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PRESIDENT'S MESSAGE

Happy Labor Day GGG

Hope everyone had a relaxing Holiday weekend. As I type this message to you I realized we are entering the last third of 2023. Short and sweet this month. Our Zoom meeting last month again had technical differulties. We will give it another shot in October, if there are any Zoom gurus out there please contact Jim

Lent. If October snafus and no one comes ford we may choose to discontinue using Zoom, time will tell.

Event wise coming up quickly is Run Through the Canyon on Saturday 9/16. All Details in the newsletter., Always a fun event from NorCal Chevelles.

Our in person meeting this month, onThursday 9/21 at 11:30 moves to a new location, Dougs's Place at 20871 /REdwood Road in Castro Valley. Right off 580 and very central and close to our old meeting location at the Englander. They have agreed to individual checks for us, meeting area no charge. Jim Lent and I tried it out last month for lunch, the food and serveice were acceptable. Significantly less \$ than Back Forty.Booked it for this month and November. If the group likes it we can stay there for a while....majority rule. If not, then the search continues.

Short and sweet, till our September meeting, seeks in the fast lane.

Prez John

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/iimlent

GOLDEN GATE GOATS WEB SITE AVAILABLE AT: www.gggoats.com

Email ListWe have an active list that provides frequent updates on club activities and provides links to pictures of club activities. E-mail 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

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 or send them by snail mail to:
Jim Lent
118 Iris Court
Hercules, CA 94547



COMING EVENTS

SEPT.16, SATURDAY - Norcal Poker Run - see flyer

Sept. 21, Thursday - Club meeting at new location. Dougs's Place at 20871 Redwood Road in Castro Valley. Right off 580



Golden Gate Goats 2023 Event Schedule



3/18	FRIDAY NIGHT GET TOGETHERS START AT DOMINOOS SUN VALEEY 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	
8/12	Alameda / Elks Classic Car Show	
8/21	MONDAY ZOOM MEETING 7:00 PM	
9/16	Saturday NorCal Run thru the Canyon	
9/21	TUESDAY 11:30 LUNCH MEETING at Doug's Place – Castro Valley-	
10/18	WEDNESDAY ZOOM MEETING 7:00 PM	
11/16 THURSDAY11:30 LUNCH MEETING at Doug's Place – Castro Valley-		
12/2	HOLIDAY PARTY - TBD	

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, 118lris Ct., Hercules CA 94547 (

510) 799-6096 or email - iimlent@comcast.net

WANTED

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Leaving the hobby 455 complete running engine, rebuilt high performance 428 never fired, built for nitrous 455 crankshafts

Misc engine parts-oil pans, windage trays,4 bolt caps (3.25), valley pans, valve covers, connecting rods, flywheels, balances, pulleys, oil filter mounts,

Intake manifolds- 66 tripower, complete, Offy 2-4s with AFB carbs, torquer, torquer 2, Holly street dominator, misc jet manifold,

carburetors- Qjets, AFB, Hollys, 1000 CFM thermoquad,

70s cylinder heads including 1972 455HO bare,

MT 325/50R 15 ET street tires mounted on 15 x 10 ET slotted mags

671 supercharger core, Misc headers

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

NOS 1965 PONTIAC GTO Passengers Side Grill Insert. Slight Shelf Wear, no original Box. Never installed. \$600.00. You'll likely look long and hard to find another one. Don't wait for your Insurance Company to try to find one of these. I have one in Heated Storage protected by Sig & Sauer. Call Ken Davis. 408-209-2553. kendavisl 4@sbcqlobal.net

Emergency Break Cable Front Stainless Steel for GTO 64-72

\$45.00 New still in package

##Console Lamp Lens lights up rear seat fits GTO 64-67

\$12.00 New still in package

#Glove Box Console Light GTO 61-88 \$15.00 New still in package

#Console Lid Spring Center for Console glove box 64-67

\$ZS.OO New still in package

#Lock set w/keys for center console glove box

\$18.00 New still in package

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

#Bracket spare tire hold down GTO 64-70 \$5.00 New still in package

#Console Base Plastic for GTO 64-67 for automatic transmissions

\$250.00 New still in box

#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

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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!

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

GOLDEN GATE GOATS EVENT PICTURES CAN BE VIEWED AT:

HTTP://imageevent.com/jimlent

VENDOR DISCOUNT PROGRAM PLEASE SUPPORT THESE VENDORS WITH YOUR BUSINESS



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Bethel's Goat Farm - 10% discount - ask for Ed (408) 295-7611

Performance Years - offers discounts to club members on orders up to \$500 of 3% w/charge card or 5% prepay. Orders over \$500 8% with charge card or 10% prepay. 215-712-7400

Paddock West - offers club members a 10% discount on their orders. Identify yourselves with the code "GGG1" to get the discount. 800 854-8532 or (909) 798-4166.

World Muffler - 10% Discount - 966 E. El Camino Real, Sunnyvale - 408-738-2318 Contact Maynard Rougier or Patrick Karl

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What ever your automotive needs maybe we can handle it.





GOLDEN GATE GOATS FACEBOOK PAGE

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:

https://www.facebook.com/groups/ 1739685286060250

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!

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 27th Annual Run Thru the Canyon! (In memory of our friend & RTTC Founder – Chuck Bonasera)

Each year our Nor-Cal Chevelle Caminos 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 <u>limited to 100 attendees</u>. Get your registration in early to confirm your spot).

Our 1st stop will be shared upon registration.

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



Signature:





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

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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 1-15th, \$ 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/w 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.			

Date:

License Plate Number: