

Zelle. Prompt payment appreciated. Our raffle this year will once again be a 50/50 so one lucky member will leave with a pocket full of cash. Always a great time being our largest get together of the year featuring an outstanding display of club cars along with the opportunity to visit.

We have a Zoom meeting scheduled for Tuesday June 20<sup>th</sup> with a 7 pm start time. We can get caught up on recent shows, discuss details for Tilden along with any other club business of interest to you.

Till then, see ya in the fast lane;

Prez John

**Prez John**

## **GOLDEN GATE GOATS WEB SITE**

### **AVAILABLE AT:**

**[www.gggoats.com](http://www.gggoats.com)**

## **GOLDEN GATE GOATS EVENT PICTURES**

We have a picture hosting site that has lots of event pictures. These can be downloaded to your own computer or you can order pictures directly from the site. Pictures can be viewed at:<http://imageevent.com/jimlent>

**Email List** We have an active list that provides frequent updates on club activities and provides links to pictures of club activities. E-mail [jimlent@comcast.net](mailto:jimlent@comcast.net) to join or to update your email address



## **CHANGES, MISSPELLINGS, ETC.**

**IF WE HAVEN'T GOT YOUR INFORMATION MIXED UP YET, JUST GIVE US TIME. WE ARE WORKING AS FAST AS WE CAN.**

**Please contact Jim Lent with any name, address, phone number or vehicle corrections or changes. (510) 799-6096.**

**E-MAIL: [jimlent@comcast.net](mailto:jimlent@comcast.net)**

## **CAR OF THE MONTH ARTICLES**

**Would you like to see your car, and its story, published in this newsletter. Take this opportunity now to memorialize your ride!**

**Tell us about your ride: how you got it, what you have done to it, where you like to drive it, etc. Make your car the star.**

**You can email your story and pictures to Jim Lent at; [jimlent@comcast.net](mailto:jimlent@comcast.net) or send them by snail mail to:**

**Jim Lent  
118 Iris Court  
Hercules, CA 94547**



# **GOLDEN GATE GOATS 27th Anniversary Club Picnic**

**Saturday, July 29, 2023  
Island Picnic Area  
Tilden Park, Berkeley  
10:00 a.m. until???**



*Join us to celebrate our 27th YEAR!*

**Location:** Tilden Park in Berkeley, Island Picnic Area (Next to the Brazil Room)  
**Date:** Saturday, July 29, 2023  
**Start Time:** 10:00 a.m.

## **The Meal:**

**GGG will contribute 2/3 the cost of lunch catered by Back 40 BBQ \$10 co-pay per person.**

- Barbecued chicken, pork ribs and slow smoked beef brisket
- Ranch rolls, bbq beans, potato salad and cole slaw.
- Homemade cookies courtesy of Marsha Mekisich
- Plates, utensils/napkins, condiments and table clothes

**Members, please bring:**

- Your favorite beverage (see below)
- Raffle item(s) Theme based suggested 1964 to 1974 cars/music/movies or?

## **Please note:**

- RSVP to John by Sunday July 23rd [MITYGTO@aol.com](mailto:MITYGTO@aol.com)
- Beer and wine are permitted in the picnic area; hard liquor is not allowed.

**Directions:** From Highway 24, take the Fish Ranch Road exit (immediately east of the Caldecott Tunnel). Take Fish Ranch Road to Grizzly Peak Road. Turn right on Grizzly Peak Road. Turn right on South Park Drive, then left on Wildcat Canyon Road. The Island Picnic Area is on the right side of Wildcat Canyon Road, just past the Brazil Room.

