

NUTS & BOLTS

Santa Cruz Valley Car Nuts, Inc. November 2019

FROM THE EDITOR

Our car show committee is meeting monthly for planning purposes. The next meeting will be 11/14 at 9:00 a.m. at Carol Shelton's house. It is located at 2415 E Overview Lane, Green Valley (Quail Creek). We need lots of volunteers, so come join us. You may have an idea the committee has not thought of.

This year we have "New Hoops" to jump through including special permits to be granted by ADOT and a permit required by the fire department. Also new this year is a requirement that we pay to have law enforcement on hand during the show.

Have you volunteered to help present the show? Please go to carnuts.org to register on-line. If you have trouble, email TubacShow@gmail.com



WHITE ELEPHANT PARADE

The Car Nuts made a fine showing at the Annual White Elephant Parade. We lined up at space 12 as usual. What was not usual was the traffic getting to our space and the fact that the organizers placed the signs wrong. But as usual, we "Nuts" made the best of it. Leading our group were two young men from the high schools holding our Santa Cruz Valley Car Nuts banner. Other students rode in our cars and held their school banners.

New this year was member, Mert Urness in my car with Jean Pfeifer. I had a sign on the side of my Mustang honoring him as a founding member. Regina Ford gave a call out for Mert as well as many of his friends in the crowd.

The parade had 101 entries, lots of people young and old and lots of fun! Following the parade many of our cars appeared at the American Legion Post 131 where we had hot dogs and beverages. **By: Carol Shelton**











Minutes of General and Board Meetings

General Meeting November 2019

The November 2019 general anyone needing help. meeting of the Santa Cruz Valley Car Nuts was held at Dominik's Route 66 Run/Tour he is putting restaurant.

order by President Carol Shelton 2020. This trip promises to be at 8:00 a.m. with 43 people in scenic and a fun time. More inattendance.

financial report. questions can contact him.

was a visitor. New member Vic- teachers had a great time particitor Harms was introduced.

There were no cars for sale and no one had purchased any November 9 - Nickels Diner Car new rides.

radio ad that Dennis Gage will be Car show playing on many radio stations November 14 - Car show organinity of Tubac. Dennis Gage will welcome also be promoting the car show on his TV program.

cern of large groups stuffing the shifts are only three hours long. ballot box with their favorites. judging groups that will do the ladies t-shirt let him know. judging. If you feel qualified to will be assigned so many classes. you Sally. This should only involve a maximum of two hours of volunteer out to ticket holders. time. If you signed up in another area you should be able to assist Meeting was adjourned at 8:45 in that also. The show needs a.m. many volunteers.

Bob Smith reported that there are 74 signed up for the BBQ dinner, 75 T-shirts sold, 12 RSVPs for Nickels Diners Car Show, 32 RSVPs for the Amado Randy/Rose Estes Chili Cook-off car show, 17 for the club holiday dinner party at the Legion and 177 participants for the car show. This number is up by 34 from last year at this time. Bob also created an Email account for anyone with questions regarding the Website. That Email address is Tubacshow@gmail.com. the meeting, Bob and his wife Anne both had laptops to assist

John Murray gave a talk on a together that will start on Thurs-The meeting was called to day April 30 through May 3rd, formation will be coming as he Treasurer Art Mournian gave a gets it all put together. Save the Anyone with dates for a great time.

The White Elephant parade Past member Joan Manhart was well attended. Students and

Upcoming Events.

Show – Rio Rico

Member Phil Layton played a November 16 - Amado Cook/off/

promoting our car show, the Tu- zational meeting - Carol Shelbac Golf Resort and the commuton's house - 9 - 11 a.m. All are

Jay Lucas had a signup sheet available for anyone that has not Phil also gave an update and signed up to help at the car show. information on how the car show Much more help is needed. He judging will be done this year. In stated that this is the only time the past it has been by ballot the club is asking for everyone's which had always had the con-help throughout the year. The

Art Mournian asked that any This year there will be volunteer ladies who would like to order a

