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## The Official Newsletter of Z Owners of Northern California

### ZONC on ZOOM

**Sunday, October 11, 2020**

Join us on **October 11 at 11:30am**. The link was sent in the email when the Z News was sent.

Discussion will be about the remainder of the year events and runs.



### Order Your ZCon Book by October 30

By Ann Devor

Art Singer, editor and publisher of Z Car Club Magazine, is writing a book covering 50 years of Z cars and the people who love them. The book will be focused on 33 years of the annual Z Convention. This will include the 1991 ZCON that **ZONC** hosted here in Northern California. You can submit a photo of your Z car for inclusion in the book and pre-order copies of the book until October 30. Don't delay, do it today!

The book is entitled **ZCON 1988-2020** and will include a review of Mr. K's accomplishments beginning with the design and promotion of the beloved 240Z, the first Z to hit the United States. Special events such as the Z1 Nationals, Branson Z Fest, MSA West Coast Nationals and ZDayZ will also appear in the new book. In addition, **ZONC** has submitted photos and information from our recent 2018 Rolex Monterey Motorsports Reunion car corral honoring Datsun and Nissan sports car racing and we hope that Art will find room to include RMMR with the other notable Z events. To order your copy of the book, go to [zcarclubmag.com](http://zcarclubmag.com) to place your order.

To submit a photo of your car, please send a high resolution

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### Board Nomination Acceptance

#### PRESIDENT

This is my formal acceptance of nomination to the office of President for 2021.

~ Linda Williams

#### VICE PRESIDENT

I formally accept my nomination as **ZONC** Vice President for the coming year.

Best. ~ Jason Green

#### VICE PRESIDENT ADM.

This is my formal acceptance of nomination to the office of Vice President Admin. for 2021.

~ Oscar Lemus

#### TREASURER

I formally accept my nomination for **ZONC** Treasurer for 2021.

Cheers. ~ Wade Warren

#### SECRETARY

There are no nominations for Secretary.

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# On Z Road Again

By Linda Williams



October 2020

Welcome to Fall!! What a year to remember, especially since we haven't had any **ZONC** events or runs to enjoy. Things don't look like they will be changing anytime soon, but what's important is that we all remain healthy and safe.

My thoughts and prayers go out to the many families that have been evacuated from or lost their homes in various parts of our state due to the wild fires that are moving through several areas. If you know of anyone that is in need of help or supplies, please let us know and we will see if we can help them out. Between the lightning storms, bad air, the high temperatures and everything else, I have to ask the question "What else can happen this year?"

We had our September meeting on the 13th via ZOOM and had 11 people on the call. We discussed the events that have been cancelled and the upcoming run to Fort Bragg, which may or may not happen. We just want to make sure when we decide to have it, we are socially distancing and being as careful as we can. We also discussed ZDay being cancelled, as well as the new book that Art Singer is going to be taking orders on to celebrate 50 years of Nissan. (See info

on [page 4](#))

You will be notified of our voting for Officers for 2021 and would appreciate everyone's participation. The nominations are: **Linda Williams** for President, **Jason Green** for Vice President, **Oscar Lemus** for Admin Vice President and **Wade Warren** for Treasurer. A ballot was sent electronically to all current **ZONC** members and associates in September and will be due by **Oct. 20th**. The Secretary's position is still open if anyone is interested in volunteering to fill it.

On a fun note, the end of August I headed to Sitka, Alaska for 3 days of fishing with my brother and another couple that we go with on our trips to AK. We were taken care of by Angling Unlimited, and our Captain Sarah, and deckhand Tyler. I can't say enough about how wonderful they all were. Since we fish for the boat (4 people), we all came home with 2 – 50 lb. boxes of fish. The King Salmon were at the end of the season and I caught 2 and my brother caught 1, we caught many Coho's (Silver), limits on Halibut (1/day/person), black sea bass and some other rock fish. We did catch 3 Ling Cod, but unfortunately, they were too big and had to be thrown back along with some of the halibut, UGH!! It's frustrating, especially since you just brought them up from 300 – 600 feet of water! I felt very safe flying with Alaska Airlines and would do it again. We had to have a negative Covid-19 test within 72 hours of landing in Sitka or else we had to go into isolation until our test result arrived. We were all good tho!

Safe travels to you all!

