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**NEXT GENERAL MEETING IS FEBRUARY 2ND AT DENNY'S
in the Clairemont Square Shopping Center (See Page 2)**

Happy Z'an Valentine



Photo credit to Jonathan Pyle
At "life in the other lane"

SEIZ THE PREZ



ZCSD? Straight ahead!!!

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THE PREZ SAYZ

Welcome all to the February 2016 ZCSD Newsletter. ZCSD Board members want to wish you all a Happy Valentines day. Last month General Meeting we were blessed with a very nice and well deserved rainy day . A few hard core showed up and enjoyed a nice dinner in a small gathering. We reschedule our guess speaker, Roger Daniel for the February meeting. Our first event was the K1 Speed Go Kart Racing , lunch and Mission Brewery. We had a great time and despite our efforts we couldn't defeat the defending champion, Clif Yausse. We had a nice award ceremony sponsor by Chuck Golden with podium staging , photography, trophies and medals..

Lunch was at New Mexico Cafe a block away from the races and the food was delicious. After that we had a short drive to Mission Brewery for some beer tasting.

This month outing is going to be our Borrego Drive to the metal sculptures. We will stop at Dudley's Bakery to buy our lunch and have our picnic at the Christmas Park down at Borrego Springs. We will visit the Anza Borrego visitor center for some info and awesome habitat information.. Hope you can join us in the fun.

David

PS :This Year we celebrate our 25th Anniversary. Lets make it awesome and memorable one.



Established in 1991 by the owner of Z-Whizz.

The Z Car CLUB OF SAN DIEGO is a group of Datsun and Nissan Z enthusiasts and a Charter Member of the National Z Car Club Association.

Purpose: The Club is organized as a California Nonprofit Mutual Benefit Corporation formed to: 1) Provide its members with access to knowledge about their Z Cars; 2) Provide a forum for members and other interested parties; 3) Exchange Z Car information; 4) Organize events and activities for members which enhance their enjoyment of Z car ownership.

Persons interested in becoming a Member should fill out the Membership Form located on the last page of this Newsletter.

Monthly Meetings are held the first Tuesday of each month with dinner at 6 PM and meeting starting at 7 PM. See below for driving directions.

Contact an Officer: See the list of Officers on the left side of this Newsletter. Any Officer will respond to your Email.

Club Mailing Address:

Z Club of San Diego

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Santee, CA 92072

WEB Site: www.zcsd.org

Our monthly meeting place:

DENNY'S

4280 Clairemont Mesa Blvd.

San Diego, CA 92117

Driving directions:

From 52, take the Genesee 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

ZCSD EVENTS for 2016

2016 Events & Dates:

January 23th –K1 Speed race track day and Mission Brewery

February 20th –Borrego Springs Lunch and Metal Sculptures

March 13th--Empire Z's Avocado Run and Lunch

April 2nd– Pismo Beach Z Day

April 11th-13th- Bottom Buster Motor Tour

April 24st - Coronado Car Show , Only Pre-73 cars

May 13th-14th - Motorsport “The New Z Bash”

May TBA - Anniversary Picnic at Santee Lakes

June TBA- Nissan Jam

June TBA- Idyllwild Run

July 9th-Empire Z ,Neptune Voyage Run more info to come

July 23th-Drive in movie night and BNS Brewery

August 2nd-6th - ZCON 2016, Toronto, Canada

August 14th– Beach Party and picnic in Mission Bay

August TBA -IMG Old School Car Show, Southwestern Collage

September TBA- Z Topia , Bakersfield , CA

September 16th-18th– Coronado Speed Festival 2016

September 24th – JCCS at the Queen Mary in Long Beach

October 8th– Empire Z's 8th Annual Car Show at Nissan of San Bernardino

October TBA- Dyno Day and BBQ at Dyno Shop in Santee and Twisted Manzanita Brewery

October TBA-ZCCIV Car Show at SoCal Wax Shop in Murrieta

November TBA Wine Drive at Ramona Wineries

November TBA - Nissfest at Auto Club Speedway in Fontana, CA

December 10th – Christmas Party 2015

Go to WWW.ZCSD.ORG for a list of our Clubs Sponsors

Borrego Springs

ZCSD Borrego Springs Wildflower Cruz Visit Anza Borrego Desert State Park & See Ricardo Breceda's Metal Sculptures

Featuring:

- **A stop at Dudley's Bakery in Santa Ysabel to buy your picnic sandwiches**
- **Drive down Montezuma Valley Road**
- **A stop at the Anza Borrego Desert State Park Headquarters**
 - **10 – 1 pm Naturalist will have a display and talk about the Big Horn Sheep and Mountain Lions**
 - **See the short movie about Anza Borrego Desert Park**
 - **1:30 pm – For those who don't want to see the sculptures, come back after lunch for a talk on the 'Pollen Path: Seasonal Movements of Native Americans'**
- **Picnic Lunch at Christmas Circle (bring lunch, beverage or buy at Dudley's or the market in Borrego Springs)**
- **Drive to view the Metal Sculptures and wildflowers North of town**
- **Dessert stop at the Fudge Factory in Borrego Springs**
- **Drive to view more Metal Sculptures South of town**
- **Drive home through Yaqui Pass and scissors crossing**

Meet: 9:00 am at Chevron Gas Station, 9936 Mercy Rd. Poway (Exit I-15 at Mercy Rd/Scripps Poway Pkwy, go west ½ block.

Depart: 9:30 am – take Scripps Poway Pkwy East. LFT onto CA-67 continue onto Main St. and continue onto 78 E/Julian Rd. Dudley's will be on your left after about 36 miles.

Depart Dudley's: 11:00 am – make a LFT onto CA-79, turn RT onto San Felipe Rd. (S-2) and LFT onto Montezuma Valley Rd (S-22). LFT onto Palm Canyon Dr. & Anza Borrego Desert State Park Hqtrs.

Depart: 12:30 pm for Christmas Circle and lunch then wildflower/sculpture drive(s)

When you want to head home: Exit the traffic circle onto Borrego Springs Rd toward Yaqui Pass Rd. (See more Sculptures) Head South on Yaqui Pass Rd. Turn RT on CA-78 at Scissor Crossing turn RT on San Felipe Rd. (S-2) (– or continue straight up to Julian). S-2 takes you back to CA-79 and Dudley's at CA-78, Ramona, CA-67, Scripps Poway Pkwy and I-15

January 2016 General Meeting



A few brave souls battle the weather for the January 2016 General Meeting



K1 Speed



Good looking Z car at K1 Speed



Winners Circle: Clif Yaussi - First Place
David Gonzalez- Second place
Don Austin - Third Place



Lunch at New Mexico Café , best meal after a great morning of Go Kart racing.



Our last stop was Mission Brewery for some beer tasting



Lenny's new car , no it is not a Z car, but a Hyundai Veloster (turbo)

Jonathan Pyle Photography



Had a great time during an awesome photo shoot with the talented Jonathan Pyle from "Life in the other lane"

Behind the scene with Jonathan Pyle “Life in the other lane”



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Guess Speaker: Roger Daniels



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CLIF'S MEMBERSHIP

Birthdays		
SO Name	Last Name	SO Birth Date
Joel	Harmon	02/01
Evan	Lipe	02/01
Adam	Hannibal	02/03
Kathy	Sakai	02/04
Michael	Libonate	02/08
Jay	Zorzy	02/10
Hector	Peira	02/13
Hugh	Clark	02/14
Debbie Lynn	Connolly	02/15
Druscilla	Garcia	02/16
Michael	Montag	02/17
Patty	Cook	02/17
Barrie	Smith	02/17
Marcia	Yaussi	02/19
Linda	Lee	02/23
Carol	Peterson	02/23
Roni	Austin	02/28
David	Bramzon	02/28



Cars Count	
ZCars	Model
49	240Z
6	260Z
17	280Z
16	280ZX
10	300ZX - Z31
16	300ZX - Z32
14	350Z - Z33
11	370Z - Z34

minus 1 370Z and add a Hyundai Veloster

Our annual membership renewal starts in March. We will mail out your member data to you so you can update it and send in your annual dues.

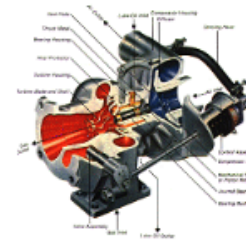
Mr. K's secretary at Nissan, Johnnie Gable is leading a "Mr. K Memorial Run" the weekend of Feb 13-14. Heading to Kingman AZ. and ending at the Lake Havasu Fireworks Festival. My wife and I are going, let me know if you are interested too.

