicks**

Board Meeting July 2019

The Board Meeting was \$5/person with children called to order by Presi- under 12 free. dent Shelton at 9:00 Volunteers for the Car a.m. with Board Mem- Show: Hammond. ance.

The minutes and treas- Car Show Book: Bob urers reports were re- Smith will load inforviewed and approved.

Car Show Activities: Number of cars on system we will be using. field: It was discussed Car Show Classificato limit the number of tions: Board members cars on the field to 550, were given the actual but to seek advice from number of cars entered Dale Hukari before mak- in each class. One exing a final decision.

Membership There was a discussion entries while others (the about raising a new two member's dues. amount we now charge 19). does not pay for the viewed and changes to membership badge. the This will be tabled until made. the fall when we have Vendors: members back from the suggested that Vendor summer

Entry Fees and Gate: along the same area as The board discussed the the registration, TShirt amount of entry fees. A sales, etc. A Vendor is motion was made by Jay defined as a car related Lucas that we charge business that can dis-\$30 from 9/15/19 to cuss 10/15/19, \$35 10/19/19 to 1/2/20 and the show. \$40 after that. It was Meeting adjourned at seconded by Ed Bigby 10:05 a.m. and the motion passed. A motion was made that we continue to charge

There was a bers Jav Lucas. Del discussion about the Arthur need for volunteers. A Mournian, Ed Bigby, and car show meeting will be Bob Smith in attend- held in August with the date TBA.

> mation from the car show book into the new ample was British Cars Dues: All because it had 54 Corvette classes The had combined entries of This will be reclasses

Jay Lucas Tents should be set up service/ their from product but not sell at

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JULY GENERAL MEETING









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WELCOME NEW ADVERTISERS

W.F. Stevens Financial Advisors, LLC. This office is located at 518 E. Whitehouse Canyon Road just before going up the hill to Madera Canyon. His telephone number is 393-0924. Bill Stevens' staff includes Debra Green and Emily Glabe. Bill is a Wealth Manager and a Certified Kingdom Advisor. (A Certified Kingdom Advisor (CKA) is a disciple of Christ who is committed to being a person of character who, from a biblical worldview, serves clients with biblical financial advice in order to properly steward the resources entrusted to them. Bill has donated much to the Car Nuts in the past including being a table sponsor at the BBQ before the car show. Bill is a veteran and has a very large and busy family. Debra Green is a Certified Financial Advisor. She is married to a "car person". He has a 1950 Chevrolet Business Coupe, is building a Cobra someone in Phoenix found too difficult to build, and owns a Gazelle. The Gazelle was manufactured by the British manufacturer Singer. Give them a call if you have a need.

Mr. Arizona Jewelers. Robert Gonzalez became a recent advertiser. His store is located at 210 W. Continental near True Value Hardware with a telephone number of 838-0060. He has over 20 years of jewelry experience. He specializes in diamonds, colored stones, precious metals and jewelry repair. He sells estate jewelry and it is possible to put items on consignment with him. You will have a very warm welcome entering his store.

Pinkys Furniture Consignment: Kimberly Veliz owns Pinkys located at 410 W Continental by the Bank of America. Her business takes furniture, pictures and other household goods on consignment. She keeps busy in the high season selling items to winter visitors. The store offers many high end items at bargain prices. Go take a peek.

Sharpening made easy: Steve Bottorff, a Car Nut member, is new to our list of Newsletter Sponsors. His business sharpens knives, scissors and tools. His business card lists his web page: sharpening made easy.com. Upon opening the page it states, "Learn a skill your father should have taught you". One can order his book, "Sharpening made Easy".

Thank you newsletter sponsors.

