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NEXT GENERAL MEETING IS AUGUST 4 AT DENNY'S in the Clairemont Square Shopping Center (See Page 2)



DRIVE-IN MOVIE NIGHT AT THE SANTEE DRIVE-IN See Pg. 8



# The PreZ Sez...

I hope everyone has been enjoying the summer. We had a great turnout at the Drive-In event in July. Hopefully you will be able to attend one of the upcoming events. Peter Grubb has put together our August event at the El Cajon car show. In September several of the clubs are coming to San Diego and I hope that you will be able to attend at least one of the events planned for that weekend. Please see the events pages for more information on upcoming events including the Cannonball Run Rally in

~Melody

August.

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#### Z CLUB OF SAN DIEGO

Established in 1991 by the owner of Z-Whizz, the Z CLUB OF SAN DIEGO is a group of Datsun / Nissan Z enthusiasts dedicated to the NISSAN marquee. As a Charter member of the National Z Car Club Association its sole purpose is to promote interest in Zs through social activities, touring outings and charitable events.

Persons interested in upholding the same ideals toward Zs are encouraged to join the ZCSD. Annual dues for new and continuing members, are \$36. Members receive ZCSD discounts at participating parts and/or service dealers, receive the monthly newsletter, and may participate in monthly club events. Monthly meetings are held the first Tuesday of each month starting at 7:00 pm at *Denny's Restaurant* located in the Clairemont Square shopping Center, just a stones throw from Krispy Crème donuts, unless otherwise posted. Come early and socialize!

Club event ideas and advertising submissions are welcome. Items to be placed in the classified section of the newsletter are listed at no charge and run for three months unless cancelled or renewed. Submissions should be received by the 15th of the month prior to publication. Send submissions to:

Z Club of San Diego P.O Box 710886 Santee, CA 92072 Email: zcsd@zcsd.org Website: www.zcsd.org

Come to the meetings OR CONTACT AN OFFICER

should you need more information.

# Our monthly meeting place: DENNY'S

4280 Clairemont Mesa Blvd. San Diego, CA 92117

#### **Meeting directions:**

From 52, take the Genessee exit south to Clairemont Mesa, go west Just past Clairemont Drive, and it's on the right
From 5, go to Clairemont Dr and go east a couple miles 'til you get to the Clairemont Square Center. Turn right on Clairemont Mesa Blvd. Then look for the Denny's. on your left. We park in back of Denny's
If you belong in a Z you'll find it!

# **CORNER**

# SHERI'S



What's Cookin'?

# **ZCSD EVENTS**

August 12 Cajon Classic Cruise

September 11 & 12 Desert Z Run to the Coast

September 27 Coronado Speed Festival

October 5 5th Annual Japanese Classic Car Show

October 31 Doheny all Nissan/ Datsun BBQ

November 14 Empire Z Car Show Corona Nissan

December Annual Holiday Party

#### (EL) CAJON CLASSIC CRUISE CAR SHOW

Wednesday, August 12, 5 to 8 pm

The featured theme is Funny Car Frenzy

We'll gather a few minutes before 5 pm at the Greek Style Chicken Restaurant

1468 Graves in El Cajon (near the corner of Bradley and Hwy 67 and the DMV).

We'll drive over as a group and cruise through the Car Show on Main St.

before parking. We can pick a place to eat after the show if the group wants.

#### See next page for a fuller list of up and coming events

#### WE LOOK FORWARD TO SEEING YOU AT THIS EVENT LETS MAKE 2009 OUR MOST ACTIVE, FUN YEAR YET!! ZCSD EVENTS ARE OPEN TO ALL CLUBS

All dates are subject to change, so keep an eye on future newsletters and attend club meetings for updates. If you would like to coordinate an event (pre-drive and map, contact vendors, make location reservations, etc.) please contact Sheri Arnoth at sherinlenny@cox.net or 619-448-5357.

#### **EVENTS CALENDAR**

#### August 16, Z32 Club Cannonball Rally

See page 5 for details

#### Sept. 11-12, Multi Club Event (Desert Z Run to the Coast)

**Friday,** 7 pm - Meet up for dinner at Seau's in Mission Valley Mall in the same parking area as last year, at the far end of the east parking lot.

**Saturday,** meet around 10 am for a trolley tour of San Diego and Coronado with lunch at Seaport Village. Dinner will be at one of the Mexican Restaurants in Old Town.

#### Sept. 12-19, ZCCIV 1st. Anniversary of the Datsun Heritage Museum

#### Sept. 15, Mr. K's 100th Birthday (Father of the Z Car)

# **Sept. 20, Sunday, Group Z** Medieval Times Matinee Show 4 – 7 pm, 7662 Beach Blvd. Buena Park, California 90620

Price and RSVP requirements detailed in future issues.

#### Sept. 27, Coronado Speed Festival

Tickets available in advance online at:

http://www.fleetweeksandiego.org/coronadospeedfestival/.

