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Here's a list of your Officers, Board Members and Committee Chairpersons, if you have any questions, suggestions, comments or just want to chat, give them a call.

From the V.P. corner

What...Already?

Good-Guys 2007... Sign up sheet available soon, but for now I need T-shirt sizes ASAP.

I will order shirts in July/Aug so they get delivered to my house and we can get them to everyone as early as possible. If you worked last year and the size didn't change I got you covered. If you want a different size or didn't work last year I need the shirt sizes.

I have entry forms also, if you're going to work the event you will get a free (one car) entry. Fill out the forms but return to me and I'll mail them all in at the same time. I would like to get those sent in September sometime.

This is our second year for the 3 day event, with no known differences in venue. (But it's early) I will have more details later, here's what I expect we will need for work shifts;

Gate crews: 4 shifts of 6 people on each day for 3 days. (2 hour shifts 6AM-2PM) (Less people for Friday and the last shift each day, maybe 2 - 4 a shift) leads each day, one

per shift. (Friday-Sat-Sun)

On the field: Specialty parking 3 or 4, 2 -3 person teams, 3 shifts on Saturday Only, 6-12 people each shift. 3 leads

On top; parking, Boyd's, Top 10, etc! 3 shifts, 4-6 people per shift Saturday Only, 3 leads

On top; parking, winners circle, Boyd's, top 10! 2 shifts, 6-8 people a shift Sunday Only, 2 leads

Awards: 1 shift Sunday afternoon only (8 -10 people), 1 lead.

Goodbye; each and every afternoon if we can, then with every-one possible on Sunday after the awards!

At the 2006 show for our good bye duty we sat in our chairs with assorted frozen drinks and had a great time, best turnout for the goodbye duties in several years. You shoulda been there! Oh wait...you were!

Tucson Rodder's Days 2007 by Nick Bacon

The usual suspects met Thursday at noon on I-10 and Elliott Road at the McDonalds. Jerry and Carol, Paul and Judy, Ken and Dee, Conrad and Michelle, Page and Linda, Deb and I, and Bob and Betty in their grocery getter. The cruise down to Tucson was uneventful aside from lots of traffic. Checking into the motel was easy and they had all kinds of parking for the hot rods that were expected.

The Over The Hill Gang Tucson invited all of us for a BBQ supper so we cruised to their location with no difficulty. One hot rod shop had pulled pork sandwiches, potato chips and drinks and a little later the other hot rod shop had BBQ hamburgers and hot dogs, a salad, and drinks. You know how the gang is around food. It appears our habits are evolving into the Tucson bunch. They are a great bunch of people and everyone had a good time. We did not leave hungry. Everyone brought their hot rods and it was kind of a mini car show. The bar at the motel was the meeting place for the gang after the BBQ. Paul's Willy's was having a problem but no one knew for sure what the problem was at first. We were hoping it wasn't serious but three quarts of oil was missing and no one knew where it could have gone.

Friday morning the gang met in the motel restaurant for breakfast. They had a regular menu type feast. Eggs, bacon, sausage, toast, biscuits and gravy, milk, fruit juice, coffee, and I'm sure I've left things out like pastry goods. What a meal. Then it was out to the parking lot to clean cars and discuss Paul's problem some more. About nine, the other OTHG members from Phoenix pulled into the parking lot. Among them were Manfred and Connie. His presence at Paul's car was immeately, emidiatly, quickly requested. He made a couple of quick checks and told Paul to call a tow truck. He suggested Paul not even start it any more. The thinking now was a major engine problem like a rod bearing or something. So Paul and Judy found a back seat to ride in for the cruise up Mt. Lemon. The cruise began around 10 AM and I figure there were about 80-100 cars that made the trip up the mountain. There is a lot of rebuilding going on after the big fire they had a couple of years ago. The trip was really beautiful and the higher ya got, the cooler it was. At the top, the TSRA had BBQ hamburgers, potato chips, brownies, and drinks waiting for everyone. You can't ask for a better time when combining good food, good friends, great weather, beautiful cars and fresh mountain air. The cruise back to the motel was uneventful except for traffic again.

After a short rest period, it was time to eat again. TSRA had a nice dinner catered in. It was Mexican food and plenty of it. After dinner they had an auction. The proceeds went to charities. The items up for auction were OK. I was told that last year's was much better. Several club members were winning bidders on items, but I can't remember who bought what. Jerry and I had a bidding war on a box of polished aluminum engine parts, but neither one of us ended up with them. Most of us left about 9:30. Those that stayed had bought an item at the auction and

were waiting to see if they had won any money from the ticket they received with the item they bought. Did that make any sense?

