

NUTS & BOLTS

Santa Cruz Valley Car Nuts, Inc. December 2019

FROM THE EDITOR

Our car show committee is meeting monthly for planning purposes. The next meeting will be at Tubac on 1-15 at 10:00 a.m at Stables Restaurant. Our monthly planning meeting will be on 1-17 at Carol Shelton's house

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.

Another new plan will be to have judges judge cars instead of participants. Carnut cars will not be judged.

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

RANDI & ROSE ESTES CAR SHOW

The final words of the day at the Randi & Rose Estes Classic Car & Motorcycle Show were, "See Ya Next Year, Folks for our 10th Anniversary!" What a great day for a show! November with sunshine, good food, music, vendors and well over 80 entries made the day special. Many families with little children enjoyed the day too.

Rose Estes was honored from the stage and she was so appreciative.

One of the best thing was to see so many smiling faces, Car Nuts, and the opportunity to help rebuild the Youth Center in Amado that flooded the same time as the Cow Palace.

We Car Nuts were thanked in their Schedule of Events with the statement, "Thank you, Santa Cruz Valley Car Nuts for Organizing our 2019 show!." The Car Nuts received the Gold Lasso award for "Sponsors Who Made It Possible". We shared that award with United Community Health Center!



We were entertained with such a great variety of cars and the associated stories by the owners. Like the man who had a pristine El Camino painted a beautiful orange and gleaming with chrome. His truck was located in a barn covered in dirt and grime. He said every screw in the El Camino had been replaced. It took him 6 years to complete it.

Or like the man with the huge all metal GMC truck painted white and again shining with chrome. It was located under a tree, upholstery was the home to varmints and naturally sported the associated rust and dents.

Thank you Car Nut volunteers for making this a special day for so many.

By: Carol Shelton







Minutes of General and Board Meetings

General Meeting December 2019

The December 2019 general cluded Tona Bever, Sharon Valley Car Nuts was held at ol Johnson. Dominick's restaurant. The meeting was called to order by The Amado Cook Off car attendance.

Treasurer Art Mournian gave Gary Ballew announced that tact him.

was introduced. 1963 Triumph TR3.

sale.

The holiday party was held at December 17, with their cars, tendance

Ann Johnson was the after- All board members and team lady.

50/50 drawing won by Jon for the car show. Stein. He donated the amount of \$33.00 back to the The 50/50 drawing of \$31.00 club.

Bob Smith reported as of De- to the club. cember 1, 2019, there are 204 cars registered. Last year's Meeting was adjourned at registration at this time last 8:35 a.m. vear was at 185. Dinners for so far. T-shirts presold total January 6, 2020.

Carol Shelton held a basket organizational work party at her home with the baskets to be raffled off at the BBQ dinner. Those who helped in-

meeting of the Santa Cruz Beckman, Ann Smith and Car-

President Carol Shelton at show was held November 16, 8:02 a.m. with 38 members in with 88 cars of which many were Car Nuts members.

a financial report. Anyone anyone who has volunteered with any questions may con- to be shuttle bus drivers for the car show need to fill out two special forms to allow New member Joe Gunson them to drive the buses. Joe has Please contact him if you are signed up to be a driver.

No one had purchased any Carol Shelton mentioned she new cars and no cars were for would like to have a car member cruise to Tubac on Tuesday,

American Legion Post 66 on to promote the car show. November 30th with 28 in at- More information will follow.

noon MC. A jar of homemade leaders are urged to attend caramels was given to each the next organization meeting couple from Ann and John to be held at Carol Shelton's Johnson. She stated the 100 house on December 11, startyear old recipe was handed ing at 1:00 p.m. All board down to her by a Norwegian members are also asked to attend a meeting December 9 A white elephant exchange with management of the Tuwas also held along with a bac resort to finalize all areas

> was won by Ann Johnson. She donated the money back

the Friday night BBQ total 95 The next meeting will be on



Next **General Meeting** January 6 Breakfast - 7:30am Meeting - 8am **Dominicks**

