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The Redline

April, 2009

Next General Meeting
Tuesday, April 21, 2009

Time: 7:30 p.m.

Round Table Pizza

Sunrise & Coloma off Hwy. 50
Rancho Cordova, CA

Start the season out right...come to the CSCC meeting this month!

Meetings are held the third Tuesday of every month (except December) at the Round Table Pizza in the corner shopping center at Sunrise & Coloma (off Hwy. 50). Meeting starts promptly at 7:30 p.m. but some folks arrive early to order food and get a seat next to Lee. I'd suggest a seat next to Pam, but she can't always come. She has to feed Chris his Pablum, tweezer the hairs from his ear lobes, and give him an e...oh never mind!

In addition to pizza and beer, Round Table offers hot sandwiches, a salad bar & free soda refills. When you order, tell 'em you're with "the club" and you'll receive a discount.



DUES ARE DUE FOR 2009!

Still only \$24 single, \$36 family

Write your check now and put it in your wallet so you'll have it at the meeting.

Bring your check to the new meeting or mail to:

Lee Sutton/CSCC

9701 Consumnes Rd. • Wilton, CA 95693

What Do My Dues Get Me?

Hey, you're gonna get so much stuff, you won't be able to carry it all!

- Membership in the coolest autocrossing organization in the world!
- The opportunity to come to the monthly meeting and make your voice heard about whatever you want (and to hear others discuss things your Momma told you not to discuss in public).
 - Eleven issues of the award-winning publication, THE REDLINE
- Automatic entry into the CSCC Driver's Series (not to be confused with the "Drive It" Series).
 - Two CSCC stickers and as many helmet stickers as you want/need.
- The opportunity to work your tail off for 1-3 days at a time to put on an autocross and earn free entry for one or both days, or...
 - \$5 discount at any CSCC autocross.
- Excellent and not-so-excellent advice from our senior members.
 - An invitation to the CSCC Christmas Party/Awards Orgy.

- Complete licensing from Mr. Bob to make fun of Chris all you want.
- Plus lots of other stuff as it arises, like Go Cart days, Clandestine Car Rentals, We even had a Car Crushing Party once, etc., etc.



CSCG Officers, 2008

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Events Calendar

Other events...

Apr 25/26.....Sac, Stockton

May 2/3.....RallyX at Prairie City???

May 16/17....AAS, Alameda? **Call first!**

May 23/24.....LeMons, Reno (Endurance road race for nut jobs)

May 23/24....Sac, Stockton

May 30/31....AAS, Alameda

...and the list goes on...but things tend to change, so I only list a few months in advance.

F'rinstance, Hoopa is tentative for mid July and Sac Chapt has Mather scheduled for Sept 19/20.

...we'll see...

It Was a Family Affair

By Mr. Bob

Hah! The trailer is DONE!. We used the new trailer March 22. Our first event of 2009 was also our small tribute to our friend and sister Mary Flinn Leicester. Small is kind of an understatement. The SAMOA group brought out about 15 cars and there was three other paid entries. If there had been 300 entries, the tribute to Mary would still not have been big enough. She will be remembered and missed for a very long time.

We piled all of our stuff into the new trailer and still had plenty of room. Remember, we've been collecting this junk since 1964, except for a few years when we basically didn't exist. Once we had transferred all of the stuff from the old trailer to the new one, we were amazed that the old trailer ever worked at all. However, we are still gatefull to the Hale's for giving it to us lo, those many years ago. (Dennis, if you're tuned into this, keep your one good eye on your driveway as I think we have plans to return it). As for the shakedown of the new trailer, all went well. We had to stop on the freeway when one of the doors came unlatched. That will be an easy fix for another work party.



Here's the family, l to r: Jim Hearn, Lee Sutton, Mike Bibinoff, Matt Leicester holding Laurel, and Brent Blakely. Mr. Bob is on the other side of the lens. The cars, l to r: Jim's Triumph, Lee's ZO 6, and Brent's Subaru, and of course the infamous trailer in the background.

This photo was taken about 3pm, when the weather was good. You can still see the remnants of what may have been the reason for the sparse turn out. The puddle behind Brent's car, the fluffy but dark clouds in the sky, the flags atop the tower that stick straight out, and all of the family in jackets and sweat shirts.

We gave the paying customers 5 official laps and then sold about 50 buck-a-lap fun runs. The CSCC family ran and ran until we couldn't run any more. In my case that's a literal statement. I hadn't taken my motion sickness meds that day so after my fifth run in the ZO 6, I had to relinquish the car to Matt. So Matt (our course designer) hops into the 405 hp beast and makes it to the second turn before looping it. Then, on his second try, after Lee took six laps to set TTOD, and I beat Lee in five, Matt runs over TTOD like he'd owned this car all of his life. Lee went out for a few more trys, but Matt ended up Top Dog.

Jim must have done 25 laps in his Triumph. His Kumho's are almost as old as the car is, so the car is a handfull and Jim wheels it around pretty good. Mike Bibinoff's car is "_____", so Mike drives other people's as often as he can. He teamed up with Jim and together they figured out where a few seconds were.

As for Brent, the dogs in the window of his Subaru didn't seem to hold him back any.

The Kat Kar Kontingent at LeMons **Reno, Fernley**

Our application to race in Reno on the weekend of May 23/24 has been accepted. So our team of 5 CSCCers and some other guy (sorry, Geoff ;) will be endurance racers again. This may be a good opportunity to come out and see what this is all about. I'm pretty sure the weather in Reno will be warmer than 45 degrees. The team, The Junk Yard Kats, will be sporting a new image. New shirts, tattoos, capes and masks. The Kat Car itself will be faster and more reliable, we hope. We believe that the turbo may give us enough of an advantage that we have a shot at being some of the front runners. When there are 100 entries, 40th or better is considered a "front runner".



CSCC Meeting Minutes

Attendance was a little sparse...it was me and Jim.
Having no more biz...we ajourned about 8:30pm.

For more information, visit these websites:

AAS: www.americanauto-x.com

Fresno SCCA: www.sfrscca.org/solo2

NASA: www.nasaproring.com

www.geocities.com/nasa_autox/

www.norcalufo.org or 831-336-2444

Reno SCCA: www.renoscca.com

SCCA Sac Region: www/sfrscca.org/solo2

SCCA SF Region: www.sfrscca.org/index.phtml

N.A. Pylon: www.napylon.com

The Rallye Club: www.therallyeclub.org
Redwood SCC: www.rsccl.redwoodmatrix.com/
Northwest Hillclimb Assoc. www.nhahillclimb.org
ESCA April Fool's Rallye: www.sonic.net/~thebeard/
Empire Sportscar Assoc. (ESCA): www.empiresportscar.org

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ODDS & ENDS

Club Specials – Clubs entering a minimum of 10 drivers in any CSCC event can qualify for a \$5 discount on entry. Contact Mr. Bob mrbob73@sbcglobal.net