



The Orange Peel November, 2023

A monthly letter by the Orange County region of the Vintage Chevrolet Club of America (OCVCCA) by and for its members

Bill & Colleen Ingalls, Editors

You can soon find pictures of all our cars, car events and more on our web site:

www.ocrvcca.org Jim Karras is our website designers.

You can now find us on Facebook. Under search, just type in "Orange County Vintage Chevrolet Club of America". There you can add your friends that are interested in Chevy's and write stories about your Chevies.

Business meetings are held at 7:00 PM on the second Tuesday of the month which is **November 13th**. The meeting will be held at;

Church of Foothill's, 19211 Dodge Ave., Santa Ana

Dinner Club is held starts at 5:30 at Spires Restaurant located at 13451 Newport Ave. Tustin. It is located very close to our meeting location down the street. If you would like to attend, please contact **Sabrina Karras, (714) 287-4757** so she can notify the restaurant of the expect number.

Also, come have breakfast with us on **January 13th** at 8:30 at our new location, Hoff's Hut in Seal Beach at 12489 Seal Beach Blvd, Seal Beach. Contact Sabrina when you plan to come so the restaurant so they can have the tables setup.



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Director's Message

November 2023

Dear Chevy friends,

The Santa Ana winds have returned, which means Fall is well-underway!

Officer nominations are open and welcome. Contact Jim if you are interested in serving in a leadership role in the club.

Please don't forget to RSVP for our tour to The Richard Nixon Library & Museum in Yorba Linda, on Saturday, November 4th. Spots are still open.

Our next meeting is set for Tuesday, November 14th at 7 PM at the Church of the Foothills in Santa Ana. The Supper Club dinner will take place at Spires before the meeting beginning at 5:30 PM.

The San Fernando Valley Region's Burbank All Chevy Show is set for Sunday, November 19th. Register now. Get the registration form at sfvrcca.org.

A reminder, the Breakfast Club doesn't meet again until Saturday, January 13th in 2024, at 8:30 AM at Hof's Hut, located at 12489 Seal Beach Blvd.

Until next month, remember; life is a journey not a destination, so relax and enjoy the ride!

Jim

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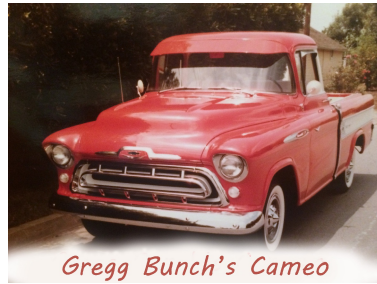
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Happy Birthday

- Ron Cheroske November 3
- Raymond Miller November 5
- Robert Devot November 14
- Carolyn Ewing November 30
- Diane Bailey December 8
- James Bailey December 8
- Bill Roy December 10
- John Shattuck December 11
- Melba Capuano December 22
- Howard Neff December 25
- Angie Wilson December 28
- Gitte Olsen December 28
- Dave Wilson December 29
- Phillip Capuano December 30
- Mark Fliegler December 31
- Fred Waugaman December 31



Happy Anniversary

- Bill & Colleen Ingalls November 2
- Len Yerkes Gitte Olsen November 13
- John & Tweety Shattuck December 2
- Bill & Linda Trousdale December 9
- Jeanne & Mark Krogh December 17
- Howard & Johanna Wallach December 25

