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## GREAT AUTOS CAR SHOW Hillcrest, October 17, 2021

Held the third Saturday of most months, the October Great Autos of Yesteryear car show included AACA San Diego Region by invitation. Several members exhibited cars, some of which are shown here. The beautiful 1957 Buick restored by Larry Okey was displayed by Paula and their son Tim.



The *Foot Warmer* is the official newsletter publication of the San Diego Region of the AACA. Published approximately monthly, it's free to members of the Region. (That box in the masthead is an antique foot warmer.)

## President's Greeting

Dear San Diego Region members,

It's that time of year again for our annual banquet. This year is not one to miss, we have the opportunity to once again meet together and for those who we haven't seen in long time, I look forward to seeing you all. There are also a few surprises in the works, to be revealed at the banquet.

Thanks to Grace and Betty for putting together the Olaf Weighorst Art Museum tour. And to Kimball for the invite to the Hillcrest Car show.

So until we see each other again, happy motoring and safe travels.

Tom McIlravy

### *October 4 General Meeting at the Joyce Beers Center*

A Halloween-themed décor graced the monthly general meeting October 4, with refreshments provided by Sheldon and Sheila Jurist assisted by Diane Richards. The program was a 20-minute movie from 1935 by the Ford Production Studios, showcasing a cross-country trip from Boston to San Diego in a new, 1935 Ford convertible. Newlyweds made the trip across the scenic US for the California Pacific International Exhibition. Scenes of Balboa Park showed some familiar features, including what are now the Starlight Bowl, Air and Space Museum, and Auto Museum. President McIlravy awarded Nannette Clark the name badge drawing. A brief business meeting followed, with emphasis on getting those November 7 banquet reservations in.



**Reminder! Get your banquet reservations in today. The price goes up \$10 to \$35 after November 2!**

# San Diego Region Info

## OFFICERS

PRESIDENT: **TOM MCILRAVY** (20-21)  
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**KIMBALL VINCENT** (21-22)  
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**BRAD ZEMCIK** (21)

## KEY PLAYERS

PROGRAMS/SPEAKERS: **ALEX WATT**  
 MEMBERSHIP: **MARK RICHARDS**  
 TOURS: **TOM MCILRAVY**  
 REFRESHMENTS: **DIANE RICHARDS**  
 ANNUAL BANQUET: **BOB GUNTHORP** AND  
**SUSAN WOODS**  
 ANNUAL AWARDS: **ALEX WATT, ART**  
**COTTEE, ROYCE DUNN, DARYL HOLMES,**  
**JACK HEACOCK**  
 CORONADO PARADE: **AL SMITHSON**  
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 (SEE CLUB ROSTER FOR CONTACT INFO.)

## Region Calendar

Nov 1 Regular Membership Meeting  
 Dec 6 Joyce Beers Center  
 Jan 3, '22 3900 Vermont Street, San Diego  
 Nov 7 **Holiday Banquet at the Handlery**  
 Nov 11-13 AACA National Meet in Phoenix  
 Nov 14-17 AACA Tour, Phoenix  
 Nov 20 Silent Movie Night

## San Diego Region General Meetings

are held the first Monday of the month at the Joyce Beers Center in Hillcrest, 3900 Vermont Avenue. Social hour begins at 6:30 with the program starting at 7:00. Members and guests are always invited. Refreshments are served after the program.

It's membership renewal time again! Please send your check for \$25 made out to AACA SD Region to Mark Richards along with any address or phone number changes to be made to the roster. Mark's address is 1474 Merritt Dr., El Cajon 92020. Thanks for your continuing support for the club. And remember to renew for the AACA National club as well!

Nov	Birthdays	
Jake	HARE	4
Mark	RICHARDS	7
Robert	WAGNER	17
Cindy	WILLIAMS	18
Andy	HUNT	19
Betty	LOCKE	21
Newell	BOOTH	23
Timothy	ALEXANDER	25
William	PETERSON	27

Dec	Nov Anniversaries	
Harry	MCGILL	5
Jack	HEACOCK	8
John	PHLEGAR	12
Rachel	EVANS	14
Ron	WALLING	15
Cathy	CIBIT	16
Carol	ROSS	16
Darrell	CHRISTIAN	20
Charles	HYLTON	21
Kimball	VINCENT	23
Margaret	PUHN	26
Steve	ROSS	27

Dec	Nov Anniversaries		
Colin	Suzanne	FORT	15
Charles	Yolanda	HYLTON	16
Royce	Frances	DUNN	18
Mike	Robin	JUDD	18
Paul	Francy	PRISER	23

## Shorter issue this month...

See you at the banquet, November 7, the Handlery, at noon.  
 950 Hotel Circle North.

### Some Car Club November Activities (Thanks Ron Walling!)

11/6, East County Cruisers annual Holiday Toy drive, Bates Nut Farm, Valley Center, 9am-2pm  
 11/6, Poway Cruisers, monthly cruise, In & Out Burger, 12890 Gregg Court, 11am-2pm  
 11/6, North County Corvette Club - Annual Vettes for Vets, Carlsbad shops, El Camino Real, 10am-3pm  
 11/13, AACA food & toy drive, Allied Gardens LDS, 10am-2pm  
 11/21, La Mesa Cars & Coffee, every Third Sunday, Spring St, 7am-9am

## GREAT NEWS! SILENT MOVIE NIGHT IS FREE!

Al Smithson received this letter about the silent movie night.

We're beginning to get excited about the next silent movie show at Trinity Church. Greg Breed will be accompanying TWO silent movies...one feature length; the other teaser is a bit shorter, but truly funny.

Our Board has chosen to present the only two evenings of theatre organ entertainment for 2021 at **NO CHARGE to the audience**. This is our way of showing appreciation for the delay in resuming live performance. We recently showcased Rob Richards from Los Angeles; our next and final show of the year will be presented on **November 20th, 2021** featuring the artistry of our own Greg Breed. So I ask you, Al, to spread the word about what I know will be a very entertaining evening for everyone. I plan on creating a separate mailing to our TOSSD members next week that will feature AACA as an additive to our evening.

Thanks for helping us get "back in the saddle" again with our respective clubs. I know folks are ready to get go'in again. Al, we highly suggest masks are worn at this event per directives from the CDC plus the State of California and seriously appreciate your members' cooperation on this. -- Rosemary Bailey

Organist Breed's notes:

*First will be a Harold Lloyd comedy featurette call "Never Weaken." Harold Lloyd was one of the most popular comedians from the silent era and should be no stranger to your group. In this movie he is trying to woo Mildred Davis (who he would later marry in real life), save Mildred's job, and then tries to end his life when he thinks Mildred has fallen for another man!*

*After intermission we will be showing "The Eagle" starring Rudolph Valentino. It's sort of a cross between "Mark of Zorro" and "The Desert Song" but set in Russia. My score will be based on the original cue sheet from 1925 and features music by famous Russian composers along with lots of exciting chase and dramatic music!*

