

# Cruise News

April 2011



## April Presidents Message

Our sixty six day marathon started with a few problems. Ray Lake had some problems with his street rod at the beginning of the caravan to Yuma and had to rush back home and take his truck but he made! Denise Hume had a bit of a problem in Yuma but had it fixed before it was time to go home. While in Yuma, Curtis decided to chase his wife like a high school kid and then kissed the ground for a little bit. Seems he really loves Yuma. Other than that, Yuma came off without a hitch. The weather was good and we had a huge group representing our Club. A special thanks to all of you who assisted in reserving the parking spaces.

Well my 32 is down for a little bit with engine problems. Seems my oil pump failed and you know what happens next? Anyway, after weeks of looking for a new engine, I have found a crate motor from Edelbrock. Although I have decided to wait till after Del Mar and Bakersfield to see if I can get a better deal on my engine. If not, I will purchase my new engine for the 32 sometime in May after the Streak.

As you read this, Del Mar will be done and the Wednesday after will start El Cajon Cruise Night. Escondido has already begun. The Streak is coming up fast so if you have not registered, please do so this month. As you can see, we are well into the car show season and it is going strong. Enjoy the shows and support the local businesses.

As some of you know, Bob Schlotter has had surgery and doing well getting better. Many thanks to his wife for sending me his updates so that I may send them to you. If you know of any other members who are scheduled for surgery, please give me an email.

I wanted to thank all of the members that volunteered for Del Mar. For those of you who don't know, Goodguys gives the Club a substantial amount of money for assisting them at Del Mar. It is our members that make this happen and again I salute you! Hopefully, we do it again come this November. Look for Martin's presentation a few months before on the November show.

I want all of you to have a great month and I will see you at the shows!!

*Ralph*

**OTHG Club Meets 7pm**  
1<sup>st</sup> Wednesday of each Month  
Bingo Hall  
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**O. T. H. G. MEETING**

**Minutes for March 2, 2011**

**Called to order: 7:00 PM by Ralph Garcia, President**  
**Adjourned: 8:00 PM**

**Guests/Visitors:** None.

**Minutes:** The reading of last months minutes waived, approved as is, M/S/P.

**Treasurer's Report:** Treasurer, Sue Chambers read the treasurer's report.

**New Members:** None.

**Correspondence/Car Club Council:** Joe Pifer: Summer city cruises begin with El Cajon on April 6, Main Street will not be blocked off. La Mesa starts June 2, 3<sup>rd</sup> Street will be for car clubs only, Palm Street will be for the vendors. True Line's 27<sup>th</sup> car show, rain or shine, March 20.

**Streak Report:** Next meeting is 3/10 at Jimmys Restaurant, Santee. Thanks to Mike Newell we have gotten \$8500.00 from sponsors. Currently there are 320 registered to date, our goal is 400. Remember to pick up some flyers and pass them out at every car event you go to. Next years Streak #39 shirt will feature one of our own members who has a 1939 car.

**Medical Report:** No news and that is wonderful.

**Old Business:** Ralph mailed off to NSRA all who wanted to be listed in the Fellow Pages, No news yet on our federal tax exempt status. Martin announced that GoodGuys has a new rule for the hosting club at their events. They are now requiring that anyone who works the event MUST be a member, they gave us until Friday, 3/04, to meet this requirement. They are offering a reduced rate if you don't wish to receive their monthly mag. Martin will be sending out, via email, passes to enter the Solana gate for those who are camping and who have o'dark hundred work assignments. Dick Torres made a motion that the camping fee be reduced to \$26.00 a day. It is currently \$30.00 a day. There was not enough known information to bring this to a vote. It was tabled until more information could be gathered on how we are charged, compensated, etc by GoodGuys.

**New Business:** This is a first, we had no new business.

**Club Store:** Larry is still open for suggestions on new stuff you would like to see included in the store inventory.

**Club Putt/Tech Night:** The February club run was canceled due to rain. This will be rescheduled after the Steak. Joe Pifer and Ralph are working on scheduling some techs nights.