Board Meeting December 2019

December The starting time The 2019 board for the general will be meetina was meeting called to order by changed from President Carol 7:30 to 8:00 a.m. Shelton at 8:50 This new time will start with the a.m. 2020 Board members January present were Jay meeting. John Any discussions Lucas. Ed regarding the car Beckman Bigby, Del Ham- show will Art brought up at the mond. December Mournian. 11 Bob Smith and meeting at Carol Rich Marsula. Shelton's home. member Board McGuire Meeting was ad-Dan

was absent. journed at 9:20 Student coordi- a.m. nator Lila Szed-

attendance. The current welcome letter to members new will be updated or revised by membership coordinator Wendell Werner.

lus was also in



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DECEMBER GENERAL MEETING















HOLIDAY LUNCHEON

A huge holiday thank you goes out to Ann Ford Johnston for being the hostess of the November 30th luncheon. Ann decorated the tables and made her very special caramels for all attendees. The recipe has survived 100 years and was handed down to Ann by a Norwegian lady. She graciously handed out the recipe to those wishing it at our December 2, 2019 club meeting.

The luncheon was held at the American Legion Post 66 and 28 people attended. The usual gift exchange was enjoyed by all.

Del Hammond booked the room for the club. We are working on getting reservations for the 2020 Christmas luncheon.

No pictures were taken of the event.

Merry Christmas to all!

By: Carol Shelton

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SOME COOL CHRISTMAS GIFTS FOR US CAR NUTS

Don't get a ticket – get a Car Phone Mount - This is a must have item these days to prevent traffic tickets. Various price ranges.

LEGOS aren't just for kids. - Buy a Technic Bugatti Chiron Car Building Kit at the cost of \$349.95. It boasts a whopping 3,599 parts, a unique serial number, and elaborate detailing throughout. So simple a child could do it.

Another high priced Dyson item - Dyson V7 Car + Boat Handheld Vacuum Cleaner - \$239.99 – This vacuum cleaner by Dyson is a fantastic gift for anyone who owns a motor vehicle. It comes with a selection of cleaning tools and can last up to 30 minutes. It is bundled with a car charger.

Porsche 911: 50 Years Hardcover Book - \$43.16 - The story takes an in-depth look at Porsche 911 models and discusses what led to the creation of one of the most iconic brands in automotive history.

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Gas Clutch Socks – A measly \$7.99 - drivers should know it's not safe to USE both feet on the pedals, but at least these cozy socks will help us remember which side is the clutch and which is the gas.

Escort – Perfect for drivers with a heavy foot - The Max 360 by Escort is radar detector featuring Bluetooth and GPS, as well as a preloaded database for speed and red-light cameras. The device also offers 360-degree laser protection, and it has arrows that display where detection signals come from. Max 360 will also connect to your iPhone or Android phone and show you data reported by other users in your area.

TOTALLY USELESS FUN CAR FACTS

Approximately **60 million** cars are produced annually - about 165,000 per day! There are currently about a **billion** cars in use around the world.

The average American spends about 38 hours per year stuck in traffic jams.

In Russia it's considered a criminal offense to drive with a dirty car.

In England, the average car is parked about 90% of the time.

There are more cars than people in Los Angeles.

35% of the world's population drive on the left side of the road.

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Pat Nilo—612-390-6666 (11/2019)

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

Day Shows: Dec. 21;

Jan. 4; Jan. 18; Feb. 1; Feb. 15; Mar. 14; Mar. 28

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



New Member

Joe & Judy Gunson 3371 S. Placita del Emblema Green Valley, AZ 85622 jgunson@cox.net



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..

JanuaryBirthdays

- 2. Kathy Guy
- 14. Marna Kudart
- 15. John Deal
- 17. Bob Oberst
- 17. Sally Van Atta
- 17. Don Joy
- 23. Dave McKnight
- 26. Stephanie Milne
- 29. Mert Urness

<u>January</u> <u>Anniversaries</u>

- 21. Arthur /Vicki Mournian
- 23. Morris & Myrna Pillers
- 31. Steve & Pat Bottorff



Happy Anniversary

For corrections or additions, please contact carnuts@cox.net

WHAT THE CAR NUTS DID IN 2019 - THE YEAR WENT FAST!

