



THE HEADLINER

Cadillac & LaSalle Club

Northern California Region Newsletter

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May Madness in San Rafael

Don Barnes' 1946 Chrysler Town and Country won a trophy sponsored by the Foot Traffic shoe store. Owners of the store and friends celebrate with Don.

(Photos by Charles Thompson)



Below Left: An attendee at May Madness was having her photo made with Charles Thompson's 1949 Caddy when Charles invited her to sit in the car for a photo op. Such a charming lady!

Below Right: 1960 Cad Series 62 convertible owned by CLC member Al Murolo. Beautiful condition and definitely not for the parking spaces marked "compact."





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Stay Tuned...for UPDATES to the 2015 CLC Calendar

If you have an event or article you would like to submit, please contact the newsletter editor. The deadline for all submissions is the 25th of the month prior to the publication date. RED = CLC Events, BLACK = Non CLC Events.



July 17

Hillsborough Concours (Featuring Ferrari)

<http://www.hillsboroughconcours.org>

July 26

Portal Park Cupertino

August 11-15

National Tour - Detroit ends at Woodward Dream Cruise

August 16

Pebble Beach <http://www.pebblebeachconcours.net>

September 7

Bob Consani Classic Lake Sonoma

(monday)

<http://www.bobconsaniracing.com>

September 13

The 15th Annual Antique Autos in History Park San Jose

(Featuring Pre-WWII Cadillac's) <http://www.scvmtfc.org/future.html>

September 20

Danville Concours

http://www.danville-delegance.org/events_concours.aspx

September 26

Ironstone Concours <http://www.ironstonefoundation.org>

October 4

Niello Concours at Serrano* <http://www.nielloconcoursatserrano.com>

October 10

Alameda Car Show - Crankers Car Club

<http://www.shopparkstreet.com/carshow.html>

October 16-18

North-South Meet

October 31

Local Driving Tour

November 7

Planning Meeting

November 21 or 28 Vallejo Parade for Charity

December

Holiday Party TBD

Note: 1st Sunday of every month Danville Cars & Coffee at Blackhawk Museum - 8 am

***SPECIAL NOTE:** Cadillac is the featured marque at the Niello concourse (in El Dorado Hills) this year, on October 4, 2015 and we've been asked to judge the Cadillac field, consult on Class assignments.



Message from the President



Hello Cadillac and LaSalle lovers!

Welcome to summer and our peak automobile enjoyment season! There are a lot of events to check out in the area, including our annual Portal Park picnic in Cupertino. Be sure to sign up with the form in this newsletter.

I've just returned from the Grand National in Brookfield, WI (a suburb of Milwaukee), where I have just become a member of the Cadillac and LaSalle museum and research center. I'm looking forward to helping the group who just completed a beautiful museum to keep up the fabulous work.

I've been getting more calls from members and prior members looking to sell their cars and would like to direct you to an article in the newsletter about your options for selling, both within the club and out of the club, including supporting the national club by donating it.

We also just got the details from the SoCal club about this years North South meet, be sure to put it on your calendar now!

Hope to see you soon at Portal Park!

Carolyn Dippel
CLC President

Welcome New Members!

Mr. C. Henry Selnick
Mr. Jim Phillips
Mr. Teb Farber

This site contains a whole list
of car parts companies.

VintagePartSource.com



1000s of Cadillac and LaSalle Documents Available for Viewing...

The Classic Car Club of America Museum website now has the files of coachbuilder John B. Judkins, and the papers of famed designer Ray Dietrich available for browsing. There is no charge to view our medium-resolution photos and documents and no login required.

Together with the files of the Derham Body Co., the CCCA Museum now has over 20,000 photos, blueprints, build sheets, and written correspondence in our online archive, which includes over 50 makes of automobiles, and many of which are Cadillac's and LaSalle's.

To see the images, go to this page <http://cccamuseum.org/Explore/Archives/tabid/119/Default.aspx>, watch the short video on how to use the viewer, then click on "Show the Archive Viewer."

We want our digitizing and publishing efforts to be enjoyed by automotive enthusiasts worldwide, so feel free to pass this notice on to your members and to other clubs.

Jeremy Wilson
Webmaster, CCCA Museum

Don Barnes pictured below...

1902 Prescott Steam Car
owned by Gary Lucas of Tiburon. It was shown at the 2014 Tiburon Car Show.



WANTED/FOR SALE

'37 LaSalle Wanted!

New Member...Mr. Ted Albright Farber is interested in finding a 1937 LaSalle in any condition. Please contact him at 707/495-5965. Any LaSalle leads please email to: TedFarber@comcast.net.

