

Road Rash

Over The Hill Gang
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Officers 2026

Directors(elected)

President	Rik Jimerson
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Appointed positions

Club Shirts/Club Store	Kevin MacDonald
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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

October 2016

In his Prez Sez column Steve Root wrote about the upcoming Christmas dinner at Shugrue's restaurant. Dick Raczuk's Tech Tip was about an easy way to mark the location to mount a bracket. The car of the month was Bill Ensley's 1941 Ford coupe. There was an article on the passing of club member Bob Kruegel. The October dinner cruise was to Mudshark Pizza. George and India Sepulveda invited club members and spouses to their annual gathering following the Run To The Sun car show

John Justus Historian

Membership by Don Schulz

23/50



the President's Message



We are back on track with a Board Meeting and regular meeting behind us. Please be sure to review the upcoming shows and plan to attend those you find fit in your schedule. Run to The Sun is approaching, get your entry in and make plans with the Club to attend. Goodguys in Scottsdale is fast approaching so use the link Don provided to get a room, and we can Caravan 🚗 down as we have in the past. For those of you that have not already heard, yes, we sold the Nomad in Lewisville KY at the NSRA Nationals. It did pick up a few Awards 🏆 before delivery, pleasing the new Owner!! We rented a car and drove to Bowling Green KY for the Tri Five. Ryck and Shannon Smith joined us and we toured the Corvette factory and Museum. The Hotel Parking lot was a Car Show every evening providing time after the show each evening to visit and enjoy the cars. We purchased a 55 Belair and headed home. A stop for a new starter 🏠😂 a visit with friends and family, a few days in Branson, Santa Fe and eventually home 🏠 18 States and 1 Province. A Great Trip. I will close with what is old news to most, however I want to be sure that all our members are aware that long time member Gary Keys passed away 😞 He was a pleasure to be around and visit with, he will be missed. Shoshana plans to keep the 32 going because that's what Gary wanted. Get out and participate, drive your car and bring a Friend. Dinners, meetings and Car Shows provide time to enjoy each other

"Drive a Hot Rod EVERY DAY, and you will live forever"
I believe it, live it. Try it!! Safe travels

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President OTHG
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COM Oct
Steve Smith
1941
Willy's

Car of
the
Month
David
Judd



Gary Russell Keys

July 12, 1938 –

September 3, 2026

Gary passed away on
September 3, 2026, at
the age of 88 in Seattle
Washington



Karen Lee Verboon passed away peacefully on August 18, 2026, in LHC, Arizona. She will be remembered for her adventurous spirit, vivacious personality, and sense of style. Karen lived life with enthusiasm and was always ready for the next adventure. Karen met the love of her life, Bill Verboon, while cruising Mooney Boulevard, igniting a shared love of fast and shiny cars. They married in 1960. They enjoyed classic cars, motorcycles, snowmobiles, skydiving, waterskiing, whitewater rafting, and traveling, always embracing the opportunity to try something new and make another memory. She was preceded in death by her beloved husband of 63 years, Bill, in 2023. Karen leaves behind a lifetime of memories and a family who will carry her spirit with them always.



KRUZEN with Ron Duenas

2026/27 Car Shows and Events

Oct 1st-3rd 32nd Roddin' on the River, Avi Casino, Laughlin, NV
Oct 2nd-3rd Henderson Hot Rod Days Water Street Plaza Henderson, NV
Oct 3rd 11th Annual Hot Boats and Hot Rods 7350 Riverside Dr, Parker, AZ 8am-4pm
Oct 3rd Another Darn Car Show 3782 N. Bank Street, Kingman, AZ 10am-2pm

Oct 8th OTHG Board Meeting Mitch Geiger's Garage 9am

Oct 9th-11th Kingman Street Drags Along Historic Rt 66, Kingman AZ
Oct 10th 15th Annual MALC Patriot Car Show 625 Marina Blvd, BHC, AZ 9am-1pm
Oct 10th Cave Creek Car Show 6245 E. Cave Creek Rd, Cave Creek, AZ 9am-2pm