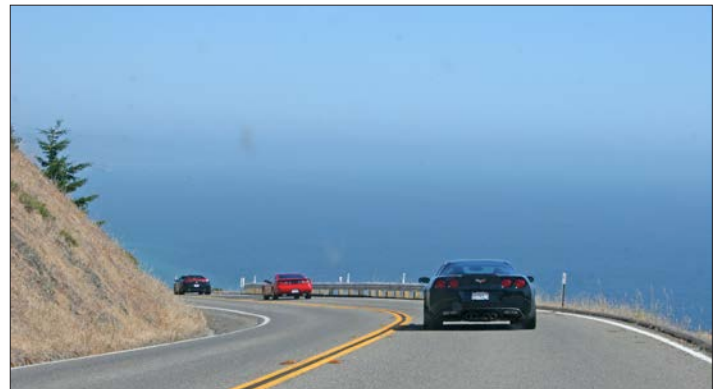
## Z Car Renewal

If you missed the unveil which was part of the 2020 ZCON, check the one hour *Z Proto Digital Unveil* out at:

<https://www.cnet.com/roadshow/news/nissan-z-reveal-how-to-watch-sports-car-debut/>





**2007 ZONC Tour to Gualala**

Pre-order your limited edition copy of:

## ZCON 1988-2020

Celebrating 50 Years of Z-Cars, Z Enthusiasts and America's Most Iconic ZCar Event

ZCON 1988-2020 takes you back in time to celebrate 50 years of Z-cars, 33 years of ZCON's, pictures of Z enthusiast cars from around the world and a Foreward from "Mad" Mike Taylor. The book also includes Mr. K Achievements throughout the years, along with other prominent national Z events that include Z1 Nationals, Branson Z Fest, MSA West Coast Nationals and ZDayZ, which have all contributed to helping keep the Z revered in the sports car world.

**10/30 deadline for ordering.** The website is:

<http://zcarclubmag.com/>

## HAPPY OCTOBER BIRTHDAYS...

Frankie Armstead

Andrew Balaguy

Cece Barros

Bryann Delohery

Scott Eldridge

Paul Gommel

Peter Iozzia

Darren Pool

Larry B. Robert

Michael Stanton

*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!*



## Order Your ZCon Book

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photo or pdf of your car to [arts.zccm@gmail.com](mailto:arts.zccm@gmail.com) as soon as possible and no later than Oct. 30. The technical requirements for photos are:

- The picture needs to be in high resolution (6.0 megapixel or higher)

- The background needs to be in a nice setting. (No driveways, no parked in the street in front of the house, no stop signs, speed limit signs, telephone poles, in the garage, people mulling around, other cars, etc.). The Z doesn't need to be a show car, but it would be nice if the background made it think it was. Racecars are also welcome.

- Art is looking for ¾ views facing front showing the front and full side of the car)

- Make sure to leave enough background around the whole car (top, bottom, left, right) so he has room for cropping.

- It's important that you supply your name, city and state along with the year, make and model of your Z and tell him that you are a **ZONC** member.

Art cautions that he will only use the images that fit the criteria above. Don't miss this special opportunity to get your car in the book and to visit Z sports car club history. If you have any questions, you can contact Art by email or me at [anndevor@gmail.com](mailto:anndevor@gmail.com) and we will do our best to help you.

**\* Check web sites for the latest information and to learn if the events are going to happen as scheduled. \***

## 2020 ZONC & Other Car Events

### OCTOBER

03-04 CSRG Charity Challenge Historic- Sonoma

11 **ZONC** ZOOM Meeting

### DECEMBER

12 **ZONC** Annual Banquet





## MOTORING J STYLE 2008

David Swig held his 2<sup>nd</sup> Annual Motoring J Style all Japanese car event at the Solano County Fairgrounds in May 2008. Peter Brock was there and gave a talk with a slide show on his time with the BRE Team, fielding the Datsun Roadsters, Z's and 510's. It rained in the morning which kept the turn-out low.



Peter Brock



Bob Jenkins



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## MOTORING J STYLE 2008

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Paul Hook's Datsun 240Z



Alan Hirotani's Nissan 300ZX



L to R: Ron Fuller Marci Jenkins, Ann Devor, Paul Hooks



Rob Fullers' Datsun 510



Dan Magliari's Datsun Roadster



Front row L to R: Mike Sullivan, Paul Hooks,  
Wade Warren  
Next row up L to R: Jack Atkinson, Ann Devor,  
Yolanda Atkinson, Paul Gommel





## For Sale

2003 350 Z ENTHUSIAST. Purchased online through Nissan Web site in March 2002. Took delivery from dealer Sept. 2002. Very early serial number. 7900 Original miles and completely stock. Immaculate condition. 0-60mph-3.8 seconds. Metallic dark silver with black interior. 6 speed trans. Zenon headlamps. Original Pirelli P7's. Trip computer. Vanity Plates: "Zweet". A must see vehicle.

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**American Autocross Series**

[www.americanautox.com/schedule/](http://www.americanautox.com/schedule/)

**SFR SCCA:**

[www.sfrscca.org/autocross/](http://www.sfrscca.org/autocross/)

**Northwest Hill Climb Association**

**(541) 772-7314**

<https://nhahillclimb.org/>

**Redwood Sports Car Club Eureka**

**(707) 441-1603**

[www.rsccl.net](http://www.rsccl.net)

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