Nor-Cal ChevelleCaminos

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Nor-Cal ChevelleCaminos
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Club Meetings

2nd Saturday of the Month
Meeting Location:
Fremont Chevrolet
(Also, Zoom when available)

NEXT CLUB MEETING: Niles

Hot August Niles Car Show, Niles CA

Sunday August 9th, 2026 @ 10:00 a.m.

Message from the Editor,

July is here and we are set to celebrate 250 years of this great country and what better way to celebrate the independence of this great country than by participating in a 4th of July Parade celebration, attending family BBQ's or by setting off fireworks!! **Also, I would like to reiterate that if a submission does not make it into one month's newsletter, it will be in the following month's newsletter.** Please, if you have attended an event and have pictures, please send them in. The more content for the newsletter the better.

Alameda and Fremont 4th of July Parades ---- Alameda and Fremont CA, July th 2026

This year several members attended various 4th of July Parades ranging from Ram and Stan representing in the Alameda 4th of July Parade to Bev & George Mosqueda, Kim Culbertson & Tony, Joanie Butler, Lance, Maria & Kyle Glidewell, Steve Fox, Mike & Cindy Crusco, and Christopher Paulson representing in the Fremont 4th of July Parade.

Tony Dayton

AMERMSL

CALIFORNIA
70BAYLF

29
USA
El Camino

CHEVROLET

986 MCI

3WZV679

72STOCK

Firebird

USA

AMER MSL

Photos provided by: Ramasses Head and Maria Glidewell

2026 Club Meetings and Events (as of Aug. 10, 2026)

February
7 – ***Business Mtg*** **& Yearly Events Calendar Planning Meeting**

March
14 – ***Short mtg*** **at Fremont Chevrolet then cruise to lunch at Mersea Restaurant on Treasure Island**
15 – **Cobra Experience Tour & Lunch – Coordinators: Lance & Maria**
21 – **Artichoke Run – Watsonville – Coordinator: Kim Culbertson**

April
11 – **Business Meeting & cruise to Rosie the Riveter Tour & Lunch**
25 – **Lodi Wine Country "Sip & Savor" Cruise - Coordinators: Robert Deem & Randy Ochs**

May
3 – **Niles Spring Fever Car Show – Coordinator: Chris Paulson**
9 – ***Gathering/short mtg*** **– Cruise to Wente Golf Course for Lunch & Rubino Wine Tasting - Randy**
17 – **Annual Club Picnic at the Meek Estate in Hayward – Michael Saunders & Joanie Butler**
23 – 25 – Memorial Day Weekend

June
13 – ***Gathering/short mtg &*** ***Ladies Day Event*** **– Coordinators: Katie Schurtz & Maria Glidewell**
20 – **Castro Valley Car Show – Coordinator: Ed Robles**

July
4 - **Fremont 4th of July Parade – Coordinator: Joanie Butler**
11 – **Business Meeting with Cruise to lunch at Lazy Dog Restaurant in Newark**

August
6 – Official AMC Pacer Reveal at HAN (Reno) – Coordinators: David & Katie Schurtz
9 – **(Sun) Hot August Niles Car Show & Club Meeting – Coordinator: Joanie Butler**

September
5 – ***Gathering/short mtg*** **with Club Leadership Nominations and cruise to lunch (location TBD)**
12 – **Run To The Coast Poker Run to Pacifica - Coordinator: Bev**
26 – **Chrome & Cabernet Cruise to Lodi – Coordinator: Ramasses Head**

October
3 – **USS Hornet Carrier & Oktoberfest Beer Crawl & lunch – Coordinator: Katie Schurtz**
10 – **Business Meeting with Election of Officers & Cruise to Roy Brizio's Car Collection**
11 – **Sutter Creek Car Show – Coordinator: Randy Ochs**
24 – 25 **– Carmel to Cambria Overnight Cruise & Hearst Castle Tour – Coordinator: Bev**

November
7 – **1st Annual Scavenger Hunt Cruise (Members Only) – Coordinators: Randy/David**
14 – ***Gathering/short mtg*** **with cruise to lunch at the Ritz Carlton (Half Moon Bay) for lunch**
26 – Thanksgiving
28 – **"Day After Thanksgiving" Niles Lights Parade & Tree Lighting – Coordinator: Joanie Butler**