Vendor that are recommended by our members

<p>Gail's Speedometer Shop 187 E 16th St. Costa Mesa, CA 92627 (949)646-9120 Contact is: Mike Recommended by Tom Clark</p>	<p>Orange Auto Upholstery 1909 North Enterprise Street Orange CA 92865 (714) 279-2990 Recommended by Gary Howard</p>	<p>Powder Paint 2737 Gamsey Street Santa Ana CA 92707-3340 United States (714)979-2233 Recommended by Gary Howard</p>
<p>Moyer's Repair Service Frank Moyer 2040 So Grand Santa Ana, CA (714)549-8131 Recommended by Gary Howard</p>	<p>ABS Brakes 233 N Lemon Orange CA 92866 (714)771-6549 Recommended by Gary Howard</p>	 <p>Recommended by Bill Ingalls</p>
<p>Hose-Man, Inc Automotive and hydraulic hoses 6 locations in So. California Call 800-4-HOSEMAN for locations Highly recommended by Gary Howard</p>	 <p>Chuck Rosa, (714)734-7825 1676 Sunny Cove, Corona, CA 91720 Recommended by Gary Howard</p>	<p>Cars Incorporated 1951-1972 Chevy Restoration Parts Sheet Metal, Interior, parts 1000B S. Melrose St. Placentia, CA., 714-666-8660, 800-451-1955 www.carsinc.com Recommended by: Bill Ingalls & Gary Howard</p>
<p>D & P Classics - Classic Car & Hot Rod Restorations 17395 Mount Herman Fountain Valley, CA 902708-8102 Gary Howard has had a lot of work done there and they are top notch !</p>	<p>Orange County Sand Blasting Media blasting Paul Gravley 415 West Walnut Orange, CA 92867 Recommended by Ray Miller</p>	<p>Orange County Powder Coating Steve Hurwitz 976 N. Parker Street Orange CA 92867 714-532-4610 Recommended by Ray Miller</p>

58th Annual Placentia Heritage Parade

Three of our members took part in the parade. Each with a veteran in their cars



Blake Montero with his Blue 67 convertible, Dennis Hergenreter with his White 67 and Bill Ingalls with his Red 67



Jose Juarez with his daughter and Colleen in our 67 Red chevy Impala



World War II veteran Jose Juarez, 100, waves from a bright red convertible to people lining the route of the Placentia Heritage Festival parade Saturday.

Newspaper picture of Jose in our car.

The strong community ties of two north Orange County cities were on display this weekend.

Crowds lined streets in La Habra and Placentia for beloved community parades Saturday as well as gathering in nearby parks for festivals.

Marching bands, a convoy honoring veterans, floats and community members paraded down Kraemer Boulevard in Placentia as residents cheered.

The parade kicked off the Placentia Heritage

Festival, now in its 58th year, which filled Tri-City Park into the afternoon Saturday with fun for families, showcases of local businesses and nonprofits and a car show.

In La Habra, the Corn Festival, which started Friday night, continued through Sunday. On Saturday morning, residents watched the festival's annual parade and then filled El Centro Lions Park for carnival rides and games, shopping, corn

eating contests and concerts.

Newspaper article about the parade.

Mark Bird's 69 Camaro that never was but is: ZFIRST1



In 1989 Mark Bird bought his 1969 Camaro off a storage lot and began a restoring and customizing project that took 5 years. The car came complete with factory gauges and center console which are still in use today.

The car is powered by a hefty 383ci stroker Vortec engine rated at 440 HP with roller hydraulic lifters opens the stainless steel 1.94 intake and 1.60 exhaust valves.

Edelbrock Performer intake and a custom-built Edelbrock 650 cfm advance tech carburetor.

Transmission is a 200R4 four speed overdrive custom built by Art Carr.

Suspension includes global west front suspension, and the rear has multi leaf springs, along with Cal-Trak traction bar system holding the tires to the pavement when ready to get up and go.

Brakes are four-wheel disc brakes for improved stopping power.

Interior seats are late 80's Camaro 8-way power seats with deluxe custom interior.

I crafted a set of third-generation Camaro side mirrors to the doors to smooth the exterior and give the car a subtly unique look.

When I designed and built the Camaro, I wanted to include All three options on the car:

Rally Sport, Super Sport and Z/28 options. hence the emblem: **Z/+**.

This now incorporates all three options into car.

This is the Camaro that Chevrolet should have built.

Also includes a custom reverse hood system with electric actuators, as seen on Instagram by over one million views.

Deborah and I enjoy driving the Camaro Z/+ all around Southern California and going to various car shows and cruises.