HELP NEEDED:

A fellow member of CLC So Cal is thinking about selling his 1941 Fleetwood but does not know where/how to begin - determine price, how to best sell it, etc. If you can assist our member, I'll connect you to him.

Another fellow member of CLC SoCal has a large collection of literature pertaining to classic Cadillac's that he would like to sell or give away. If you are interested, let me know and I'll connect you to him.

Betsy Davenport

socaldavenport@gmail.com

FOR SALE:

Sedanette with a '71 Cadillac engine. Maybe an automatic trans. but not sure. Asking \$17K but not sure what it's worth. If anyone is interested, call Ginger at 707 685-1923.



Like a battle worn ship, this 1954 Coupe DeVille keeps on running. Despite it's many battle scars, the engine continues to run smoothly.

(Photo Charles Thompson)

Selling Your Car

By Carolyn Dippel

I hope this gives you some ideas...

If you are looking for a new home for your car, either immediately or as part of your estate planning, there are a number of things can do in today's market.

If you are interested in supporting the club with a donation of parts, literature or cars to the museum, they will gladly take them or find new homes for them and pass the donated value to you.

If that's not appealing, you can list the car in our local newsletter, or reach out the neighboring regions newsletter editors to list it there. The national magazine, the *Self-Starter*, or list it in the forums if you would like to try to find a buyer immediately.

If that does not work, there are places that specialize in selling older cars on consignment; Specialty Sales with multiple locations around the bay, Classic Cars Limited in Pleasanton, or Wheels & Deals Consignment lot in Santa Clara.

Online there are a number of options, but Craigslist probably remains the strongest, if your car runs, I would recommend meeting prospective buyers at a location other than your home, and maybe have a friend along as you never know who is really going to show up for big ticket items.

cars-on-line.com or Hemmings online, classic cars.com, and ebay are also good outlets to list cars.

If you're not sure how much to ask for your car, please utilize the resources in the club and see if we can help you. Old Cars Weekly has a price guide that will give you a good ballpark value of where to start. If your car is extra special or unique in some way, you may want to invest in getting an appraisal.

Green Plaid Caddy



Let me introduce you to the newest member of the Northern California Cadillac LaSalle club stable. This is my 1975 Coupe DeVille recently imported from Illinois. It is a totally unmolested relic with 3,902 miles on the odometer.

The car was purchased in Chicago by Elmer Herrmann of Arlington Heights. He purchased the car used from a dealer in North Chicago in 1976. The dealer probably used the car as a demo for a while. For whatever reason, Mr. Herrmann drove the car a few miles and put it in an unlit, heated garage for the next 40 years. He died recently and the car was discovered and sold as part of his estate. It was bought by Volo motors in Volo, Illinois. That is where I first saw the car. It was also on the Internet.

I had the car shipped directly to my auto service guy, Joe Natale in Monterey. They thoroughly went through the car for me, replacing all fluids and checking all electrical systems, etc. It then went to my detailers at the Monterey airport for a complete going over. Aside from a few minor problems, the car was and is in great condition. The tires are LR78/15 Uniroyal radials. They appear to be like new but not very reliable after 40 years. So, I will replace them with a new set of Coker radials so I can drive the car on the highway. Other than that, no changes or alterations will be made to the car. The interior is a 1970's throwback. It is a green and white plaid. I had never seen this. It also has an 8-track tape player with a suitcase full of old tapes. Patsy Cline is my favorite. If you have any other questions regarding my new boat, let me know.



Mark C. Klein
Pacific Grove



***Cadillac &
LaSalle Club
Southern
California Region***



**“Annual North-South Meet”
October 16-18, 2015**

Please join us on October 16-18, 2015 for the annual gathering of the North and South Regions. We have been getting together for over 50 years and enjoy seeing old friends and making new ones. It is not required that you drive your classic Cadillac or LaSalle to this event.

The Registration Fee for the 2015 North-South Meet is \$20 per car/family.

HOTEL
OXFORD SUITES
651 Five Cities Drive
Pismo Beach 93449
805.773.3773

When making your hotel reservation, tell them you are attending the Cadillac So Cal event. Group room rates for Friday/Saturday, October 16-17, are: Executive King \$134 per night/double occupancy; Executive King Courtyard or Balcony \$143 per night/double occupancy. All rates are for two room suites. These rates do not include guest room tax at 12.065%. There is a two-night minimum stay for guests arriving on Saturday, October 17. There are a limited number of rooms at the group rate and the **GROUP RATE EXPIRES ON SEPTEMBER 16, 2015** so, make your reservations early.

