



# CRUZIN NEWS-N-VIEWS

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## President's Message and Comments The Prez Sez

Yet another Good Guy/OTHG success

### “ Team Yellow Rules ” !

The West World **Good-Guy Southwestern Nationals** for 2004 is in the history books. What a great job you all did again this year. You can stand proud because you were instrumental in making the show the success it is. I personally appreciate your help. I had a lot of people asking me if I needed them to do anything, I appreciate you all! If you ever get/want the opportunity to do the liaison duty you will appreciate as I do, the job the **Juberts** did all those years! Thanks once again to Harry and the **Good-Guy** organization for allowing us to be a part of their family. I have some ideas to make the liaison job easier (basic lazy qualities coming out). I pledge to have the shirts in time to hand out at the Nov meeting. The late T-shirt deal was my bad, chalk it up to

a; “learning curve”. I’ll try to be more pro-active next year so we have fewer surprises.

We had some scrambling to do to cover the **Good-Guy** expectations of us again this year. We still have some people doing a lot of extra efforts and Believe me that is sure appreciated. The goal is to equalize the work load across the club better for next year so we don’t have a few working so many duties! Maybe I need some signups for time slots, not specific duty so we can send them where the need is. I’ll work on it, Thanks for what you all did this year!

As I have said in the past we are in position, and very capable of becoming the icon for the **Good Guy** host clubs, the very best of the best! Let’s do it!

### Thanks for being there!

*Page 3 has comments that was overheard at the Good Guy’s show.*

## January Anniversaries

Pete & Mary Golightly 1/4

Walter & Patricia Hann 1/19

## January Birthdays

Vivian Otis 1/3

Ken Du Bois 1/18

Shirley Savi 1/19

Joanne Harrelson 1/26

I have a list of Birthdays and Anniversaries on the front counter, please check them so I can make sure to put your names in the newsletter.

## Christmas Party

Our Christmas Party was another success this year. Thank you Bob Bailey (Chairman) and your committee, Linda, Dee and Carol for organizing a fun filled event.

Come Back Buddy band played.

There were many unique Christmas tree table centerpieces. They were given away at the end of the night. The gift exchange went very well.

The food was excellent, and there was a lot of it. The desserts were wonderful.

## IN CASE YOU DIDN'T KNOW

Old Fiddlers Contest/Car Show at the Pinal County Fair Grounds on January 8, call Barney at 520-560-3985 for details.

Casa Grande Picnic is on January 30th. Please bring a side dish to share.

The newsletter and lots of pictures can now be viewed on our website.

<http://clubs.hemmings.com/othg-phx>

Please make sure that you sign the sign up sheet that is up front. That is our record to show how many meetings you have attended.

## Poker Run Prizes

PLEASE TURN IN YOUR PRIZES before the event. It creates confusion when we get 50% of our giveaways the morning of the run. It's just impossible to have any organization when that happens. We miss getting some of the donations listed and the vendors don't get thank you letters. So start your shopping now, we need at least one quality item donated from each member. The item should be something you would enjoy winning, it doesn't have to be automotive related.

## FOR SALE:

### '32 Ford 3 window coupe

Harwood Body, TCI frame, 350 engine, IFS, 4 WDB, Dan Fink, Vintage air, have grey leather for interior, everything but upholstery and air finished. Chrome & polished, beautiful paint, not more than 10 miles on it. Over \$65,000 invested. Asking \$40,000

*Nancy Morgan (623) 544-7740*

## Overheard at the Good Guy show

**Best Comment:** “Your telling me I have to Park this car on the grass? The grass is wet, THIS CAR doesn’t drive on wet grass”

**Best request:** “ Could you not route the cars out the back way anymore, it ruins the parade, we want the cars to come out past the RV lot so we can watch the parade from our RV”

**Best confrontation:** (Brenda to BIG biker guy) “*Here’s the deal, I am only doing what I was told to do, and that bike isn’t going to go past me, you are not going out this way!*” Big Biker – “ @#%\*&@!” (Wah-Wah-Wah... call the Wahmulance!!)

