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Thank you to the Poway Cruisers for putting on another fantastic event. We had a great time!  $T_5$ 

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We recently attended the Rod Run VI car show in Oak Glen and as you may recall, it was a drizzly, foggy and cold experience. So, when we heard there was a new first time car show in Oak Glen, we checked the weather forecast and decided we would give it another try. This was the first ever car show by Unstabled C.C. called "Pistons At The Pines." It was short notice, and Linda and I were the only T5R members attending.

Submitted by Wayne Hartwig

We got up early and left home at 6:00 am to make the 110 mile trip to Oak Glen. We arrived at 8:20 and parked in a line of other classics waiting to get into the show area. The weather was sunny and nice with an expected high of 84 degrees. We were told regulations prevented officials from letting entries park before

9;00 AM. I used the time waiting in line to do a little detailing. At 9:00 am, we were directed into the show area, and we were parked under some big trees providing

us with plenty of shade all day. There were 106 pre-paid entries, but there were 30 no-shows. However, there were quite a few day-of-show entries making up the difference.



Since this was a first time show, we

were curious about how organized it would be. Things were done a little different than at some other shows, but it seemed to go well. We made our

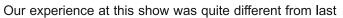
way up to the registration area where they had a stack of white teepee shaped table markers with numbers on them like you see at fast food places. We were asked if we had a number preference, and of course, I said 55. The lady looked through the stack of numbers and 55 was still unclaimed, so we were entry number 55. How cool was that? We picked up our registration goody bag and checked out the raffle prizes. The raffle had some pretty nice items, so we bought some tickets.

The show area was all up and down a hill and there were quite a few really nice cars that came up the hill from Riverside, Redlands, Beaumont and surrounding areas, mostly cars we had not seen before. As the day wore on, it got a bit on the warm side, but the trees provided us with cool shade all day. At noon we went into Kluddes Family Restaurant for some lunch. As you might expect since it was the only place to eat close by, it was very busy, and it took quite a while to get served, but it did the job.



After lunch around 1:00 pm, raffle numbers were posted on the white board and we won five times, all gift certificates totaling over \$400. Awards were announced at 2:00

pm. There were ten "Top Ten" awards" and a few very tall six foot specialty trophies including "Club Participation", "Veterans Choice", "Lowrider Pick", "People's Choice" and "Best of Show" awards. Our '55 Belair was selected for a "Top Ten" award. Whew! We were glad we didn't win one of those big ones as it would not have fit in the car without some disassembly!



month's show. I have to give the people at Unstabled C.C. kudos for their first show, as it went off without a hitch and things were done on time. Much better than some shows that have been around for years. We're not sure we'll do this show again, but it was fun, and we had a good time.



### Thi-Five Messages Info, News

July - August is the beginning of our T5R Road Trips Look for pics on our website, facebook pages and articles in our upcoming newsletters.



August is a really busy month for Revolutionaries. Most of us will be out of town driving our classics on different road trips. That being said we will not be having a meeting this month. Stay tuned for all our adventures on our website, facebook page and in next months newsletter.

Safe travels to everyone.

 $T_5R$ 



Hi Car Show Enthusiast!

Hope your summer is going well. Yikes, it is really hot out there, especially "down the hill." Why not come up to cool Big Bear for the Fun Run Car Show? As you know, it's held the second weekend in August in the Village of Big Bear Lake.

Some of you may be reluctant to come up because of the high cost of hotels. Well, I looked online at Airbnb and found quite a few places that are quite reasonable.

We talked with our printer about schedule and we have an extra week to accept entries. We still have a few openings left so you can still enter. Go to <a href="https://www.signup.antiquecarclub.org">www.signup.antiquecarclub.org</a> to enter right away.

Remember, entry not only includes the car show, but you get a cool T-shirt, a mug, a Fun Run license plate, a magnetic dash plaque, and other goodies. And of course there's the extremely fun and exclusive Cruise around the Lake. We also give out 70 awards, so your car has a good chance to win.

So come on up to Big Bear for a fun weekend!

See you at the show. Jim Eakin Fun Run Chairman



## Main Street America Car Show 27

Submitted by Wayne Hartwig

The Corvette Owners Club of San Diego held their 27th Annual Main Street America Car Show on July 20 on the grass at Embarcadero Marina Park North by Seaport Village. Last year, Craig Moya told everyone that the Port District had advised they were not booking any car shows at the Embarcadero for 2024 because of planned construction to update the park. I'm not sure what happened, but there have been a few shows at the Embarcadero this year and a few more are scheduled. That makes me very happy as this is the very best venue for a car show anywhere around, especially in the hot summer months. We did notice that some new trees had been planted in a few places around the park.

