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ZONC's August Meeting

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August 15-18, 2019

2019 Datsun-Nissan Corral

Corral Passes with Discount Tickets

See Flyer on [page 3](#) and Article on [page 4](#)

Sacramento Datsun Run to Santa Cruz & Half Moon Bay

Saturday, August 17, 2019

Meet at 6:00A.M.

at the AM PM

at Grantline and Highway 99 in Elk Grove

IT'S ZONC NOMINATION TIME

~ Officer Nominations for 2020 are now open

Once again it is time to nominate people for the ZONC Board. This is a very important time of the year for ZONC, as it will lead to the selection of who will be leading the club for 2020.

Nominations of candidates for elected offices must be submitted in a written statement not to exceed 150 words, by **August 10th** to the ZONC Secretary for inclusion in the **September ZNEWS**.

Incumbents must also be nominated in writing.

The offices are President, Vice President, Vice President Adm., Secretary, and Treasurer.

Send Nominations to: Secretary@zonc.org

Note: It is best to ask the person you would like to nominate, before nomination them.

ZONC Annual Picnic

at Coyote Point Recreation Area

10 am - 2pm

September 29, 2019

Picnic is free to all ZONC members

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On Z Road Again

By Linda Williams

August 2019

Hope everyone celebrated the 4th of July in a safe and sane manner, and enjoyed being with family and friends. I spent a few days in Cayucos and enjoyed the small-town parade that seemed like it included most community groups, car clubs, schools and fraternal organizations. In the morning from 5am – 8am, there was a sand sculpture contest with trophies awarded to the best sculptures. The sense of 'home town' pride was very apparent and the town was decorated for the celebration! I miss small town America!

Well, we had our **ZONC Annual Car Show** at the Brisbane Marina on July 28th. Again, the weather was great and the turnout a success. Thanks to the vendors and sponsors that donated some special items like a Peter Brock signed 50th Anniversary poster, a \$250 gift certificate from San Jose Auto Steam Cleaning, \$200 gift certificate from AJ Professional Detailing, gift certificates from Motorsports, Tint World in Santa Clara, and Rob from ZCar Garage and ZCCA for their continued support! Of course, we can't forget Ken's homemade jam!! I would like to thank everyone that helped with the show to make it another memorable event. The show winners will be listed in a column in the next newsletter.

ZCCM, Z Car Club Magazine had a "Special Edition: 50th Anniversary of the Z" issue that had a beautiful collection of Z car pictures. Some of our **ZONC** members that had their cars pictured in the issue were Bob Jenkins with his 1970 240Z, Johnnie Gable with her 1972 240Z G-Nose, Cece Barros with her 1977 280Z, and my 1978 280Z. There were a lot of other local Z owners from other clubs that were shown. Thanks to Art for putting together a great issue!

RMMR is just around the corner. Please visit our website and order your corral passes and your daily tickets at a discount for the venue. Times running out!

The Santos Family Car Show is coming up on Aug

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31st..... Is anyone interested in getting together to have a "Z" showing? Let me know. The earliest you can show up is 7AM. We can meet in a spot to be determined (probably North 1st and Hwy 237) so that we can all go in together and let everyone know what we are all about! It's free and almost everyone gets a goodie bag with a dash plaque and other local discount coupons. It's a family event and fun for everyone. The town of Alviso has most of the main streets shut down for the display of all makes and models of cars. This is their 13th year!

With summer winding down, we are preparing for our **ZONC Annual Picnic** which will be held on **Sept 29th** at the **Coyote Creek Recreational Area**. This is a wonderful venue to bring our cars and enjoy the sights and sounds of the marina and the bay.

Safe travels.....

Please Welcome New Member . . .

Pierre Chan 240Z

HAPPY AUGUST BIRTHDAYS...

Simon Burke
Pamela Coulter
Clark Fenton
Igor Goulaevsky
Jason Green
Carol Gray
Bob Jenkins
Allen Lung
Bill Mael
Roger Marez
Gordon McCall
Glen Nakata

*If 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!*



**Rolex Monterey Motorsports Reunion at
WeatherTech Laguna Seca Raceway**

2019 DATSUN-NISSAN CORRAL

PRESENTED BY Z OWNERS OF NORTHERN CALIFORNIA

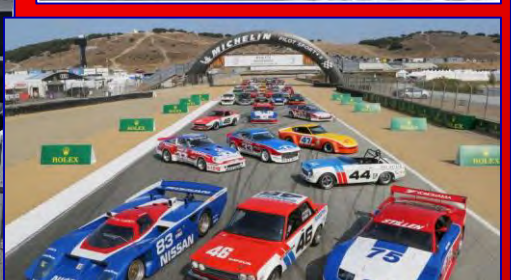


Celebrating 50 Years of IMSA Racing

August 15 - 18, 2019

Corral Passes with Discounted Tickets
available ONLY at www.ZONC.org

Contact anndevor@gmail.com for info!



