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San Antonio Classic Thunderbird Club



**WHAT'S BUZZIN'**



**2013**

**SACTC  
Business Meeting**

**Saturday  
July 13th, 2013  
9:00am**

**Jim's Coffee Shop  
9950 San Pedro Avenue**



**4TH OF JULY  
PARTY**

**POTLUCK DINNER  
4:00 p.m.  
at**

**Walt & Pocahontas  
Cole's Home**

**20202 Van Nest Circle  
Garden Ridge, TX 78266  
210-314-1459**

**Guests are welcome to bring swimsuits for a dip  
in the pool.....  
Skinny dipping is not an option!!!**

**HAVE A SAFE 4TH OF JULY**

# JULY 2013

| Sun                                    | Mon  | Tue   | Wed   | Thu   | Fri                              | Sat  |
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| <b>Happy Birthday America!!</b>        | <b>1</b>   | <b>2 <u>Happy Anniversary</u></b><br><br><b>Don &amp; Cheryl Meynig</b> | <b>3</b>  | <b>4</b><br>• <b>Debbie Jones</b><br>   | <b>5</b>                         | <b>6</b><br>* <b>Mildred Bowen</b>         |
| <b>7</b>                               | <b>8</b><br>* <b>Pat Ward</b>  | <b>9</b>  | <b>10</b>   | <b>11</b>   | <b>12</b><br>* <b>Buzz Durio</b> | <b>13</b><br><b>SACTC Meeting at Jim's</b> |
| <b>14</b>                              | <b>15</b>  | <b>16</b>   | <b>17</b><br>* <b>Robert Marichalar</b>                       | <b>18</b>   | <b>19</b>                        | <b>20</b>                                  |
| <b>21</b>                              | <b>22</b>  | <b>23</b>   | <b>24</b><br>* <b>Ken Rowe</b><br><br><b>FWNO BBQ Station</b> | <b>25 <u>Happy Anniversary</u></b><br><br><b>Ralph &amp; Mildred Bowen</b>  | <b>26</b>                        | <b>27</b>                                  |
| <b>28</b><br>* <b>Brent Schumacher</b> | <b>29</b><br>• <b>Karen Steiger</b><br>• <b>National Lasagna Day</b> | <b>30</b><br>* <b>C.E. Boyd, Jr.</b>                                    | <b>31</b>   | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <b><u>HAPPY BIRTHDAY TO YOU</u></b></li> <li>• <b>National Hot Dog Month</b></li> <li>• <b>National Ice Cream Month</b></li> </ul> |                                  |  |

**SAN ANTONIO CLASSIC THUNDERBIRD CLUB  
MEETING MINUTES—JUNE 8, 2013**

The June 8th SACTC meeting was called to order at 9:11 by President Buzz Durio.

**Guest & New Members:** NONE

**Minutes:** A motion was made by Ken Rowe and seconded by Dave Sustman to accept the May Minutes as read in the newsletter.

**Financial report** was given by Troy Rowe. Motion by Bret Schumacher and seconded by Andy Hoekstra.

**Birthdays:** 05 John Murphy, 06 Eddie Morris, 08 Sam Brummitt, 10 Steven Pinkerton, 13 Jackie Johnston, 14 Betty Schwartz, 22 Del Boyd, 29 Bill Massey

**Anniversaries:** 1st C. E. & Del Boyd 50th, 29 Neal & Jackie Johnston

**Sick Call:** Dave Sustman is undergoing Cyber Knife Radiation for his cancer.

**Old Business:** Shirts/Caps/Jackets—still working on ordering

**New Business:** FWNO will be at 410 Diner, 8315 Broadway, 6:30pm. I have to have an accurate head count by 10:30am the morning of June 26th.

Our 4th of July party will be at Walt & Pocahantis Cole's home in Garden Ridge. This will be another potluck party. Last year we did hot dogs with all the side dishes, desserts, chips & dips, ice cream, etc. Do we want to do the same? Supper at 4:00pm.