**Best overheard exchange:** How much is the car corral? – “\$50 bucks”. - \$50 bucks? I only want \$100 for the car.

**Worst trade:** “*I’m sorry but you don’t park up on top today, your award class is parking on the grass!*” Ok then you keep the award “*You won’t park on the grass,?*” No! , “*Ok then we can’t give you the award.*” OK! (starts to pull forward) “*I’m sorry but you can’t park up here today!*” What? I just gave you back the award and I still can’t park up here? What the #@\$&%#@ - as they turn around and leave the event!

**Worst attitude:** “Where’s Gary...I want &\*8%\$#\*4\$Gary to see this temperature gauge, it’s been like this for 30 #@\$&%\$ minutes, worse \$#@#&\* traffic plan I ever \$#@#@# saw, I want Gary to %\$#@#\$ see this @#@#\*&% gauge! – Good %#@#% Guys my \$\$\$”! On and on as he drove out of sight still cursing!

**Best attitude:** (Colorado plates) Hey thanks for the nice welcome again this morning – “*No problem we’ll be here this afternoon to wave goodbye too!*” Really? that’s great I’ll look forward to that, you guys are fun! – Isn’t this weather great! (it was raining!)

## HOT ROD SOUP TOUR

The Hot Rod Soup tour was a great success, Chuck and Teka have really done a great job starting their new business in Cottonwood. They sell anything from car lifts to gas station collectibles, plus hot rod parts. I think we may have cleaned them out of T-Shirts. The club met at Rock Springs and surprised the breakfast staff with our large group. Everyone adjusted and it worked out fine, we promised to call next time. We had a great parade going up the hill, including someone in a Yellow roadster that was bundled up so tightly we couldn’t tell who it was. Fred had a cold ride on his way home in the rain.

Quite a large group attended. Bob Bailey, Page Barnes, Larry Besore, Steve Bryant, Jerry Elliott, Fred & Sue Elston, Ron James, Charlie Jetton, Herb Kitchener, Kip Kuiper, Jim and Liz Leach, Prill Neagles, Tom & Peggy Noble, Paul & Judy Nolte, Dave & Sherry Pierce, Henry & Marion Rex, Terri & Barb Scott, Fred Sherwood, Larry Vail, Bill Wilkins, also attending were Don Andrews and Rich & Penny D’Ortenzio.

We even got to see the Cottonwood parade. Thank you Chuck & Teka for the great food and hospitality that you provided.

## TOYZ FOR TOTZ

There were approximately 140 cars for the Toyz for Totz show this year. The turnout was down because of the rainy weather. Ken and Dee did another great job, they are the P.R. people for the Remember When Cruise Association. They had a Chinese Auction and quite a few crafters showed up to sell their crafts. Luckily this was inside, so the rain didn’t hurt them.

Our club donated \$500.00 worth of toys, which made a better Christmas for alot of kids.

Several of the Over The Hill Gang showed up, they were: Nick & Deb Bacon, Jeff Bacon & Vicky Barr, Larry Besore, Steve & Terri Besore, Nancy Morgan (potential new member), Paul & Judy Nolte and Ron James.

We chose a 1940 Ford coupe with red flames for our club pick, this car is owned by Phil & Mary Lou Johnston.

Ron James sold his kettle corn even though I think he gave more of it away than he sold.

Larry won the 50/50, he won \$181.50, but he gave it back to the president of RWCA for their charity. Jeff & Vicky won the “Too Hot to Handle” award for the flames on their Ford Coupe.

## Cruising Locations in Town

### Fridays

35th Ave. & Northern - Northwest corner.

North of the 101 on east side of 59th Ave. Checker Auto Parts - 6 pm till 9 pm

Warner and Lindsey Road - Northeast corner - 6 pm to 10 pm - open to all

16130 N. Arrowhead Fountain Ctr Dr. in Peoria Arrowhead Harley-Davidson - - 6 pm till ??????

### Saturdays

Safeway Parking Lot - 40th Street & Chandler Blvd. sponsored by Rodders For Christ.