The Hospitality Room will be available on Friday from 4:00 p.m. – 6:00 p.m. and 8 p.m. - ?. On Saturday, the Hospitality Room will be available after the banquet until ?. Ask for the location of the Hospitality Room at the front desk when you check in.

Friday evening dinner is “on your own.” There are many restaurants near the hotel.

On Saturday there will be a quick road trip including a “no-host” lunch. Details will be provided in the hotel lobby prior to our departure at 9:30 a.m. Saturday morning.

The Saturday banquet will be at F. McLintocks Saloon & Dining House (in the Riata Room), 750 Mattie Road, Shell Beach (Pismo Beach), 805.773.1892,. Cocktails at 6:30 p.m., dinner at 7:00 p.m..

See next page for registration and Saturday dinner choice.

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REGISTRATION FORM
NORTH-SOUTH MEET OCTOBER 16-18, 2015

For questions contact Betsy Davenport
626-281-0706 or bd@clcsocal.com

DEADLINE FOR REGISTRATION IS SEPTEMBER 30, 2015

Name(s) _____

Phone: _____ Email: _____

If driving a Classic Car:

Year/Make/Model: _____

Registration per car/family

\$20.00

Saturday evening banquet: All dinners include onion rings and salsa; tossed green salad; Trail Camp beans; ranch fried potatoes; garlic bread; and rainbow sherbet for dessert; with choice of coffee, iced tea, soft drinks, or milk. Price includes gratuity and tax.

<u>Dinner Choice</u>	<u>Quantity</u>	<u>Price</u>	<u>Total</u>
Top Sirloin Steak 10 oz	_____	\$46	\$_____
Grilled Salmon topped with herb butter & grilled ratatouille	_____	\$46	\$_____
Farmers Market Plate Asparagus, sautéed mushrooms, grilled ratatouille	_____	\$40	\$_____

Total of your check

\$20 registration plus dinner(s)

\$_____

Send form and check made payable to CLC So Cal to:

Betsy Davenport, 1229 S. Monterey St., Alhambra, CA 91801

NO REGISTRATIONS AFTER SEPTEMBER 30

THE 2015 DON FROLICH MEMORIAL NATIONAL MEET

SUNDAY, JULY 26, 2015

Gates Open - 10 am BBQ - Noon

PORTAL PARK IN CUPERTINO



Hosted by the
NORTHERN CALIFORNIA REGION, CADILLAC LA SALLE CLUB, INC.

ANDY'S ALL YOU CAN EAT BBQ!

Please bring your own drinks,
table and chairs, there are lots
shaded areas to picnic.

Please fill out the
REGISTRATION FORM
and return it by July 19.

*Earlier would be most helpful.
After the deadline, you are still
welcome to attend, but bring
your own food and drink and
plan to park in the parking lot.*

This is a very low key,
social and fun event.

**WE LOOK FORWARD
TO SEEING YOU ALL
THERE!**

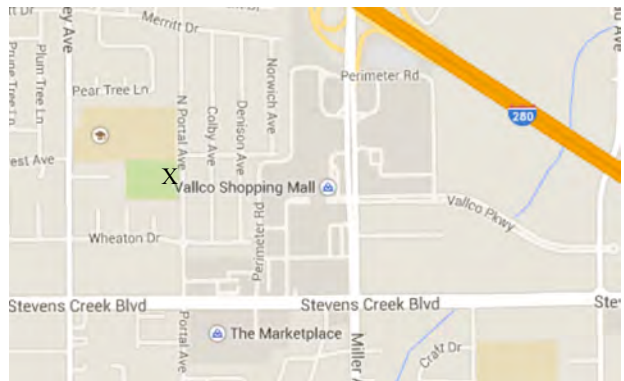
QUESTIONS?

JEFF NIELSEN 650 740-5204

DIRECTIONS TO PORTAL PARK

10225 N Portal Ave, Cupertino, CA 95014

**From anywhere in the Bay Area:
Take 280 (between 85 and 880).
West on WOLF ROAD (toward the hills). Go
past Cupertino Square Shopping Center, to
STEVENS CREEK BLVD. Right on Stevens
Creek, go 1 long block (pass 1 stop light) to
PORTAL AVE. Right on Portal Ave., go past the
round-a-bout and PORTAL PARK is on the left.
There are barriers at the first parking lot
entrance, so go to the 2nd entrance where you
will see the "CLC BBQ" sign. Left into the lot,
left again, and follow the (Turn right up a slight
incline by the debris bins).**



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**THE 2015 DON FROLICH
MEMORIAL NATIONAL MEET**
PORTAL PARK IN CUPERTINO, *SUNDAY JULY 26, 2015*

PLEASE FILL OUT THIS REGISTRATION FORM AND SEND IT WITH YOUR CHECK
TO: NORCAL C&LC TO: *JEFF NIELSEN, 949 CHERRY ST., SAN CARLOS, CA 94070-3204*

CHECKS AND REGISTRATION MUST BE RECEIVED BEFORE JULY 19.