**Runs/Reviews:** Benefit run in Escondido brought out 400+ cars.

**Cars & Parts:** Were announced.

**Raffle:** 50/50 Raffle raised \$178.00. Jimmy Steiger was the lucky winner of \$89.00 in this months 50/50. The other half was given to the McAllister Institute for the use of their hall.

Respectfully submitted,  
*Sharolyn Kerns*, Secretary

# Calendar of Events

## April

- 01 Cruisin' Grand in Escondido & Santee Lakes Season begins  
1-3 11<sup>th</sup> Goodguys/Meguiars Del Mar Nationals, Del Mar Fairgrounds  
06 Cajon Classic Cruise starts Wednesdays through Oct. 26 and Dec. 7, 5, to 8pm on Main St. & Magnolia, Downtown El Cajon.  
**16 9 am Goody Bag Stuffing Jan and Ed Sawyer's house**  
17 Heartbeat Happening XIII, Valley Center  
21-24 Las Vegas Rockabilly Weekend starring Jerry Lee Lewis  
Orleans Hotel for Pre 63

## May

- 07 3<sup>rd</sup> Annual Bull Dog Car Show, Ramona High School 9am  
6-8 Streak 38, Campland by the Bay – Info: 619-447-3554  
21 Monday Nite Car Club's Run to the Hills #9, Pine Valley, 9am  
28 Vista Strawberry Fest Hot Rod Jam Show, Vista 8am  
29 46<sup>th</sup> Annual Car Show, Fallbrook, 8am (760) 728-2780  
30 SD High Performance Expo, Qualcomm Stadium (Monday)

## June

- 4-5 18<sup>th</sup> Summer Get-Together, Pleasanton  
12 24<sup>th</sup> Fords & Friends Picnic, Felicita Park, Escondido  
12 15<sup>th</sup> Annual San Clemente Car Show, San Clemente, 10am  
17-19 46<sup>th</sup> Annual LA Roadster Show, LA Fairplex, Pomona  
22 Cajon Cruise Night featuring Over the Hill Gang-SD

## July

- 10 9<sup>th</sup> Annual Simpsons Car Show, Jamul, 8am

## August

- 3-6 Hot August Nights, Long Beach  
4-6 Hot August Nights Queen Mary Swap Meet in Long Beach  
11-13 Hot August Nights Reno's Swap Meet  
21 Charger Steve's "Wild Rides", Pacific Beach, 7am - Pre 80  
26-28 25<sup>th</sup> West Coast Nationals in Pleasanton

## September

- 15 Rods & Woodies on the 101, Encinitas, 5pm Pre 75  
24 12<sup>th</sup> Annual "Cruisin' for a Cure", Costa Mesa, 7am  
21 Cajon Cruise Night featuring The Over the Hill Gang-SD  
30-1 Cruise under Sea Level II, Imperial Valley –Airporter Inn

## November

- 12-13 22<sup>nd</sup> Annual Autumn Get-Together in Pleasanton  
18-20 14<sup>th</sup> Southwest Nationals, Scottsdale, AZ  
25-27 1<sup>st</sup> Fall Goodguys Del Mar Nationals, Del Mar – 825-838-9876

## Cruise Nights

### Every Friday

**The Malt Shop, 5pm**  
3615 Midway, San Diego

### Every Saturday

Bonita Donuts, 8am  
4414 Bonita Rd., Bonita

### Every Saturday – 7am

Fallbrook "Rods & Relics"  
Hwy 76 & Mission Road

### 1<sup>st</sup> Saturday

Home Town Buffet \* El Cajon  
Host: King Pins Car Club 9am

### 1<sup>st</sup>, 3<sup>rd</sup> & 5<sup>th</sup> Saturdays

5pm at Fred's Burgers – Alpine

### 2<sup>nd</sup> Saturday • 3-6pm

Siggy's Car show  
26820 Jefferson, Murrieta

### 1<sup>st</sup> Sunday, Noon – 4pm

Dalton's Roadhouse  
775 Center Dr., San Marcos

### 2<sup>nd</sup> Sunday 8am

Cars & Coffee on the Mesa  
JBA Auto Center, 5675 Kearney Villa Rd.

