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Serving the County of San Diego

## ALL GENERAL MEETINGS HAVE BEEN CANCELED UNTIL FURTHER NOTICE (Due to COVID restrictions)

N DIEGO



Dave Platt 1946—2021



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# SEZ THE PREZ

I hope everyone is safe and sound during this rainy, windy, and cold winter we are having this year.

This January, the club lost one of its founding members in Dave Platt who passed away. We send our sincere condolences to Dave's daughter and Ginger.

The first club run of the year, called Days of Wine & Roses, was held on Saturday, January 23. I hear it was a fun run with lots of scenery and not exceptionally long.

As I write the President's message, the Stay-At-Home orders have been rescinded. San Diego County is back in the purple tier, not much changed, so monthly meetings will continue to be are canceled until they are safe to hold.

Be healthy, be safe! Z you on the road.

Michael

#### 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;
- 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 a dinner at 6 PM and the 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 P.O. Box 710886 Santee, CA 92072

#### MONTHLY MEETING PLACE:

#### DENNY'S

4280 Clairemont Mesa Blvd. San Diego, CA 921117

#### DRIVING DIRECTIONS:

From the 15;

Take the 52 West, exit on Genesee Ave South, turn right on Clairemont Mesa Blvd, it's on the right just past Clairemont Drive.

From the 5;

Take the 52 East, exit on Regents Road South, continue onto Clairemont Mesa Blvd, it's on the left at the end of the Claremont Town Square shopping center.

We park in back of Denny's

### CHUCK'S FEBRUARY REPORT ON

### BIRTHDAYS & MEMBERSHIP

Birthdays							
SO Name	Last Name	Birth Date					
Kathy	Sakai	02/04					
Michael	Libonate	02/08					
Jay	Zorzy	02/10					
Dan	Magliari	02/10					
Tammy	Gregg	02/14					
Hugh	Clark	02/14					
Michael	Montag	02/17					
Patty	Cook	02/17					
Marcia	Yaussi	02/19					
Linda	Lee	02/23					
Roni	Austin	02/28					

Cars Count				
ZCars	Model			
25	240Z			
4	260Z			
9	280Z			
9	280ZX			
7	300ZX - Z31			
8	300ZX - Z32			
8	350Z - Z33			
4	370Z - Z34			



The club lost a LOOOONG time member Dave Platt. Dave was in a group that in 1991 organized the club of what it is today. You could always see Dave at meetings and car events. Dave will be missed.

I would like to welcome these new members to the club:

Pete and Tammy Gregg—with a 1016 370 White coupe.

Steve and Vivian Livelsberger—with their 1973 Blue 240Z.

Finally Dan and Gloria Magliar—they have a 1973 Orang 240Z and also a 1969 2000 Blur Roaster.

Sorry for the delay for getting these out. I am now caught up and ready for the new year. Hopefully the state opens up to business's so we can start having our meetings.

Z ya down the road — Chuck

## 2021 ZCSD EVENT SCHEDULE

- JAN. 23 NORTH COUNTY DRIVE
- FEB. 12-15 6th ANNUAL FRIENDS OF MR. K FUN RUN
- FEB. 13 SD-SCCA ROAD RALLY (See Pg. 13 for details)
- MAR. 20 EAST COUNTY DRIVE

The **start location** will be the Walmart Supercenter located at 13487 Camino Canada, El Cajon, before heading east into the back roads of San Diego County. The exact route will be available at the event.

APR. 12-15 BOTTOM BUSTER MOTOR TOUR

## DAYS OF WINE & ROSES Z CAR DRIVE

January 23rd arrived with threats of wind and rain. However, it started out with a fairly nice morning and a grand total of 3 cars showed up for a beautiful drive.





John Harris was very optimistic and drove with the top down... He made it half way into the first leg of the drive before pulling over to put the top up.

Hugh and Deborah Clark stayed nice and coxy in their car, having left the Z at home and Wally and Patty had their Z (note Wally put the window wipers on for this drive...)

There were two rest stops at the; Santa Margarita County Preserve and at the Redhawk Community Park. The drive ended at Nessy Burger off I-15 and SR76.