CLASSES (Cad and LaSalle only). . . *Please indicate yours on the entry form below.*

(A) 02-24 CAD	(F) 48-49 CAD	(L) 61-64 CAD**	(Q) 81 TO CURRENT CAD
(B) 25-33 CAD	(G) 50-53 CAD**	(M) 65-70 CAD**	(R) V12 & V16, ALL YEARS
(C) 34-40 CAD	(H) 54-56 CAD**	(N) 71-80 CAD**	(S) 27-33 LA SALLE
(D) 1941 CAD	(J) 57-58 CAD**	(O) ELDO 53-66	(T) 34-40 LA SALLE
(E) 42-47 CAD	(K) 59-60 CAD**	(P) ELDO 67-80	**EXCEPT ELDORADO

PLEASE LIST YOUR ENTRY(S) ("MAKE") means Cadillac, LaSalle, or other Marque)

<u>MAKE</u>	<u>YEAR</u>	<u>CLASS</u>	<u>SERIES</u>	<u>MODEL</u>
_____	_____	_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____	_____	_____

<u>OTHER MARQUES</u>	<u>YEAR</u>	<u>MODEL</u>
_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____

THE FOLLOWING RELEASE MUST BE SIGNED! Whereas the undersigned, desiring to enter and participate in the 2015 NorCal Region, C&LC Inc. National meet does hereby tender his/her application to participate. Now therefore, in consideration of acceptance by the Club of the undersigned's application to participate in said event, the undersigned does hereby: **RELEASE THE CITY OF CUPERTINO, ITS OFFICERS AND AGENTS, THE CADILLAC AND LA SALLE CLUB, INC. AND ITS OFFICERS AND AGENTS, AND THE NORTHERN CALIFORNIA REGION OF THE C&LC AND ITS OFFICERS AND AGENTS, FROM ANY LIABILITY ARISING FROM SAID EVENT; AND, RELEASE ALL OTHER MEMBERS, PARTICIPANTS, AND OFFICIALS FROM ANY AND ALL LIABILITY ARISING FROM SAID EVENT.**

THIS APPLICATION IS SUBMITTED IN ACCEPTANCE OF THE ABOVE TERMS AND CONDITIONS

SIGNATURE(S) _____
EXHIBITOR DATE

OR _____
OWNER/MEMBER DATE

ANDY'S ALL YOU CAN EAT BAR - B - QUE

CHILDREN (6 and under) FREE!!!!	ADULTS: QTY _____ @ \$23.50 EA - \$ _____
	KIDS 7-12: QTY _____ @ \$13.95 EA - \$ _____

REGISTRATION FEE MUST BE PAID BY EVERY REGISTRANT!

Any number of cars will entitle the registrant to one dash plaque per vehicle. \$ 15.00

MAKE YOUR CHECK PAYABLE TO: NORCAL C&LC TOTAL: \$ _____

NAME (Print) _____ Phone (____) _____

CITY _____

CLUB AFFILIATION:

___ CAD/LA SALLE	___ BUICK	___ CHVA	___ FREEWHLRS
___ ZEPHYR	___ FRANKLIN	___ HUDSON	___ LINCOLN & CONT.
___ OLDSMOBILE	___ PACKARD	___ STRANGERS	___ PIERCE ARROW
___ IMPERIAL	___ STUDEBAKER	___ CCCA	___ OTHER

My Trip to the Gilmore Car Museum

By Jim Serwer

**TEASER
ALERT!**

COMING NEXT ISSUE.!!

THERE WASN'T ENOUGH ROOM FOR THIS GREAT ARTICLE.
BUT, HERE'S A FEW PICTURES TO DROOL OVER UNTIL AUGUST.



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EXTRA! EXTRA! CLC NEWS

Bob Fracoli in Warriors Parade

"I was fortunate enough to be invited to drive one of my Cadillac's in the Warrior's parade today. The players ended up in the double decker busses, so the cars get the politicians, etc. I drew Congresswoman Barbara Lee. She loved the car...Nancy Pelosi, who was in front of us, only got a Ford ('65 T-Bird). As we went through the route, many people called out to "hit the switches." I guess they thought I had some type of adjustable suspension, like the low-riders, that would raise and lower the car. No."