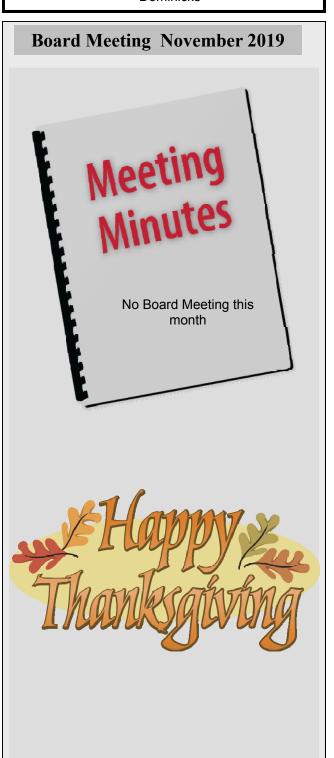
The 50/50 raffle of \$74 was judge cars please sign up on the won by Sally Van Atta who donatclub website. Each judging group ed \$40 back to the club. Thank

Four books were also given



Next **General Meeting** December 2, 2019

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



All minutes respectfully submitted, John Beckman, Secretary

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TROPHY WINNER FROM SIERRA VISTA

On October 12 Sierra Vista Car Club hosted the 32nd annual Cars in the Park Car Show at Veterans' Memorial Park. There were about 350 cars registered. There was oldies music, variety music, gift basket raffle and door prizes.

A portion of the proceeds will benefit Boys and Girls Club of Sierra Vista, Cochise Serving Veterans; Forgach House; Good Neighbor Alliance: National Alliance for Mental Aloneness and VICAP.

The best part is our own John Beckman who won a 2nd Place trophy for 60's car. Congratulations John.

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CAR CLUB ANNUAL CHRISTMAS PARTY

Social Hour: 1 PM Food Served 2 PM End of Party: 4 PM

> When: November 30, 2019, UTC-07:00 Where: 1560 W Duval Mine Rd Green Valley, AZ 85614

Main course choices

Chicken Kiev Baked Salmon

Vegetarian (Either double sides or a large salad)

Note: IF FEWER THAN 50 ATTENDEES, THE ONLY NON-VEGETARIAN OPTION may

be CHICKEN Sides per person **Baked Potato**

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Salad: Raspberry Vinaigrette Salad Dessert: Variety of mini cheesecakes

All meals include a coffee station

Cost per person is \$21

Cash bar will be available from 1 pm to 3 pm for individuals to purchase drinks other than the provided water and coffee.

When registering for this event purchase your first ticket, then you will be able to add up to 7 guests to your ticket.

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THE HONEYMOON CAR AND WHITE ELEPHANT PARADE



"The "Honeymoon" car was not always so pretty and shiny. In fact it was a mess. But with the cost of only \$35.00 what can one expect? That beautiful maroon 1949 DeSoto owned by Car Nut Lois Sostarich has had a very interesting life.

It needed a paint job, a new top, upholstery, a clutch and other mechanical help! It was purchased in Minnesota in the early 60's by her finance, and Lois drove it basically in unrestored condition for a couple years. The top was full of holes and she tried to patch them, but in the end resorted to using an umbrella while driving in the rain. That was WITH the top up! Finally, it was driven on their honeymoon in 1965.

Money was scarce for the plan to restore the car while raising their twins and it was stored for over 25 years. The new "classic car" license plate was in the trunk! Sadly, soon after college graduations the twins father died unexpectedly. Lois moved on to their long-term dream of restoration in late 1994.

After Lois retired she found her way to Green Valley and met and married Tony Sostarich. That's when the DeSoto was named the "Honeymoon" car. They drove that classic from Minneapolis to Green Valley in 1999 and soon joined the SCVCN's. A pleasure to drive, they enjoyed trophies, "thumbs up" gestures and compliments from many. When asked about the car's history at shows, Tony often quipped with a smile, "I married the car!".

Lois was asked to drive the Grand Marshal in the White Elephant Parade held October 26th. This was her third time to be the lead in the parade.

Our club was again 12th in the line of the parade."

By: Carol Shelton













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FOR SALE

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1951 Ford 2 door 4 speed stick. Pat Nilo—

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

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

Car Shows

Little Anthony's Nite Shows: Oct. 26

Day Shows: Nov.9; Nov. 23; Dec. 7; Dec. 21; Jan. 4; Jan. 18; Feb. 1; Feb. 15; Mar. 14; Mar. 28

October 19 – Tucson Classic Car Show – Tucson October 26 – White Elephant Parade

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.

