THE GOAT CONNECTION

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PRESIDENT'S MESSAGE

Howdy Folks,

Sorry to have missed the last meeting, was just feeling "odd "that day so made the decision to stay home, maybe just over tired as felt fine after sleeping most of the day. Thanks to Jim Lent for running our meeting. Previously had shared with our group that we didn't have enough head count to secure Harry's meeting room so were going to have to roll the dice and hope all works out each month. Our first meeting their in March we were able to get a standalone area that worked well. For April that was taken so we got a corner of the dining room that Jim said did not work

well. That being the case going forward Harry's will not be workable for our needs and once again we will be on the lookout for a new venue soooooooooo for our upcoming May 12th meeting we are Back to Back 40. Given our relationship with their management Jim was able to get us a room. May will be our final meeting until fall so let's brainstorm on any other options we may have. Start time 11:30 as usual, for our topics lets recap Benicia which am told went well (thanks again to Stuart Cole for hosting), other events for later this year as well as our 2022 Tilden Picnic EXTRAVAGANZA.

Congrats to John Whitmore for taking FIRST PLACE in the stock class at last weekend's POCC show in Clovis with his newly Josiah Coy restored 67 GTO. Looks like John has already put break in mileage on the car as he also attended Benicia the previous weekend. Way to go John, gotta love that extra gear?

Till the 12th, see ya in the fast lane;

Prez John

GOLDEN GATE GOATS WEB SITE AVAILABLE AT:

www.gggoats.com

GOLDEN GATE GOATS EVENT PICTURES

We have a picture hosting site that has lots of event pictures. These can be downloaded to your own computer or you can order pictures directly from the site. Pictures can be viewed at:http://imageevent.com/jimlent

Email ListWe have an active list that

provides frequent updates on club activities and provides links to pictures of club activities. E-mail jimlent@comcast.net to join or to update your email address

CHANGES, MISSPELLINGS, ETC.

IF WE HAVEN'T GOT YOUR INFORMATION
MIXED UP YET, JUST GIVE US TIME. WE ARE
WORKING AS FAST AS WE CAN.
Please contact Jim Lent with any name,
address, phone number or vehicle corrections
or changes. (510) 799-6096.

E-MAIL: jimlent@comcast.net SNAIL MAIL: Jim Lent - 118 Iris Court Hercules. CA 9454



CAR OF THE MONTH ARTICLES

Would you like to see your car, and its story, published in this newsletter. Take this opportunity now to memorialize your ride!
Tell us about your ride: how you got it, what

you have done to it, where you like to drive it, etc. Make your car the star.

You can email your story and pictures to Jim Lent at; jimlent@comcast.net or send them by snail mail to:
Jim Lent

118 Iris Court Hercules, CA 94547



GGGOATS CLUB MEETING THURSDAY, MAY 12, 2022

LUNCH AT 11:30 AM

BACK FORTY BBQ

100 Coggins Drive, Pleasant Hill, CA 94523 · (925) 935-1440

PINOLE CAR SHOW

PINOLE SHOW IS RETURNING June 26th Sunday 7am to 3pm DETAILS in this Newsletter

MORAGA CAR SHOW

Date TBD Late May to early June No date yet



Golden Gate Goats 2022 Event Schedule



3/10	THURSDAY 11:30	LINCH MEETING	at Harry's Hofbrau	San Leandro
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4/14 THURSDAY 11:30 LUNCH MEETING at Harry's Hofbrau San Leandro

4/24 Sunday Benicia Car Show hosted by Stuart Cole

5/12 THURSDAY 11:30 LUNCH MEETING at Back Forty, Pleasant Hill (New Location)

MAY/JUNE MORAGA CAR SHOW (DATE TO BE DETE3RMINED)

6/26 PINOLE CAR SHOW (

June - Summer break - no meeting

July - Summer break - no meeting

7/30 Saturday Tilden Park Picnic catered by Back Forty BBQ

8/?? Hot August Niles Car Show (Fremont)

9/8 THURSDAY 11:30 LUNCH MEETING at ???r

10/13 THURSDAY 11:30 LUNCH MEETING at ???

10/22 NorCal Run thru the Canyon

12/3 Saturday Holiday Party at Back Forty BBQ 11:00 – 3:00

YOUR AD GOULD BE HERE!

PERSONAL ADS FOR ALL GOLDEN GATE MEMBERS ARE FREE.

NON-MEMBERS Ads - \$10,@ per month per ad.