## **Parking:**

- Goat parking for about 25 cars immediately in front of the picnic area
- Overflow parking and space for daily drivers directly behind the picnic area

## **Things to Do at Tilden:**

- The Little Train (scaled-down steam train) offers rides along the scenic ridge.
- 18-hole public golf course with driving range, pro shop, and coffee shop.
- Regional Parks Botanic Garden - the most complete collection of California native plants, including rare and endangered species - offers tours and lectures.
- Lake Anza offers swimming in season, with a sandy beach, bathhouse and food stand. Fishing is permitted all year.
- Tilden's merry-go-round – an antique carousel with hand-carved animals and a calliope.
- Children's pony rides, in season.

**Check out their website for up-to-date information about availability of these and other attractions:**

<http://www.ebparks.org/parks/tilden>

**RSVP no later than July 23rd to John Mekisich by:**

- Phone 650-477-8540, or
- Email [MITYGTO@aol.com](mailto:MITYGTO@aol.com)

## YOUR AD COULD BE HERE!

PERSONAL ADS FOR ALL GOLDEN GATE MEMBERS ARE FREE.

NON-MEMBERS Ads - \$10, @ per month per ad.

Contact: Jlm Lent, 118Iris Ct., Hercules CA 94547 (

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Too much to list all.

Call for more details and negotiate prices.

Contact club member **Larry Weiss**

510 566-7506

call, leave a message or text

**1960-65 Pontiac Tri-power center carburetors.** I can offer units that are cleaned and previously rebuilt but require some work before put into service to fresh rebuilds ready to run. Prices range from \$ 200.00 to \$ 400.00 depending on the condition.

Contact club member **Al Schendan** [schendan@gmail.com](mailto:schendan@gmail.com)

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#Lamp Housing for for light in rear of center console for GTO 64-67 \$68.00 New still in package

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#Rally II wheel 15"x7" **New** (one only) \$150.00

#Rally II wheels 15"x7" used good condition with Pontiac Rally II center caps  
set of 4 \$75.00 each

CONTACT CLUB MEMBER **DAVE SVODBA** @ [dave22349@gmail.com](mailto:dave22349@gmail.com)



# Golden Gate Goats 2023 Event Schedule



3/18 FRIDAY NIGHT GET TOGETHERS START AT DOMINOOS SUN VALEEEY MALL

3/23 THURSDAY 11:30 LUNCH MEETING AT BACK FORTY PLEASANT HILL

4/19 ZOOM MEETING 7:00 PM

4/23 Sunday Benicia Car Show hosted by Stuart Cole

4/29 MORAGA CAR SHOW (corrected date)

5/18 THURSDAY 11:30 LUNCH MEETING at Back Forty, Pleasant Hill

## JUNE

6/20 ZOOM MEETING 7:00 PM

6/23 PINOLE CAR SHOW (

7/29 Saturday Tilden Park Picnic catered by Back Forty BBQ

8/21 MONDAY ZOOM MEETING 7:00 PM

9/16 Saturday NorCal Run thru the Canyon

9/21 TUESDAY 11:30 LUNCH MEETING at Back Forty-

10/18 WEDNESDAY ZOOM MEETING 7:00 PM

11/16 THURSDAY 11:30 LUNCH MEETING at BACK FORTY

12/2 HOLIDAY PARTY - TBD

Walnut Creek Elks Lodge #1811

presents

**Classic**

# CAR SHOW



**Saturday, June 10th**

**10 am to 3 pm**

*Register your car by June 3rd*

**Free Admission  
to the Public**

**2023**

**Sponsorships  
Available**

**Silent Auction ★ Prizes  
Fun, Food & Drink!**

**Registration Fee \$40**  
*Includes a Meal*



**Awards for**

- ★ Best in Show
- ★ 1st & 2nd Place
- ★ ER's Choice
- ★ & many more!



