

# Road Rash

Over The Hill Gang  
P.O. Box 3606  
Lake Havasu City, AZ  
86405



### Directors (elected)

President	Brad Lano
Vice President	Ron Duenas
Secretary	Mitch Geiger
Treasurer	Brad Lano

### Appointed positions

Club Shirts/Store	Don Schulz
KRUZE/Run Chairman	Ron Duenas
Membership Records	Don Schulz
50/50 Money Raising Events	Lee Stuart
Sergeant at Arms	Clyde Simmons
Car of The Month	
Photographer	Tim McGuire
Club Historian	John Justus
Past President	Brad Lano
Newsletter Co-Ordinator	Gilman Jelkin
Newsletter Editor and	
OTHG Webmaster	Donna Ingram

### OTHG History by John Justus

10 years ago November 2013  
In his "Prez Sez" column Dick Raczuk wrote about the upcoming end of his term as President. He thanked everyone for their help and cooperation. In his Shop Tip article Dick had a simple piece of advice - find a friend with an auto lift. I was the subject of the member profile and Dick Gilbert's 1970 Chevelle was the car of the month. In his "Kruzen" column Don Sauberan wrote about going on cruises with One Summer Nights club. OTHG also went to One Summer Nights car show at La Paz County Park. Don Schofield won a trophy. Run to the Sun show OTHG won the club participation award. The club also cruised to the Hualapai Mountain Resort for brunch. There was no mention of a 50\50 winner.

John Justus

### Prez Sez by Brad Lano

November is upon us and a busy season we are in. The Annual Christmas Party 🎄👶 is coming up (Dec 3rd) Tickets will be available at the November meeting. See Don Schulz for ticket/\$60.00 per person. Elections will be coming soon, and I am looking forward to seeing new members in our club taking charge. I have to thank 🙌 everyone for their participation, encouragement and helping me steer our club. It has been rewarding to get to know all of you. This will also be my last chance to address all of you in this format. I would also like to personally thank Dick Raczuk for introducing me to this club. It's been a privilege to meet so many like-minded enthusiasts. We are in good hands and looking forward to next year. As I like to say 'we came for the cars, but we stayed for people' now I like to call my friends.  
Happy Holiday and safe travels to you all.

Brad Lano,  
OTHG President  
[bradlano99@gmail.com](mailto:bradlano99@gmail.com)

### Membership by Don Schulz

50/27



# KRUZEN with Ron Duenas

This is the current list of Car shows/Events that are coming up

## 2023 Car Shows and Events

Nov 4th Veteran's Day Show & Shine, Windsor 4, State park, LHC, AZ 9am-2pm

Nov 4th The Gathering, Speedway 95, LHC, AZ 8am

**Nov 9th OTHG Board Meeting Brad Lano's garage 9am**

**Nov 14th OTHG Monthly meeting @ Aquatic Center Room 156 @7pm**

Nov 17th-19th Goodguys Speedway Motors Southwest Nationals, 16601 N Pima Rd, Scottsdale, AZ

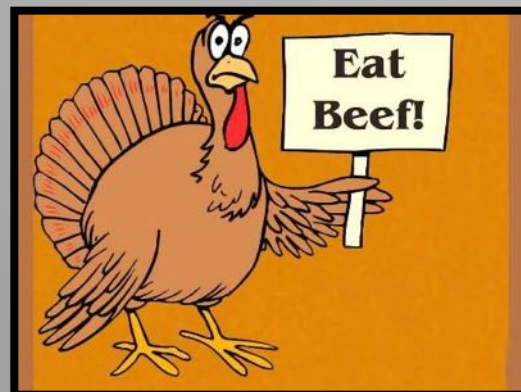
**Dec 3rd Annual Christmas party, Shugrue's Bridgeview Room LHC, AZ @ 5pm**

### Car Show Websites

<http://www.arizonacarshows.com/carshows.htm>

<http://www.cruisinarizona.com/carshows.html>

<https://othg-havas.com>



**NOVEMBER COM**  
**Dave Judd**  
**1968 Camaro**



**November Car of the Month**  
**by Tim McGuire**



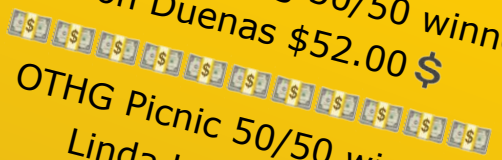
*Goodbyes*  
are not forever,  
are not the end;  
it simply means  
*I'll miss you*  
until we meet again.