Rock n Roll McDonalds at the Pavillions - Pima and Indian Bend 4 pm to 10 pm.

19th Ave. & Montebello, just south of Bethany Home Rd. Sunrise Cruisin' Every Saturday morning 6-10 a.m.

### CHINESE AUCTION For the Poker Run

We need "theme" baskets OR "items" that are a minimum of \$30.00. (Can be more money). You can wrap them with "clear" wrap, OR baskets can be left "open" so we can see what's inside easier. Use bows to finish off your theme basket.

This year, I will need a list of the items in your theme basket. I will type all the lists and at the bottom will put, "Donated by" your names. No costs will be published. These lists will be attached to each theme basket. Please let me know if you are planning to do a basket and the theme, so we have enough tables for display. Call me at 623-979-3327 or email me at [dreamwithdee@cox.net](mailto:dreamwithdee@cox.net).

We donate the baskets, but we cannot win them ourselves. Only the show participants are eligible to buy tickets.

Thanks Dee

## Coming Events

### O.T.H.G. Business Meeting

Old Fiddlers Contest/Car Show  
ICA Big /Boys Classic Collector Car Auction

### O.T.H.G. Board Meeting

Kruse Auction  
Barrett Jackson Scottsdale Auction  
Russo & Steel Auction  
The Chrome Guy (Grand Opening)  
Casa Grande Picnic

### O.T.H.G. Business Meeting

Mesquite High School's First Annual Car Show  
Mountain Brook Village (Herb Kitchener's putt)  
1st Annual Car Show - Casa Grande  
OTHG-Phx Annual Poker Run

### O.T.H.G. Board Meeting

Mesa High Car Show  
13th Annual Midnight at the Oasis  
Arizona Gas & Oil Swap Meet & Memorabilia Show  
Cruisin' to the Tunes  
World of Wheels  
Habitat for Humanity  
Concours in the Desert  
31st Rodders Days  
Rod & Custom Car Show  
Show Low Days

### Wed. Jan 5

January 8  
January 15-16

### Tues. Jan 18

Jan. 21-25  
January 25-30  
January 27-29  
January 29  
January 30

### Wed. Feb 2

February 5  
February 6  
February 12  
February 13

### Tues. Feb. 15

February 26  
March 4-6  
March 11-12  
March 12  
March 18-20  
March 25-26  
April 2  
April 28-May 1  
May 7  
June 10-12

### Coco's 4514 E. Cactus Rd. 7:00 PM

Pinal County Fair Grounds-Casa Grande  
Big Surf 1/2 mile N. of 202 on McClintock  
Julio G's 7633 E. Indian School 7:00 PM  
P.I.R.

Westworld of Scottsdale  
Loop 101 & Scottsdale Rd.  
7627 N. 67th Ave. Suite 101-Glendale  
Casa Grande

### Coco's 4514 E. Cactus Rd. 7:00 PM

500 S. McQueen Road, Gilbert  
Gold Canyon, AZ  
I-10 exit 194, 1st stop light right-Casa Grande  
5 N Diner-Pavillions

### Julio G's 7633 E. Indian School 7:00 PM

Mesa High School 1630 E Southern Ave-Mesa  
Desert Sun Stadium 928-343-1715  
4032 S. Old Windmill Road, Tucson  
18424 N. 51 Ave. Terry 623-376-8323  
Phoenix Civic Plaza  
Globe, AZ  
Peoria Sports Complex 602-253-6359  
Tucson, AZ  
Prescott Mile High Middle School  
Show Low 928-537-2326

\*An excellent source for upcoming show information and printable information sheets, maps & registration forms is: [www.cruisinarizona.com](http://www.cruisinarizona.com)

\*You should also try [www.lonewolfcruisers.com](http://www.lonewolfcruisers.com) what a great site!!!!!!