### 3<sup>rd</sup> Sunday, 11am

Cruisin' Coco's  
Rancho Bernardo

### 2<sup>nd</sup> & 4<sup>th</sup> Tuesday 5:30pm

Hometown Buffet – Santee

### 2<sup>nd</sup> & 4<sup>th</sup> Wednesdays, 10am

Good 'Ole Boys Breakfast  
Denny's in Rancho San Diego

### 3<sup>rd</sup> Thursday – 6pm

Motorhead Misfits –El Cajon  
Beef 'n Bun Crew & Car Junkies

## **STREAK 38 - IT'S RIGHT AROUND THE CORNER!**

It's almost time for the biggest hot rod party of the year! Registrations are close to being SOLD OUT and those who haven't signed up are sure to be very sad people 'cause they are going to miss out!!

We will once again be sending a caravan of cars on Saturday to Navy Hospital to pick up Wounded Warriors and we strongly encourage your participation! There is a real possibility of over 30 heroes attending. Because of their personal circumstances, we won't know for sure until we get down to the hospital just how many we will be bringing back to Campland. But know that it's the amount of cars and drivers who participate that make such a huge impression! The parade into Campland is incredibly moving - and such an inspiring way to start Saturday at the Streak!

We have also invited athletes from San Diego Adaptive Sports Foundation to come and enjoy the day. We will give all of our charity participant's lunch, goody bags, and raffle tickets. If any member has a contact who could donate car related t-shirts, hats, pens or? For our guest goody bags please let me know. We would need around 40 of each type of donation.

I have one request from those who are camping down at Campland. If you have lounge chairs, or any extra chairs that the Warriors or Athletes can sit in to make them more comfortable, please let Bob Kerns know that weekend.

Any member making a gift basket with non perishable items for the raffle can drop it off at the April club meeting, or at the bag stuffing at Jan and Ed Sawyers house on Sat. April 16. Please bring baskets with perishable items to the main tent at the Streak.

See Francie Ringland to sign up for food goodies or donate money for the bake sale. And check with Jay Scarborough for coverage at the Front Gate.

If anyone has wood to donate for the Friday night bonfire, please contact Everett Shackelton.

As always - thanks so much to the Streak Committee for all of their hard work! These members are an incredible team of volunteers and I appreciate everything they do for this event!

Next Streak meeting is TUESDAY, APRIL 12 AT 5:30 PM AT CAMPLAND!!!!

*Joanne Witek*

Streak 38 Chairperson

## Doo Wop Oldies Quiz: (Answers on Last Page)

Thirty great memories about music that caused our parents and teachers Grief! Take the quiz and see how you score as a true 'Oldies Fan.' Write down your answers and check them against the answers at the end.

