





Brea Holiday Car Show 2024

Submitted by Wayne Hartwig

We received a flyer for the Annual Brea Holiday Car Show in Downtown Brea on December 8th and since it was the only event anywhere on the calendar for the month of December, we decided to give it a try. The show was advertised as a salute to Classic Cars, Street Rods, Muscle Cars, Trucks, Exotics, Sport Cars and Antiques. This show was produced by the Flying Deuces Car Club and the Brea Downtown Owners Association benefiting the California Highway Patrol's CHiP's for Kids toy drive. This has been a very successful car show and has plenty of entertainment including movie

theatres, music, vendors, unique shops, holiday decorations, great food and Santa Claus. Ralph's, Home goods, World Market and Baskin Robbins were only a few steps away from the show area.



There was no online registration for this show. To register, we had to mail the completed registration form with a check and a photo of the car to the event organizer. The entry fee was \$45 and a new unwrapped toy for the toy drive. Registration had to be received by November 15 and included an event tee-shirt. We received the dash placard and show information in the mail prior to the show. The event was advertised as being limited to 250 entries, but the show was so popular, they expanded it to around 350 entries.

The show would go on rain or shine, but the weather forecast looked as though it would be a beautiful day. We left home at 6:00 am to make the 108 mile drive to Brea. We arrived at 7:20 and made our way through a parking lot

and through a parking garage to the entry point for the show. Show move-in was to open at 7:30, however, we were still amongst the last few cars to arrive. The show area was only four blocks long and entries were parked pretty close together in order to accommodate all of them. We had to wait a few minutes with a few other cars while officials were diligently working to get them all parked. We were eventually parked on Walnut and had to negotiate the narrow path through the vendor area to

get there. We were angle parked, which was really good for showing the car. We later discovered the event organizers assigned special parking and VIP parking on Birch Street for selected entries based on the photos. We were not one of them. Apparently they weren't impressed with the photos of our convertible.



My Navy friend John Thompson and his girl friend Christine live not too far from Brea, and they joined us in the afternoon until the end of the show. John and I spent four years in the Navy together from boot camp to Storekeeper school, survival training at Camp Pendleton, Da Nang Vietnam and Pearl Harbor, Hawaii. We've been good friends ever since. It was a really nice visit.

There was a raffle hosted by the Lions Club of Brea, but we were disappointed with it as tickets were \$5 each and there was only three items and a dozen bettles of bears. We would have thought after all the



bottles of booze. We would have thought after all these years, the raffle would have been much better. We opted not to buy tickets.



There was at least a dozen places to eat on Birch Street and we decided to eat at Bruxie Fried Chicken where we had chicken strips and mac & cheese. We then made a couple loops to see all the entries and all the vendors. After that, we visited Ralph's for cookies, then Home Goods and World Market for a few more goodies before returning back to the show area.

Judges from the Flying Deuces were walking around looking at each entry. There were no specific categories, they just picked vehicles they liked. Awards were announced at 3:30 pm, and we were told there

were 35 awards. Interestingly, all 35 awards were labeled as "Best of Show." I've never seen that before. They announced winners in numerical order of their registration number. We were 233 and we were awarded one of those "Best of Show" plaques.



We have been to a lot of shows over the last $3\frac{1}{2}$ years, and this was one of the nicest venues with some of the nicest cars we've seen. It's a fun event with plenty to see & do. We are likely to do it again next year. Come join us, fun guaranteed!



2025 Upcoming Events, Cruises, Partys and Holidays

12/28 - 1/1 SD International Auto Show - Convention Center 1/1 **New Years** 1/1 T5R New Years Day 5 Crown Tournament - Rough Edges Ranch, Ramon In N Out Burger Car Show - Scripps Poway Parkway 1/4 1/12 Long Beach Swapmeet 1/15 T5R Meeting - Hamburger Factory, Poway 1/19 Pomona Swapmeet and Classic Car Show 1/20 Martin Luther King Day 1/20 Auto Swap & Car Show - Pechanga Arena 1/31-2/2 75th Anniversary Grand Nat'l Roadster Show – Fairplex, Pomona 2/1 In N Out Burger Car Show - Scripps Poway Parkway 2/2 **Ground Hog Day** 2/8 San Juan Capistrano Classic Car Show - Via Positiva 2/8 7th Annual Kearney High Alumni Car Show 2/8 Dr George Charity Car Show -Indian Wells, Ca 2/9 Long Beach Swapmeet 2/14 Valentine's Day 2/17 **Presidents Day** 2/19 T5R Meeting - Hamburger Factory, Poway 3/1 In N Out Burger Car Show - Scripps Poway Parkway 3/2 Pomona Swapmeet and Classic Car Show 3/6 T5R Cruise to Yuma - Meet Alpine Albertsons 3/7-9 Midnight at the Oasis - Yuma, Az 3/9 Daylight Saving Time (Spring Forward) 3/9 Long Beach Swapmeet 3/17 St. Patrick's Day 3/19 T5R Meeting - Hamburger Factory, Poway 3/22 Sunrunners Car Club 39th Carne Asada Run Car Show - Imperial. Ca 3/31 César Chávez Day 4/1 Murrieta Rod Run 2025 registration begins 24th Meguiar's Del Mar Nationals - Del Mar Fairgrounds 4/5 In N Out Burger Car Show - Scripps Poway Parkway 4/6 Long Beach Swapmeet 4/13 Pomona Swapmeet and Classic Car Show 4/16 T5R Meeting - Hamburger Factory, Poway Red Font is a club attending event 4/20 **Easter Sunday** Green Font is a club member 5/3 In N Out Burger Car Show - Scripps Poway Parkway submitted event 5/10-12 52nd OTHG Annual Streak - SD Campland by the Bay Blue Font are Holidays and 5/11 Long Beach Swapmeet Observances 5/21 T5R Meeting - Hamburger Factory, Poway For site links, information, 6/7 In N Out Burger Car Show - Scripps Poway Parkway details & event flyers 6/8 Long Beach Swapmeet T5R Meeting - Hamburger Factory, Poway https://tri-fiverevolution.com/calendar 6/18

