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On Z Road Again

By Linda Williams

Sept 2025



We had great weather in Fort Bragg on Saturday Aug 7th when several **ZONC** members, family and neighbors all converged on my home to enjoy a BBQ. With blue skies, sunshine, slight breeze, and a great group of people, we all sat around sharing stories and getting to meet new friends. Thanks to Ken for doing all the BBQing and to everyone else that brought all the great food for everyone to share. It's always such a fun time. My neighbors joined us and always love seeing all the cars that are parked in the driveway among the trees. Thanks everyone for all your help too!!

Wonderful weather, wonderful friends, great roads and fun cars..... what else could you ask for? How about a car show?? Well, it's almost time!! I'm getting things in order for the show, making last minute plans/decisions to make this another wonderful show for everyone to enjoy. Be sure to let your family and friends know about it and have them bring their cars (Datsun/Nissan/Infinti) and join us. We will have lots of raffle items and gift card to win!!

ZCON is right around the corner and will be in Nashville this year, **Sept 8-13**th. You can always join the Z Across America Rally (ZAAR) that begins in Salt Lake City and concludes in Nashville to begin ZCON. The rally covers over 7,000 miles, spans 20 states and takes approximately 2.5 weeks. This rally is specifically designed for owners and fan of Nissan Z sports cars. You can join in at any time along the rally as a huge "Z" drive is completed.

https://zcon.org/conventions/2025/z-across-america-rally/ This is only the $2^{\rm nd}$ time this has ever been done!!

JCCS-Japanese Classic Car Show is coming on Oct 11th and I have been fortunate enough to have my Tribute Car entered into the show. Hopefully ZONC will have a few members going down to enjoy the show. It's my first time attending and I'm looking forward to the event!

Safe Travels,

Linda

The Nominations for 2026 **ZONC** Board of Directors

President Linda Williams
Vice-President Oscar Lemus
Vice President-Adm Bob Russell
Secretary Jason Green
Treasurer Wade Warren





Brisbane Marina

400 Sierra Point Parkway Brisbane, CA

On 101 South - Take Exit 426 (Sierra Point Parkway) On 101 North - Take Exit 426B (Sierra Point Parkway)





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ZONC BBQ IN FORT BRAGG August 9, 2025











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ZONC BBQ in Ft. Bragg

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Thank you Linda! Wonderful people, good food and great weather!

ZONC Membership Report August 2025

Area	Members	Assoc	Car Models	No of Cars
Alameda	16	1	240Z	36
Contra Costa	18	0	260Z	1
Marin/Sonoma	10	4	280Z	11
Mendocino/Lake	0	0	280ZX	3
Monterey	8	0	300ZX-Z31	6
North/Central Valley	6	0	300ZX-Z32	9
Out of Area	5	1	350Z	12
Sacramento Area	8	0	370Z	11
San Francisco	7	0	Z (RZ34)	13
San Mateo	8	0	GT-R	1
Santa Clara	13	1	G35	0
Santa Cruz	2	0	G37	1
Solano	4	2	510	5
			Datsun Roadsters	6
TOTAL Members	105	10	Total Cars	115
NEW Members YTD	22			

"Love Cars. Love People. Love Live."

~ Mr. K (Yutaka Katayama)





Happy September Birthdays

Frank Dale

John Ettare

Kwame Fields

Travis Hill

Kim Townsend

Martin Van Ardenne

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!



PLEASE WELCOME NEW MEMBER . . .

Joseph Tenenbaum 280ZX

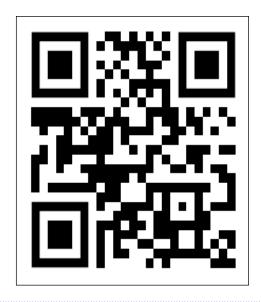


ZONC DUES

Time to pay your **ZONC** membership dues? Are you having trouble finding out where to pay your **ZONC** dues on the **ZONC** website: **ZONC**. ORG?