Walter Eugene Austin passed away on Monday, September 18, 2023 at his home in Tacoma, Washington at the age of 84. He is survived by his wife of 63 years, Sharon, and his three children, Debi Hoberg (Pete), Mike Austin, and Pat Austin (Keila), 6 grandchildren, and 6 great-grandchildren with two more on the way. Born in Port Townsend, Washington to Walter Austin and Florence Langford, Walt was the oldest of 4 children. He is survived by siblings Dee, Jan, and Dennis (Bucky). Walt took over his father's business, Walt's Radiator, at a young age after his father passed away unexpectedly. He grew the business into the hugely successful Walt's Radiator, Muffler, and Brakes with 34 retail locations in Washington and 12 wholesale warehouses across the country. Walt was an incredible entrepreneur and businessman. Walt was a big supporter, and very passionate, about youth sports. He was constantly sponsoring/coaching many youth teams throughout the years. His first football team he coached lost only one game its first season and during the next five years his teams were undefeated. He always knew how important sports and competition were to building character among the youth. One of Walt's greatest passions was Championship drag racing. As the founder of Walt Austin Racing, he accumulated 75 NHRA National Event wins and hundreds of NHRA Divisional wins. He also had 4 World Championships in NHRA drag racing. He was an incredible entrepreneur and innovator in drag racing. He was well known for many of his technological advances in the sport. One thing was ALWAYS true about Walt, he raced to win. No matter what/who/where/when, he was there to compete and there to win the race. Walt was notified just weeks ago that he is being inducted into the International Drag Racing Hall of Fame. His induction will be in Gainesville, FL March 6th, 2024 on the Thursday before the Gator Nationals. Walt leaves all of his loved ones with unforgettable memories, stories, and hearts full of love and fondness. He was an amazing son, brother, husband, father, uncle, grandfather, great grandfather, friend, businessman, mentor and drag racer. He will be missed dearly by his family, everyone who knew him, and everyone touched by his amazing kindness.

The Celebration of Life for Walt will be held on Saturday, Nov. 4th at Walt Austin Racing Headquarters at 5110 184th St. E., Tacoma, WA 98446 from noon until 4pm. Funeral arrangements for Walt have been faithfully entrusted to Mountain View Funeral Home, which is located at 4100 Steilacoom Blvd. SW, Lakewood, WA 98499

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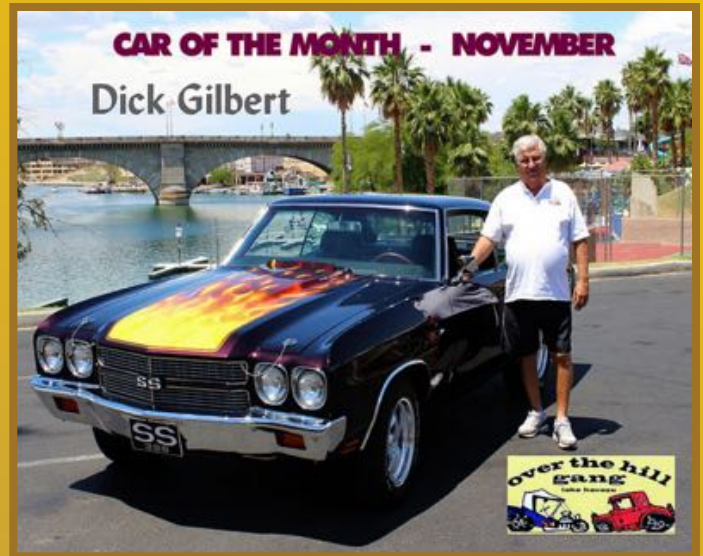
Monthly meeting 50/50 winner  
Ron Duenas \$52.00 \$