Oct 13th OTHG Social Hour Aquatic Center RM #156 6pm-7pm

Oct 13th OTHG General Meeting Aquatic Center RM #156 7pm-8pm

Oct 13th Ladies Lunch Bunch Burgers By The Bridge, LHC 12pm

Oct 16th-17th Kingman Rt 66 Fest. 2201 Andy Devine Ave, Kingman, AZ
Oct 17th The Gathering Car Show 7260 Dub Campbell Pkwy, LHC 8am-12pm

Oct 21st-25th Run to the Sun Annual Car Show, LHC

Oct 24th Havasu 95 Speedway SEASON OPENER 6pm

TBD Dinner Kruze Mudshark Brewery and Public House 1095 Aviation Dr LHC

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

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

<https://othg-havasus.com>

UPCOMING SHOWS

SAVE THE DATE

Nov 7th 20th Annual Veterans Car Show, LHC
Nov 20th-22nd Goodguys Southwest Nationals Scottsdale, AZ
Nov 21st The Gathering Car Show, LHC
Nov 21st Riverbound Car Show, LHC
Dec 6th OTHG CHRISTMAS PARTY
Feb 25th-27th 2027 Havasu Hot Rodz 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

Upcoming car shows/events

32nd Annual Roddin' on the River

Date: Oct 1st-3rd

Location: 10000 Aha Macav Pkwy
Laughlin, NV



11th Annual Hot Boats and Hot Rods

Date: Oct 3rd

Location: 7350 Riverside Dr.
Parker, AZ

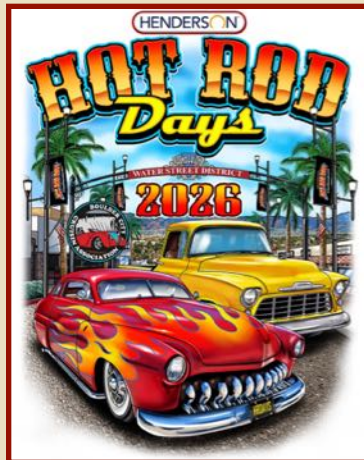
Time: 8am-4pm



Henderson Hot Rod Days

Date: Oct 2nd-3rd

Location: Water Street Plaza
Henderson, NV



48th Annual Run to the Sun

Date: Oct 21st-25th

Location: LHC, AZ



[Run to the Sun](#)

[Website](#)

[Schedule of Events](#)

[Entry form](#)

[Online Entry form](#)

Goodguys Southwest Nationals Car Show

Date: Nov 20th-22nd

Location: 16601 N Pima Rd
Scottsdale, AZ

[Hotel Information](#)



Don Schulz:: Linda has secured rooms at the Thunderbird Best Western Hotel next door to the Scottsdale airport for the nights of Thurs-Sat. The rate is \$124 per night. We can get a caravan going for all of those that are interested in attending

Upcoming car shows/events

SAVE THE DATE
2nd Annual Havasu Hot Rodz
Date: Feb 25th-27th 2027
Location: LHC, AZ

[Registration](#)

[Website Information](#)



HEAR YE! HEAR YE!

New
member
Paul
Katchka
voted in
at the
meeting



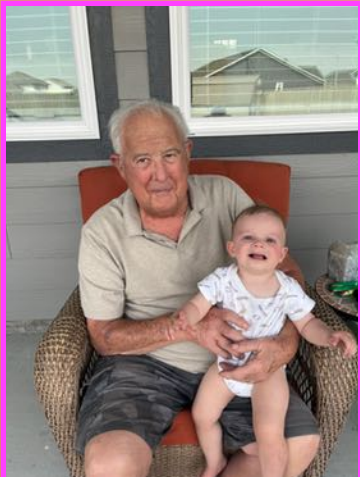
OTHG STORE ITEMS

Member only T-Shirts \$25
YELLOW ONLY
OTHG rear window stickers \$3
2026 OTHG Calendars \$12
OTHG Club plaques polished \$50
Hats \$TBD
(Blue, White, Red, Yellow,
Maroon and Black)
OTHG Air Freshners with 25th
Anniversary Logo \$3
Pre owned member T-shirts \$10
Pre owned Jackets Larry/Jerry \$35 both
sizes XL

