

ZNEWS

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ZONC'S MARCH MEETING

Sunday, March 10, 2019

11:30 AM

Fuddruckers

1940 N. Main St

Walnut Creek

CONTRA COSTA CRUISE

SUNDAY March 17, 2019

Meet 9:00 AM

Panera Bread

744 Bancroft

Walnut Creek

See flyer on page 3

BLACKHAWK MEET & GREET

Saturday, April 13, 2019

Blackhawk Museum

Danville

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55th Annual

April Fools Rallye

Sunday, April 7, 2019

Snoopy's Home Ice

Santa Rosa

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On Z Road Again

By Linda Williams



March 2019

Spring is here and we are looking forward to the upcoming Fun Runs that will let us get our cars out and enjoy the wonderful roads and sites of the Bay Area and its surrounding communities. Our next run is the Contra Costa 4 County Big Loop Cruise on March 17th. We will meet at Panera Bread, 744 Bancroft, Walnut Creek and leave from there to head to The Junction for lunch. We will finish up at Livermore/ Hwy 580. (See flyer on page 3 of this ZNEWS.)The route may change depending on the weather and roads. In April, Bob Jenkins will be putting on the Annual April Fool's Run on April 7th. More info will be posted on the ZONC website and the flyer is on page 5 of this ZNEWS.

We held our February meeting on the 10th at Fuddrucker's in Walnut Creek. We had a good turnout and the weather provided lots of sunshine, despite the weather earlier in the week that gave us snow in the foothills around the Bay. No one's complaining since we need the rain/snow to fill our reservoirs and lakes.

Mark your calendars; we have confirmed dates for the following events:

Blackhawk Meet and Greet - April 13th, 8am till Noon. **ZONC** Annual Car Show – July 28th, 10am till 3pm.

Awards Banquet – Stars Recreation Center, Vacaville – **December 8**th, 11:30am – 2pm.

On Feb 7th, I participated in a webinar call with about 20 other Z Clubs across the nation that was held by Chris Karl of ZCCA (Z Car Club Association). The ZCCA was established to help build enthusiasm through the formation and support of formal "Z Car Clubs" across North America. The two primary events that they are involved with include ZCON and ZDayZ. **ZONC** members are a part of this organization and can take advantage of some of the member

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discounts that are available. If you want more information, please check out their website at: www.ZCCA.org or you can see the benefits available which are listed here: http://zcca.org/club-benefits/.

Our next meeting is scheduled for March 10th at Fuddrucker's in Walnut Creek. Hope to see you there!

Please Welcome

New Members...

MICHELLE BABOT 370Z JOHN B. SPENCE 350Z

SEAN McCOLLEY 370Z Roadster

2018 ZONC Car Show Sponsors

Angeliqua's Taqueria Motorsport Auto

AJ's AUTO DETAIL Rock Auto

BRE SAN FRANCISCO 49ERS

ELK GROVE NISSAN GRUNDY
HIGHLINE MOTORSPORTS TINT WORLD
Mothers's Polish ZCCA

123-Awards.com Z Car Garage

HAPPY MARCH BIRTHDAYS...

TIFFINI CLARK NICK FISHER

JAY REESE

JOHN SPENCE ALAN YOUNG

9f you're not listed - it's because the Data Base Manager does not have your month of birth. And you're wished a Happy Birthday!

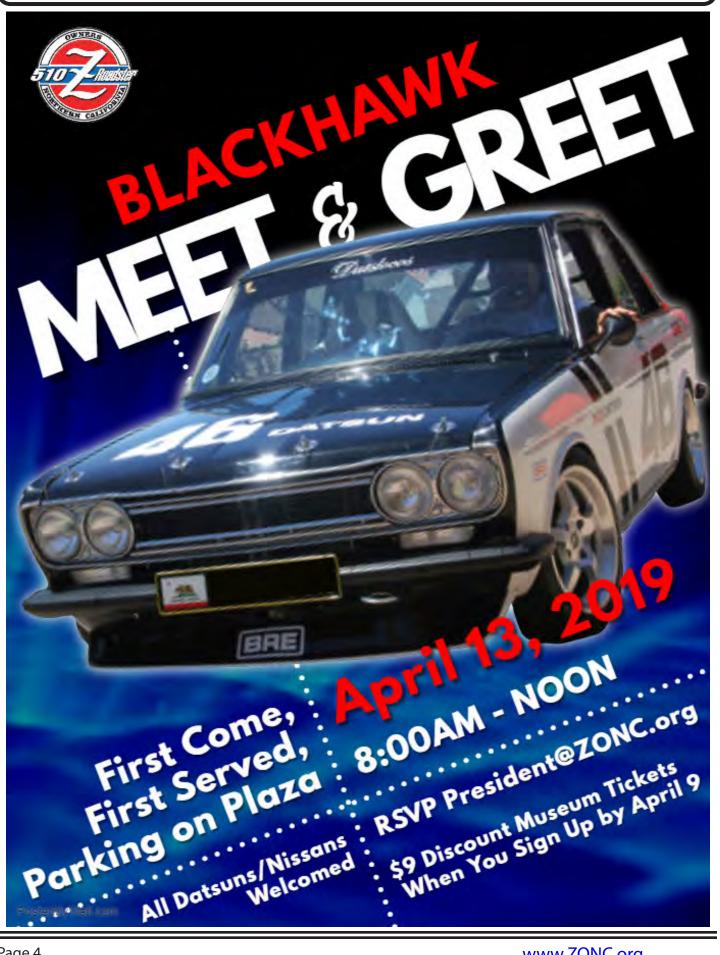
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To register for the Cruise, please email by 3/9/19: anndevor@gmail.com