By: Carol Shelton



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FOR SALE

1955 DeSoto Firedome 62,300 miles,\$11,000, Don Saffold, 417 342 5332 (2/2019)

1957 Chrysler Convertible—There were only 1049 of these cars made.

Info 520-490-1024 or 520-490-3111 (2/2019)

2004 Porsche 911 Carrera—Anniversary model. 107,000 mi. Vicky: 520-390-6226 (5/2019)

1952 MGB Kit Car Convertible—\$4,000.

Carolyn Miller, 520-648-2834 (6/2019)

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 then down. Thanks Maryann Miller, maryann614@cox.net

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

Car Shows

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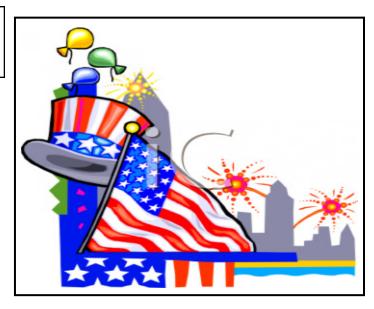
June 29; July 13; July 27; Aug. 10; Aug. 24; Sept. 7; Sept. 28; Oct. 5; Oct. 26

Canoa Cup Car Show

Saturday, September 21, 2019 at Historic Canoa Ranch in Green Valley. Info: www.pima.gov/canoaranch or call 520-724-5220

Amado Chili Cook-Off & Car Show November 16 Info: 520-403-2019, AmadoChiliCookoff.org

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



New Members

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August Birthdays

- 2. Donna Wyte
- 5. Rick Mykins
- 8. William Hooper
- 8. Lynette Moser
- 11. Dale Hukari
- 13. Jerrilyn Werner
- 13. Thomas Corrigan
- 17. Robert Doss
- 18. Calvin Danhof
- 21. Nonie Schutze
- 23. Gary Ballew
- 23. Paul Plett
- 27. Chuck Dorr
- 29. Roberta Fahrenz
- 31. Lila Szedlus

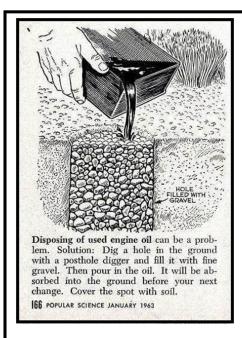
August Anniversaries

- 9. John & Sharon Beckman
- 10. Ray & Brenda Paradis
- 10. Clair & Jackie Dorr
- 22. Norman & Dale Luebke
- 27. Bill & Nancy McGibbon
- 28. Nick & Lynette Moser



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Ads You Might Remember













TOP 5 COLLECTOR CARS TO PURCHASE

I saw an interesting article about the top 30 cars to purchase and hold for the future as the value may be on the rise. Here are the top five.

1984-93 Saleen Mustang

Former race driver Stephen Mark "Steve" Saleen is the founder and former vice chairman of Saleen, Inc., making specialty vehicles including the highly modified Saleen S7. So I was curious. Let's see if I can find one for sale. Nope. But a 2007 Saleen Parnelli Jones was available. It was number 223 of 500 going for \$39,900 and painted a bright Saleen Grabber Orange.

2004-2006 Dodge Ram SRT10

This is a full size pickup truck. So Auto Trader search here I go. And the results: \$37,500 being sold by a private party and located in Arizona City. It's a beautiful white with blue racing stripes and the Viper Ram SRT/10 Commercative Edition logo on the side and front.

1996 Chevrolet Corvette Grand Sport

e-bay was the key this time. It's in South Florida with a \$47,500 price. The ad shows it as blue with a white Racing Stripe and 11,600 miles always stored in a climate controlled building. The ad states the original price was \$43,000. Only 1,000 Grand Sports were built for 1996, which was the final model year for the car's fourth generation. This one may have potential for this "future value" theory.

1994-1996 Buick Roadmaster Estate Wagon

This Buick station wagon was the last of the full-size V8-powered land yachts that once ruled suburbia. So now we will go to Indiana for one. It has 144,674 miles and is green with wood paneling and all the bells and whistles including a/c needed in Arizona. The ad states it was used "by an older couple as their back up winter car". That's why it has a rusty frame. This one is only \$2,400 rust included for free.

1972-75 BMW 3.0CSL

With only 87,000 miles, this silver blue 1974 BMW 3.0CS is in good to better condition. Classic Cars.com states is was owned by only 1 family and has teak interior trim, leather seats and has a rebuilt running engine. For \$45,000 it has definitely appreciated from its original price.

By: Carol Shelton

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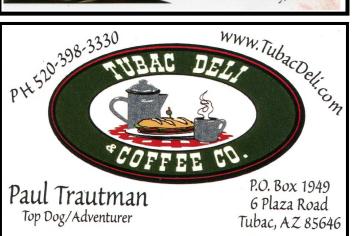


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