1. When did 'Little Suzie' finally wake up? (a) The movie's over, it's 2 o'clock (b) The movie's over, it's 3 o'clock (c) The movie's over, it's 4 o'clock (d) The movie's over, it's 10 o'clock at Denny's
2. 'Rock Around The Clock' was used in what movie? (a) Rebel Without A Cause (b) Blackboard Jungle (c) The Wild Ones
3. What's missing from a Rock & Roll standpoint? Earth \_\_\_\_\_ (a) Angel (b) Mother (c) Worm
4. 'I found my thrill . . .' where? (a) Kansas City (b) Heartbreak Hotel (c) Blueberry Hill (d) Good ole boys breakfast Wednesday
5. 'Please turn on your magic beam, \_\_\_\_\_ bring me a dream,:' (a) Mr. Sandman (b) Earth Angel (c) Dream Lover
6. For which label did Elvis Presley first record? (a) Atlantic (b) RCA (c) Sun
7. He asked, 'Why's everybody always pickin' on me?' Who was he? (a) Bad, Bad Leroy Brown (b) Charlie Brown (c) Buster Brown
8. Bobby Darin's 'Mack The Knife,' the one with the knife, was named: (a) MacHeath (b) MacCloud (c) MacNamara
9. Name the song with 'A-wop bop a-loo bop a-lop bam boom.' (a) Good Golly, Miss Molly (b) Be-Bop-A-Lula (c) Tutti Frutti
10. Who is generally given credit for originating the term 'Rock and Roll'? (a) Dick Clark (b) Wolfman Jack (c) Alan Freed
11. In 1957, he left the music business to become a preacher: (a) Little Richard (b) Frankie Lymon (c) Tony Orlando
12. Paul Anka's 'Puppy Love' is written to what star? (a) Brenda Lee (b) Connie Francis (c) Annette Funicello
13. The Everly Brothers are . . . .... (a) Pete and Dick (b) Don and Phil (c) Bob and Bill
14. The Big Bopper's real name was: (a) Jiles P. Richardson (b) Roy Harold Scherer Jr. (c) Marion Michael Morrison
15. In 1959, Berry Gordy, Jr., started a small record company called... (a) Decca (b) Cameo (c) Motown
16. Edd Brynes had a hit with 'Kookie, Kookie, Lend Me Your Comb'. 'What TV show was he on?' (a) 77 Sunset Strip (b) Hawaiian Eye (c) Surfside Six
17. In 1960 Bobby Darin married: (a) Carol Lynley (b) Sandra Dee (c) Natalie Wood
18. They were a one hit wonder with 'Book Of Love': (a) The Penguins (b) The Monotones (c) The Moonglows
19. The Everly Brothers sang a song called 'Till I \_\_\_\_\_ You.' (a) Loved (b) Kissed (c) Met
20. Chuck Berry sang 'Oh, \_\_\_\_\_, why can't you be true?' (a) Suzie Q (b) Peggy Sue (c) Maybelline
21. 'Woolly \_\_\_\_\_' (a) Mammouth (b) Bully (c) Pully
22. 'I'm like a one-eyed cat . . . (a) can't go into town no more (b) sleepin' on a cold hard floor (c) peepin' in a seafood store
23. 'Sometimes I wonder what I'm gonna do . . . ....' (a) cause there ain't no answer for a life without booze (b) cause there ain't no cure for the summertime blues (c) cause my car's gassed up and I'm ready to cruise
24. 'They often call me Speedo, but my real name is .....
25. 'You're my Fanny and nobody else's .....
26. 'I want you to play with my . . . ' (a) heart (b) dreams (c) ding a ling
27. 'Be Bop A Lula .. ....' (a) she's got the rabies (b) she's my baby. (c) she loves me, maybe
28. 'Fine Love, Fine Kissing ... ..' (a) right here (b) fifty cents (c) just for you
29. 'He wore black denim trousers and .. ....' (a) a pink carnation (b) pink leotards (c) motorcycle boots
30. 'I got a gal named . . . ' (a) Jenny Zamboni (b) Gerri Mahoney (c) Boney Marone

# **Goodguys Del Mar 2011**

## **Over The Hill Gang-San Diego**

The poker run/cruise was a blast this year. C&G Early Ford Parts in Escondido catered the lunch. The owners and club members, Dorothy and Joe provided a catered lunch to all 100 poker run participants. They not only did a class act on the food, but also provided a shop tour and discounts on all parts. Now this is club participation. Thanks Dorothy and Joe.

Thanks to Maury Lowe and Everett and Sue for helping me on the poker run.

The show was its usual success because we have such great members. The indoor parking went well and all buildings were filled up with cars without a hitch. It's a lot of work, but the club shinned in their duties again.

The club lunch featured great food again which everyone enjoyed. This year we also invited the P-Town Pushrods to join us. They are the host club for Pleasanton and came to the show with nine cars. Believe me, when we go to Pleasanton in August, they will treat us great. Our club campers had the RV area to themselves and plenty of room to party. We needed a few positions filled throughout the show, and as you would expect, our members were willing to help. What great people we have.