Car Trivia

Although the first modern car was built in 1885, it wasn't until 1908 that mass production of the Model T made cars affordable enough for the general consumer to purchase (they originally cost \$850 a pop). Between 1913 and 1927, Ford Motor Company produced over 15 million Model T automobiles and, in the process, fundamentally transformed society. Today, cars are an important part of American life, and we now have a larger fleet of vehicles being driven on American roads. Only 35% of all registered vehicles in 2018 were actually cars. The rest include motorcycles, trucks, buses, and others. By: Carol Shelton

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New Member

Victor and Natalie Harms

When anyone joins the club online I need the anniversaries and birthdays and address and emails or your name won't be in the newsletter. We don't want to leave anyone out..

December Birthdays

- 1. Diane Helser
- 4. Gale Helser
- 4. Mark Findley
- 5. John Quattropani
- 8. Kay Saffold
- 10. Keith Wittman
- 11. Donna Tousley
- 15. Del Hammond
- 18. Timothy Cottos
- 18. Connie Findley
- 20. Patricia Johnson
- 23. Sue Berke
- 23. Richard Thomson
- 25. Sheryl Plett
- 27. Kathy Rust
- 28. Peter Burggraff
- 28. Joe Pierce
- 31. Morris Pillars
- 31. Ron Mang



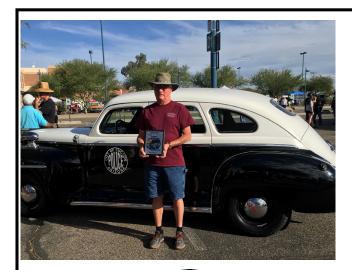
<u>December</u> Anniversaries

- 2. Jim Tomlinson
- 3. Larry & Pat Senick
- 4. Frank & Siri Diebold
- 5. Manny/Rosemary Vasquez
- 19. Ron & Nancy Mang
- 23. Phil & Trudie Layton
- 25. Jon & Gerrie Hepfer
- 27. Bob & Pat Oberst
- 28. Scott/Judy Cochran
- 30. John & Dixie Murray
- 31. Vern & Bobby Ann Bonar



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TROPHY WINNERS



Jon Stein. 1st place. Cops and Rodgers. Nov 2



John Beckman. 2nd place at the Sierra Vista show Oct 12 Early 60s. 1960-1964

The 13th Annual Cops and Rodders Car, Truck & Motorcycle Show was presented by the Southern Arizona Law Enforcement Foundation (SALEF). This year, the car show took place Saturday, November 2nd 2019 from 8 AM to 4 PM at Kino Sports Complex, Tucson, Arizona. The show is a fun family style event for all ages, provides a venue for the community to come and celebrate the great American pastime of displaying the history of the automobile from past to current day.

The Car, Truck and Motorcycle Show included: Displays of a variety of modern, classic and custom cars, trucks, and motorcycles Privately owned classic police and fire vehicles, displays of current public safety vehicles, and Interactive and static displays. Almost 100 award categories were given out.

Our own Jon Stein won a trophy for his car that looks like a police car. (See picture above)

There was also a free Pinewood style race for kids

The proceeds will benefit SALEF and our law enforcement partners: Tucson Police, Marana Police, U of A Police and Pima County Sheriff's Department.

NOVEMBER GENERAL MEETING













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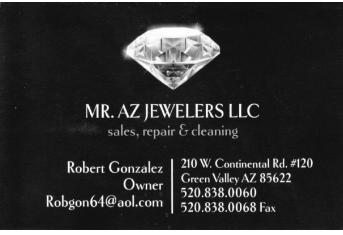
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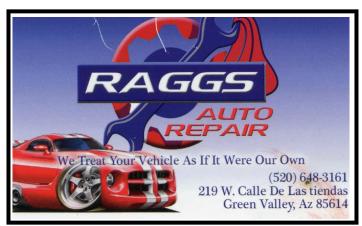
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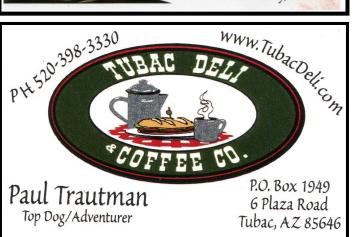


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