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Club Meetings

2nd Saturday of the Month

Meeting Location:

Fremont Chevrolet

(Also, Zoom when available)

NEXT CLUB MEETING: Fremont Chevrolet

5850 Cushing Pkwy, Fremont CA

Saturday, March 8th, 2025 @ 10:00 a.m.

Message from the Editor,

Can anyone believe we are in February already? This month has that one day each year where we pamper and treat our loved ones to an expensive dinner and a romantic night. So, this year, I gave the El Camino an oil change, a tank full of premium gas, hand washed with warm water, then cruised to a nearby parking lot for an evening photo shoot. So, remember to spend some quality time with your classic and show them some love for all the miles and smiles they give you.

This month was also the Celebration of the Lunar Year. That being said it is the Year of the Snake. There were many events surrounding this as well as others. It was so hard to choose which events to attend. Speaking of, I attended a new event as well which will be covered here in a bit. As I said before, I apologize for newsletters being a little late or not everything being covered.

Ohlone Collage Flea Market and Car Show----February 8th, 2025, Fremont

As stated earlier I attended a new event, well for me anyways lol! Ohlone College in Fremont hosts a Flea Market as well as a cars and coffee show. This show was put on by a Datsun club (If I remember right, as this is being written in March) and brings out a fairly huge crowd. Cars were coming and going in shifts. There were many Japanese cars, as well as German cars and British cars. Yet classic American trucks were well represented. There was another El Camino there, but by the time I was walking to it, the owner was getting ready to leave. I was lucky to get a picture before they left. Ran into some friends while there and we chilled and walked a few laps around the lot looking over the cars. This is really a good show, a must arrive early for a parking spot, very organized especially with traffic and guiding cars in and out. There is also a Starbucks coffee on site. There is also the opportunity to check out the Flea Market as well.



Lunar New Year Cars & Cosplay Tea Moment----February 9th, 2025, Fremont

This event was presented by Dreamscapes Car Club and hosted at the Tea Moment parking lot. It's a wonderful group of people and combines new hobbies and interests and showcases some Japanese Car Culture. While prominently Japanese cars, you can also find some exotic and super cars on display as well. Only two El Caminos were at this event as I was greeted by fellow members Lance and Cyle Glidewell. We chilled for a bit before we had to part, this was roughly about the time when the Dragon Dancer's started their performance. There were also many in attendance dressed in their cosplay ranging from video game characters to movie characters, one of my friends was dressed as Marty McFly from the Back to the Future movies. This was really a fantastic and really fun event to attend as I look forward to this one each year. It's always a pleasure to hang out with friends and to view some unique cars and experience a different culture.





FFR Fabrications---- February 25th, 2025, San Jose

This cruise was a combined event between the Camaro Club and Nor-Cal ChevelleCaminos to tour the FFR Fabrications in San Jose Soft Opening event. In the near future there will be a Grand Opening event as well. In attendance from Nor-Cal ChevelleCaminos were Joe Brown, Chris Riley, Lance, Maria, & Cyle Glidewell, Mike & Darlene Saunders, Joanie Butler, Jay Ball, and Bev & George Mosqueda. Along with members of the Camaro Club there were 24 people. Definitely a good turnout.











Your Newsletter Editor thanks everyone who submitted all the great photos!

2025 CLUB MEETINGS AND EVENTS

(AS OF FEB 25, 2025)

February

- 8 – *Gathering/short mtg.* at Mike & Darlene Saunders home for Yearly Events Calendar Planning Meeting
- 22 – Tour of FFR Fabrication Shop in San Jose & Lunch - **Camaro Club** event – **RSVP to Bev**

March

- 8 – *Gathering/short mtg.* at Fremont Chevrolet then Cruise to Bay Model at Sausalito Visitor Center
Coordinators: Mike & Darlene Saunders
- 15 –
- 22 –
- 29 / 30 – GoodGuys in Pleasanton for those interested

April

- 5 – Lodi Wine Country "Sip & Savor" Cruise - **Coordinators: Robert & Randy**
- 12 – **Business meeting** and Cruise to Speed Nymph Tour (**tentative**) – **Coordinator:** _____
(Owner Dennis currently in Europe)
- 19 –
- 27 – Benicia Classic Car Show – **Coordinator: Joanie Butler**

May

- 4 – *Gathering/short mtg* at Niles Spring Fever Car Show (Fremont) – **Coordinator: Joanie Butler**
- 11 – Mother's Day, therefore the short meeting was moved to the weekend before
- 17 –
- 24 - 26 – Memorial Day Weekend
- 31 – Annual Club Picnic in Danville – **Coordinators: Robert Deem, George Mosqueda**

June

- 7 –
- 14 – *Gathering/short mtg* at Castro Valley Car Show – **Coordinator: Ed Robles**
- 21 – Monterey Rock & Rod Festival Car Show – **Coordinators: George & Bev Mosqueda**
- 28 –
- 29 –

July

- 4 – Fremont 4th of July Parade – **Coordinator: Joanie Butler**
- 12 – **Business meeting** with Cruise to Speed Nymph (**tentative**) – **Coordinator:** _____
- 19 –
- 20 – (Sunday) – Rosie the Riveter (Richmond) – with the Camaro Club – **Coordinator: Maria Glidewell**
- 26 –

August

- 2 – ****Note** – See pg. 2
- 7 – 10 Hot August Nights (Reno)
- 10 – No Club Mtg. due to Reno Hot August Nights
- 10 – Hot August Niles (Downtown Niles in Fremont) for those interested
- 16 – *Gathering/short mtg* & Cruise to Lunch (location TBD)
- 22 – 24 GoodGuys West Coast Nationals (Pleasanton) for those interested
- 30 – Labor Day Weekend

EAST EASY FORD F-100 ELITE

24th Annual

Jim Hannett Memorial

March 22nd 2025



-50/50 Raffle

-Award for the best vehicle chosen by Pezzini Farms

-Artichokes for all that attend



MEET 9:00AM
LEAVE AT 9:30AM

WALMART PARKING LOT
(44009 OSGOOD BLVD. FREMONT CA.)

