

## CRUZIN NEWS-N-VIEWS

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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.

## The Prez Sez:

## Traded cars again!

If you haven't heard, I did it again. The 48 Plymouth was one of the best drivers I ever had. I finally got the paint addressed, it was looking great. Perfect time to trade, Brenda doesn't understand, (maybe I don't understand either)....but

If you have known me for any time you'll remember the 5-6 year love/hate affair I had with the project 41 Plymouth woodie. I never completed that project, and have always wanted a Wodden car, problem is they have sky-rocketed in price and are out of my reach.

OK, so I decided to put the 48 on Hot Rod Hot line, for sale or trade. I got 5 offers very quickly, 3 were nice model A coupes but nothing I really wanted. There was a 32 sedan delivery (glass) but the paint design was not to my liking and I would have to do a total repaint. I was trying not to trade into a paint job.

The interesting offer was this little "phantom woodie'. Best way to describe it would be a full sized match box car. Funny thing is I looked at the car 2 years ago (different owner) but decided they wanted too much for the car.

There were some comfort issues, no AC, bolt on door glass, etc! But I was interested in the car and had a lot of ideas for it, but not for his asking price. So nothing happened with a

deal.

So 2 years later the woodie is now in the hands of a collector/dealer. He answered my add and had me look up another Hotline add. There was the little phantom woodie again, same price. I responded to him that I wasn't interested in the car for that price. We exchanged some photos, and info, he offered a trade deal. More photos and info exchanged and we made a deal. He also agreed to split the cost of an AC kit.

It's a 1931 frame, cowl, windshield posts, with custom hood panels with a 33 ford grille.

All those parts are metal except the grille shell. Car was built as a hi-boy, who needs fenders anyway. The body is a one off custom design built using Maple and Birch. The wood work is very nice, done by a cabinet maker in Maryland. Build was completed in 2000.

I have gotten started with some of the ideas I had for the car, slow going as it's usually 190 degrees in the garage. The car came to me from Seattle and by now is probably ready to go back after spending a few months in my phoenix garage.

So should have it road worthy with AC and the other changes in another few months.

Surf's up......Dude!

## September Birthdays

Ann Bennett 9/15
Debbi Wright 9/21
Sue Elston 9/26
Rose Svancara 9/26
Ken Schaaf 9/29

## September Anniversaries

Larry & Sandy Wibeto 9/11

Jim & Ann Stubert 9/17

Ron & Jan Olmstead 9/19

## **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 ???????

SE Corner 51st Ave. & Bell. Freddy's Custard & Steakburgers 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**

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

Please send me the For Sale or Wanted items, so I can put them in the newsletter next month. e-mail jnolte@cox.net

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## **Coming Events**

OTHG Business Meeting	Wed. Sept. 1	Coco's 4514 E. Cactus Rd.	
Route 66 Days	Sept. 10-12	Flagstaff, Az John (928) 451-1204	
OTHG Board Meeting	Tues. Sept. 21	Manuels-Cave Creek North of Cactus	
Run to the Pines	Sept. 24-26	Pinetop, Az Bob & Linda (928) 368-5325	
9th Annual Fall Car Show	Oct. 2	Full Moon Saloon, Sedona, Mike (928) 300-5809	
Standin on the Corner	Oct. 2-3	Winslow, AZ	
OTHG Business Meeting	Wed. Oct. 6	Coco's 4514 E. Cactus Rd.	
Prescott High Country Rod Run	October 8-9	Historic Downtown Square-Frank (623) 533-7837	
Cruise on Central	October 9	Park Central Mall-Nancy (602) 809-1766	
OTHG Board Meeting	Tues. Oct. 19	Manuels-Cave Creek North of Cactus	
Old Car Swap Meet	Oct. 23-24	SIR Dragstrip, Tucson, Lou (520) 293-3178	
33 Annual CHVA Car Show	Oct. 24	SIR Dragstrip, Tucson, Lou (520) 293-3178	
AZ Deuce Days	October 30	Sanderson Ford, Glendale	
ASRA Swap Meet	November 7	Mesa, AZ	
13th SW Nationals, Goodguys	Nov. 18-21	Westworld, Scottsdale, Az	
OTHG Christmas Party	Dec. 11	Italian-American Club	
Casa Grande Picnic	January 29	Casa Grande, Az	
Goodguys	March 2011	Westworld, Scottsdale Az	

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

After the Flagstaff show is over, Donna and Barney Wilkins have invited our club to their home in Parks where they will furnish brats, hotdogs and ice cream. There will be a sign-up sheet tonight for "attendees" to bring the "toppings" i.e., bananas, fudge, carmel, nuts, etc.

## Over the Hill Gang Club Store

Call Ron & Jan Olmstead for orders of shirts and hats.
(602) 864-2990
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

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.

<u>The Over The Hill Gang-Phoenix</u> 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

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