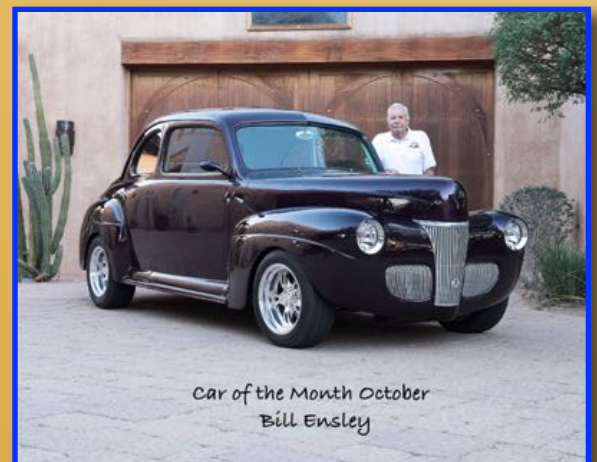
Contact: Kevin MacDonald
OTHG Store Manager
(907)750-0323
kman5oh@gmail.com

PREORDERED T-Shirts should be in
for the October meeting

COM Oct 2016
1941 Ford Coupe
Bill Ensley



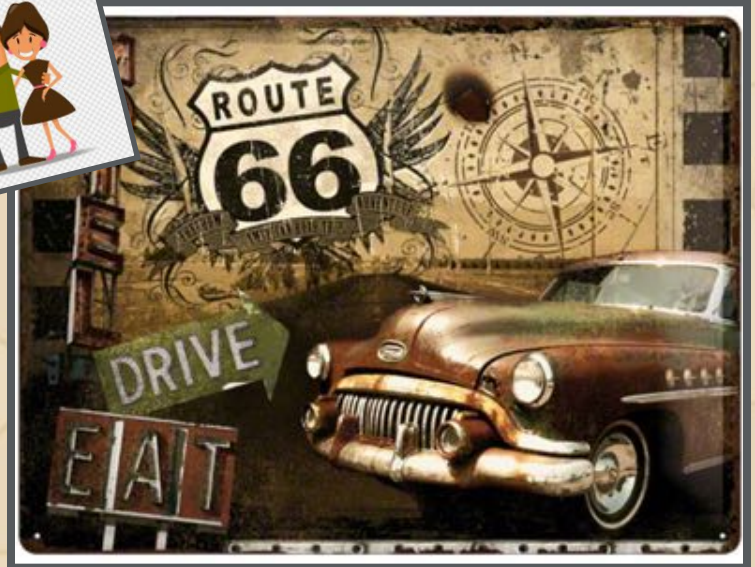
Some of Clyde And
Maryann's Grand/
great grand children
((Total of 14
GREAT))



Don Schulz won
the 50/50
drawing at the
meeting \$35 💰



OTHG club event details



Ladies Lunch Bunch

Date: Oct 13th

Location: Burgers by the Bridge
410 English Village, LHC

Time: 12pm

OTHG Dinner KRUZE

Date: TBD

Location: Mudshark Brewery
and Public House
1095 Aviation Dr LHC

Time: TBD

PLEASE Bring your wives

SAVE THE DATE::: OTHG ANNUAL CHRISTMAS PARTY 🎄

DATE: Dec 6th

Location: Shugrue's LHC

Cost: \$25/per person

Contact Lee Stuart for tickets
and sign up as soon as possible to
reserve your seats for another
GREAT time!!!