RMMR 2019 Datsun Nissan Corral Update

By Ann Devor

As of mid-July at the time of writing this article, **ZONC** has **5 exclusive Datsun Nissan corral passes and 14 Saturday admission tickets available** for the **2019 Rolex Monterey Motorsports Reunion** coming up on **August 15-18**. If you want to go, here's your opportunity to see David Martin's 240Z, Alex McDowell's 280ZX and Rob Morgan's 280ZX in Saturday's Race 5A (1973-1981 IMSA, GT, GTX class). Equally exciting will be the IMSA prototype Race 7A on Saturday where you will see advanced racing design and performance not seen in production-based racecars.

Here's what's on the agenda for Datsun and Nissan fans:

We have a 5 spaces left in our reserved private corral of paved parking spaces in the lakebed area of the racetrack. Datsun-Nissan race fans who wish to park in our Datsun-Nissan special parking area must purchase their corral passes and Saturday admission tickets from **ZONC**.

ZONC is again offering a **discount on admission tickets**. Your Saturday ticket is \$85. This is a 15% discount from advanced ticket pricing and will save you even more from the price of tickets at the gate. We are opening up Saturday admission ticket sales to all interested buyers.

Your admission ticket allows you into the pits to see all of the racecars up close. ZCar Garage and crew will be there again working on three racecars that will run in the historic races. An additional nine or more Datsun and Nissan racecars can also be seen in the pits alongside many other famous racecars and their drivers.

Saturday's program also features a McLaren

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Demonstration lap and a celebration of Bentley's 100th anniversary.

For more information or to be added to our special mailing list for updated information, please contact me at anndevor@gmail.com. Go to <http://www.ZONC.org/event-registration/> to get your corral pass and tickets and get ready to have a great time at the 2019 RMMR!



John Baker's Roadster Chosen for MotorTrend Display

By Ann Devor

John Baker's stock Datsun 2000 Roadster will be shown by the MotorTrend Group in a select group of cars during Monterey Car Week this year. John's red roadster will be one of the cars featured at the Inn at Spanish Bay on the spectacular 17 Mile Drive on the Monterey Peninsula.



Last year we saw John's beautiful roadster in our corral at the Rolex Monterey Motorsports Reunion.

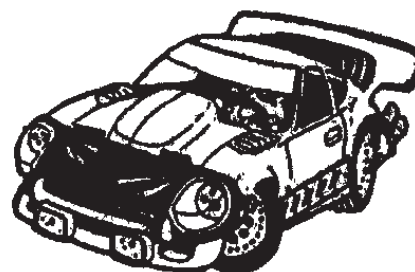
Congratulations to John for getting the recognition his vintage car deserves and for helping bring the Datsun brand to the forefront of this year's Monterey Car Week!

2019 TRACK NIGHT IN AMERICA Thunder Hill

August 15th Thursday night

Sept 12th Thursday night

<https://www.tracknightinamerica.com/locations/1981702>





Cecelia Barros
Pacifica, CA
1977 280Z

ZCCM (Z CAR CLUB MAGAZINE)

by Marci Jenkin

The Jan-Apr **Special Edition: 50th Anniversary of the Z**, featured 50 Z cars of readers who sent in pictures.

Four **ZONC**ers had their cars selected for publication: Cece Barros' 1977 Z, Johnnie Gable's 1972 240Z G-Nose (Mr. K's original 240Z), Bob Jenkins' 1970 240 Z, and Linda Williams' 1978 280 Z. If you are interested in getting a subscription to the **ZCCM** magazine you can contact Art Singer at arts.zccm@gmail.com or call him at 505-835-9170



Johnnie Gable's 1972 240Z G-Nose,



Bob Jenkins
Santa Rosa, CA
1970 240Z
ZONC

Bob Jenkins' 1970 240Z



Linda Williams
Santa Clara, CA
1978 280Z
ZONC

Linda Williams' 1978 280 Z

Tribute to ZONC Member Marshall Adams



Marshall receiving ZONC's Annual Car Show Award for his 260Z

Sadly, **ZONC** has lost member and Santa Clara Area Representative Marshall Adams. We recently learned that Marshall passed away on December 14, 2018 from a four year battle with cancer. Marshall was 78 years young.

Marshall had retired about 2002 from a long career in education as a high school mathematics teacher. From the San Jose Mercury News obituary we learned that Marshall had a life long love of sailing.