Linda and I were the only Tri-Five Revolution members attending, Linda with her brown '69 Chevy C20 pickup and me with the black & silver '55 Chevy convertible. We arrived around 7:30 am and we were handed our goody envelopes containing a dash placard with our entry number, a dash plaque, a voting sheet, a meal ticket and a schedule of events. We were directed to our pre-assigned parking spaces which were side by side on the south end of the park on the bay side with a great view of ships, boats and various other watercraft playing on the water all day. We were treated to a rare site of the USS Iwo Jima, a Wasp-Class Amphibius Assault Ship (LDH7), making its way out of the harbor. Very cool site!





The weather this year was quite nice, but it was also a bit breezier than usual all day causing a little more difficulty keeping popups secured. This year's 360 entries sold out early, so a few late registrants were disappointed. Gotta sign up earlier every year for a lot of shows now if you want to be sure you can attend. This show continues to be a fundraiser for the San Diego Center for the Blind. Last year over \$26,000 was raised. This year they were hoping for at least \$27,000.

We bought raffle tickets and only won one item. Linda won a flower vase with a bottle of wine and artificial flowers. The only on-site food was a vendor selling a hot dog or a brat on an oversized bun with a bag of chips and a drink for a mere \$15. Since we had two meal tickets, we saved that \$30.



Judging is still all people's choice. Each participant chooses the appropriate class for their car or truck by entering the appropriate letter on the registration form. Each participant also gets a ballot to pick their favorite vehicle in each of the 23 classes. Each class has a first and second place trophy to be awarded. Another interesting twist is that there is no Best-of-Show trophy awarded at the show. Instead, they invite all of the first-place winners back to next year's show and they are entered in the Gold Best-of-Show Class. The people again cast their vote for Best-of-Show and ultimately a "Best of Show" winner is declared. This is a very cumbersome process, both for the host club and for the attendees.

We made our way around the rows of cars to select our picks for all the classes. It takes a lot of effort to find a favorite in every class. Some classes can't be found at all. I saw several cars with the wrong class code, some with no code, and some totally blank. It's a Corvette show with several Corvette classes, so it seems logical all Corvettes should be in a Corvette class. But they let Corvettes in the modified class for all others too. They always tell us they make up classes based on the numbers from previous years. However, the

numbers still seem to be very lopsided. Some classes had only one or two cars. Class "S" includes all trucks and SUVs and there were a lot of them. Modified class "V" included all modified cars from 1946 through 1960. You know there are always a bunch in that category including a bunch of Trifives this year.

The awards were to be announced approximately 2 pm, and they were presented about 2:15. One by one, each award was presented in order from class "A" to Class "Z" with second place

announced first and first place announced second. The convertible was the people's choice for the second place trophy in Class "V". First place went to a high dollar custom built 1958 Corvette. I feel lucky to win even a second place trophy at this venue since there were so many really nice cars at the show.

No matter what, this is a great car show held in a great venue for a great cause, and you just can't help having a good time. It's even better when our fellow club members come out too. Will you be joining us next year?



## Upcoming Events, Cruises, and Holidays

8/3~8/7-10 Tri-Five Nationals or Bust - Bowling Green, Kentucky

- 8/3 In N Out Cruise - Scripps Poway Parkway
- 8/3 All American Car Show - Seaport Village
- 8/4-11 37th Hot August Nights Reno/Sparks
- 8/9-11 Big Bear Fun Run Big Bear Lake, Ca
- 8/15 **NO T5R MEETING this month**
- 8/24 Christian Rods and Custom Car Show - Spring Valley
- 9/2 **Labor Day**
- 9/2 Auto Swap & Car Show - NEW Location Pechanga Arena aka Kobeys Swapmeet
- 9/7 In N Out Cruise - Scripps Poway Parkway
- 9/8 **Long Beach Swapmeet**
- 9/19 T5R Meeting - Hamburger Factory - Poway
- Greatest Show on Turf Clairemont 9/14
- 9/21 Cornerstone's 1st Annual Wildomar Car & Bike Show - Wildomar
- 9/22 Copps and Rodders - Embarcadero
- 9/28 Ramona Senior Center Car Show
- 10/5 In N Out Cruise - Scripps Poway Parkway
- 10/5 Palm Springs Car Show & Festival – Downtown
- 10/5 Octobers Best - II Car Show - Sycuan
- 10/5 Mustangs by the Bay - Embarcadero
- 10/6 **Long Beach Swapmeet**
- 10/12 AutoFest Ramona
- 10/11-12 Murrieta Rod Run
- **Pomona Swapmeet and Classic Car Show**
- 10/17 T5R Meeting - Hamburger Factory - Poway
- 10/19 Lion Custom Celebration Car Show - Rancho Dominguez
- 10/31 Halloween
- 11/2 In N Out Cruise - Scripps Poway Parkway
- 11/3 **Daylight Savings Time (Fall Back)**
- 11/3 East County Cruisers Car Show & Toy Drive - Bates Nut Farm
- 11/10 Long Beach Swapmeet
- 11/11 **Veterans' Day**
- 11/21 T5R Meeting - Hamburger Factory - Poway
- 11/28 **Thanksgiving**
- 12/1 **Long Beach Swapmeet**
- 12/7 In N Out Cruise - Poway
- 12/8 Pomona Swapmeet and Classic Car Show

