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



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WARNING

IF YOU HAVE NOT RENEWED YOUR MEMBERSHIP THIS IS YOUR LAST ISSUE



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Club "Store" NEEDS AN ATTENDANT

The Vice PreZ Sez...

Hi fellow Z members,

This column will be short and sweet since I had car trouble and was not able to join the last general meeting. That's what happens when you have a 7 year old car with about 150,000 miles on it. I love Nissans.

I hope everybody who went on the Bottom Buster Tour had fun. Hopefully we'll see some pics from the tour at our general meetings soon. Couple of reminders for events coming up locally and abroad. For us we have the museum tour coming up, hopefully you have registered for that. There are a couple of car shows coming in May. One is going to be the ZCCIV 2010 8th Annual Car Show up at Quality Nissan in Temecula. The date for this is May 30th. The other one is Plastic Fantastic May Sixteenth. This is an all corvette show at the Embarcadero near Sea Port Village.

I'm planning an event for August. You know that the first run of the year I call the Over E Z run, we do a run and have breakfast. So for August I'm going to do a Z Lunch Run. One of our fellow club members suggested a run up Pacific Coast Highway. So we are going to Pacific Coast Highway towards Oceanside and have some lunch and enjoy the day. More Info to follow.

Now I have a favor to ask all Z members of ZCSD. Next year is the 20 year birthday of the club. It will happen in July of 2011. I want to do something fun for the club, an event of some sort. I need suggestions. I will take all ideas from everybody. Please throw ideas my way and I will bring this up in next general meeting

> Signing Off VP Grubbs

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** lo**cated 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: <u>DENNY'S</u> <u>4280 Clairemont Mesa Blvd.</u> <u>San Diego, CA 92117</u>

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!



May 22 1:30 pm Nethercutt Museum Sylmar

This is a wonderful collection to see. They do have a dress code; no jeans, flip flops, shorts, etc.

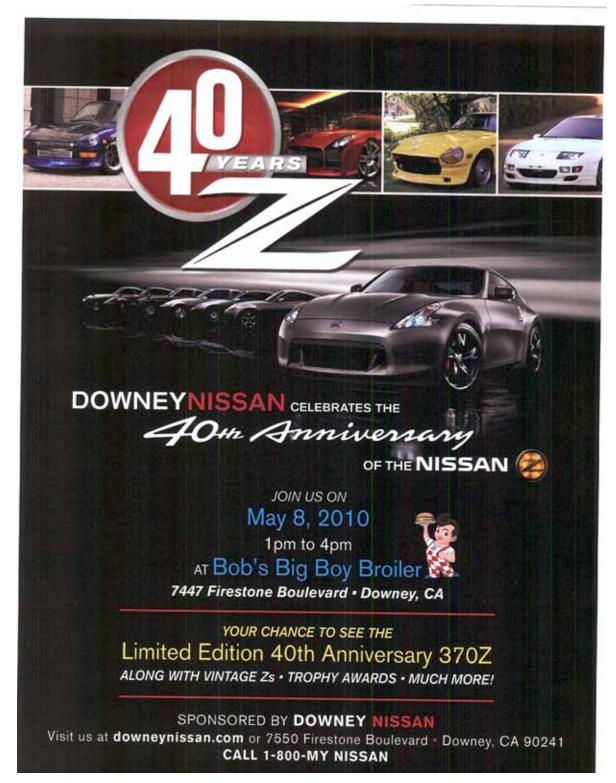
For those that wish to attend here is the info provided:

It will take about 3 hrs to get there . Take the I-5 the whole way to Sylmar best to have lunch somewhere before arriving . I recall a jack in the box at the exit & a Mexican restaurant near by Suggest leaving 8 am from the usual spots last being the rest area at Camp Pendleton .

Those who wish to go can contact Michael Libonate to register . mlimbonate@gmail.com <mailto:mlibonate@gmail.com>

WE LOOK FORWARD TO SEEING YOU AT THIS EVENT LETS MAKE 2010 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 Melody at president@zcsd.org or at the general meeting.



Please join us in celebrating the 40th anniversary of the legendary Z car Car club members please contact Johnnie Gable at 562 972 1939. For more information. Bob's Big Boy can hold over 100 cars if needed Please e-mail or call anytime for more information. Looking forward to a great day.