Because so few ventured out into the wet and wild and the roads were so beautiful, we may run this again, later in the year.





Remember there is a new ZCSD Drive coming on: Saturday, March 20th. Details will be in the March Newsletter.

Dave Platt

#### 1946 - 2021

Article by Clif Yaussi

Dave and I joined the Z Club of San Diego in its inaugural year, 1991. He had his bright yellow, special edition Zap Z paint job '77 280Z, the same car he still proudly owned. Dave was a mainstay of the club serving as events coordinator 6 straight years, '93 – '98. He supervised registration at ZCON '94 held here in San Diego. He took the original club logo and had window stickers made for our car windows.

Car shows were his passion for awhile, and he had plenty of trophies to show for his effort. He participated in most of the club outings and runs. He took the Z America Relay leg to Phoenix, and attended the ZCON's held in Denver, Albuquerque, Los Angeles (stepping in to rescue their registration table.) His Zap Z was visible on the Death Valley, Hearst Castle, Black Hawk Museum and Idyllwild runs. He knew everyone and always kidded around with my wife





## Memories...











## Z STUFF FOR ZALE

I've got two extra sets of 240Z wheels.

I bought the one set with lousy tires for pushing the car around until it got back from the body shop which it just did a couple weeks ago.

I was going to use the slotted wheels, which were the ones I





put on the car in 1971. But since they were almost 50 years old, they were pitted pretty bad and I had them powder coated. They came out well, but I decided to use BRE wheels instead. Anyway, they're worth about \$8 a piece at the recycler and I

need to get them out of the garage. I'd be glad to sell them to a good home for <u>\$8 each</u>.

Contact: Norm Walker 619-672-3875

## Z STUFF FOR ZALE

## - PROJECT CAR -

A nonrunning 1978 280 Z. No missing parts. 119,000 mls. No accidents, very straight body. Rust is prevalent in the usual Z car locations. <u>Asking \$ 1500</u>. Includes some brand new parts not installed.

I can be reached at 619-302-2332 for any additional questions. Thank You Paul Nauta



## **2020 Auto Cross Schedule**



Until further notice all Auto Cross events have been

#### **CANCELLED** due to COVID-19

### HOWEVER SD-SCCA IS RUNNING A

### **ROAD RALLEY**

### February 13, 2021

### Last day to register:

### February 5, 2021 by 6:00 PM PST

See the announcement on the next page for details



## SCCA Road Rally "Rose Petals and Gas Petals" Saturday, February 13th, 2021

The San Diego Region SCCA is hosting it's first Road Rally of 2021 on Saturday February 13th!

What is a Road Rally you may ask? They're held on public roads, with a score being awarded based on correct arrival time at checkpoints, along a route that will take you through some of the best back country roads San Diego has to offer.

The **start location** will be the Walmart Supercenter located at 13487 Camino Canada, El Cajon, before heading east into the back roads of San Diego County. The exact route will be shared shortly before the event.

The rally is expected to cover about 70 miles, on *fun-to-drive* country roads following legal limits and should be completed in about 2 hours.

You'll need a street legal car, a driver and a navigator. The entry fee is \$25 per car and only the driver needs an SCCA membership (weekend memberships are available online through registration).

Online registration is open now at <a href="https://sdrscca.motorsportreg.com/">https://sdrscca.motorsportreg.com/</a>

More info <a href="https://sdrscca.com/roadrally/">https://sdrscca.com/roadrally/</a>

Questions email ricsenior@gmail.com

**Registration Closes:** 

#### February 5, 2021 at 6:00 PM PST

## ZCSD STORE

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

Contact: SHERI ARNOTH sherinlenny@cox.net





VINTAGE CLUB SHIRTS \$10.00



CLUB SHIRTS AND HATS ARE IN \$15.00



VINTAGE CLUB PINS \$5.00 each



NEW CLUB PINS \$5.00 each

## New Club's Merchandise



Thanks to Jeff Smith from Tailored Customs for the Club's New Merchandise

# There will be Merchandise at the next meeting.

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