#### Sept. 27, ZCCIV, Day Trip to The Peterson Museum

#### Sept. 20-Oct. 2, ZCCA International Z Car Convention

San Antonio Texas. Details online at:

www.zcon09.com

#### Oct. 3, Japanese Classic Car Show Hidden Valley Park ,Irvine

See Page 7. Details and registration online at:

www.Japaneseclassiccarshow.com

#### Oct. 31, Saturday, Doheny All Nissan/ Datsun BBQ

10 am to 4 pm - \$10 parking. Bring a side dish, drinks or a dessert to share. Please bring canned goods for the food bank!

www.dohenystatebeach.org

#### February 2010, ZONC, Hearst Castle Run

#### OTHER EVENTS OF INTEREST





#### RULES/INFO:

- All drivers must have a valid registration and drivers license at check-in (Co-Pilot is recommended).
- 2. Each vehicle must carry a working digital camera, you will be required to use it during the Rally (Cell phone camera OK).
- All Nissan or Datsun Z cars welcome (G35's and G37's are also welcome!)
- 4. Use of GPS, Maps, Cell phones, and/or your Mom for directions is OK.
- Rally check point locations will NOT be given out until the day of the event (so don't bother asking).
- Rally starting point will be in San Diego and exact location to be given out 5 days before the start.
- 7. Cash prizes will be awarded to 1st, 2nd, and 3rd. (Cash prizes will vary depending on number of entrants)
- This is not a speed contest, getting caught violating the law will get you automatically disqualified.
- Pre-Registration fee is \$15.00 / Registration on day of event will be \$20.00.
- 10. There will be more twist and turns than just the roads during this event....

#### General Instructions:

Use Location Clues to arrive at each correct location and obtain the correct Location Proof.

Each Stage Checkpoint will give you two Location Clues and one Stage Checkpoint Clue.

How you find the location from the Location Clue is ALL UP TO YOU!!!

You must make it to a Stage Checkpoint in order to receive your next set of Location Clues.

Each Location Clue will help you to arrive at a well known San Diego location.

You are welcome to take your time and enjoy each location, but time counts in this Rally too.

You must use a digital camera to prove you made it to the correct location; this will be known as your Location Proof (Cell phone cameras are OK).

You are responsible for providing a clear photograph of each Location Proof at the Finish Line.

A staff member at each Stage Checkpoint can help check your Location Proof.

It is up to you to continue or go back if your Location Proof is not correct.

Please note only the judge at the finish can officially verify your Location Proof as being correct.

Do not delete your Location Proof until after the finish and told to do so.

The route and order you follow is solely up to you.

The winner will be determined by total points.

The driver with the most points wins.

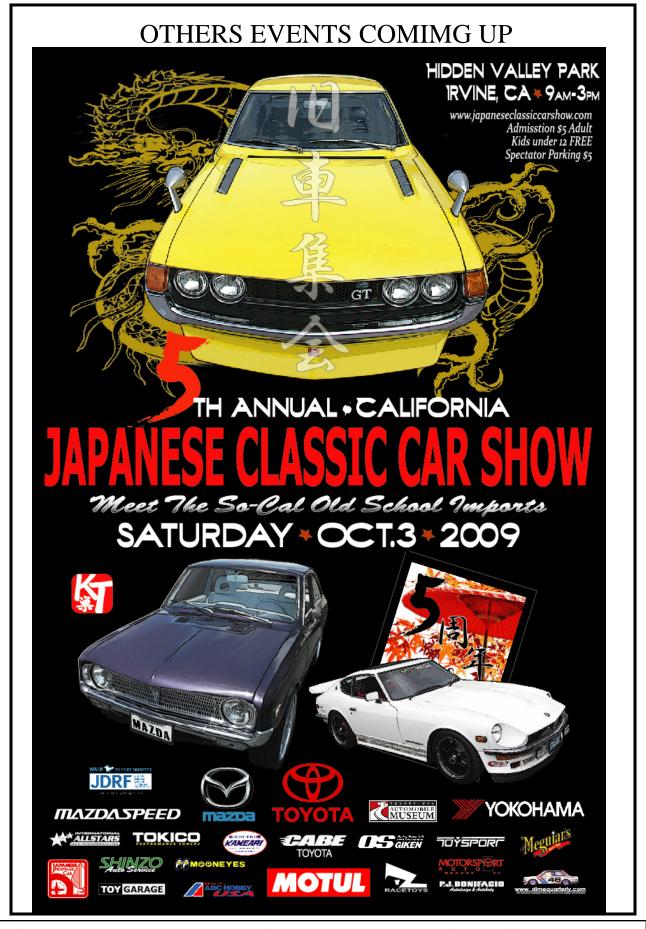
Some clues will be easy and some won't. Prepare yourself!

To Register, go to www.powertrix.com/Cannonball.htm

# Register online at www.powertrix.com

#### FIRST ANNUAL SAN DIEGO NISSAN CANNONBALL RUN! SUNDAY, AUGUST 16<sup>th</sup>, 2009 Registration Form

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#### DRIVE-IN MOVIE NIGHT AT THE SANTEE DRIVE-IN







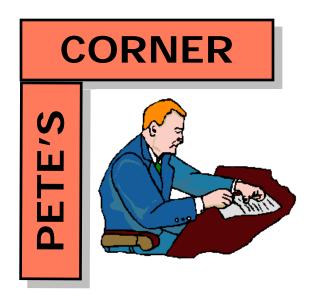








We gathered at the Sonrise Church in Santee, chose which movie (Transformers: Revenge of the Fallen and Star Trek). Then we headed on over to the Drive In and waited for the gates to open. It was club family night at the movies as several of us brought our families, like Lance and Barbara Wills, who brought with them daughter Debby and son Tom and his fiancé. We remember when they were riding along on events as children. Time flies! Dinners were consumed, Chocolate cake was enjoyed, popcorn was spilled, great conversations were shared, and a good time was had by all!