Cheryl and Don Meynig have volunteered their home in Normanna for the Labor Day affair.

The Austin Train ride was brought up. Do we want to try to do this again this fall?

Tonight is a cruise in at Soda Pops in Boerne. That is on Main Street across from the Plaza.

Are we going to try to go to Castroville on Friday June 14th? Call Buzz.

June 15 is the Cruise-in at Dicks Classic Garage in San Marcos.

With no further business, Darla Hedrick made a motion to adjourn with second by George Kiolbassa.

The meeting adjourned at 9:46am.

Submitted by  
Lillian Kiolbassa

**Uncle Kar Boorator sez.....**



**“My mother taught me about CONTORTIONISM— ‘Will you look’ at the dirt on the back of your neck.”**

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**4th of July Caravan Plans to Walt and Poca’s house.....**

**Meet at the IHOP behind Rolling Oaks Mall at 3:30pm on Thursday, July 4th. This is at the corner of Nacogdoches & 1604.**

**If you have any questions, please call Buzz at 210-213-1984**

**A FRIEND OF MINE SENT THIS TO ME TODAY (June 20th). HE SAW IT IN FRONT OF MAGGIANO'S AT THE RIM, HERE IN SAN ANTONIO ABOUT 2:00PM.**

**BUZZ**



**Submitted by Mary Ellen Pyka**

**Dorothy and Edna, two "senior" widows, are talking:**

**Dorothy: "That nice George Johnson asked me out for a date. I know you went out with him last week, and I wanted to talk with you about him before I give him my answer."**

**Edna: "Well, I'll tell you. He shows up at my apartment punctually at 7 pm, dressed like such a gentleman in a fine suit, and he brings me such beautiful flowers! Then he takes me downstairs. And what's there; a limousine, uniformed chauffeur and all. Then he takes me out for dinner; a marvelous dinner, lobster, champagne, dessert, and after-dinner drinks. Then we go see a show. Let me tell you Dorothy, I enjoyed it so much I could have just died from pleasure! So then we are coming back to my apartment and he turns into an ANIMAL. Completely crazy, he tears off my expensive new dress and has his way with me three times!"**

**Dorothy: "Goodness gracious!... SO, are you telling me I shouldn't go?"**

**Edna: "NO, NO, NO... I'm just saying, wear an old dress."**



June 2, 2013

Dear Friends,

On behalf of John Kennedy and his family, I would like to express thanks and gratitude for all of the love and hard work that went in to the celebration of his 90th birthday. Thank you so much for including all of the family in this special event. The location was warm and welcoming as always, the food was fabulous, and the fellowship was beyond words.

I cannot even begin to express how much the friendship of each and every one of you means to my father. That friendship was shown by the fact that so many braved the weather and the detours just to get to the party, several even making the journey from out of town. What a great group of friends to be blessed with.

A big thank you to everyone,

Gale Putnam

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**MOM-ism's**—Submitted by Buzz Durio

1. My mother taught me TO APPRECIATE A JOB WELL DONE.  
"If you're going to kill each other, do it outside. I just finished cleaning."
2. My mother taught me RELIGION .  
"You better pray that will come out of the carpet."
3. My mother taught me about TIME TRAVEL .  
"If you don't straighten up, I'm going to knock you into the middle of next week!"
4. My mother taught me LOGIC .  
"Because I said so, that's why."
5. My mother taught me MORE LOGIC .  
"If you fall out of that swing and break your neck, you're not going to the store with me."
6. My mother taught me FORESIGHT .  
"Make sure you wear clean underwear, in case you're in an accident."
7. My mother taught me IRONY .  
"Keep crying, and I'll give you something to cry about."