We met for breakfast at the motel again next morning. We cruised to the show and shine about 7:30. Several went early and saved the rest of us parking places across from O'Malley's Bar and Grill. The weather was very pleasant except for a wind gust every now and then. There were a lot of beautiful cars parked on 4th Street this year. There were also a few not so nice cars that found their way into the show. I think I counted 12 club cars and a grocery getter from our club.

Door prizes were given away all day long. Ken and Carol won a purple sponge, and I won a frizbe, frisbey, you know, one of those round flat, disk shaped things you throw and then have to go get if you don't have a dog to fetch it. Karen won two Chinese Auction baskets. Others may have won something but I was unaware of it.

The trolley was running and several gang members road that puppy. They said it was a neat deal. Some one said it only cost a quarter. If I'd a known that, I would've road it. As usual, there were plenty of spectators checking out the rides.

Everyone began leaving the show about 3PM. Some went to the Silver Saddle steak house and others returned to the motel for a little nap and to wait for the 6PM free feeding by the TSRA. This evening's meal was chicken, farter starters (beans), tater salad, rolls, and ice tea. Some kind of berry cobbler was the desert and it was pretty good.

The awards ceremony started after dinner. As usual the gang brought several of the awards to Phoenix. Prill received the Ladies Choice Award, Page and Manfred won a People's Choice Award and a sponsor's award. Congrats to the winners. Little Bob gave our Club Pick award away and did an excellent job. I can't remember what our pic was, but I'm sure it was worthy of our award.

After the awards, a husband and wife duet entertained us for the rest of the evening. They were really good. She played the guitar and sang and he played a keyboard that was synthesized. It sounded like a big group was playing. Also, a crap game broke out on one of the tables in the back. They were having fun by the sounds of things. The party broke up about 9PM.

We met in the parking lot about 8AM. Most went to breakfast about 8:15 with the OTHG Tucson gang. They were to meet at the Cracker Barrel but I heard the Cracker Barrel would rather they go elsewhere, so they did. I guess we boycott the Cracker Barrel from now on. Everyone made it home safe and sound. One last thing, Paul had the Willy's put on a flat bed and towed home. He went with the driver and returned later that evening with the 31 Chevy. The moment was captured on film and will appear on the web sight for further enjoyment. **YA SHOULD A BEEN THERE!!!!!! AND, IF THEY CAN'T GET THERE ON THEIR OWN, LEAVE EM HOME!!!!!!**

June Birthdays

Walter Hann	6/2
Kip Kuiper	6/9
Michelle Monroe	6/10
Pete Golightly	6/17
Conrad Monroe	6/20

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"MYSTERY CRUISE"

Hi everybody, me again, Charley The Chair! Oh Boy, oh boy, oh boy, oh boy!! It's almost here!! Mommy Dee and Daddy Ken have planned a MYSTERY CRUISE for June 24 and want you all to come.

Ohhhhh, it's gonna be fun! There will be ahhh, well it's going to have....ahhh, well you will be given....ahhh, well....YOU JUST HAVE TO COME AND SEE FOR YOURSELF. Hope you can make it! It's a

MYSTERY CRUISE !!!!! Ohhhh, I'm so excited !! WOO WOO !!

Now HERE'S THE PLAN !

Sunday, June 24, 2007

Bring a picnic lunch for yourself

Bring your own drink . . . soda, water, etc. (bring enough for all day)

Drive your streetrod (gas stops will be available)

Might bring a sweater or light jacket

Dress comfortable - yellow shirts might be fun!

Comfortable shoes. Bring your chairs

You'll be on your way home by 3:00 p.m.

We will meet at Rock Springs Cafe. BE READY TO LEAVE THERE AT 8:30 A.M.

If you want to eat breakfast there, suggest you arrive at 7:00 -7:15 a.m. so you can eat and be ready to leave at 8:30 a.m.

See ya there, "Mommy Dee, Daddy Ken and Charley the Chair"