**Register by mail or online  
at [bpoel811.square.site](http://bpoel811.square.site)**



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Call Judy Godar (925) 937-8995 or [WCElksCarShow2023@gmail.com](mailto:WCElksCarShow2023@gmail.com) for more info  
Walnut Creek Elks Lodge #1811 ★ 1475 Creekside Dr, Walnut Creek CA 94596 ★ (925) 935-1811



**Walnut Creek Elks Lodge #1811**  
**CLASSIC CAR SHOW**  
**Saturday June 10th 2023 10AM - 3PM**

**REGISTRATION:**

Pre-register no later than **June 3rd 2023**. All registered participants will receive a guaranteed spot, one (1) free lunch, one (1) Car Show souvenir and will be entered for a chance to win an award. **SPACE IS LIMITED!** If you want to park next to someone or with a group please make a note on this form or email us so we can assign your spaces together.

Name / Group Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Phone: (\_\_\_\_) \_\_\_\_\_ - \_\_\_\_\_ Email: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

City, State, Zip: \_\_\_\_\_

1st Car Year, Make, Model: \_\_\_\_\_

2nd Car Year, Make, Model: \_\_\_\_\_

3rd Car Year, Make, Model: \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_ cars x \$40.00 per car = \$ \_\_\_\_\_

Payment can be made online at [bpoe1811.square.site](https://bpoe1811.square.site) and the registration form can be emailed to [WCElksCarShow2023@gmail.com](mailto:WCElksCarShow2023@gmail.com) or you can mail or drop off form with check to: Walnut Creek Elks #1811, 1475 Creekside Dr, Walnut Creek CA 94596.



Office hours are Mon/Wed/Fri 10am-2pm. Office phone is 925-935-1811

I hereby understand that I am fully responsible for my vehicle(s) and content and agree to hold harmless and release the Walnut Creek Elks Lodge #1811, its officers, volunteers, and sponsors of any liability for damage, injury or loss of property during the event.

Signature: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_

For more info or sponsorship details contact [WCElksCarShow2023@gmail.com](mailto:WCElksCarShow2023@gmail.com) or 925-937-8995

# Pinole Classic Car Show

**Sunday, June 25, 2023**

**7:00AM to 3:00PM**

**Fernandez Park**

**Historic Old Town Pinole**

**Pancake Breakfast**

**Pinole Senior Center**

**7:00AM to 9:45AM**

**Pre-registration is required and will be limited to the first 325 Classic American (pre 1981) and Classic Foreign (pre 1990) car registrants.**

**Providing space is available.**

**All late entries will be admitted after 9:00AM and will be located on the baseball field.**

**If you need to leave before 3:00PM, must park on the baseball field.**

**No loud music or noise of any kind.**

**No alcohol consumption.**

**No entries after 10:00AM.**

**Sponsors: Antlers Tavern**

**Visit our website:**

**PinoleClassicCarShow.com**



**Pre-registration is \$30 (\$35 day of event) Please make checks payable to:**

**Kopp Productions, 2320 Doidge Ave. Pinole, CA 94564**

**For more information call Bob (510) 772-0016 or email: KoppProductions@comcast.net**

**Name:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Address:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Phone:** \_\_\_\_\_ **Email:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Vehicle info: Year:** \_\_\_\_\_ **Make:** \_\_\_\_\_ **Model:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Club Affiliation:** \_\_\_\_\_

**T-Shirts: Mens (\$25): Small( ) Medium( ) Large( ) XL( ) (\$30)2XL( ) (\$30)3XL( ) (\$30)4XL( )**

**Womens (\$25): Small( ) Medium( ) Large( ) XL( ) (\$30)2XL( )**

**Registration (\$30 per car) Sub-total:** \_\_\_\_\_

**T-Shirts Sub-total:** \_\_\_\_\_

**GRAND TOTAL:** \_\_\_\_\_

**In consideration of the acceptance of the participants to Pinole's Annual Classic Car Show Event by execution of the entry form, I/WE herby release the City of Pinole, Kopp Productions, Z Rentals LP, their members, officers and anyone else connected with this event from any and all known and unknown damages, injuries, liabilities, losses, judgments, and/or claims arising from any causes whatsoever that may be caused by the participation in this event. I/WE will not accept responsibility for Bank Fees or returned check fees.**