December
12 – **Annual Christmas Party (Members only) at TBD – Coordinators: TBD**

Events for consideration*:*

April 19 – Benicia Classic Car Show – Coordinator: Joanie Butler
Aug 6-9 – Hot August Nights (Reno)
Aug 21 – 23 GoodGuy's West Coast Nationals (Pleasanton) for those interested
Aug 22 – Castro Valley Cruise Night – Coordinator: TBD
Sept 19 – Newark Days
Sept 20 – Roarin' the Redwoods Car Show – Coordinator: Joanie Butler
Nov 14 / 15 – GoodGuys in Pleasanton for those interested

1967 Chevelle for Sale

A local San Jose resident reached out to a Nor-Cal Club member to say they have a numbers matching 1967 Chevelle hardtop for sale. It has a 396/325 HP motor and TH400 transmission. The car has been repainted to the original color and looks great inside and out. The Chevelle looks to have the original air conditioning system in place and the car looks original and not modified, making it a rare find.

The owner is thinking of a price between $ 35K and $ 40K. Interested parties can reach the owner, John Thomson at jfthomson2003@yahoo.com

Classic Car Shops & Repair Services

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Specialty	Business Name	Contact	Tel #	City	Recommended by:
Upholstery	Top Notch Upholstery	Tony	408-529-3720	San Jose	Robert Cortez
Engine Machining	A.P.M. Custom Engines	Felix	408-778-3688	Morgan Hill	Randy Ochs
Transmissions	All Standard Transmissions		408-379-7290	Campbell	David Schurtz
Radiator Services	B&M Radiator Service	Grant	510-440-8919	Fremont	Randy Ochs
Classic Car Repairs	S S Toy Shop	David	408-813-8588	San Jose	Randy Ochs
Steering Box Rebuild	Straight Line Steering		408-289-9850	San Jose	Lance Glidewell

Notes: Recommended by a Club Member who has had a recent positive experience.
Some shops "may" provide a Nor-Cal Member discount.

2026 Poker Run – Saturday, Sept. 12, 2026

PRIZES **FOOD** **RAFFLE**

Come and join us for a day of cruising on our 29th Annual Poker Run - this year a "Run To The Coast"!

(In memory of our friend & RTTC Founder, Chuck Bonasera)

Each year the Nor-Cal ChevelleCaminos car club has a premiere event that welcomes all makes of classic & exotic car enthusiasts to attend. This year our Poker Run will begin in Fremont with our final stop at ***Nick's Seafood Restaurant in Pacifica****, where we have reserved seating for 90 people for our delicious Breakfast Buffet meal. Not only will there be fun raffle prizes, the person with the best poker hand wins a* ***$100 cash prize!*** *A map of our route with directions and addresses for all stops will be provided in your welcome packet at registration on the morning of Saturday, September 12th.*

With attendance limited to 90 attendees, you'll need to get your registration in early to confirm your spot!

Registration and 1st stop will be located at Lloyd's Donuts, 5200 Mowry Ave., Fremont

7:30AM check-in and registrations. 8:30AM "Poker Run" roll out starts

(Registrations must be received no later than Aug. 30th)

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Email Address:_____ ***(required to confirm your entry)***

Name:_____ ***Car Make: _____***

Street Address:_____ ***City: _____*** ***State: _____*** ***ZIP: _____***

Car Model & Year:_____ ***Phone: (_____) _____***

Cost: $50 per adult, $20 per child (12 & under) ***($60/adult from Aug 15th – 30th)***

Number of people in your party: _____ ***Car Club: _____*** ***Total Enclosed: _____***

In consideration of acceptance as participants in the Nor-Cal ChevelleCaminos Run To The Coast, by execution of this entry, I/we hereby release the Nor-Cal ChevelleCaminos car club, its members, officers and anyone connected with this event, of and from any and all known and unknown damages, injuries, losses, judgments and/or claims from any causes whatsoever that may be suffered by participating in this event or any spectators.

Signature:_____ Date: _____ License Plate Number: _____

Make your check out to: Nor-Cal ChevelleCaminos ***(Sorry, no Zelle or Venmo options available)***

Mail to: Nor-Cal Chevelles Poker Run c/o Joan Butler, 1416 C Street, Hayward, CA 94541

For questions, call Bev Mosqueda (408-219-1946) **www.nor-calchevelles.com**

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

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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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