OTHG Picnic 50/50 winner  
Linda Lano \$82 \$



COM July  
Dan Fisher  
1932 Ford Coupe



COM November 2013  
10 years ago  
Dick Gilbert

Havasuu Area Public Art -  
HAPA  
Invites you to attend  
7th Annual Barstool Auction  
Saturday,  
November 11, 2023  
4:30 - 7:00 P.M.  
**LegendZ Bar & Grill**  
2048 McCulloch Blvd N  
Lake Havasu City  
Proceeds help fund  
"Art Creates Art"  
Public Art in Lake Havasu City  
For more information, contact via text:  
Fred 408-218-8806 or Valerie 626-230-0702



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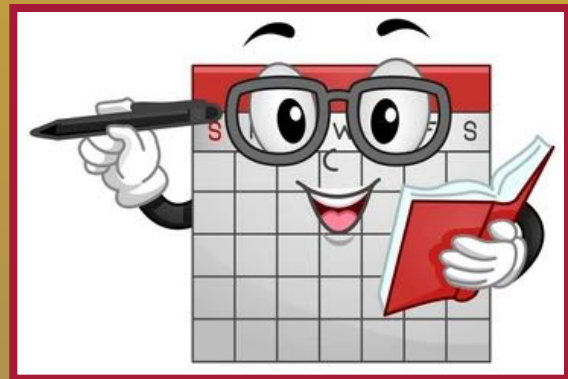
### **OTHG STORE ITEMS**

#### **Other Store items.....**

OTHG rear window stickers \$2.00  
2024 OTHG Calendars \$10.00 **(free delivery)**  
OTHG Club Plaques (unpolished) \$25.00  
(Polished) \$45.00  
Key chains \$13.50  
Hats w/velcro band \$18.00  
(Red, Yellow, Maroon and Black)  
License Plate frames \$6.50 **NEW ITEM**

Please contact Don Schulz  
OTHG Store Manager  
(928) 302-6943 or  
[parts34@frontier.com](mailto:parts34@frontier.com)

2023 Annual  
OTHG Calendars \$5.00  
**while supplies last**



# OTHG Special event

## 2023 OTHG Christmas Party

DATE: Dec 3rd

LOCATION: Shugrue's Bridgeview room

TIME: 5pm (cocktails/h'orderves)

6pm Dinner

7pm Dancing/Drawings/Awards

COST: \$60 per person

Choice of Steak, Chicken or Fish



# Upcoming car shows/events

## The Gathering Car Show and Swap Meet

**Location:** Havasu 95 Speedway @ SARA Park  
7260 Dub Campbell Pkwy, LHC

**Date:** November 4, 2023

**Time:** 6am-12pm

Call Bill Rozhon more info (928)716-6300

[More Information](#)



The "Gathering"  
**CAR SHOW & SWAP MEET**  
Presented by **HAVASU 95 SPEEDWAY** AUTOMOTIVE  
and **Christian Rods and Customs Car Club**  
SWAP MEET IN THE THE PITS  
CAR SHOW ON THE RACETRACK

**October 7, 2023**  
**November 4, 2023**  
**January 27, 2024**  
**February 24, 2024**  
**April 6, 2024** - CROSSROADS CAR SHOW

Proceeds from the Car Show will benefit Local Families in Need

Entry fee: \$5 for cars  
\$15 Swap Meet Vendors  
Free to the public!