10:30AM - LEAVE COCHRANE RD. MORGAN HILL

11:30AM - STOP AT PEZZINI FARMS IN CASTROVILLE
ON TO MONTEREY. LUNCH ON THE WHARF OR CANNERY ROW

MORE INFORMATION:
GIL (510) 697-6408

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CAR SHOW

BENEFITS STUDENT COMPETITION GROUP SKILLSUSA



FRIDAY
MAY 2



5:00 P.M.
TO 8:00 P.M.



MUSIC & FOOD
COST: \$20 PER ENTRY
PRE-REGISTRATION SCAN QR CODE
GATES OPEN AT 4:30 P.M. FOR ENTRANTS

760 HILLSDALE AVE
SAN JOSE, CA 95136
SPECTATORS ARE FREE. LIMITED PARKING
CHECK OUR WEBSITE FOR UPDATES. NO PETS PLEASE

PRE-REGISTER BY APRIL 23RD
WRITE "CAR SHOW" IN
"WHAT'S THIS FOR?"

SCAN
ME! >>>



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INFO: JASMINE MONTUY AT (408) 723-4204 OR JMONTUY@METROED.NET

Please Note: We are transitioning to primarily online registration due to increasing costs

- To continue receiving printed invites for future shows, please check the box on your registration form
- Otherwise, please provide an email address so we can invite you to sign up online for future shows
- **By registering online, you can save \$5 over mail-in or in-person registration at the event!**

Hot August Niles Car Show 8/10/2025

- * Food Truck Mafia
- * Live Band 10AM - 1PM
- * 50/50 Raffle (must be present to win)
- * Shops will be open for your shopping pleasure

Registration Method	Cost	Deadline
Online	\$35	August 4th
Mail-in	\$40	Must be received by August 4th
In person		In Person day-of registration is first come first serve until sold out

Online Registration (Preferred) <https://www.niles.org/nmsa-calendar-of-events/hot-august-niles-car-show>

- you can also search online for "Hot August Niles" to find a link to our event page

For Mail-In Registration:

- Make checks payable to "Niles Main Street Association."
- Include self-addressed stamped envelope
- Mail your Registration Form, Envelope, and Payment to:
Niles Main Street Association, P.O. Box 2038, Fremont, CA 94536

For questions, please contact info@niles.org or (510) 857-6512. Thank you for your support & cooperation.



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- After the spring 2025 car show, we will no longer offer the early bird discount to mail in registration

Niles Spring Fever Car Show 5/4/2025

- * Food Truck Mafia
- * 50/50 Raffle (must be present to win)
- * Live Band 10AM - 1PM
- * Shops will be open for your shopping pleasure

Registration Date	Cost	Registration Method
Until April 26th (early bird discount)	\$35	Online application or mail-in application Note: must be RECEIVED by April 26th to get discount & placard before show
From April 27th	\$40	Online application or mail-in application Note: pick up placard at registration booth for mail-in received from April 27th
Day of show		In Person day-of registration is first come first serve until sold out

Online Registration (Preferred) <https://www.niles.org/nmsa-calendar-of-events/spring-fever-car-show>

- you can also search online for "NMSA Spring Fever" to find a link to our event page

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CLUB MEMBER BIRTHDAYS:

+ holidays & other notable dates

February

Robert Cortez
Bob Bertucelli
Brett Holbrook
Sylvia Riley
George Mosqueda
Steve Fox

If you notice a missed birthday, please let your editor know!





Spring Has Sprung! Don't Forget to Stock Up on Club Merch for Summer Cruisin'!

Visit the club website to order your club apparel:
<https://nor-calchevelles.com/club-apparel/>

Stitches & Stuff Website: stitchesstuff.com
Tim Ragan Email: info@stitchesstuff.com
Contact Tim Ragan (510) 786-3946

Vendor Catalog Website: sanmar.com

Prices for Single Item Polo with Logo
S - XL \$22.50 - Polo with Logo
XXL \$25.50 - Polo with Logo
Men's Polo - Item # KP 155
Ladies Polo - Item # LKP 155

Standard Turnaround is 10 Business Days



**Member supplied items - \$15.00 each for left chest-sized design (Must be new)
Full Back Logo 11 in. wide by 7 in. high - \$50.00 ea (e.g. varsity jackets)
**member supplied items can be clothing and non-clothing items (e.g. blankets, throws, scarves, aprons, golf towels)

Questions? Contact Jerry Kochan for Embroidered items at (925) 570-6173 or Kimberly Culbertson for Non-Embroidered items at (510) 673-7322

From your Webmaster Michael Crusco:

We're always looking for a new Featured Car for the club website. If you would like to participate, send me four pics of your car with at least one picture with you in or next to it to me at mikec44212@aol.com. Also send details on your car on how and when you purchased it. The more details the better.



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Members can submit photos for the club newsletter and website by emailing them to:

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And

Micheal Crusco (Website)-mikec44212@aol.com

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