Below is the QR code that takes you directly to the section of the **ZONC** website where you pay your dues.

Please share it with all your Z friends so they can easily join **ZONC.**



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Z1 MOTORSPORTS z1motorsports.com

CONCEPT Z conceptzperformance.com

JDM MUSCLE USA jdmuscleusa.com

APEXi USA apexi-usa.com

ARMYTRIX USA armytrixusa.com

AXIS PARTS' axisparts.jp

ECUTEK ecutek.com

KANJO SPEC.D kanjospecd.com

FACTORY SPIRIT factoryspirit.com

EVO-R evo-r.com

BOOSTED 6 boosted6auto.com

SEIBON CARBON seiboncarbon.com

MY JAPAN DIRECT myjapandirect.com

CARBON CREATIONS carboncreations.com

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Thanks to Z Club San Diego



ZONC 2024 Car Show Sponsors

Nissan-USA

Z Car Garage

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Griot's Garage

La Guera Taco Truck





New Cars & Coffee Section

Hi **ZONC**ers if you have a favorite Cars & Coffee meet near you and would like to share it with the rest of the club, please send all the information like day, hours and such to Bob Jenkins at: thebeard@sonic.net and we will include it on our new Cars & Coffee page in ZNEWS.

Locations

1st Sunday of the month

Marin County 6:30am -10:00am 132 Vintage Way Novato

2nd Sunday of the month

Coddingtown Shopping Center Parking Lot.

8am - 10am Santa Rosa

1st Saturday of the month

Jelly Belly 9am -12pm 1 Jelly Belly Ln Fairfield

3rd Sunday of the month

Peet's Coffee

DcDowell Blvd Petaluma

4th Sunday of the month

9am Penngrove Market, Penngrove 10079 Main St., Penngrove



Meet Tom Sahakian New ZONC Member

I found the club and attended the recent gathering at Black Hawk and joined the club when I got home. A little about us: Tom & Debbie Sahakian, we are in Santa Cruz and hope to attend bay area events. We are recently retired and learning a new life. We have two Z's: a 1971 early semi custom 240, and a 2023 spec Z car.

Bought the new one just because it is so cool, and the '71 is a dream car from an earlier time in our life. We have had the 240 since 2014 and tore it down to the shell and brought it back to life.

Cheers

Tom





2025/26 ZONC & Other Car Events

SEPTEMBER

<u>01</u> Z Across America Rally

- 06 Santos Car Show in Alviso
- **06** Cloverdale Car Show
- <u>07</u> ZONC Annual Car Show, Brisbane
- 08-13 ZCON in Nashville
- 13 US 40 Fun Run SAC Datsun
- **<u>14</u> ZONC** Meeting on Google Meets
- 20 Danville Concours in Danville

OCTOBER

- 03-05 CSRG Charity Historic Races at Sonoma
- 04 Datslocos Show & Shine
- 20th Anniversary JCCS Japanese Classic Car Show at Long Beach's Marina Green Park
- 18 Leafers Fun Run SAC Datsun
- **19 ZONC Annual Picnic**

NOVEMBER

- 15 Calaveras Big Trees Fun Run
- 22 24 Hours of Lemons, Sonoma Raceway

DECEMBER

- 13 ZONC Annual Banquet/ Fun Run 2026 MARCH
- 27-29 GT World Challenge America

Check websites and Facebook for the latest information to learn if the events are going to happen as scheduled.

Sac Datsun Events

For more infomation go to www.facebook.com/sacdatsun/

***FOR SALE ***

Brown '73 240Z

247,000 miles;

well maintained.

For more info:

Henry Lynch cuzcoturner@gmail.com

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

BUSINESS DISPLAY AD RATES FOR Z NEWS

	MONTHLY	6 MONTHS	YEARLY
Full Page	\$ <i>55</i>	\$303	\$495
1/2 Page	<i>\$35</i>	\$184	\$315
1/4 Page	<i>\$25</i>	\$125	\$200
Bus. Card	\$15	\$68	\$90

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