Contact: Jlm Lent, 118Iris Ct., Hercules CA 94547 (

510) 799-6096 or email - iimlent@comcast.net

WANTED

FOR SALE

- 1= New in the box Heater core for 67 gto = \$50
- 4= Ralleyll 14" rims and tires with good chrome rings \$100
- 1= Headlite benzel new in the box 66-67 gto =\$50
- 1= Almost new glove box insert \$10
- 1= Side mirror 67 got = \$25

Contact club member Richard Mestrich @ russo-company@sbcglobal.net

Emergency Break Cable Front Stainless Steel for GTO 64-72

\$45.00 New still in package

##Console Lamp Lens lights up rear seat fits GTO 64-67

\$12.00 New still in package

#Glove Box Console Light GTO 61-88 \$15.00 New still in package

#Console Lid Spring Center for Console glove box 64-67

\$ZS.OO New still in package

#Lock set w/keys for center console glove box

\$18.00 New still in package

#Lamp Housing for for light in rear of center console for GTO 64-67 \$68.00 New still in package

#Bracket spare tire hold down GTO 64-70 \$5.00 New still in package

#Console Base Plastic for GTO 64-67 for automatic transmissions

\$250.00 New still in box

#Rally II wheel 15"x7" New (one Only) \$150.00

#Rally II wheels 15"x7" used good condition with Pontiac Rally II center caps

set of 4 \$75.00 each

CONTACT CLUB MEMBER DAVE SVODBA @ dave22349@gmail.com

1960-65 Pontiac Tri-power center carburetors. I can offer units that are cleaned and previously rebuilt but require some work before put into service to fresh rebuilds ready to run. Prices range from \$ 200.00 to \$ 400.00 depending on the condition.

Contact club member Al Schendan schendan@gmail.com

1968 Pontiac GTO Parts for Sale. New & used

- 1. 68 GTO Rebuilt Cylinder Heads, # 16. Fit 389 / 400 eng. 350 HP \$ 750.00
- 2. Set of four 1968 7 x 14 Rally II wheels w/caps \$ 350.00
- 3. Pair 68 Vent Windows (fit all 68 GM "A" body cars) w/new rubber \$ 375.00
- 4. New in box Hedman Ceramic Coated Headers (fit 68 /72) (389-400) \$ 450.00
- 5. Disc brake Electric vacuum Pump (Summit brand) like new. \$ 150.00
- 6. Power Force Harmonic Damper new. (389 / 400) # 6200206 \$ 150.00
- 7. Power Auto Products, Harmonic Balancer new. (389-400) \$ 100.00
- 8. 15" GTO Three Spoke Black steering wheel w/Grant kit \$ 50.00
- 9. 68 / 72 GTO used Kick panels w/speakers (Black) \$ 100.00
- 10. 18" Flex Fan (new in box) \$ 45.00
- 11. Set of 4 Haulmaster MFG. vehicle dollies (1500 lbs rating) \$ 40.00
- 12. Reconditioned by local shop. 68 GTO Radiator (AC car) \$ 275.00
- 13. 2008 / 13 GMC / Chevy PU, 4x4. Delco ABS brake modulator (new in box) Cost new \$ 453.00 Sell \$ 325.00
 - 14. Chevy, LUK 11" clutch & pressure plate (new in box) 350/327 \$ 100.00
 - 15. 2008 / 13 GMC / Chevy PU center console (black) \$ 350.00
 - 16. NASCAR Special Edition one Xfinity race Jeff Gordon "PEPSI" jacket Gordon Evernham race team Size large like new condition \$ 125.00 Contact club member John Fischer @ johnsgoat@att.net

N O S 1965 PONTIAC GTO Passengers Side Grill Insert. Slight Shelf Wear, no original Box. Never installed. \$600.00. You'll likely look long and hard to find another one. Don't wait for your Insurance Company to try to find one of these. I have one in Heated Storage protected by Sig & Sauer. Call Ken Davis. 408-209-2553. kendavisl 4@sbcglobal.net

GOLDEN GATE GOATS FACEBOOK PAGE

Join our club Facebook page!

- Open discussions with members
- Share links with GGG web site
- Buy/Sell your auto parts

Join the blog by clicking on this link:

https://www.facebook.com/groups/ 1739685286060250

Find the 'Request to Join' on the page and send your request to us. Acceptance will take about a day, and you will be notified when you have been given permission.

Start sharing your ideas, stories, parts and recommendations with the club!

VENDOR DISCOUNT PROGRAM PLEASE SUPPORT THESE VENDORS WITH YOUR BUSINESS





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Bethel's Goat Farm - 10% discount - ask for **Ed** (408) 295-7611

Performance Years - offers discounts to club members on orders up to \$500 of 3% w/charge card or 5% prepay. Orders over \$500 8% with charge card or 10% prepay. 215-712-7400

Paddock West - offers club members a 10% discount on their orders. Identify yourselves with the code "GGG1" to get the discount. 800 854-8532 or (909) 798-4166.