Marshall will be remembered by **ZONC**ers as the owner of the beautiful brown 260Z that won several trophies at the **ZONC** car shows.

Marshall showed great pride and love for his beautifully maintained Datsun 260Z. **ZONC** car shows will be diminished by his absence.

Condolences are extended to his family and friends by all the **ZONC**ers, who had the pleasure of knowing Marshall.



SEPT. 29, 2019

PICNIC

10AM - 2PM

Join us at **Coyote Point Recreation Area**
Eucalyptus Group Area 1
1701 Coyote Point Dr., San Mateo, CA

\$6 Entry Fee Per Vehicle
(Veterans w/ID Park Free)

Picnic is Free to ZONC Members & Kids Under 13
\$5 for all Others

ZONC Provides BBQ, Dessert, Drinks
Guests Bring a Side Dish to Share



RSVP by Sept 22, 2019 to President@ZONC.org



Motoring J Style 2008

By Bob Jenkins

David Swig held his 2nd ANNUAL MOTORING J STYLE ALL JAPANESE car event at the Solano County Fairgrounds on May 24th, 2008, and Peter Brock gave a talk and a slide show. ZONC had a corral and many of their cars won awards.



2019 ZONC & Other Car Events

AUGUST

- 10-11** Monterey Pre-Reunion - Laguna Seca
17 Santa Cruz by SAC Datsun
18 Danville Hot Summer Sundays
15-18 Monterey Motorsports Reunion - Laguna Seca
31 Santo Family Free Car Show in Alviso

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
29 ZONC Annual Picnic at Coyote Point

OCTOBER

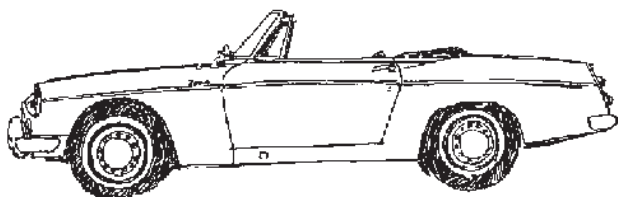
- 04-06** CSRG Charity Challenge Sonoma Raceway
12 Leafers Fun Run by SAC Datsun

NOVEMBER

- 09** Calaveras Big Trees by SAC Datsun

DECEMBER

- 08** ZONC Awards Banquet



The SANTOS FAMILY **14th ANNUAL**
FREE Labor Day Car Show
August 31, 2019
 7:00 AM - 3:00 PM

NO REGISTRATION REQUIRED



Alviso, CA
Join An Estimated 700 Cars
 FREE Dash Plaques For Participants

The Santos Family would like to thank
 San Jose's Council District 4
 and
 the San Jose police department

PLEASE NOTE
 Absolutely **NO** Cars Parked Before 7:00am



2018 ZONC Car Show Sponsors

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| AJ's AUTO DETAIL | Rock Auto |
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**FOR SALE****1987 300 ZX**

It's a 5 speed, fuel injected, no accidents, single original owner. Runs good, clean inside and out.

\$3500.

Tom or Pam Coulter. **Call 916-300-2580.** or
Email: tomjcoulter@yahoo.com

For Sale:**300ZX Z32 wheels w/tires OEM**

\$100 OBO

* A set of 4 OEM wheels from a 1991 Nissan 300ZX. These wheels are painted black with peel-off paint. These wheels are in excellent shape with one or two spots of very minor curb rash. * The tires on them are Fuzion HRi brand 225/50-16 all around. These tires hold air and have some tread left on them but are very old with visible cracks in the sidewalls. Suitable for rolling a car around or driving short distances, but UNSAFE for road travel. * This bolt pattern will fit MANY cars, Nissan and other brands, but do your research to make sure they will work on your car. * Pick up in Santa Cruz area. Mo - **831-471-8348**

**Profiles Wanted**

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

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

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	MONTHLY	6 MONTHS YEARLY	
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1/2 Page	\$35	\$184	\$315
1/4 Page	\$25	\$125	\$200
Bus. Card	\$15	\$68	\$90

**FOR SALE****1982 280ZX**

2-seater, 5-speed. 95% original (upgraded sound system), clean, 2-owner, stored in garage. New carpet, tires, battery.

Upholstery like new (covers used). Original service manual & all service records available. 311k easy miles.

\$11,500.

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Cell: **(559) 281-5310**

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Members: no charge for nonbusiness ads

(include membership # with ad)

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Please send via email with photos, if possible

(.gif or .jpg of 100 to 150 KB in size) to:

thebeard@sonic.net

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Please make check or money order payable to: **ZONC.**

Please send ad with payment to:

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