

### <u> Upcoming Events, Cruises & Holidays</u>

- 12/6 Pomona Swapmeet and Classic Car Show
- 12/13 T5R Christmas Party Rough Edges Ranch \*CANCELLED\*
- 12/13 Long Beach High Performance Swapmeet
- 12/17 NO T5R MEETINGS IN DEC.
- 12/25 Christmas

### **2021**

- 1/1 New Years Day
- 1/1 New Years Day Cruise (TBD)
- 1/10 Long Beach High Performance Swapmeet
- 1/17 Pomona Swapmeet and Classic Car Show (Pending)
- 1/21 T5R Meeting Hamburger Factory Poway TBD
- 1/30 The Super Show Car Show Bates Nut Farm (open to all vehicles & bikes)
- 2/13 Dr. George Charity Car Show Indian Wells
- 2/14 Long Beach High Performance Swapmeet
- 3/4-7 Midnight at the Oasis Yuma, Az
- 3/7 Pomona Swapmeet and Classic Car Show
- 3/14 Long Beach High Performance Swapmeet
- 3/28 MadameMechanic.com Car Show Poway
- 4/9-11 20th Meguiar's Del Mar Nationals, Del Mar Fairgrounds
- 4/11 Long Beach High Performance Swapmeet
- 4/18 Pomona Swapmeet and Classic Car Show
- 4/30 Temecula Rod Run Temecula
- 4/30-5/1 Western Invasion Bakersfield
- 5/7-8 OTHG Streak 47 Campland by the Bay

5/14-16 Grand National Roadster Show - Pomona





Red Font is an club attending event

Green Font is a club member submitted event

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# **ECH TIME**The Final Convertible Update

submitted by Wayne Hartwig

I spent quite a bit of time visiting numerous upholstery shops before I made my decision on which shop I would choose to create and install the custom interior and top for the convertible project. Several shops I visited either couldn't or wouldn't provide me with

the quality and custom design I was looking for. I was not convinced I could get exactly what I wanted until I made a trip to Armando's Custom Upholstery

in San Jacinto. If you have ever been to any of the Good Guys car shows, the Grand National Roadster show, or any other large car show event, you most likely have seen classic and custom cars with interiors that were custom designed and installed by

CUSTOM UPHOLSTRY



Armando's. Armando's doesn't just do interior upholstery. They are a full custom car business that does custom body fabrication and paint along with most anything you want to have done to your Tri-Five, truck, convertible, muscle car, resto-mod, or traditional restoration.



They consistently kept me up on the progress by texting photos of design options and asking questions about what I wanted to incorporate into the design. I made one or two trips every week to San Jacinto to observe the progress first hand. I was blown away with what I saw every time.

I chose Armando's because they have been operating their family-owned business for many years and they are an absolute pleasure to do business with. They spent all the time needed to thoroughly listen to my vision and ideas for my project and they went out of their way to suggest ways to make it the best it could be. They really know the upholstery business and their work is as professional as I have ever seen.





This project took the better part of eight weeks, and is now complete. I now have an interior and top that is far superior to what I could even imagine in the beginning. The Lexus power bucket seats and the rear seat were repadded and covered with a one-of-a-kind custom design. Door and side panels were designed to complement the seat design. The console was designed to flow with the bucket seats and included a location for the stereo, power points and cup holders. The top is of the best quality

and fit and we added a glass folding rear window to eliminate the problems that inherently plague the plastic ones that look bad the first time the top is folded down. The trunk design was created to

accommodate and give access to the battery box, kill switch and amplifier. It looks great, and at the same time it provides for some storage on each side to store things I will want to have in the car.

November 23 was kind of like Christmas for me because that is the day Armando's completed all the tasks, and the convertible was ready to come home. The car is now safely back in San Diego in the

shop and it is looking good! There are still a few tasks that need to be completed before it hits the road, but it is essentially ready to go. It seems sort of surreal to me because this project has taken 21 years to complete and there were times when I wondered if it would ever get finished. I have already made plans to take it to numerous car show events and it will be on display in Armando's booth at the Grand National Roadster Show in Pomona in May. I'm really hoping the covid pandemic doesn't cause any of them to be canceled along the way. I'm really looking forward to driving the car

instead of just working on it. It is now time to turn up the music and cruise!



"The End"



### Geiman Project



Here is a little tid bit for the newslettler.

Our new street sign is finished and ready to welcome guests. Just one of the projects we have been working on.