Bring FRS radio (if you have one)



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presents the

55th ANNUAL

APRIL



RALLYE

FOOLS

AN A-B RALLYE OPEN TO ALL TYPES OF CARS

DATE: SUNDAY, APRIL 7, 2019

START: SNOOPY'S HOME ICE, 1667 W. STEELE LANE, SANTA ROSA - TAKE THE STEELE

LANE EXIT OFF U.S. 101, ONE MILE NORTH OF DOWNTOWN SANTA ROSA. GO WEST ON STEELE. CONTINUE ONTO GUERNEVILLE. TURN RIGHT AT

RANGE. TURN LEFT ON W. STEELE. TURN RIGHT INTO THE SECOND DRIVEWAY

AND GO TO THE BACK OF THE PARKING LOT.

TIME: REGISTRATION 10:30AM to 12:30PM,

FIRST CAR OUT AT 11:45AM, LAST CAR OUT AT 1:00 PM

FEE: ENTRY \$19.00 PER CAR - \$.50 POKER HAND (OPTIONAL)

CLASSES: MASTER EXPERT, EXPERT, SENIOR, NOVICE, BEGINNER, FIRST TIMER

AWARDS: MASTER EXPERT CLASS, ~ AWARD ~ FIRST AND SECOND PLACE

EXPERT CLASS, ~ AWARD ~ FIRST THRU THIRD PLACE SENIOR CLASS, ~ AWARD ~ FIRST THRU THIRD PLACE NOVICE CLASS, ~ AWARD ~ FIRST THRU THIRD PLACE BEGINNER CLASS, ~ AWARD ~ FIRST THRU THIRD PLACE FIRST TIMER CLASS, ~ AWARD ~ FIRST THRU THIRD PLACE

POKER, ~ AWARD ~ \$10.00 CASH

A PARTICIPATION PLAQUE TO FIRST 40 CARS

THE OVERALL WINNERS WILL HAVE THEIR NAMES ENGRAVED ON A LARGE

PERPETUAL TROPHY

THE PROFITS FROM THIS RALLYE WILL GO TO CHARITY:

Canine Companions for Independence®

FINISH: ROUND TABLE PIZZA, 1791 MARLOW RD. IN SANTA ROSA

RALLYMASTER, BOB THE BEARD - FOR MORE INFORMATION CALL (707) 546-6867 OR E-MAIL thebeard@sonic.net

THE APRIL FOOLS RALLYE **WEBSITE** IS: http://www.sonic.net/~thebeard/ You can run a practice A/B Map Rallye there.

THERE WILL BE A SHORT RALLYE SCHOOL AT 11:00 AM FOR ALL THOSE NEW TO RALLYING



A *RALLYE* IS NOT A SPEED EVENT. A *RALLYE* IS A TEST OF A TEAM'S ABILITY TO FOLLOW INSTRUCTIONS ALONG THE ROUTE, WHILE LOOKING FOR SIGNS AND SITUATIONS THAT FIT THE DEFINITIONS OF THE *RALLYE*.



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5TH ANNUAL in ATASCADERO, CA MAY 18, 2019

10am - 3pm

https://www.seetickets.us/event/Z-Day-California-2019/380123



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55th Annual April Fools Rallye Sunday, April 7, 2019

By Bob Jenkins

This rallye is a fun Beginner word game played out in a car, with nice scenery. Best of all you know that no matter how good or bad you do all the profits go charity, Canine Companions for Independence.

There will be a school for the rallye starting at 11 am at the start area, so be sure to arrive in time to attend.

