



CONGRATULATIONS ROD AND DON,
BIG AWARD WINNERS AT THE
ALPINE CHILI COOKOFF AND CAR SHOW
ON SEPTEMBER 29TH.

REVOLUTION

Alpine Chill Cookoff and Car Show

On a warm fall morning at the end of September we cruised up to Alpine to attend the Kiwanis' Annual Chili Cook-off and Car Show. Since the "PTSNBM" is still down we dusted off the '56 convertible and headed up the hill to meet with more Tri 5 Revolutionaries.



Timing was perfect we had just backed into our spot when in drives Rod, Don and Lance (aka Rod's son-in-law), so we were able to all park side by side. The day was sunny and warm but we had fun visiting with each other and other classic friends. We even talked with Wally and Lynn Gaines, old CCSD members we haven't seen in years who have moved back to this area.







by Bob & Ava Bishop

That's what is so great about these events, you never know who you will see. We voted for our favorite cars, checked out the craft fair, participated in the chili cook-off taste testing, and ended the day with Rod's '57 and Don's '55 taking home trophies. Thank you to Gary Judge, the organizer of the car show. Once again you did a spectacular job.









for things automotive. Loving cars, they love almost all cars. This was proven on the last Saturday of September when Harvey set aside being a classic car guy long enough to transform himself into a NASCAR driver, taking 20 laps in a late model stockcar at Irwindale Speedway with L.A. Racing.

During the pre-drive chalk talk the instructor used a diagram of the track to emphasize proper race line; track landmarks for braking and acceleration points; stressed smooth throttle control (treat it like you're rolling your foot over an egg); braking (stand on it with every atom of strength you have), and, how to use the cars' momentum to roll through the turns.

Once the drivers were suited, helmeted and gloved, and had stuffed themselves into their cockpits, four cars were put on the track at a time. Spotters maintain radio communication with the drivers, talking them through their first careful laps as they get the feel for their rides and keeping a careful eye on them once the green flag drops, directing controlled passing as the cars take their 20 laps at speed.

It's an exciting afternoon! You may want to give it a try!

Ann Goldberg





San Diego Cool Expo Car Show and Swapmeet



September 3rd another Monday holiday at the San Diego Cool Expo Car Show and Swapmeet. A warm day for all the Tri 5 Revolutionaries who were venturous enough to attend. We arrived at different times but all met up at Islands for a yummy lunch. The next local car swapmeet will be the Big 3 at the end of February and we of course all plan to attend.

Ava









Here are pics of Sam sandblasting parts and cleaning wheels. The rear end and springs are hanging on the frame.

After they determine if the stance is correct, the rear end comes back out and gets painted. And lastly the body on the trailer heading for Benny's Auto Body for body and paint.

Debbie Spirkoff







"After visiting the vet - I mean the Dr, and getting my neck stitched, I'm as good as new. Off we went to visit the ship 'Midway'. As you can see - Rod was excited to pose for a picture with me.







We must have gone up and down over 1000 steps. Rod bumped his head many times. I visited the brig, surgeries, and Admirals quarters, but my favorite was getting to sit in a jet. Rod didn't appreciate getting laughed at, posing with me."



Tri-5 Revolution 4th Anniversary Birthday Party

Thank you to Pat and Mike Harvey for letting us into your lovely new home



and hosting this years

Tri - 5 Revolutions 4th

anniversary/birthday party.

Good food, great friends, enjoyable conversation and lots of laughs.



Looking forward to many more years.





Thurs. October 18th

Coco's in Poway around 6pm for dinner

Historic Hwy 80 Poker Run

October 20th

start at Simpsons Ranch in Jamul

Goodguys 2nd Fall Del Mar Nationals

November 23rd-25th

Del Mar Fair Grounds

T5R Cibola/Quartzite Trip

January (18th) 19th - 20th, (21st) 2013
Revolutionaries with RV's welcome to
dry camp at the Bishop Homestead or
Blythe has some reasonable hotels only
30 mins. north, half way between us and
Quartzite.

Swapmeeting days will be the 19th and the 20th.



T5R Bar-B-Que

Saturday - January 19, 2013 at the Bishop Ranch in Cibola After a day of Quartzite swapmeeting around 5pm California time.