Gates will open to vendors at 6:00am - 20'x20' space  
Cars can show up as early as 6:00am - Car Show usually runs from 8am-12pm

FOR MORE INFO:  
Bill Rozhon at 928-716-6300

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## Goodguys 25 Speedway Motors Southwest Nationals

**Date:** November 17th-19 th

**Location:** WestWorld of Scottsdale, AZ

16601 N Pima Rd, Scottsdale, AZ

Friday Nov. 17th 8am - 5pm

Saturday Nov. 18th 8am - 5pm

Sunday Nov. 19th 8am - 3pm

\*\*We have a block of rooms reserved at the [Best Western Plus Scottsdale Thunderbird Suites](#) in Scottsdale for the Goodguys show. They are for Nov.16,17,18, at \$119.00/ night. 2-double beds or 1-King bed. They are in the **Over the Hill Gang name. DO NOT** say anything about Goodguys when booking the rooms.

**BEST WESTERN HOTEL INFO:** 7515 E. Butherus Dr. Scottsdale, AZ (480) 951-4000

[Website](#)



**17th ANNUAL VETERANS DAY CELEBRATION**  
**SHOW & SHINE**  
**Havasu Classics**  
**CAR SHOW**

**SATURDAY, NOVEMBER 4, 2023**

FOOD • REFRESHMENTS • MUSIC  
T-SHIRTS • TROPHIES • DASH PLAQUES  
RAFFLE BASKETS • 50/50 RAFFLE

All car show participants must register:  
Derek Ross (928) 499-0512  
Tammy Ross (909) 349-7154  
Veterans Assistance Services offered on site.

Arizona State Parks  
Windsor 3 Overflow  
FREE to all car show spectators  
LAKE HAVASU STATE PARK WINDSOR 3  
100% of the proceeds go to LOCAL VETERANS & Veteran related Programs

For more information please email [HavasusClassicsTreasurer@gmail.com](mailto:HavasusClassicsTreasurer@gmail.com)  
or contact us on our facebook page [Havasus Classics Car Club](#).

## 17th Annual Veteran's Day Celebration Show & Shine

**Date:** November 4th, 2023

**Time:** 9am-2pm

**Location:** Lake Havasu State Park, Windsor 4

171 London Bridge Rd, LHC

[More Information](#)



# Past events 1/3

## 45th Annual Run to the Sun

Dates: Oct 18th-22nd

Location: LHC, AZ



It was well attended with  
about 800 cars

# Past events 2/3

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# Past events 3/3

Over 40 people attended the picnic! Chip Brooks was our auctioneer. Thank you to Mark and Sharon Schmidt for Hosting our Annual OTHG Picnic!

**OTHG Annual Picnic**  
Dates: Sept 17th  
Location: 645 Jones Dr



**More More More...**

**CLASSIFIEDS**

For sale, 1934 Packard V12 \$175,000  
Dick Raczuk (928) 706-0190  
Feb



**VETERANS DAY**



— Honoring All Who Served —



## "Shop Tip" by Dick Raczuk

If you are having electrical issues, it's a good idea to check your fuses. This one was good sometimes and fail other times. It can fool you because I always thought a fuse was either good or bad. Here is an example of one that led two lives



## Get Togethers

### **Weekly**

Thursday: KRUZEN, McCulloch Blvd 4-7pm

Friday: Del Taco, 81 London Bridge Rd 4-5:30pm (Havasu Classics)

Saturday: American Legion, 181 Paseo del Sol 9am-1pm

Saturday: BlondZee's Steak House, 4501 London Bridge Rd, 8am-10am

### **Monthly**

1st & 3rd Sunday: Aquatic Center (parking lot facing lake) 7am-9am

1st Sunday: Rotary Parking lot by Cabanas 10am-1pm (Crash Customs)



## **Final Word**

Just a reminder that if you have something that you would like to add to the Newsletter: Pictures, a story about your vehicle, your restoration project, awards, or maybe even a memory you would like to share, you can send it to me at [donna.frontline@gmail.com](mailto:donna.frontline@gmail.com)

Everything must be in by the 20th of the month to be included. If you have any questions please feel free to shoot me an email. 👍

Thank you all for your support

**"Let your dreams stay big and your worries stay small!"**

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**Sharpe Cuts**

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sharpening

(Tim McGuire) OTHG

(612)363-6678

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(928) 680-0933



**Unique Auto Parts**

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Forward Road Rash to your car friends and invite them to join us at one of our activities