19th Annual Orinda Classic Car Show

FEATURED CARS

# LAND YACHTS

*(Any treasured vehicles are welcome!)*

**SEPT. 9**

10 am - 2 pm

REGISTER NOW



[www.orindacarshow.com](http://www.orindacarshow.com)





# Greater San Francisco Bay Area Pontiac GTO Club

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## **CLUB LOGO ITEMS**

In 2005 we opened our online club store on our website. The store carries a full line of apparel, house wares, and gifts with the Golden Gate Goats logo, Outlaw GTO Association of Western America logo, and images of our club cars! Go check it out at:  
**[www.cafepress.com/gggoats](http://www.cafepress.com/gggoats)**

Our goal is to preserve and keep the legend of the Pontiac GTO alive. We plan to do this by having fun as we learn more about our GTOs through various club activities: Cruises, Parades, Car Shows, Picnics & MORE!

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# 2023 Poker Run - Saturday, Sept 16, 2023

CLASSIC CARS!

CASH & RAFFLE PRIZES!

GREAT FOOD!



**Come and join us for a day of cruising on our 27<sup>th</sup> Annual Run Thru the Canyon!**  
(In memory of our friend & RTTC Founder – Chuck Bonasera)

Each year our Nor-Cal ChevelleCaminos Car Club has a premiere event that welcomes all makes of classic car enthusiasts to attend. This year's run begins in Sunol, CA. After cruising through several stops in Livermore & Pleasanton, our final stop at Callippe Golf Course is topped off by our wonderful **Tri-Tip buffet lunch** in their spacious banquet patio with spectacular views! Not only will there be fun raffle prizes, but the best poker hand wins a **\$100 cash prize!** The map of our route with addresses for all stops will be in your packet at registration the morning of Saturday, September 16th.

(This year's Poker Run is limited to 100 attendees. Get your registration in early to confirm your spot).

**Our 1<sup>st</sup> stop will be shared upon registration.**

**Please note our address and contact info below for questions & returning your registration!**



**7:30AM check-in and "late/same day" registrations. 8:15AM "Poker Run" starts**  
**(Registrations must be received no later than Sept 9th)**

Mail to: Nor-Cal Poker Run c/o Joan Butler, 1416 C Street, Hayward, CA 94541 [www.nor-calchevelles.com](http://www.nor-calchevelles.com)

**Make Checks out to: NorCal Chevelle Club For questions, call or text Randy Ochs at (925-963-2999)**

**-----CUT HERE-----** Please write legibly and return this bottom portion with your payment **---RETAIN TOP---**

Email Address: \_\_\_\_\_ **(required to confirm your entry)**

Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Car Make: \_\_\_\_\_

Car Model & Year: \_\_\_\_\_ Phone: (\_\_\_\_\_) \_\_\_\_\_

Cost: \$40 per adult, \$20 per child (12 & under) **(\$45/adult from Sept 1–15<sup>th</sup>, \$ 50/adult day of cruise)**

Number of people in your party: \_\_\_\_\_ Car Club: \_\_\_\_\_ Total Enclosed: \_\_\_\_\_

In consideration of acceptance as participants in the Nor-Cal ChevelleCaminos Run Thru the Canyon, by execution of this entry, I/we hereby release the Nor-Cal ChevelleCaminos Car Club, its members, officers and anyone connected with this event, of and from any and all known and unknown damages, injuries, losses, judgments and/or claims from any causes whatsoever that may be suffered by participating in this event or any spectators.

Signature: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_ License Plate Number: \_\_\_\_\_

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**Join our club Facebook page!**

- **Open discussions with members**
- **Share links with GGG web site**
- **Buy/Sell your auto parts**

**Join the blog by clicking on this link:**

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**Find the 'Request to Join' on the page and send your request to us. Acceptance will take about a day, and you will be notified when you have been given permission.**

**Start sharing your ideas, stories, parts and recommendations with the club!**