6/22

8/7-9

Pomona Swapmeet and Classic Car Show

Tri-Five Nationals - Bowling Green, Kentucky

Tri-Five Messages, Info, News





New Years Day - January 1, 2025 Rough Edges Ranch - 2pm Bring snacks and or a dessert to share and your own drinks. Let Ava know if you plan to come



Revolutionaries annual Christmas party was held on December 15th. Thank you to the Harveys for hosting. For pics of the gift exchange click here.



In N Out Cruise **Scripps Poway Parkway**

2025

January 4 February 1

March 1

April 5

May 3

June 7

July 5 August 2

September 6

October 4 November 1

December 6



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

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

2025 3rd Wednesday

January 15

February 19

March 19

April 16

May 21

June 18

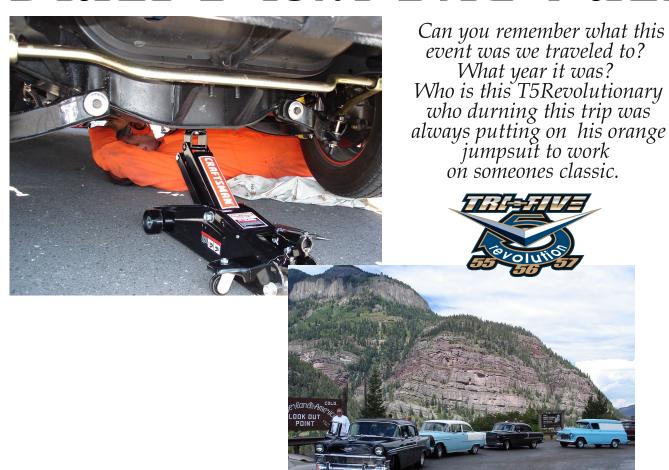
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September 17



http://powaycruisers.com/in-n-out-burger-cruise-nite/

Blast From The Past





This is T5R members Sam and Donna Rindskopf at our Nifty at Fifty CCI Western National Convention. Pechanga Casino in Temecula in October 2007. We celebrated 50 years of the '57 Chevy.

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.



Bob's "What The Hell Is It?"



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THE UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

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The Kearny High Alumni Association Presents the

7TH ANNUAL KEARNY HIGH ALUMNI CAR SHOW SATURDAY FEB. 8TH, 2025

9:00am-2:00pm



San Diego County Office of Education 6401 Linda Vista Rd, San Diego, CA 92111

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Name:	Email:		
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NO REFUNDS. Please adhere to any and all safety regulations that may be applicable at the time of the event.

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Signature:

Entry fee payable to: K.H.S. Alumni Association Mail to: Kearny High Alumni Association P.O. Box 710700 San Diego, Ca 92171-0700 Need more info, call (619) 201-8207

RAIN DATE TBA



Midnight At The Vasis Luma, Arizona March 7-9, 2025

Member Caravan March 6th Alpine Albertsons Parking Lot

https://www.caballeros.org/midnight-at-the-oasis/

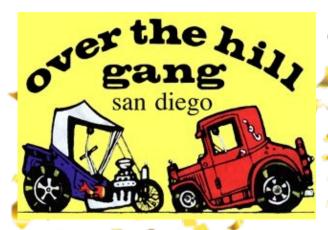






24th Meguiar's Del Mar Nationals presented by FiTech Fuel Injection

April 4-6, 2025
Del Mar Fairgrounds
2260 Jimmy Durante Blvd, Del Mar, CA 92014
Friday, April 4 - 8:00am to 5:00pm
Saturday, April 5 - 8:00am to 5:00pm
Sunday, April 6 - 8:00am to 3:00pm
https://www.good-guys.com/dmn



Over the Hill Gang San Diego Streak 52

May 9 - 10, 2025 Campland on the Bay





T5R January Birthdays & Anniversary



Bob Brown 1/2



Nanci Hildebrand 1/24



Bob & Ava Bishop 1/29

Let me know if I forgot your special day.



Pat Harvey 1/28





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