Tom & Nancy





## Bishop's 3rd Barn

After 6 weeks we finally have our 3rd and final barn up. Bob and Brooks have been wiring it for lights and electrical service. Then Brooks plans to create a custom wood work bench. Bobs happy that all the woodworking tools are now out of his garage.

Bob & Ava









# Claudia's Corner

2020 has been a very difficult year for many of us. We hope this Christmas season finds you and your families healthy and happy. I for one am looking forward to a much better 2021! Merry Christmas and Happy New Year from sunny Arizona!

Claudia & Danny Gayhart

### RULES TO LIVE BY

- #1 Talk to yourself. There are times you need expert advice.
- #2 "In Style" are the clothes that still fit.
- #3 You don't need anger management. You need people to stop pissing you off.
- #4 Your people skills are just fine. It's your tolerance for idiots that needs work.
- #5 The biggest lie you tell yourself is, "I don't need to write that down. I'll remember it."
- #6 "On time" is when you get there.
- #7 Even duct tape can't fix stupid but it sure does muffle the sound.
- #8 It would be wonderful if we could put ourselves in the dryer for ten minutes, then come out wrinkle-free...and three sizes smaller.
- #9 Lately, you've noticed people your age are so much older than you.
- #10 Growing old should have taken longer.
- #11 Aging has slowed you down, but it hasn't shut you up.
- #12 You still haven't learned to act your age and hope you never will.

#13 – "One for the road" means peeing before you leave the house. (This is the one I follow most closely!)

# 2021 Upcoming Events

COVID-19 Response

### **January 17, Swap Meet** (Pending)

Stay safe and healthy, please visit the CDC website for more information. www.cdc.gov/coronavirus/2019-ncov/index.html



Thank you!



# Midnight at the Oasis Yuma, Arizona - March 5-7, 2021

contingent on health department approval

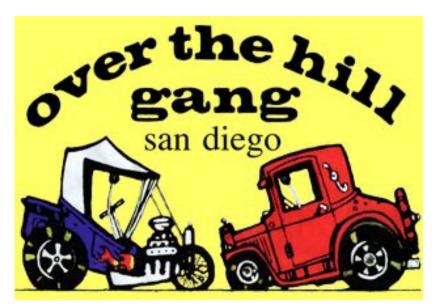
Tri-Five members will meet at Albertsons in Alpine to caravan on March 4th - 10am



20th Meguiar's **Del Mar Nationals April 9 - 11, 2021** 







# Streak 47 Campland On the Bay May 7-8,2021

Attention STREAK Participants,

On behalf of the Over the Hill Gang, San Diego we want to invite you to register for our upcoming STREAK 47 to be held on May 7-8, 2021 at Campland on scenic Mission Bay. We are looking forward to presenting our traditional show featuring a huge raffle with hundreds of valuable prizes, handmade trophies, great food, lots of music and dancing, and a park full of beautiful rods, customs, muscle cars, and trucks. We missed you all last year and can't wait to see you again.

This year you will have three registration options; Camping with Car Entry, Pre-registration Car Entry, and our new No-Frills Car Entry. The first two options include two of our great BBQ lunches and an event T-shirt, while the No-Frills Entry allows you to select the meals and T-shirt "ala carte". We hope these options will allow you more flexibility to enjoy the event. For those of you who will be camping, we will make every effort to allow you to "keep" the sites you have occupied in the past. However, you MUST register by January 31, 2021 or possibly lose that opportunity.

On a practical note, we realize there is still a great deal of uncertainty regarding the future months and the COVID-19 pandemic. You can rest assured that if we are unable to produce STREAK 47 you will receive a full refund of your registration fees. Meanwhile, we will be looking forward to seeing you at STREAK 47 so fill out and return the attached registration form now.

Ronnie Adair, Chairwoman STREAK 47

Bill Hogue, Registration Chairman STREAK 47

Claudia & Danny Gayhart 12/13

# T5R December Birthday & Anniversarys







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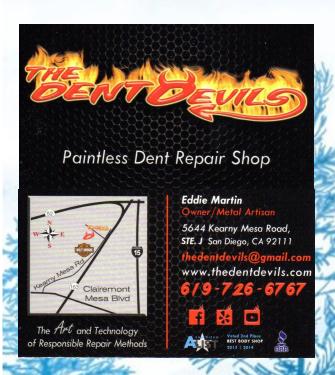


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Revolutionaries please let me know if I missed your special day.

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