

California Car Clubs Newsletter

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CCC Newsletter # 11-14

Well here we are with only a few car shows to look forward to this year. But the next two months will feature a lot of benefit shows for Toys for Tots. I'll be attending one on November 1st in Clovis, CA. I hope all of you have a chance to support this great cause too.

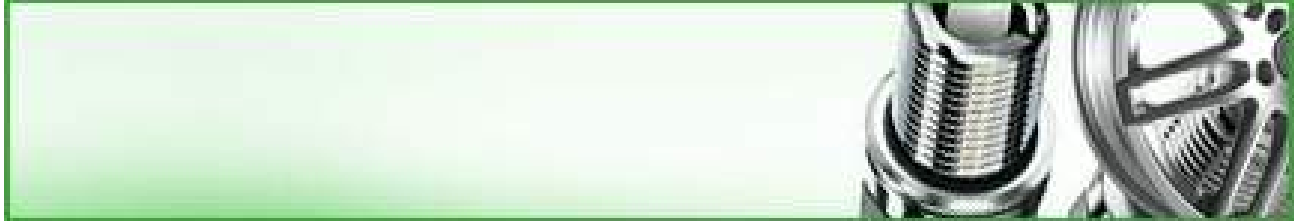
As we prepare to get into the holiday mood, don't forget to send in your 2015 car show information! The calendar is up and running and ready to accept your show. No excuses, get it to me now!

OK, it's trivia time! One hint; unlike the amphibious vehicles recently featured, this car does not float. So now answer these two questions;

- Who manufactured this vehicle?
- And who is behind the wheel?



So let's move on to the shows now. Pickin's are very slim, I know more are out there, and I hope you get a chance to attend them.



November 2014:

1st:

- **Clovis, CA:** *Toys for Tots Car, Truck & Motorcycle Show;* Open to all makes/years, with the show hosted by Pontiacs of Central California. Info: www.pontiacsofcentralcalifornia.org

8th:

- **Riverside, CA:** *Flabob fly n Drive Veteran's Day Salute;* At Flabob Airport, 4130 Mennes Ave. There will be vendors, Army, Air force, Fly Overs, Games, Great Food, Parachutist, Bands, Airplanes on display, Tractors, Car show and a Parade for all to enjoy. Spectators are free and only \$20.00 to enter the Car Show. Includes a Tee shirt and Tag. Info: Dusty or Kathy 951-681-5261. Mail in registration to Kathy Pinkerton 9890 50th St., Riverside, CA 92509. Include: name, address, telephone, make, model and year of car; size of shirt. Please add \$4.00 for 2 x or larger. or check out www.flabobAirport.org vendors call 951-683-2309 ask Amber

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- **Lake Elsinore CA:** *Lake Elsinore Grand Prix Show and Shine;* Benefiting Feeding America at the Lake Elsinore Diamond Stadium, 500 Diamond Dr. Free to the public. Open to all vehicles. Hosted by Top-Line Industrial Supply, Showdowncarshow.com and Storm Events. The proceeds will help benefit "Feeding

America” a food bank that will help to feed hungry people during the Thanksgiving holiday and beyond. Trophies to be awarded to Top 10 and Best of Show. Six Bike classes with a Best of Show. Pre-Registration is \$20.00 until Nov. 7th; day of will be \$30.00. If you bring 2 cans of Non-Perishable food items the day of the show your registration will be \$25.00. Set up time starts at 5am am the show is from 8am to 2pm. 15,000 people are estimated to attend the Gran Prix. Info: Go to Grand Prix Show and Shine on Facebook or www.sambaldi@top-lineindustrial.com or 951-769-9665.

14th:

- **Santa Maria, CA:** *Thanksgiving Drive*: This is a “drive-thru” event in support of the local Food Bank; for every \$1.00 donated, they are able to provide 8 nourishing meals. Please take the time to drop off frozen chickens or turkeys, and any other non-perishable food item you wish to, or make a cash donation. There will be live music, free hot dogs (with a donation) and a chance to park your classic and visit friends. It all happens from 3pm till 7pm at 2320 S. Broadway. Info: Darlene Chavez, Community Leadership Coordinator Foodbank of Santa Barbara County, 490 W. Foster Road, Santa Maria, CA 93455. Call 805-937-3422 x109 or 805-403-5354. Email dchavea@foodbanksbc.org www.foodbanksbc.org

15th:

- **Huntington Beach, CA:** *Huntington Beach High School 1st Annual Classic Car and Motorcycle Show*: At Huntington Beach High School, 1905 Main St. Hosted by Huntington Beach High School Athletics to benefit the Huntington Beach High School Athletics Hall of Fame. Pre-registration entry cost \$25.00, Spectator cost is Free. Info: please visit the website: www.hboilers.com (News and Announcements) or email Joyce Walder at jwalder@hbuhisd.edu [Click here for the flyer](#), and [here for the registration form](#).