Looking back on 2019:

Car show: The usual freeze delay, 450 cars and 3,000 spectators – the show had a "funny car", a trolley car and even a motorcycle with a side car. We are up to our old tricks again – planning and plotting for the 2020 show!

H.F. Coors Pottery factory in Tucson where we saw and walked through the entire production of the amazing pottery. Lunch wasn't too bad either.

Fords on 4th car show. Usually an annual event.

Preparing for our April Elections of officers.

Picnic at the Pavilion – to send off our friends to enjoy their summer time.

Canyon Valley Memory Center car show. Lots of the residents had a happy time.

Scholarship Presentations. What a thrill to see these fine young people.

Santa Rita Nursing Car show with residents enjoying the cars.

Gammons Gulch trip – the old movie set was amazing and the pie after lunch was a real hit.

The Miniature Museum was interesting even for the men. And again the lunch was enjoyed by all.

The First Annual Canoa Cup with Bruce Dean the winner.

Jacket Drive – Thank you Arthur Mournian – this was dubbed, Warmth from the Heart and nearly 2,200 jackets were donated.

Roll out of the new web site. An all inclusive deal. Thank you Bob Smith!!

The White Elephant Parade – our part included many cars, banners, students and teachers.

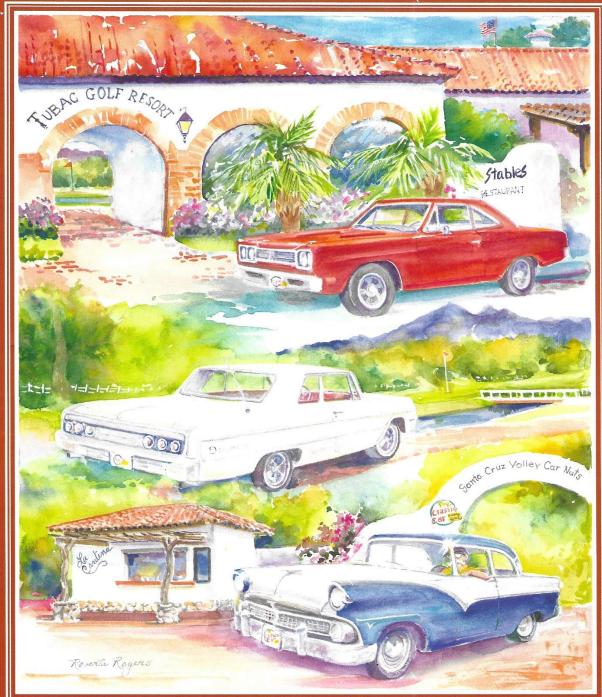
IT WAS FUN AND FAST AND THE YEAR BROUGHT LOTS OF TROPHIES TO MANY CAR NUTS.







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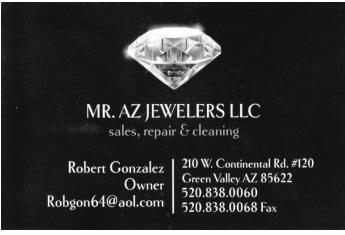
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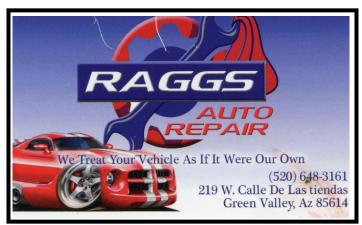
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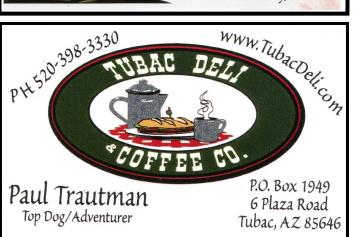


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