

## Road Rash

Over The Hill Gang  
P.O. Box 3606  
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### Officers 2026

#### Directors(elected)

|                       |              |
|-----------------------|--------------|
| President             | Rik Jimerson |
| Vice President        | Steve Lomax  |
| Secretary             | Mitch Geiger |
| Treasurer             | Lee Stuart   |
| Board Member at Large | Brad Lano    |

#### Appointed positions

|                             |                 |
|-----------------------------|-----------------|
| Club Shirts/Club Store      | Kevin MacDonald |
| KRUZE/Run Chairman          | Ron Duenas      |
| Membership Records          | Don Schulz      |
| 50/50 Money Raising Events  | Chip Brooks     |
| Sergeant at Arms            | Bob Anderton    |
| COM Photographer            | David Judd      |
| Club Historian              | John Justus     |
| Past President              | Tim McGuire     |
| Newsletter Co-Ordinator and |                 |
| Newsletter Editor           | Gilman Jelkin   |
| OTHG Webmaster              | Donna Ingram    |

### OTHG History by John Justus

10 years ago

August 2016

In his Prez Sez column Steve Root noted the increase in club membership to 65 members with three more in the pipeline. Dick Raczuk's shop tip was about drilling a hole that must be perpendicular to the surface. The car of the month was Gene Jenkins 1950 Mercury convertible. There was an article on the Club Dinner Kruze to Culvers restaurant. Several club members attended the NSRA Street Rod Nationals in Louisville Kentucky. The club also had another Dinner Kruze to Juicy's River Café

**John Justus**  
**Historian**

### Membership by Don Schulz

48



the  
**President's  
Message**



We hope everyone is doing well and enjoying the weather patterns that continue to offer rain, perhaps Hava Dome springs a leak. Last month our run to LA Roadsters Show in Scooter provided an opportunity to not only see great cars and visit with friends, Brad Lano and I spoke with many vendors and participants about our Havasu Hot Rodz Car Show. Following the event, we spent a few days in Santa Barbara with our son. Driving the Roadster to So Cal convinced me it is an area that I will likely trailer to on our next trip. We have followed that up with our annual road trip to Duncan British Columbia with the Shields. Bryan and Trudie joined us at an invitation only car show Saturday (July 18th in their new truck, so OTHG was well represented. A great time with good people. Following the car show we went to a "Cars and Coffee" and enjoyed seeing more cars and visiting with more Car enthusiasts. We have missed a few others due to rain, however, as expected, when with Guy and Judy the good times never stop. Remember that in my absence Steve Lomax is there for you, Ron Duenas will keep the meals coming and Chip can handle the rest.

**"Drive a Hot Rod EVERY DAY, and you will live forever"  
Safe travels**

Rik Jimerson  
President OTHG  
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**COM August**  
Ryck Smith  
1967 Pontiac Firebird



**Car of  
the  
Month  
David  
Judd**

## KRUZEN with Ron Duenas

### 2026 Car Shows and Events

**OTHG Board Meeting WILL RESUME IN SEPTEMBER**  
**OTHG Monthly Meeting WILL RESUME IN SEPTEMBER**  
**Ladies Lunch Bunch WILL RESUME IN SEPTEMBER**

July 31st-Aug 9th Hot August Night Car Show Reno/Virginia City, NV  
**Aug 19th Dinner KRUZE Mario's 350 London Bridge Rd, LHC 4:30pm**

<http://www.arizonacarshows.com/carshows.htm>  
<http://www.cruisinarizona.com/carshows.html>  
<https://othg-havasut.com>

#### **UPCOMING SHOWS** **SAVE THE DATE**

Sept 26th Wurst Dam Car Show, Boulder City, NV  
Oct 2nd & 3rd Henderson Hot Rod Days  
October 21st-24th Run to the Sun Annual Car Show, LHC

**BE SURE TO REPRESENT THE CLUB AND WEAR YOUR T-SHIRTS AND  
BADGES AND DRIVE YOUR STREET RODS**



### **Get Togethers**

#### **Weekly**

Thursday: KRUZEN, McCulloch Blvd 2-6pm

#### **Monthly**

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

# HEAR YE! HEAR YE!

Rik and Jo met up  
with some old friends  
for lunch!!  
Thanks to Al for the  
sophisticated and  
graceful  
atmosphere !!