MENU: Steak, Chicken or Fish

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lshttrds@gmail.com

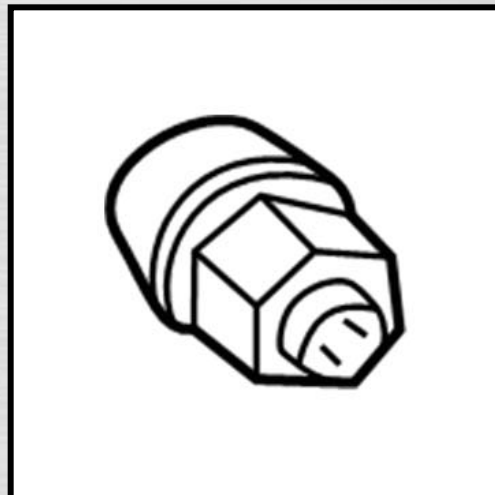


"Shop Tip" by Dick Raczuk

How to Tighten Your Nuts

Is it better to lubricate lug nut studs or keep them dry, and what are the pros and cons of each when it comes to safety and performance? Adding grease to wheel studs seems like a harmless way to prevent rust. In reality, that single drop of lubrication can cause a perfectly torqued lug nut to snap the bolt. Almost all automakers specify that lug nuts and studs must be installed completely dry. The reason comes down to the physics of tightening fasteners. When you use a torque wrench to tighten a lug nut to a factory specification—say, 100 foot-pounds—the wrench is not directly measuring the clamping force holding the wheel to the hub. It is only measuring the rotational resistance, or friction, encountered as the nut turns. Automotive engineers calculate this torque specifications based on the high friction of clean, dry threads. If you apply a lubricant like anti-seize, grease, or oil, you drastically reduce that friction. When you tighten a lubricated stud to the factory dry torque spec, the nut spins much further down the thread before the wrench encounters enough resistance to click. As a result, the clamping force skyrockets by 20 to 30 percent or more.

This over-tightening stretches the stud far past its intended tension, often pushing the metal beyond its elastic limit. Once a wheel stud is stretched beyond its elastic limit, it loses its strength and becomes permanently compromised. The stud can shear off entirely while you are driving. Paradoxically, the lack of friction also makes it easier for the nut to vibrate loose and back off, increasing the risk of the wheel detaching from the vehicle. If rust is a chronic issue in your climate, there is only one place anti-seize belongs during a tire change. A thin film can be applied to the hub-centric ring or the flat mating surface where the back of the wheel meets the hub, which prevents the alloy wheel from rusting onto the steel hub. However, the compound must never touch the threads of the stud or the conical seating surface of the lug nut itself.





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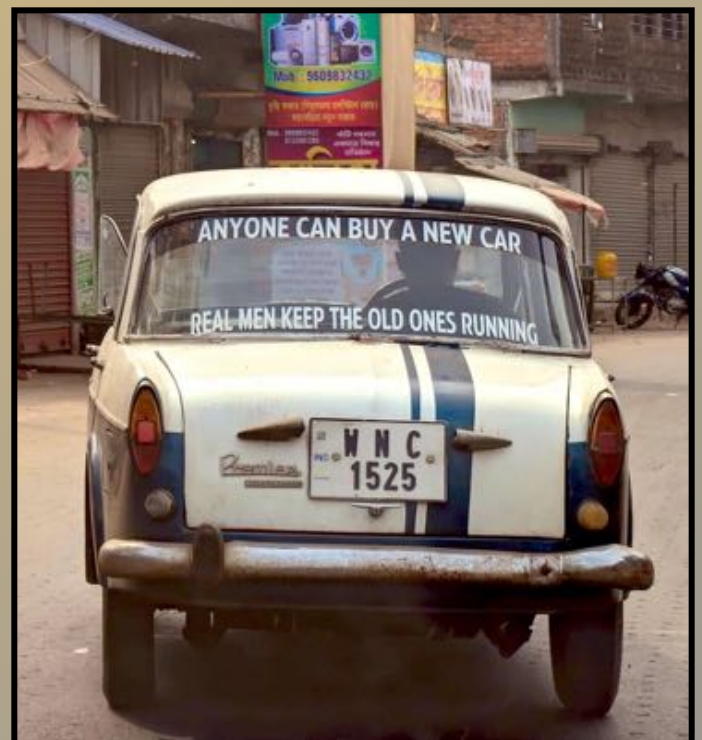
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