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Coming Events

Pomona Swap Meet	June 3	Pomona, CA
O.T.H.G. Business Meeting	Wed. June 6	Coco's 4514 E. Cactus Rd.
Show Low Days 4th Annual Still Cruizin Car Show	June 8-10	Show Low, AZ John 928-537-2326
So-Cal Second Saturday (shoe box swap meet)	June 9	So-Cal Speed Shop
AZ Car Show & Swap Meet (Prescott)	June 16	Mile High Middle School Gary 928-632-7355
O.T.H.G. Board Meeting	Tues. June 19	Calico Cow 8525 N. Central
Ken & Dee's Mystery Cruise	June 24	7:00 a.m. Rock Springs for breakfast
O.T.H.G. Business Meeting	Wed. July 4	Coco's 4514 E. Cactus Rd.
So-Cal Second Saturday (shoe box swap meet)	July 14	So-Cal Speed Shop
Pomona Swap Meet	July 15	Pomona, CA
O.T.H.G. Board Meeting	Tues. July 17	Calico Cow 8525 N. Central
Twisters 50's Soda Fountain Show	August 17-18	Williams, AZ
Pomona Swap Meet	August 26	Pomona, CA
3rd Annual Flagstaff Route 66 Days Charity Car Show	Sept. 7-8-9	Flagstaff, AZ John 928-856-2816
20th Annual Prescott High Country Rod Run	Sept. 7-9	Prescott, AZ John 480-988-0139
Winslow "Standin on the Corner"	Sept. 28-29	La Posado Hotel, Winslow, AZ
24th Annual Run to the Pines	Sept. 28-30	Pinetop, AZ Bob 928-368-5325
Pomona Swap Meet	October 14	Pomona, CA
10th Annual Goodguys Southwest Nationals	November 16-18	Westworld
International Classic Auctions	November 23-24	Gilbert, AZ 480-899-2222
23rd Annual Toyz for Totz Cruise	December 2	Wickenburg, AZ Bob 602-943-3532

An excellent source for upcoming show information and printable information sheets, maps & registration forms is:
www.cruisinarizona.com or www.desertcruisers.com or www.lonewolfcruisers.com

Progressive Dinner

We had a great time at the progressive dinner on June 20th. We had 37 people attend. We started out at Bob & Betty Bailey's house for appetizers. Betty made some Lumpia, which is a Filipino eggroll, they were so good. Linda contributed her usual tasty food and beautiful embellishments. Then off to Paul & Judy Nolte's house for salads and the main course of ham and scalloped potatoes, many thanks to Dee, Michelle and Carol for their help. Then to Steve & Cindy Bryant's house for dessert, everyone loved the home made ice cream, cookies and brownies.

We definately should do this again.

Good-Guys 2007 TOUR:

If anyone has knowledge of any Hobby related businesses in or near the Scottsdale Airpark area that would be something we could include for the 2007 Good-Guys pre-event tour.

There would need to be reasonable parking available, and enough context at the site to keep people interested for 1/2 hour or so.

If you know of any potentials please let me know.

If you have a contact there pass that on as

June 2007

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
					1	2
3	4	5	6 OTHG Business Meeting	7	8 Show Low Days	9 So-Cal Second Saturday
10 Show Low Days	11	12	13	14	15	16 AZ Car Show & Swap Meet (Prescott)
17	18	19 OTHG Board Meeting	20	21	22	23
24 Ken & Dee's Mystery Cruise	25	26	27	28	29	30

Show Low Days June 8-10

If you haven't been to this show, you are really missing a lot of fun.
 Conrad & Michelle always have a party, it's on Saturday night, after the poker run
 (remember it's Michelle's birthday).

Mystery Cruise June 24

July 2007

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
1	2	3	4 OTHG Business Meeting	5	6	7
8	9	10	11	12	13	14 So-Cal Second Saturday Shoe Box Swapmeet
15 Pomona Swap Meet	16	17 OTHG Board Meeting	18	19	20	21
22	23	24	25	26	27	28
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 The club is still looking for members to sign up to put on a garage tour
 or breakfast or lunch run, please let a board
 member know if you would like to volunteer.
 The ones we've had in the past have been a lot of fun.

Over the Hill Gang Club Store
 Call Steve or Terri Besore for orders of shirts and hats.
 Home 602-978-2647
 Club Golf Shirts - \$25.00 * Sweat Shirts - \$25.00
 T-Shirts - \$15.00
 Flamed Hats - \$15.00 * Hats - \$10.00
 Car Plates - \$25.00 * Name Tags - \$7.50
 Window Stickers - \$5.00

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 ??????

4929 West Bell Rd. - 51st Ave. & Bell - 5 - 8 pm

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.

83rd Avenue & Union Hills, Safeway Parking Lot

So-Cal Speed Shop-Arizona

Join them for coffee, donuts, car talk, & shoe box swapmeet
 every Second Saturday of the Month, next ones are on June 9th then July 14th at 7:00 a.m.

Have you checked out our website lately. Wow, Conrad Monroe does a wonderful job keeping it going. If you haven't thanked him lately, you should.
 It really takes alot of work and time.

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 Calico Cow Restaurant 8525 North Central Ave. (south of Dunlap), on the third Tuesday of each month at 7:00 PM and all members are welcome and encouraged to attend.

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