## OTHG STORE ITEMS

Member only T-Shirts \$25

YELLOW ONLY

OTHG rear window stickers \$3.00

2026 OTHG Calendars \$12.00

OTHG Club Plaques (unpolished) \$30.00

(Polished) \$50.00

Key Fobs \$13.00 (aluminum)

License Plate frames \$7.00

Hats \$20.00

(Red, Yellow, Maroon and Black)

**Contact:** Kevin MacDonald

OTHG Store Manager

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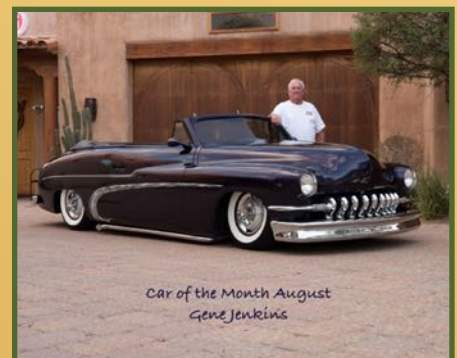
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## COM August 2016

Gene Jenkins

1950 Mercury

Convertible



Car of the Month August  
Gene Jenkins



# HEAR YE! HEAR YE!

Rik & Jo's wild Summer adventure



**OTHG Dinner KRUZE**

**Date:** August 19th

**Location:** Mario's  
350 London Bridge Rd, LHC

**Time:** 4:30pm

**PLEASE Bring your wives**



LADIES  
*Lunch*  
BUNCH



Ladies Lunch Bunch  
WILL RESUME IN  
SEPTEMBER

Guy Shields  
a FEW  
years ago !!



## The Inside scoop of Dick's Garage



If you know Dick at all you know that he is a very humble man. He is kind and generous and likes to get things done. TEAM player for sure. He will be the first to tell you that his success did not come alone, he has always been surrounded by a great group of like minded people. If you ever have the chance to sit down and talk with him, I suggest, that you take it because you will never meet anyone like him!!!

# Garage Spotlight 1

We had the privilege of a personal Garage Tour in our very own Dick Raczuk's garage. This garage I am sure is most mens dream garage with just about every tool you can imagine and then some..and if you do not see it I am sure Dick could build it!

WHERE IT ALL STARTED ::: After Dick got out of the armed services, in 1967 he took a \$1,200 loan from a friend's parents to buy a go-cart company, which evolved into Kerker Exhaust and Engineering, which employed 150-employees, and was the number one supplier of motorcycle exhaust systems.



Dick has built, rebuilt, bought, sold and drove a lot of cars over his lifetime. One very special car, in his collection, is his 1920 Willis Knight 4c with a steel value engine, that he bought in 1960 and rebuilt it from top to bottom with his dad.





Some of Dick's  
**BADASS** car  
collection!!

## Garage Spotlight 2



# Garage Spotlight 3

**FUN FACT::** Dick's 1937 Graham Hollywood is a homemade green color. This particular car came directly from Dick's old neighborhood, where he grew up. He literally walked by it every day on his way to school and didn't even realize it until after he bought it and was cleaning it out and found an old Newspaper from his old neighborhood ...then he put 2 and 2 together!!



Craftsman Dick made these tools along with many others



# Garage Spotlight 4

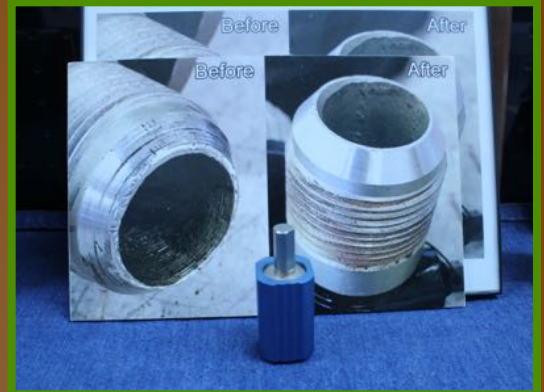
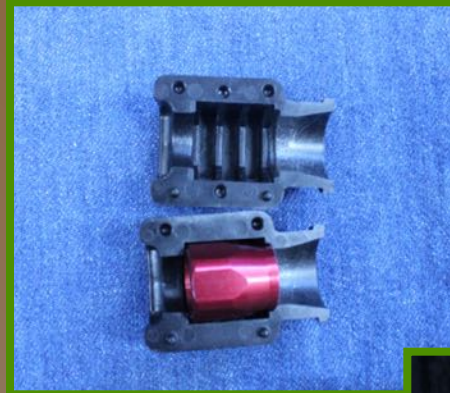
Inside the  
shop...





## Garage Spotlight 5

Dick started Koul Tools in 2005. He was fed up after cutting his fingers on braided, stainless steel hoses. He designed a simple capsule with a funnel for feeding the frayed ends into the fitting. It caught on and was soon popular with hot rodders and boaters as well..and the phrase "Now that's a cool tool" caught on quickly!!



"When it comes to solving mechanical problems, an elaborate solution is often easier to come up with than a simple one. We strive for the simple one." Dick



# Garage Spotlight 6





## Garage Spotlight 7

### **FUN FACT about Dick**

Did you know he is an avid photographer?? Check out some of his gear and these amazing pictures he took!



We have reached the end of our "Garage spotlight" for Dick, and I know we have barely touched the surface of the many mysteries of his life! We are so grateful to have been able to spend some time with him and getting to know him a little better. Taking a grand tour of the garage was definitely an added bonus!

If you ever get an invite **DO NOT PASS IT UP!!!!**



**OVER THE HILL  
gang**

2001  2026 

**25 YEAR CELEBRATION  
LAKE HAVASU CITY, ARIZONA**

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