The rallye has its own website where you can see pictures from past year's rallyes, a list of past overall winners' names, and, most important, a short map rallye, which uses some of the same gimmicks that will be used on this year's rallye. The link to the website is: www.sonic.net/~thebeard

Things that are helpful to bring on the rallye are one or two clip boards, a couple of pens or pencils, different colored highlighters, and a pad of post it notes. You, of course, also need a navigator, a full tank of fuel, so you do not have to make a stop for gas, and money for the entry fee and for pizza and drinks at the finish.

At the finish checkpoint you will receive a critique, explaining all the gimmicks used on the rallye and inside finish there will be a video showing and explaining all the gimmicks on the route.

Bob takes a picture as each car is leaving start and the picture he likes best will be on the plaque of the following year's rallye.



2019 ZONC & Other Car Events

MARCH

- 16 Daddodil Hill Volcano by Sac Datsun
- **17 ZONC Contra Costa Cruise**

APRIL

- 07 55th Annual April Fools Rallye Santa Rosa
- 13 ZONC Meet & Greet at Blackhawk Museum
- 26 Solvang Datsun Roaster Meet Solvang

MAY

- 03-05 Trans-Am Speed Festival Laguna Seca
- 11 Knights Ferry Run by Sac. Datsun
- **09-12** Ferrari Racing Days Laguna Seca
- 18 Datslocos Car Show & Swapmeet
- 18 Z-Day California Atascadero
- 31 Sonoma Speed Festival Sonoma Raceway

JUNE

- **01-02** Sonoma Speed Week Sonoma Raceway
- 07-09 GT World Challenge Sonoma Raceway
- **08-09** Powerland Datsun Show
- 15 US Fun Run by Sac Datsun
- 21-23 Save Mart 350 NASCAR Sonoma Raceway

JULY

- 13 Feather River Run by SAC Datsun
- 16-21 ZCON 2019 in Branson Branson, Mo
- **ZONC Brisbane Annual Car Show**

AUGUST

- 10-11 Monterey Pre-Reunion Laguna Seca
- 17 Santa Cruz by SAC Datsun
- <u>15-18</u> Monterey Motorsports Reunion -Laguna Seca

SEPTEMBER

- 13-15 Sports Car Championship Laguna Seca
- 19-21 Mt. Shasta Roaster Meet Mt. Shasta
- **20-11** Indycar Grand Prix of Monterey Laguna Seca
- 28-29 Eureka Fun Run by SAC Datsun

OCTOBER

- 04-06 CSRG Charity Challenge Sonoma Raceway
- 12 Leafers Fun Run by SAC Datsun

NOVEMBER

09 Calaveras Big Trees by SAC Datsun

DECEMBER

OB ZONC Awards Banquet

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Z MART ADS

Members: no charge for nonbusiness ads (include membership # with ad)

Nonmembers: \$10.00 per ad or \$20.00 with photo. Please send via email with photos, if possible (.gif or .jpg of 100 to 150 KB in size) to:

thebeard@sonic.net

Ads run for two months (unless you tell me to remove it after one month). Please include your complete address with ad. **DEADLINE**: is the 15th of the month, for inclusion in the next issue.

Please make check or money order payable to: **ZONC**. Please send ad with payment to:

BOB JENKINS, Z MART 2173 DOLEN CT., SANTA ROSA, CA 95401



FOR SALE 1970 240Z hood

Original all steel 1970 240Z hood, no hardware, in primer gray on top, in perfect condition.

Contact Ray Raible (925)-284-5720

Or ray240z@comcast.net
Asking \$600







FOR SALE 1983 DATSUN 280ZX \$7,500.00

MUST SELL - MOVING IN 1 MONTH.

Mileage 159,000. Well maintained for 20 years.

Good Original condition, Interior and Exterior.

Passes SMOG.

Car in San Bruno, Ca 94066 Contact Ozzie Dashevsky (925) 997-6262 email: wzrduvoz@gmail.com

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1/2 Page	<i>\$35</i>	\$184	\$315	
1/4 Page	\$25	\$125	\$200	
Bus. Card	\$15	\$68	\$90	

Profiles Wanted

Let your fellow **ZONCERS** get to know you better!

Your **ZNEWS** is starting up the member profile again. We're asking all members who would like to write a short profile about themselves and their car(s) to send it in.

You can write about the things you have done to your car, the **ZONC** events you like to attend, when you joined **ZONC**, and/or your hobbies other than **ZONC**.

Please hold your article to no more than one page.

Also include a picture of yourself and your car and send to the **ZNEWS** editor at **thebeard@sonic.net**

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