8th Annual ZCCIV Datsun/Nissan Auto Show

Sunday, May 30th, 2010

from

10:00AM to 2:00PM

Gates open at 9:00AM at

Quality Nissan

41895 Motor Car Parkway Temecula CA 92591

Public Welcome to View Cars on Display

Music by "DJ" Ray A Raffle with multiple prizes will be conducted Vendors, Products, suppliers and Technicians on site All Years of Datsun/Nissan/Infiniti models are eligible for registration Each Pre-registered entrant will receive a "Goodie Bag", one (1) T-shirt one (1) raffle ticket, one (1) lunch ticket and one (1) voteing form

Awards are by "People's Choice"

Pre-registration is \$30.00, \$35.00 after May 15 Auto Show Registration

Register on line at VCCIV.COM click on ZCCIV AUTO SHOW

Quality Nissan of Temecula Sponsor

BOTTOM BUSTER MOTOR TOUR



The 2010 Bottom Buster Car Tour was April 12-14, starting at the famous Rose Bowl in Pasadena. This year, 7 vintage cars 30 years or older, headed out of town for 900 miles of curving roads. Beautiful scenery this time of year is everywhere along the rolling hills of the central California coast. Lunch found drivers and navigators checking the afternoons route. We stayed in Paso Robles, and the next day, headed for the scenic views along Hwy 1 toward Big Sur. Breakdowns are part of the adventure, but everyone made the banquet dinner Tuesday night. Wednesday found some cars headed straight home, while most followed the route to more hidden gems of famous and not so famous destinations.

I'd like to thank ZCSD members Wally & Patty Cook for all the effort they put in to make this years run a great one. Also along from ZCSD were Jerry Peterson and his navigator Angelo, and Clif Yaussi navigating for Henry Smith's 1962 Austin Healey.

Clif Yaussi

MORE BOTTOM BUSTER MOTOR TOUR





UNIVERSAL NISSAN 40th ANNIVERSARY



Nissan's 40th Anniversary Celebration was held April 17 with festivities kicking off from the Datsun Heritage Museum in Murrieta, CA. Over 40 cars showed up to tour the museum and eat free donuts and coffee. At 10:30 Mike Sage, owner of Universal City Nissan lead the group on a Bonsai run up the freeway to his dealership. Z cars were everywhere when we arrived, and the free lunch, t-shirts and a gift box (key ring and pen) were a big hit. A radio station D.J. spun the tunes, a Z Concept Car was on display, plus the unveiling of the new 40th Anniversary Nismo 370Z. A drawing at 2:30 for several prizes ended the great day of driving and mingling with other Z car enthusiasts. Thanks to Fred and Betty Jordan of the Z Car Club of Inland Valley for all they do to keep the Datsun Heritage Museum a must see treasure. Also great to have Johnnie Gable, Pat and Debbie Connolly, Mike Montag, Clif and Marcia Yaussi, Dennis Darnall, Patty and Wally Cook along for the trip.

Clif Yaussi

MEETING HIGHLIGHTS

Wow – sounds like if you missed the Palm Springs run, you missed a great time; great weather capped off with a great BBQ. Even if you missed that one, we have several more great runs planned over the next couple of months so check the schedule and make sure you get signed up and get your Z rev'n for fun in the sun.

We had some new guests checking out the club so hopefully we will be adding to our membership. So far we have had a great response from our survey that was sent out with the renewals. If you didn't yet get yours in, please do so – everyone's comments help to make our club the best it can be. Hope to see you at the next run or meeting!

Secretary Debby

ZCSD STORE



<u>ZCSD</u> <u>GOODIES</u> Our great ZCSD T shirts and sweatshirts!



CORNER

BBY'S

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: 57

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

New Members: Martin and Dorothy Cuevas Lou and Rita Koczela



Welcome!

Martin and Dorothy are from Chula Vista drive an 05 white 350Z and an 06 Black 350Z. You will have to ask Who Drive witch one.

Lou and Rita are from Carlsbad and drive a red 78 280Z 2+2

Which Z car is the most popular in ZCSD?

240Z 18
260Z 2
280Z 10
280ZX 7
300ZX (Z31) 7
300ZX (Z32)12
350Z (Z33)12
370Z (Z34) 2
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MAY BIRTHDAYS Happy Birthday!

Pat Connolly	5-04
Debby Dreischmeyer	5-06
Bill Pickelsimer	5-06
Anne Branch	5-17
James Bohnsack	5-19
Jim Pelling	5-27
Deborah Clark	5-29
Johnnie Gable	5-30
Pat Miller	5-31
Linda Yancey	5-31
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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)



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