World Muffler - 10% Discount - 966 E. El Camino Real, Sunnyvale - 408-738-2318 Contact Maynard Rougier or Patrick Karl

Victory Automotive Machine, 10 % Discount - 3500 Pearl Ave, Uniit E. San Jose -Contact Vic Anderson408-266-7570 victorymachine@netscape.com.

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Our goal is to preserve and keep the legend of the Pontiac GTO alive. We plan to do this by having fun as we learn more about our GTOs through various club activities: Cruises, Parades, Car Shows, Picnics & MORE!

CLUB LOGO ITEMS

In 2005 we opened our online club store on our website. The store carries a full line of apparel, house wares, and gifts with the Golden Gate Goats logo, Outlaw GTO Association of Western America logo, and images of our club cars! Go check it out at:

www.cafepress.com/gggoats

2017 - Club Meetings

Club Meetings are scheduled for the following months:
February, March, April, May
July, October, November
Check the newsletter or website for updated dates, times & locations

GOLDEN GATE GOATS EVENT PICTURES CAN BE VIEWED AT:

HTTP://imageevent.com/jimlent

2022 Poker Run - Saturday, October 22, 2022

PRIZES

FOOD

RAFFLE







Come and join us for a day of cruising on our 26th Annual Run Thru the Canyon!
(In memory of our friend & RTTC Founder – Chuck Bonasera)

Each year our ChevelleCaminos Car Club has a premiere event that welcomes all makes of classic car enthusiasts to attend. This year our day will begin in Sunol. After cruising through Niles Canyon and three other stops, our final stop will be Callippe Golf Course, where they have reserved a spacious banquet hall with seating for 100 people for our wonderful buffet lunch. Not only will there be fun raffle prizes, the person with the best final poker hand wins a **\$100 cash prize!** The map of our route with addresses for all stops will be provided in your packet at registration the morning of Saturday, October 22nd.

(This year's Poker Run will be limited to 100 attendees. Get your registration in early to confirm your spot).

Our 1st stop is TBD, but likely to be in Sunol.

Please note our address at the bottom of this flyer for returning your registration.



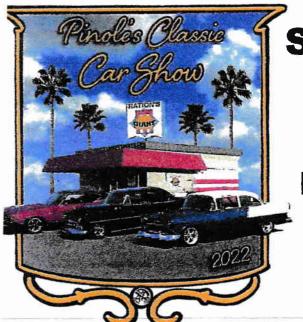




8:00AM check-in and "late/same day" registrations. 9:00AM "Poker Run" starts
(Registrations must be received no later than October 15th)

Email Address:	(required to confirm your entry
Name:	Car Make:
Car Model & Year:	Phone: ()
Cost: \$35 per adult, \$15 per child (12 & under)	\$45 per adult after October 15 and day of cruise)
Number of people in your party: Car Club:	Total Enclosed:
In consideration of acceptance as participants in the Nor-Cal I/we hereby release the Nor-Cal ChevelleCaminos Car Club, if from any and all known and unknown damages, injuries, losse be suffered by participating in this event or any spectators.	its members, officers and anyone connected with this event

Mail to: Joan Butler c/o Nor-Cal Poker Run, 1416 C Street, Hayward, CA 94541 www.nor-calchevelles.com
For questions, call Randy Ochs (925-963-2999)



Sunday, June 26, 2022 7:00AM to 3:00PM Fernandez Park Historic Old Town Pinole

Pancake Breakfast Pinole Senior Center 7:00AM to 9:45AM

Pre-registration is required and will be limited to the first 325 Classic American (pre 1975) and Classic Foreign (pre 1990) car registrants Providing space is available.

All late entries will be admitted after 9:00AM and will be located on the baseball field. If you need to leave before 3:00PM, must park on the baseball field.

No loud music.

No alcohol consumption.

No entries after 10:00AM.

Sponsors:







Pre-registration is \$30 (\$35 day of event) Please make checks payable to: Kopp Productions, 2320 Doidge Ave. Pinole, CA 94564

For more information call Bob (510) 772-0016 or email: KoppProductions@comcast.net

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Womens (\$25): Small()	Medium()	Large()	XL()	(\$30)2XL()				
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In consideration of the acceptance of the participants to Pinole's Annual Classic Car Show Event by execution of the entry form, I/WE herby release the City of Pinole, Kopp Productions, Nations, Z Rentals LP, their members, officers and anyone else connected with this event from any and all known and unknown damages, injuries, liabilities, losses, judgments, and/or claims arising from any causes whatsoever that may be caused by the participation in this event. I/WE accept responsibility for Bank Fees or returned check fees.

In the unlikely event of cancellation due to Covid-19 restrictions, registration fees will be donated to charity.