16th:

- **Elk Grove, CA:** *Dreams and Drivers 2nd Annual Prostate Cancer Fundraiser*: Benefiting the Prostate Cancer Foundation at Mikuni Sushi 8525 Bond Rd. If you missed last year, you missed a HUGE wonderful event. We honored one of our car family friends, Bricklin John Worsley...well this year, John’s wife, Alice, will be bringing his restored baby, the red Bricklin to the event. Mikuni’s opens at 11am, so our arrival time for the show portion will be 10:30am. Like last year, which we raised over \$1600, we will have raffle prizes galore! Come out and enjoy one of our greatest events of the year and pay tribute to those lost to Prostate Cancer. Like all Dreams and Drivers events, all makes and models of cars, trucks and motorcycles and the enthusiasts who drive/ride them are welcome. Always open for spectators and family. RAIN or SHINE event. If our rain dance works, we will all be inside, eating and having fun and still raffling off those prizes. Event runs 11am till 2pm. Info: [Click here for the flyer](#).

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December 2014:

6th-7th:

- **Indio, CA;** *23rd Annual Indio International Tamale Festival:* For the last 22 years, families and travelers unite from around the world to experience tastes and flavors of Mexico and surrounding regions right here in Indio California. The Tamale Festival is a unique multi-cultural event that is the ultimate foodie attraction complete with a diverse blend of activities for every demographic – families, seniors, kids and everything in-between! This festival is the perfect opportunity to engage the total market consumer over a two-day period. 125,000+ attendance, Five Stages of Live Entertainment, Carnival, Parade, Art and Wine Garden, IEHP Rad Rider Bike Show, Tamale Eating and Tasting Contest, over 250 vendors. It all happens in downtown Indio, 100 Civic Center Drive, (Closest Main access: Hwy. 111 at Smurr Street, then go south.) Hosted by KevaWorks, Inc. Entry Fee \$25.00 Vehicle categories: Pre-War Restored, Post-War Restored, Street Rod up to 1959, Muscle Car, Sport, Truck and Low Rider. Info: Lyn Hartley at 36101 Bob Hope Drive, Ste E5-420, Rancho Mirage, CA 92270 , 760-832-8620 or email info@tamalefestival.net. On the web at; www.tamalefestival.net.

14th:

- **Sacramento, CA:** *Dreams and Drivers 1st Annual Karts, Kids and Cars Toy Drive:* benefiting the Leukemia and Lymphoma Society (LLS) of Greater Sacramento. Event will be at K1 Speed, 3130 Bradshaw Rd. KKC will be a show and shine event, with an entry fee of an unwrapped toy. The toys will distributed to kids who are being treated for Leukemia and/or Lymphoma. LLS will distribute the toys to those families in need. Participants will have their picture taken with Santa Racer and other K1 racers and some “special guests”...all for FREE! There will be Kart racing, food, coffee and donuts and some special door prizes. K1 will be offering discounts on track time, and with purchase of track time, future discounts. Additionally, K1 will be donating 25% of the proceeds for the morning to LLS. This is a RAIN OR SHINE event...If raining, bring the daily driver, the kids, the family and come inside and have some speedy fun. Don't miss the Annual KKC event! AND like all Dreams and Drivers events, all makes and models of cars, trucks and motorcycles and the enthusiasts who drive/ride them are welcome. Always open for spectators and family. Event runs 8am till Noon. Info: [Click here for the flyer.](#)



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Trivia answers:

- The vehicle is the Bevo Boat. It was manufactured to promote Bevo Ginger Ale by none other than Anheuser Busch. Like many other breweries, they stayed alive during prohibition by brewing soft drinks, Bevo Ginger Ale being one of them. The company appears to have started out building it's own rolling stock and delivery equipment in the late 1800's. In addition to building these promotional cars in later years, they produced both refrigerated and standard truck bodies, a camping car, a depot hack, and bodies for horse transport and buses, some of which can be [viewed here](#). You can read more here; <http://www.antiquewhs.com/feature-jan05.htm>
- Seated behind the wheel is Adolph Busch. Next to him is Helen Sweeney who as Miss Washington represented the District of Columbia in 1924.

Don't forget to visit the website during the month as new shows are posted as received. Go to www.californiacarclubs.com to check it out. Remember too the “For Sale” page. There is no charge to post your classic for sale. Just send me the info along with a few pictures. That easy.

Nothing from my wife this month; it's been a weird month and she just hasn't had the time to do her thing.

With that I bid you good evening, one and all!

Brian