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CLUB OF N DIEGO



Kenny Ueda with the late Yoshihiko Matsuo The designer of the original 240Z



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# SEZ THE PREZ

Sad news from Japan. Yoshihiko Matsuo, the designer of the original 240Z, passed away July 11, 2020, one day after his 87<sup>th</sup> birthday. For someone who had a considerable impact on the automotive world, he was a humble, gracious, quiet person. I was fortunate to have spent some one on one time with him at ZCON, and I will cherish those moments. RIP Matsuo-san.

For July's club run ZCSD joined Empire Z for their 2020 Avocado Run to Z Café and Bates Nut Farm. There were 18 cars and four of those belonged to ZCSD. It was great to see the Mike Rocha and members of Empire Z again. Johnny Gable and her son, Kenny, were also in attendance.

The club run for this month is scheduled on August 16<sup>th</sup> and will be our annual Idyllwild run. Baring any government health order changes, I'm planning on having this run. An email blast will be sent out with the run information prior to the run.

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 Due to COVID-19 all future monthly meetings have been cancelled until further notice.

**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 WEB Site: www.zcsd.org

### 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 AUGUST REPORT ON**

### BIRTHDAYS & MEMBERSHIP

	Birthdays	
SO Name	Last Name	Birth Date
Norm	Walker	08/03
Dave	Platt	08/03
Cindy	Card	08/07
Ami	Villanueva	08/08
Judy	Campbell	08/09
Jeff	Dodds	08/12
Brad	Card	08/15
Lance	Wills	08/16
Greg	lves	08/19
Barbara	Wills	08/20
Jack	Saxton	08/27
Carol	Darnall	08/29



Cars Count				
ZCars	Model			
25	240Z			
3	260Z			
10	280Z			
10	280ZX			
7	300ZX - Z31			
7	300ZX - Z32			
7	350Z - Z33			
4	370Z - Z34			

The club joined Empire Z at Z Café in Bonsall. There you could purchase you meal for lunch. Than we headed to Bates Nut farm for lunch. There was about 28 cars in the group. Had fun talking to club members and enjoying the quite atmosphere up in valley center.

One of these days, hopefully we can get back to normal. Stay safe !!

Z ya Chuck

# 2020 ZCSD EVENT SCHEDULE

JANUARY 25	RAMONA GRASSLANDS HAWK WATCH
FEB. 14-17	5th ANNUAL FRIENDS OF MR. K FUN RUN
FEBRUARY 22	J A COOLEY MUSEUM & LUNCH AT
	BUENO NAPOLETANO
MARCH 21	MINIATURE ENGINEEING & CRAFTSMAN
	MUSEUM
APRIL 13-16	BOTTOM BUSTER MOTOR TOUR
APRIL 18	BORREGO FLOWER RUN (pending road
	<del>closures)</del>
MAY 17	JULIAN GOLDMINE TOUR
May 17	SOCIAL DISTANCING DRIVE
JUNE 28	ZCSD ANNUAL PICNIC, Solana Beach
JUNE 28	ZCSD DRIVE TO BATES NUT FARM
JULY 7	ZCSD MEETING & PIZZA at De Anza Cove
JULY 18	BARONA SPEEDWAY
JULY 19	EMPIRE Z'S AVOCADO RUN
AUGUST 16	IDYLLWILD RUN
SEPT. TBD	JCCS LONG BEACH
OCT. 17	DYNO DAY, Santee
NOV. 15	WINE RUN, Ramona
DEC. 5	CHRISTMAS PARTY, LA MESA

# ZCON CONVENTIONS OF THE PAST BY CLIF YAUSSI

This year's ZCON convention is in Nashville Tennessee once again, and whether they will be able to conduct it seems iffy. We thought a look back at past conventions, held in the summer usually, would be a way to fill the newsletter and show you some faces that are now old, but



Gary Anderberg holding up the St. Louis Arch

you might recognize them, and then the cars are always show stoppers.

Our club founder, Gary Anderberg, had agreed to host the 1994 convention here in San Diego, but our club of 20, ( a convention committee of about 8) only Gary had ever been to a conven-

tion. So in the summer of 1993 he and I flew out to St. Louis to observe and soak up the details ( and sweat, 100% humidity) of the convention.

Mike Breeding, President of the St. Louis club is on the left



### ZCON 1994 CONT.



Some of the same people are still coming to conventions, what loy-alty!

With our rental car Gary and I entered the Time and Distance Road Rallye. Gary had won the year before so his reputation was on the line.





The Mississippi River had overrun it's banks, and the rallye committee had to redo the route 3 times. We won, with Gary driving and me navigating through the backroads of Missouri.

# ZCON 1994 CONT.

### ZCON DRAG RACE



### ZCON CAR SHOW



# ZCON 1994 CONT.

The president of the St. Louis Z club had been a tremendously enthusiastic guy, and sadly passed away of a heart attack later that year. The national Z organization named the trophy that is passed from hosting club to hosting club in his honor. The Mike Breeding Memorial Trophy.



Closing Banquet with Mark Lambert to the left of Gary.



The Rallye victors (Clif & Gary) at Gary's Z Whizz Shop In La Mesa

# EMPIRE Z'S AVOCADO RUN TO THE Z CAFÉ & BATES NUT FARM JULY 19, 2020





Wally & Patty and Dave & Ginger, Waiting at the Z Cafe

After a few wrong turns, the group left the Z Cafe for the Bates Nut Farm and a lot more challenging back country roads.



# EMPIRE Z-AVOCADO RUN CONT.







# Z STUFF 4 ZALE:

# S30 Strut Bars

A friend of David Gonzales, who is a local engineer by trade, is giving the club a discount on his S30 strut bars. His products are all fabricated by him. Some of his products are distributed by Techno Toy Tuning, a bad ass aftermarket suspension and parts for Datsun cars. The struts will fit 240, 260 and 280 Z cars.

Normal retail price is \$260.00, but for our club members it's \$200.00.

For technical information and sales contact Steve at <u>info@garagetheory.net</u>

# **2020 Auto Cross Schedule**



Wally Cook in his 1972 240-Z

# Until further notice all events have been CANCELLED due to COVID-19



Patty Cook in her 1995 Jaguar Vanden Plas Proving that any car can be Auto Crossed!

# 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

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