Come join the ZCSD Borrego Springs Cruz Saturday Feb 20th. See the flyer with times and route.

TURBO BASICS &TIPS

Turbos provide enhanced fuel economy and performance. A turbo is a basic "air pump" that pushes a volume of air into the engine, which increases the power output. This turbo "air pump" is driven by a fan located in the exhaust by a direct shaft. The more exhaust that flows, the more air is pumped into the engine. In most automotive and some other applications, a wastegate is provided which opens as pressure is increased by the "air pump". This device prevents an overboost from damaging the engine.

As air is pumped and compressed into the engine by the turbo, it rises in temperature. To reduce this problem and make the turbo more efficient, vehicle manufacturers have been adding intercoolers. An intercooler is a radiator for air and is usually located in front of, or behind the main radiator itself. To add to the life of the turbo unit, some turbos are also water-cooled by coolant system connections. This feature limits the operating temperature of the turbo to the temperature of the cooling system, thus, protecting the bearing assemble from excessive exhaust temperature.



[Click on the picture for a full-screen image. \(57k\)](#)

Turbo units may obtain speeds up to 100,000 RPMs, depending on the application, so it is extremely important that a sufficient supply of clean oil always be entering the turbo while the engine is running. If for any reason, whenever the oil supply is interrupted or becomes contaminated, "good-bye turbo".

Turbo failures are mostly caused by lack of lubrication or abrasive material in the oil. Other failures occur when heavy particles enter the air stream on the suction side. Therefore, a clean air filter and ducting is necessary. Another type of failure may be caused by objects from within the engine leaving via the exhaust. This could be hard carbon, broken engine parts, manifold rust, etc.

To prevent most failures, may we offer the following suggestions:



Change the oil at least every 3,000 miles, or more frequently if you wish.



Always use the oil that is recommended by the engine manufacturer.



Do not use cleaning additives for it may loosen particles in any used engine.



Always let the engine warm up when starting. 30-60 seconds in warmer weather and longer as the temperature drops.



COLD, THICK OIL DOES NOT FLOW AS FREELY AS WARM OIL!



Do not rev engine during warm up time, the turbo may not yet have received a full supply of oil.



Always let the engine idle for a period when stopping. The faster you have driven, the longer you should let it idle down.



YOUR TURBO IS FREE SPINNING AT HIGH RPMs WHEN THE ENGINE IS SHUT OFF THE OIL SUPPLY IS ALSO SHUT OFF, WHICH MAY RESULT IN BEARING DAMAGE AT MOST IMMEDIATELY



When oil is changed, always prime the filter and crank over engine without starting until oil pressure is observed.

By following these suggestion, and practicing good driving habits, your turbo should last as long as the engine.

ZCSD STORE

We still have some club and ZCON 2014 merchandize!!!!
Posters , beach bags T-Shirts and Polo Shirts.

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VINTAGE CLUB SHIRTS \$10.00
(Limited sizes)



CLUB SHIRTS AND HATS ARE IN \$15.00



VINTAGE CLUB PINS \$5.00 each



NEW CLUB PINS \$5.00 each



Club stickers are in !!!! Limited quantities

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Atara Racing Wheels new wheel design: KMZ14 gold, bronze, gun metal
17x9, 0 offset
4 x114

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Membership Form



Active Full Member Renewal \$36.00 _____

Military/Student Full Membership \$21.00 _____

Associate Member Renewal \$21.00 _____

Membership renewals are due in March. Please, return this form along with your payment.

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

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Santee, CA 92072-0886

Thank you,
Clif Yaussi
Membership Coordinator

Member Number	Membership Type

Please update as needed.

First Name		Last Name		Nick Name		Birth Date MM/DD	
SO First Name		SO Last Name		SO Nick Name		SO Birth Date MM/DD	
Street Address			City		State	Zip Code	Phone
E-Mail Address				SO Email Address			
Z Car #1 Year/Model/Color		Z Car #2 Year/Model/Color		Z Car #3 Year/Model/Color			

Waiver and Release from Liability

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

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

Member _____

Spouse(Significant Other) _____

Date _____