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Keith Wahl's 1957 Studebaker Golden Hawk

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PRESIDENT'S MESSAGE

Dear San Diego Region AACA members:

This February we will be celebrating 58 years as a club. **Jack Simmons**, who is a charter member, has been joining us on zoom. He was there when it all started for our club here in San Diego. The Zoom meetings have made it possible for him to join us.

We have several new members who have also joined us on Zoom. It will be exciting to see their cars as we start to gather together again. Brad has agreed to open up the Zoom meetings a little early so members can interact prior to the meeting starting. Of course you can log on at any time. Thanks to **John Boyd** and **Alex Watt** for their presentation last month on the progress of their restorations.

We are still looking for ideas for activities or planned carlot gatherings, so we have an excuse to drive our cars and show them.

We have a club roster in pdf format. Rather than mailing out copies, if you would like one please contact me and I'll email you one.

The region needs your help in two areas:

- 1. We have many past issues that need to be scanned into pdf files. This allows the region to maintain a history that is always available in digital form.
- 2. The region needs a new editor! Due to previous commitments known to the Board, Brad will no longer be the editor after this year. He would like to find someone soon so he can begin working with them and it's an easy transition. This person should plan on taking over in the Fall of this year.

Until we see each other again, Happy Motoring and stay safe.

-- Tom McIlravy

Don't Forget Our Web Site

Our web site is now running smoothly thanks to webmaster **Mark Richards**. Our selection of items will grow with time so please be patient but check back regularly. You can access region information, photos from events, and copies of The Foot Warmer without a password.

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2021 Region Calendar

Dates subject to changes

FEB	1
MAR	1
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General Membership Meeting Via ZOOM 7 PM

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Antique Automobile Club of America National Membership Single or Joint \$40.00 per year. Life Membership \$600.00

San Diego Region Membership Single or Joint \$25.00 per year. **Our San Diego Region Membership Chairman** can help you obtain both memberships.

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February Birthdays		
Joe Cibit	9	
Larry Okey	20	
Keith Wahl	27	
Grace Schlesier	28	
Anniversaries		
Diane & Mark Richards	12	
Betty & Daryl Holmes	18	

March Birthdays		
Bette Hayward	4	
Daryl Holmes	7	
Catherine Woolsey	10	
Evelyn McGill	16	
Phyllis Cottee	27	
Bob Lasher	30	
Bill Verhulst	30	
Anniversaries		
Barbara & John Boyd	16	
Christine & Bud Harwell	31	



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Editor Brad Zemcik 619.255.0059 On the Saturday after Thanksgiving our last event for 2020 was held at the Classic Malt Shop in Point Loma. The weather cooperated and members showed up to enjoy the food and the cars. In all there were 25+ cars from various car clubs in San Diego.

I think I got everybody who showed up. If I missed you in the list, I apologize up front. Club members who participated: Jack Heacock, Al Smithson, Tom McIlravy, Brad Zemcik, Alex & Sandy Watt, Larry & Paula Okey, Joe & Cathy Cibit, Rick Reinstein, Bob Wagner & Bob Lasher.



Al Smithson brought out his 1950 Mercury coupe with a license plate that reflects Al's inner James Dean...what a REBEL!

Always a crowd pleaser - **The Okey's** 1955 Buick Century 2-dr hardtop





The iconic attention getter of **Alex and Sandy Watt**'s - their 1961 Aston Martin DB4 Jack Heacock attended with his 1959 Cadillac 61 sport coupe



Bob Wagner and Bob Lasher



Al Smithson, Tom McIlravy and Tom's guest David Melendrez



Jack Heacock and guest Bill Manishor



On the left in the photo below is the **Cibit's** 1959 Triumph

Below some of the rows of cars of various marques and clubs