Streetmasters

Christmas Cruise

December 12th, 2012 Torrey Pines High

Big 3 Swapmeet

February 22nd - 24th, 2013Qualcomm Stadium

T5R Potluck on

Saturday 23rd

Midnight at the Oasis

March 1st - 3rd, 2013 Yuma, Arizona T5R Caravan on Thursday Feb. 28th

Upcoming Evenus

10/6 Annual Picnic and "Ole Timers Reunion" - Mission Bay

10/6 In-N-Out - Poway

10/6 Run to the Ranch - Ramona

10/7 Long Beach Swapmeet

10/12-13 Cruzzin Under the Sea Level III - Imperial Valley

10/14 Pal Joey's Car Show - Allied Gardens

10/14 Pomona Swapmeet

10/20 Historic Hwy 80 Poker Run - Jamul

10/25 All American Pow Wow - Embarcadero North, San Diego

11/3 In-N-Out - Poway

11/4 Daylight Savings Time ends - Fall Back

11/4 Long Beach Swapmeet

11/5 Holiday Car Show & Toy Drive - Bates Nut Farm

11/11 (obs-12) Veteran's Day

11/22 Thanksgiving

11/25 Long Beach Swapmeet

11/23-25 2nd Goodguys Fall Del Mar Nationals - Del Mar, Ca

12/2 Pomona Swapmeet

12/9 Streetmasters Christmas Cruise - Torrey Pines High

12/9 Long Beach Swapmeet

12/25 Merry Christmas

2013

1/1 Happy New Year

1/12 26th Annual Burger Run - Vista

1/13 Pomona Swapmeet

1/18 - 21 T5R Cibola/Quartzite Trip - Bishop

1/20 T5R Tri-Tip Bar-B-Que at the Bishop Ranch - Cibola, Az

2/9 Dr George Car Show - Indian Wells, Ca

2/14 Valentine's Day

2/18 Presidents' Day

2/22-24 47th Annual Big 3 Auto Parts Exchange - Qualcomm Stadium

2/28 Caravan Cruise to Midnight at the Oasis

3/1-3 Midnight at the Oasis - Yuma, Az

3/3 Pomona Swapmeet

3/31 Easter



Red Font is a club attending event

Green Font is a club supported event

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POLITICAL HUMOR

The problem with political jokes is they get elected. ~Henry Cate, VII

We hang the petty thieves and appoint the great ones to public office. ~Aesop

If we got one-tenth of what was promised to us in these acceptance speeches there wouldn't be any inducement to go to heaven. ~Will Rogers

Those who are too smart to engage in politics are punished by being governed by those who are dumber. ~Plato

Politicians are the same all over. They promise to build a bridge even where there is no river. \sim Nikita Khrushchev

When I was a boy I was told that anybody could become President; I'm beginning to believe it.
∼Clarence Darrow

Why pay money to have your family tree traced; go into politics and your opponents will do it for you. ~Author Unknown

Politicians are people who, when they see light at the end of the tunnel, go out and buy some more tunnel. ~John Quinton

Politics is the gentle art of getting votes from the poor and campaign funds from the rich, by promising to protect each from the other. ~Oscar Ameringer

I offer my opponents a bargain: if they will stop telling lies about us, I will stop telling the truth about them. ~Adlai Stevenson, campaign speech, 1952

A politician is a fellow who will lay down your life for his country. ~Texas Guinan

Any American who is prepared to run for president should automatically, by definition, be disqualified from ever doing so. ~Gore Vidal

I have come to the conclusion that politics is too serious a matter to be left to the politicians. ~Charles de Gaulle

Politics is supposed to be the second-oldest profession. I have come to realize that it bears a very close resemblance to the first. ~Ronald Reagan

Instead of giving a politician the keys to the city, it might be better to change the locks. ~Doug Larson

Don't vote, it only encourages them. ~Author Unknown

There ought to be one day - just one - when there is open season on senators. ~Will Rogers

The Kitchen Scoop By Ann Goldberg

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Back when our Tri-5's were new the occasional family Sunday drive was always a special treat. Once behind the wheel of the family's '55 Belair, Dad would usually head out on the country roads for a drive past the nearby farms with no special destination in mind. The weekend before Halloween we would end at a farm stand near the edge of town to choose the perfect pumpkin for that year's Jack-O-Lantern.

At 19 Coe Avenue fresh pumpkins were strictly ornamental. We didn't roast and eat the seeds. After I dug the slimy filaments and seeds out of the inside with a sturdy spoon they were immediately put into the trash. We didn't buy special pie varieties for baking. Pumpkin pie was made from a can of Libby's from the A & P grocery store.

Pumpkin is a healthy treat providing fiber, vitamin A and potassium. The seeds are easy to roast, but watch portion size, unfortunately, they are high in fat.

Roasted Pumpkin Seeds

After removing the seeds from the pumpkin, wash them in a large bowl of water, rubbing the seeds between your hands to remove any filaments. Drain in a strainer for 30 minutes before spreading on a baking pan with sides. Place in a warm 120-150 degree oven, stirring every 10 minutes to speed drying.

Remove pan of dried seeds to a cooling rack and preheat oven to 275 degrees. Make sure seeds are in a single layer on the pan and cover with a mixture of 4 Tablespoons melted butter and 1 teaspoon salt. Or, if you want a Halloween-y flavor, decrease salt to ½ teaspoon and add 1 teaspoon cinnamon, ½ teaspoon ginger and ½ teaspoon allspice to the butter. Roast seeds for 10-20 minutes, checking every 5 minutes so seeds don't burn.

The colonists were the first to bake pumpkins turning them into a crust-less pie by cutting off the top, removing seeds and filaments and filling the cavity with milk, spices and honey then baking it in hot ashes. Today, cookbooks and the internet are filled with a variety of recipes using either fresh or canned pumpkin in pies, breads, soups, cakes, muffins, cookies, cheesecake and pumpkin pancakes. Whatever the source or the end product, I remain a fan of all things pumpkin!

Pumpkin Pancakes

Syrup:

1 cup maple-flavor syrup

5 Tablespoons chopped pecans or walnuts, toasted.

Mix syrup and nuts together in a microwave safe bowl. Heat 25 seconds. Cover to keep warm until ready to use.



Pancakes:

1 cup buttermilk or whole wheat pancake mix

2/3 cup cold water

1/3 cup canned pumpkin

½ teaspoon cinnamon

1/8 teaspoon ginger

Non-stick cooking spray for griddle

Mix all ingredients well. Heat heavy griddle or skillet over medium heat. Drop batter onto hot surface, 2 Tablespoons at a time. Cook 2 minutes, until bubbles form. Flip and cook an additional 2 minutes. Serve with butter and warm syrup.







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