#### **MEETING HIGHLIGHTS**

Hi fellow Z members,

Hope your summer is going well. The question of the night was 'What was your favorite vacation in your Z?'. Some had to think about it because they've had the Z for so long and others knew right away.

Saturday was the Club's annual Drive-In movie night. The movie chosen was Transformers: Revenge of the Fallen. As always, everybody had lots of fun and it was the only time that Z's led the Vettes, haha.

Don't forget, in August we have the walk around of The El Cajon Classic Car Cruise and also the Z32 Club's First Annual Cannonball Rally.

See you at the next meeting, Secretary Grubbs

### **ZCSD STORE**



#### **ZCSD GOODIES**

#### Our great ZCSD T shirts and sweatshirts!



The men's style t-shirt in light grey, comes in sizes S thru XXL - \$20

The women's t-shirt is light blue, comes in sizes S thru XL \$20

Sweatshirts are available in 3 styles, all in light grey:

Pullover (non-hooded), zip hooded, and zip non-hooded Pullover

The Pullovers in sizes S, M, L, & XL are \$25.
Sizes XXL & XXXL are \$27.
Zip sweats (hooded or non-hooded) in sizes XS, S, M, L, & XL are \$35.
Sizes XXL & XXXL are \$37.

Canvas Tote Bags printed with "ZCSD" - \$10

All items are available for purchase from Sheri Arnoth at any meeting or event that she is attending.



#### **CLIF'S MEMBERSHIP CORNER**

#### **Total Members: 78**

Thanks for joining the most active Z-Club in Southern California!

# Which Z car is the most popular in ZCSD?

240Z 23
260Z2
280Z 12
280ZX15
300ZX (Z31)11
300ZX (Z32)15
350Z (Z33)13
370Z (Z34)1
A grand total of 92!

We regret the passing of Pat Cordova, a long time Group Z member and Z enthusiast Pat died suddenly of a stroke. He was just with us on the Run to Big Bear. Pat's car is the white Z featured on the current JCCS poster on page 7.



#### AUGUST BIRTHDAYS Happy Birthday!

David Timber	8-02
David Platt	8-03
<b>Geraldine Evans</b>	8-04
Judy Campbell	8-09
Michael McQuain	8-09
<b>Lance Wills</b>	8-16
Barbara Wills	8-20
Zeb Evans	8-21
Mike Manginelli	8-22
Carol Darnall	8-29

#### Joining or Renewing

If you would like to join the Z Club of San Diego and receive member benefits such as meeting like-minded Z-car enthusiasts, participating in events, monthly newsletter, and receiving great discounts on parts and services, here's how:

Fill out the form on the back page. Mail it and your dues to the address shown. Or come to a meeting and give to an officer. Current members may renew in the same way. If you have any questions, contact Clif Yaussi. (Contact info on Page 2)

Please, show your valid Z Club of San Diego membership card, to receive your Z Club discount.



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10% DISCOUNT TO ALL ZCSD MEMBERS

# Z-Club of San Diego Membership Form

Indicate level of membership, sign and return this form with check payable to:

P.O. Box 710886 Z-Club of San Diego





CHARTER MEMBER

Active Full Member Renewal \$36.00

City **Address** First Name Car #1 Year/Model/Color Santee CA 92072 State Last Name Car #2 Year/Model/Color Zip Code Member Type | SO Name E- Mail Address Nick Name Car #3 Year/Model/Color

Home Phone

SO Birth Date

Birth Date

Waiver and Release from Liability

This form limits Z Club of San Diego's liability. Read it thoroughly and sign below.

statutory requirements and that this insurance will be in force and effect for all ZCSD automobile liability insurance on the vehicle, meeting or exceeding all California applicable provisions of the California Vehicle Code. I further warrant that I carry gence (active or passive) or willful, reckless or wanton activity. I further agree that complete, general and without restriction and include but are not limited to neglidamage or injury to third parties, or myself resulting from anything connected with As a Member of the Z Club of San Diego (ZCSD), I am solely responsible for any all ZCSD Events/Activities in which I participate. impair my ability to perform at ZCSD Events/Activities. This release will be active for under the influence of any alcoholic beverages or other drug or drugs that would Events/Activities in which I participate. I will not participate in any Event/Activity my car will be operated by a licensed driver and that the driver will comply with al may be asserted against them by me or by any third party as a result of my activity representatives harmless for or in any claim, loss, damage, injury or liability that ZCSD Events/Activities. I agree to fully indemnify and hold ZCSD, its officers and The foregoing covenants of exculpation and indemnity are intended to be and are

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