



CRUZIN NEWS-N-VIEWS

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*Here's a list of your Officers,
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Chairpersons, if you have any
questions, suggestions,
comments or just want to chat,*

The Prez Sez

Well, guess what? Larry Besore traded cars again! Larry traded the '50 Chevy for a '30 Model A highboy sedan. We traveled with my truck and a borrowed trailer to Santa Fe, NM to make the trade. Everything went very well with both parties pleased with the car they went home with.

We were on our way home ahead of schedule when just outside of Flagstaff, we blew the left rear tire on the trailer. We limped off the freeway to a gas station. We didn't have a spare and the one for the truck had a different bolt pattern. We were stuck. We called roadside services and found out they don't cover trailers. We called Barney Wilkins but had to leave a message. It was getting windy and colder and the prediction was for 2 feet of snow overnight. Not a place for 2 desert rats.

We were out of ideas when we saw a Flagstaff police car in the parking lot across the alley. I walked over and asked if there was a tire store nearby. He said there was a Discount Tire Store

about 2 miles away. He gave me directions on how to get there. I must have looked really confused because he said to follow him and he would lead me there.

So now we had a police escort as we limped along with the flat tire. When we got to the store, we needed to make a left turn across traffic. The officer turned on his lights and blocked traffic so we could make the turn. It turned out the tire was Discount's brand and we were given a road-hazard price. We were back on the road again. We made it home in good time with no other problems. If you think all of this was coincidental, please see me after the meeting.

The new car is very nice and well built. It should serve the Besores well.

Brenda came up with a good license plate, "Last One." We shall see.

April Birthdays

Cindy Bryant	4/1
Marge Parelli	4/1
Ruth Ann McGilvra	4/6
Pat Crockett	4/14
Jean Rust	4/22

April Anniversaries

Bradley & Joanne Harrelson

We were all terribly saddened to hear about the passing of Marion Rex. Marion will be greatly missed by family and friends. Henry, our thoughts and prayers are with you daily.

I'm B A A A- - - C C C K! by Charley The Chair

Yup! Mommy Dee and Daddy Ken took me to the Goodguys Show this year. Probably cause that 'sweet Judy' put a bug in their ear! Although I really haven't been at my best these last couple of years.....my arms are fraying a tad, but my legs are still pretty steady. I sat there at the entrance gate while they worked their shifts each morning. Then I sat in the OTHG area and had several different folks rest their bods on my lap and I listened to all their fun talking. But best of all, "sweet Judy" received a momma duck and a baby duck, and she let me hold them. They wanted their picture with ME! So cute! Anyways, it was good to see a lot of the oldies, but WOW, all the new folks. I can't remember their names. (But neither can Mommy Dee!)

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 - Southeast corner - 6 pm to 10 pm - open to all

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

SE Corner 51st Ave. & Bell.
Freddy's Custard & Steamburgers
and also Chilibombers same parking lot

91st Ave. & Northern (Behind Auto Zone)

Tropical Smoothie Cafe 5350 West Bell Road

Big Earl's - Cave Creek

Saturdays

2nd Saturday of every month,
So-Cal Swap Meet, donuts, gathering

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 & approximately 2 miles north of Union Hills Road, Safeway Parking Lot

59th Ave. & Bell-K-mart parking lot

Sundays

Ramjets Speed Shop
13071 North Cave Creek Road - 1 pm to 4 pm

PHIL'S Filling Station Grill 16852 E. Parkview Avenue Fountain Hills - 12:00 pm to 3 pm

April 2012

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
1	2	3	4	5	6	7 Bethany Bible Show
8	9	10	11	12	13	14 Cruise on Central
15	16	17	18	19	20	21 Nostalgia Drags Celebration Church Show
22	23	24	25	26	27	28 Beeline Cruisin Family Expo
29	30	<div style="border: 3px double black; padding: 10px;"> <p>You can now see our website on OTHG-Phoenix.net or OTHG-Phoenix.org Conrad our webmaster has fixed our problem!!!!!!! Thanks Conrad</p> </div>				

May 2012

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
		1	2	3	4	5
					Tucson Rodder's Days Route 66 Fun Run	50th Old Tucson Dragway Reunion
6	7	8	9	10	11	12
Tucson Rodder's Days Route 66 Fun Run					The Streak	Globe Show
13	14	15	16	17	18	19
The Streak						
20	21	22	23	24	25	26
					Family Advocacy Center Show	
27	28	29	30	31		
Family Advocacy Center Show						

Coming Events

<i>OTHG Business Meeting</i>	<i>Wed. April 4</i>	<i>Coco's 4514 E. Cactus Rd.</i>
Bethany Bible Show	April 7	Bethany Bible Church-Terry (602) 538-8883
Cruise on Central	April 14	Park Central Mall, Phoenix
<i>OTHG Board Meeting</i>	<i>Tues. April 17</i>	<i>Manuels-Cave Creek North of Cactus</i>
Nostalgic Drags	April 21	Speedworld
Celebration Church Show	April 21	(Formerly Calvary Church) See Ken & Dee
Beeline Cruisin	April 27-28	Payson, AZ (928) 474-3427
Family Expo	April 28	Gateway Park-Angela 623-930-2842
<i>OTHG Business Meeting</i>	<i>Wed. May 2</i>	<i>Coco's 4514 E. Cactus Rd.</i>
Tucson Rodder's Days	May 4-6	Casa Del Sol Casino, Tucson
Route 66 Fun Run	May 4-6	Seligman, Az
50th Old Tucson Dragway Reunion	May 5	12000 S. Houghton Rd., Tucson, (520) 762-9700
The Streak	May 11-13	San Diego, California
Globe Show	May 12	Globe, AZ Jim (928) 701-4242
<i>OTHG Board Meeting</i>	<i>Tues. May 15</i>	<i>Manuels-Cave Creek North of Cactus</i>
Family Advocacy Center Show	May 25-27	Show Low, Az
Flagstaff Route 66 Days	September 7-9	Flagstaff, AZ-John 928-451-1204

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

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Putt to Raceway Bar and Grill - Article by Jan Olmstead

The OTHG overwhelmed the servers at Raceway Bar and Grill Saturday. The turnout for the putt to the restaurant was great. Both Scottsdale and Phoenix clubs were represented. Most of the gang met at McDonald's at 51st Ave. and McDowell Rd. We then picked up the rest of us as well as those from the Scottsdale group at Riggs and Maricopa Roads.

Taking the 'back' way (no freeways) to Maricopa showed some of us who had not been down in the area for a long time the growth that was unbelievable. There were both new homes and shopping centers.

When we left the new housing communities, we drove amid fields of green, some of us wondering where our leader was taking us. Where could there be a restaurant in all this? Then out of nowhere appeared the Raceway Bar and Grill. There was just a little strip of businesses all by itself.

We had call-ahead reservations but appeared more in number than had been reserved. After getting us all settled, the gals took our drink orders. The grill had a varied menu and cooked everything fresh. Having such a large group, led to some not getting their meal in a timely manner. I, as well as a couple of other gals ordered fish tacos. We were a little disappointed because we had little fish but lots of onions.

All in all, we can chalk this up to another OTHG adventure. It gave us a chance to get to know some of the new members and it was great to have the Scottsdale OTHG join us.

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The Over The Hill Gang-Phoenix is a club made up of owners and operators of Pre 1959 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 ***Manuels-Cave Creek & Cactus*** on the third Tuesday of each month at 7:00 PM and all members are welcome and encouraged to attend.