This is our 11<sup>th</sup> year, and I think the front gate on Saturday was the best and fastest we've ever had. Believe me, Goodguys appreciates it. We had two members, Jim Payne and Vince Yamasaki win car awards and several won a Goodguys giveaway certificate.

Mike and I had a little fun on Friday, when we pulled April's fool on Ed Witek and our dear President. We spread the word that they were a prizewinner, but alerted Kirby to tell them when they showed up it was April's fool.

As in past years, first place in the poker run received \$100 in Goodguys bucks, second place \$75 and third place \$50. Goodguys also provided an event plaque to all winners.

Thanks to all of you who cruised with Over The Hill Gang San Diego. See you next year for another fun event.

Martin Hibschi

Over The Hill Gang-San Diego Cruise Director

## More on Good Guys Show

I want to extend my personal thanks to everyone that made the schedules at Del Mar work so smoothly.

We only had one small glitch, and it was easily taken care of. To all those who walked up and volunteered to do above and beyond - you are what makes

The Over The Hill Gang  
SOOOOOOOOO great.

Thanks Again  
Mike Newell

## Anniversaries for April

|                          |          |
|--------------------------|----------|
| Jerry & Francie Ringland | 20 Years |
| Bob Yates                | 15 years |
| Paul Montoya             | 14 years |
| Bill & Delores Jeffers   | 10 years |
| Roger & Jill Kerr        | 1 Year   |

### **It is with Great Sorrow we report the loss of Three of our own. Our prayers and thoughts go out to the families of:**

Carl Burnett 78 passed away March 15<sup>th</sup>. He was an active member of The Early Ford V8 Club and a member of the Prowlers club for several decades, dating back to 1952. He owned a 1936 blue Ford Roadster "Baby" which he loved driving around with Marcia.

Robert "Bob" Stoll 81 passed away March 17<sup>th</sup> peacefully in his home in Lakeside. Bob was a car guy and hosted many activities and clubs at his Gilmore Gas Station at the end of Willow Road. It was like driving into the past.

Charlyne 66, Tom Outlaws wife died this month also. I do not have any details but thought you all should know.

On Thursday, Dick Torres's wife, Marta had a stroke and received brain surgery as a result.

### **UPDATE**

THE OPERATION WAS POSITIVE. IT HAS REDUCED THE SWELLING OF THE BRAIN. SHE IS NOW SLEEPING A LOT AND RECOVERING. I AM HOPING THIS WILL CONTINUE.

RT

Curtis Morrow had surgery last Friday and should be home now recovering.

*We will all keep them in our prayers and wish for a speedy recovery.*

*OTHG-SD*

## Winners @ Del Mar

Jim Payne

Hottest Hot Rod

Vince Yamasaki

Memory Lane Award

CONGRATULATIONS TO THE BOTH OF THEM!!





**Answers:**

1. (c) The movie's over, it's 4 o'clock
2. (b) Blackboard Jungle
3. (a) Angel
4. (c) Blueberry Hill
5. (a) Mr. Sandman
6. (c) Sun
7. (b) Charlie Brown
8. (a) Mac Heath
9. (c) Tutti Frutti
10. (c) Alan Freed
11. (a) Little Richard
12. (c) Annette Funicello
13. (b) Don and Phil
14. (a) Jiles P. Richardson
15. (c) Motown
16. (a) 77 Sunset Strip
17. (b) Sandra Dee
18. (b) The Monotones
19. (b) Kissed
20. (c) Maybelline
21. (b) Bully
22. (c) peepin' in a seafood store
23. (b) cause there ain't no cure for the summertime blues
24. (a) Mr. Earl
25. (b) butt
26. (c) ding a ling
27. (b) she's my baby
28. (a) right here
29. (c) motorcycle boots
30. (c) Boney Maroney

Forward to everyone lucky enough to be teenagers in the Doo Wop era.....