Mark & Deborah Bird

OCVCCA 2023 Holiday Luncheon
Saturday December 2th

Gulliver's 18482 MacArthur Blvd., Irvine, CA 92612- Phone 949-833-7695

Luncheon will start at 11 AM.
Salad and meal service starts at Noon.
\$50 for you and \$50 for 1 additional guest
\$70 for each additional guest

Luncheon Menu

Gulliver's House Salad
Crisp heart of Romaine, Egg, Shrimp and Tomatoes
Tossed in their house dressing

Entrees
Please indicate how many of each entry you are ordering:

___ each – **Prime Rib of Beef**
Served with garlic mashed potatoes and sauteed vegetables.

___ each – **Atlantic King Salmon**
Charbroiled salmon served with Chef's seasonal vegetables,
red dill potatoes and Mustard Dill Caper sauce.

___ each – **Oven Roasted Chicken**
Tender half chicken, garlic mashed potatoes,
Green beans almondine with mushroom au-jus.

Accompaniments
Entrées served with CHEF's Seasoned vegetables & Potatoes

Desert
English Trifle
Layers of Sponge cake, Bavarian cream,
Raspberries and whipped Cream laced with Sherry wine.

Register via our website, www.ocvcca.org, using your credit card.
Or send this letter indicating your selected entrees
and a check payable to OCVCCA to:

Judy Howard, 3822 Cosley St. Irvine, CA 92614

Registration for this event must be received by:

Monday, November 13th
Call 714-270-2614 with any questions.

So please invite your family and friends.



MEETINGS, BREAKFASTS AND COMMUNITY CAR EVENTS

November- December

NOVEMBER 11RH- OCVCCA monthly breakfast Saturday, at 8:30 am, Hof's Hut Restaurant & Bakery - 12489 Seal Beach Blvd, Seal Beach, CA 90740 (562) 799-9552 RSVP Sabrina Karras – (714) 287-4757 or sabrinakarras@aol.com

NOVEMBER 14TH Orange County Region VCCA monthly business meeting is scheduled for second Tuesday, of every month except December at 7:00 pm at the Church of the Foothills (19211 Dodge Ave, Santa Ana, CA 92705).

- Supper Club meets at Spires Restaurant in Tustin beforehand at 5:30. If you plan to join this dinner, please RSVP to Sabrina Karras by return email sabrinakarras@aol.com, or at (714) 287-4757, by Monday afternoon day before the meeting.

NOVEMBER 17-26 L. A. Auto Show – LA Convention Center – For info: <https://laautoshow.com/>

NOVEMBER 19- Community Chevrolet & the San Fernando Valley Region of the VCCA- 2023 DIVISION #1 ALL CHEVROLET/GMC CAR SHOW Community Chevrolet, 200 W. Olive Avenue, Burbank, CA 91502 Sunday, November 19th - 8:00 am to 3:30 pm rain date November 26

DECEMBER 2ND- Holiday luncheon Gulliver's Restaurant, 18482 Mac Arthur Blvd, Irvine 92612



11:30 AM to 2:00PM

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DECEMBER 3 Pomona Swap Meet – Los Angeles Fairplex – For info: (714) 538-9091

Weekly Car Shows/Cruises:

- Highway 39 Event Center **every third Thursday** 5-8 PM
- Donut Derelicts **every Saturday**---6AM to 9AM
- **Every Tuesday night** 5-7PM Hot Rods unlimited In-N-Out Cruise 24001 Avenida De La Carlota
- Garden Grove Main Street Car Show, 12891 Historic Main Street, GG, **every Friday** evening from 4:00PM to 8:00 PM. \$5 entry fee to cover expenses.
- Escondido Cars & Coffee **every Sunday** 8:00 AM to 11:00 AM, Kit Carson Park, 333 Bear Valley Pkway, Escondido, CA 92025
- Modelo **Monday Cruise**- Fullerton-6:00 PM to 9:00 PM 926 W Orangethorpe Ave, Placentia, CA 92870

Community Chevrolet & the San Fernando Valley Region

of the Vintage Chevrolet Club of America present the

2023 DIVISION #1 ALL CHEVROLET/GMC CAR SHOW

Community Chevrolet, 200 W. Olive Avenue, Burbank, CA 91502, Sunday, November 19th

- 8:00 am to 3:30 pm - Rain date November 26th

Cars must be in place by 10:00 am - Awards at 3 pm .. Maximum 125 cars

Please register for this event by going to their web site:

<https://sfvrvcca.org/>