No Meeting in December

**TBD T5R Christmas Party** 

1/1/2025 New Years & T5R Cruise TBD

3/6-9 Midnight at the Oasis - Yuma, Az







Green Font is a club member

submitted event

Blue Font are Holidays and

**Observances** 

For site links, information, details & event flyers

visit our website calendar at: https://tri-fiverevolution.com/calendar





## Bob's "What The Hell Is It?"





This tool has a specific purpose.
I don't think even Sam M. will know what this is.
Good Luck!

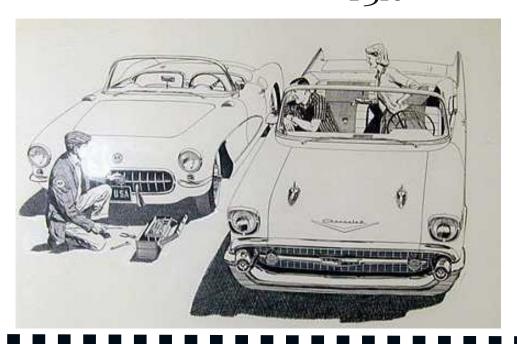


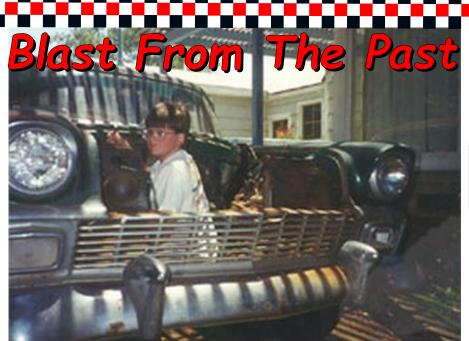


Congratulations Sam Milazzo he guessed this one right away. It is a tire tube patch vulcanizer.



Big Thank you to Wayne Hartwig. He helped all our Revolutionaires get their Classics ready for the upcoming long road trips. We really appreciate his hands on expertise.







monkey is?





Everyone guested it was the Grand Canyon but only Donna Keller knew that this was Rod & Nanci Hildebrand. Congratulations Donna

*If you have a Blast from the Past photo* we would love to see it. With a car would be a bonus but not necessary.



### **Hot August Nights**

8/4-11, 2024 - Reno/Sparks, NV

https://hotaugustnights.net/reno-sparks/







### 34TH ANNUAL VISTA ROD RUN 2024



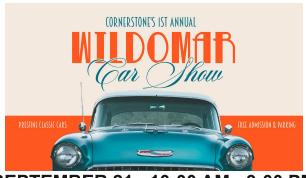






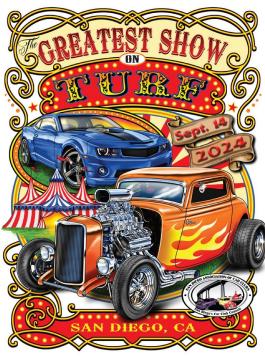






**SEPTEMBER 21 - 10:00 AM - 3:00 PM** 







# "Save the date, Sunday September 22nd 2024" GOPS & RADDERS FALL POW WOW JOIN THE SAN DIEGO PONTIAC CLUB & THE SAN DIEGO POLICE MUSEUM The Pontiacs of the San Diego Chapter of Poci

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By execution of this registration form, the above named entrant hereby agrees to indemnify, defend and hold harmless the Pontiac Dakland Club International, Chapter 58, the San Diego Police Museum, the San Diego Unified Port district, Seaport Village, the Embarcader, and their agents and employees respectively from any and all liability, including attorney's fees, by personal injury, death or property damage arising from participation in this event.







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November 2
December 7
2025
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February 1
March 1
April 5
May 3
June 7
July 5
August 2

September 6



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## T5R Meeting Hamburger Factory in Poway-5:30pm

14122 Midland Rd Poway, CA 92064 858-486-4575

NO MEETING in August October 17 November 21 NO MEETING in December 2025

January 16
February 20
March 20
April 17
May 15
June 19
July 17

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### Midnight At The Oasis March 7-9, 2025

A Legendary Gathering of Classic Cars and Entertainment
Midnight at the Oasis is a celebration of Yuma's rich heritage and passion for classic cars.
Prepare to be dazzled by the stunning display of vintage automobiles, toe-tapping music, and a vibrant community united by their love for the classics. This is your chance to be a part of an iconic experience that will leave you breathless.

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send to: Ava@Tri-FiveRevolution.com

Classic friends are welcome to send information about your upcoming events, we love hearing from you. Revolutionaries please let me know what events you are planning to attend.

**Creaky Lantern Games** 

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