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**Business Meeting - December 1, 2004**

Pres. Larry Besore called the meeting to order at 6:56 p.m. Good crowd tonight! Pres. Besore welcomed Art Bans (2nd meeting, worked Goodguys). Bob and Vivian Otis brought Nancy and Jim (1st meeting) works with Larry Besore.

The next board meeting will be December 21st. The last board meeting was basically about Goodguys and the Poker Run.

Fred Kunze received his official yellow book.

Event report: Chuck T. has the banner. Thanks to Steve and Terri for helping with the t-shirts. The trophy winners split worked well, but hard with teams. We had people on the street again! The buffet was great. Thanks Linda for that. Linda is doing okay after her fall. If anyone has an idea or solution for the show, write it down, e-mail it or call Larry or a board member. Mark Meadors was upset with our "chit chat" but we were sorting traffic. They change it every year. Maybe we need to have a meeting before the show to go over things.

Herb Kitchener's putt has been rescheduled for February.

Sat., Dec. 4 is the putt to Hot Rod Soup. Meet at 7:00 a.m. at Rock Springs. Dave Pierce is leading the run. Need to get in and park by 10:00 a.m. because there is a parade at 11:00 a.m.

Dec. 5th is the Toyz for Totz in Wickenburg. Meet at the Cracker Barrel at 8:00 a.m. for breakfast. Not supposed to get there until 11:00 a.m. but last year we waited and almost didn't get in. You need an unwrapped toy for your entry.

Dec. 11th there is a putt to the VFW where the Christmas party will be held. Meet there at 11:00 a.m. Lunch is \$4.00.

Another guest and applicant, Bill Clark, was introduced. We have 3 aps now. Nancy will be turning hers in also. We had a lot of interest from the Goodguys show. Sent them to Jim Leach. We can have 5 on our waiting list.

The Christmas party is December 18th. Checks are due for that. Bring a dessert and a decorated tree center piece if you took one home. Cindy Bryant brought up that the ladies might like gift certificates.

The Poker Run is Feb. 13th. Ken Du Bois went over what we have as of now. The flyers are going fast. The 50/50 is collecting for the special money basket at the Chinese Auction at the Poker Run. We need more baskets. PSRA is giving a free entry. If anyone needs gift certificates, see Fred.

Standing Rules #10 & #11 passed another vote.

Pres. Besore starting something tonight that he would like to continue with a couple every month. He wants to give recognition to people in the Club who make a difference. Tonight he recognized Bob Kerkel. Bob organizes alot of items from the Goodguys Friday tours to Poker Run routes and alot of "back road cruises" and dinner arrangements in Del Mar. Also recognized was Tom Noble for his great work at parking at Goodguys. He doesn't sign up, but is always there when he is needed. Linda Barnes was recognized for her help with the Christmas parties, the Winslow show and food for the Poker Run and Goodguys.

Clark & Corky won the 50/50.

Carol Du Bois reminded people that she is collecting for the Crisis Nursery. Please keep her in mind when cleaning closets.

Lari Savi has a new ride - a sedan delivery!!

Meeting adjourned at 7:55 p.m.

**The Over The Hill Gang-Phoenix** is a club made up of owners and operators of Pre 1949 vehicles. It's primary objective is to promote the sport of Street Rodding.

**The Over The Hill Gang-Phoenix** has a Business Meeting on the first Wednesday of each month at Coco's Restaurant located at 4541 East Cactus Rd. at 7:00 PM. There is also a Board Meeting held at Julio G's at 7633 East Indian School on the third Tuesday of each month at 7:00 PM and all members are welcome and encouraged to attend.

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## Over the Hill Gang Club Store

See Paul Nolte for your Club Golf Shirts - \$25.00  
Name Tags - \$5.00 \* Hats - \$10.00 \* T-Shirts - \$15.00  
Car Plates - \$25.00 \* Window Stickers - \$5.00

The store is open either during a break or before or after the meetings

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