# EVENTS CALENDAR 2013



## 4th Wednesday Nite Out Schedule—2013

July 24th – Barbecue Station – 1610 N.E. Loop 410, 78209, 210-9191

August 28th – Chris Madrids – 1900 Blanco Rd @ Hollywood, 78201, 210-735-3552

September 25th – Ming Tree Chinese Restaurant –14355 Blanco Rd, 78216, 492-9381

October 19th—Scenic Hills Cruise

October 23rd – La Hacienda de los Barrios – 18747 Redland Rd, 78259, 497-8000

November—Fun Run—LaGrange, lunch Café Dobre, visit Czech museum

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## JUNE

### Events Calendar

#### Cruise Nights

Every Friday Night



#### Kerrville

Culvers Restaurant, 1300 Junction Hwy

#### San Antonio

Biff Buzby’s Burgers, IH 35N @ Toepperwein Rd

Genghis Grill, 1903 N. Loop 1604

Seguin

**Kirby's Korner, 606 Texas 123 Bypass**

**Every Saturday Night**

Boerne

**Soda Pop's, 103 N Main St**

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**Submitted by Buzz Durio**



**Beverly is 90 years old. She's played golf every day since her retirement 25 years ago. One day she arrives home looking sad.**

**"That's it," she tells her husband, Gus, "I'm giving up golf. My eyesight has become so bad that once I hit the ball I can't see where it went."**

**Her husband makes her a cup of tea, and says, "Why don't you take me with you and give it one more try."**

**"That's no good" sighs Beverly, "you're a hundred and three, you can't help."**

**"I may be a hundred and three", says Gus, "but my eyesight is perfect."**

**So the next day Beverly heads off to the golf course with her Gus. She tees up, takes a mighty swing and squints down the fairway.**

**She turns to the husband and says, "Did you see the ball?"**

**"Of course I did!" replied Gus, "I have perfect eyesight".**

**"Where did it go?" says Beverly.**

**"I don't remember!" Aging isn't for sissies!!**



## FIVE SEQUELS THAT COULDN'T MATCH THE ORIGINALS

Submitted by Lou Maulden  
Foxnews.com/leisure/2013/05/03

Most of the time, the automotive world doesn't serve up a "Godfather II," the rare sequel that is the equal or better of the original. Sometimes, you get "Jaws 3-D." Here are some cars that today are regarded as classics in their own right, but that didn't seem to live up to the legacy of their predecessors:

1. **1958 Thunderbird:** the original two-seater 1955-57 Thunderbirds—or "Baby Birds" - were recognized as classics almost as soon as they went out of production. They were replaced by a larger four-seater that came to be known as "The Square Bird." While it was an immensely popular car that handily outsold its predecessor, collectors say there's no contest between the two.
2. **1971 Oldsmobile Toronado:** the 280 ZX had the misfortune of following one of the all-time greatest classic sports cars, the Datsun 240/260/280Z. And it also committed the cardinal sin in the eyes of sports car enthusiasts (although not necessarily in the eyes of the buying public) of being heavier and more luxurious. It was derided by the magazines of the time as being a flashy "discomobile," and collectors are only now starting to realize the merits of the comfy and more grownup ZX.
3. **1971 Oldsmobile Toronado:** The first generation Toronado that appeared in 1966 was a stylistic and engineering tour de force. Reminiscent of the great classic Cord 810 of 1936, it was a milestone car for GM. Hardly anyone remembers its successor, the second generation Toronado. Where the '66 broke the mold, the 71 was the mold for generic American luxury cars of the 1970's.
4. **1976 Jaguar XJS:** This one had the extreme misfortune of replacing one of the most beautiful cars of all time, the Jaguar E-type. So naturally, people were predisposed to hate it. Other than initial quality control issues, which have become legendary, the XJS was neither a bad nor ugly car, but for Jaguar, lightning just couldn't strike twice: There was simply no way that the XJS could be as lovely as the E-Type.
5. **1974 Ford Mustang II:** The early 1970's were dark times for the automobile. The Arab Oil Embargo of 1973 put the brakes on large displacement high performance engines. What was Ford to do about cars like the Mustang, whose reputation was built on V-8 performance? Replace it with a four-cylinder version based on the Pinto, of course. Although V-6's and V-8's were offered, it was the sting of the anemic four-banger that stuck with the II until Ford replaced it in 1979.