

TRANS-SCRIPT

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Trans Am Club of America, Golden State Chapter, Inc.

The meeting was held at Brookfield's restaurant 4343 Madison Ave. Sacramento and was called to order at 7:00 pm by Sgt. of Arms Brian Rankin

Member presents where – Don Scalise, Chad Murray, Jim Nakata, Robert & Fay Holland, Brian & Brady Rankin, Donn & Sylvia Edlund.

No guest

There was no correction made to March 2025 in the Newsletter; Jim Nakata made a motion to accept the minutes, and Robert Holland seconded it. The vote was unanimous.

Treasurers report –

The Treasurer's report as of 3/31/25

Bank balance -----	\$1,110.73
Deposit from Dues	\$100.00
From 50/50	\$28.00
T – Shirts	\$160.00

Expenses

All Awards	3/6	\$99.80
Homestead.com for	3/31	\$18.75

Old Business

On Saturday March 15th we had a club event that went to Poor Reds BBQ in EL Dorado. I left my house at 9:00am to meet up with our group at Huckleberry's restaurant at 9:30.

The weather report said there was no rain, so I had a chance to drive my 84 TA, Jim Nakata drove his 2001 Firebird Formula, Robert & Fay Holland drove their BMW, Lisa Alvarado & Ken Caughran drove their 1938 Custom Packard as can be seen in the picture.

We left at 10:00am and Robert led our group. We were going to take Jackson Rd to 49 but Robert changed his mind. Instead, we used Jackson Rd. to Grant Line Rd and worked our way over to Highway 50, that way we got a longer drive to Poor Reds BBQ.

A couple of days before this event I called Poor Reds to let them know we would be there around 11:15, so I believe we sat down for lunch around 11:30. Paul & Cary Camilleri drove their 1967 Firebird and joined us there.

It has been a couple of years since I have been there, I know the last time I was there was with the TA Club, the food was great as usual. We all had a great time socializing. I forgot what time we left; on the return we took

Highway 49 to Jackson which was a beautiful drive. To our surprise we found there was a big festival in Old Town Jackson which was the Dandelion Days Street Fair and the JXN Food & Wine Festival, and it was hard to find a parking spot, so we did not stop at the Train town Candy Store.



From left to right Don, Mary, Lisa, Ken, Paul, Jim, Robert, viewing the 1938 Packard.

New Business

Our next club event will be on April 19th where we will be going to the Point restaurant in Rio Vista. We are going to meet at the Chevron station

at 1911 Cosumnes River Blvd & Delta Shores Cir. At 10:00am and depart at 10:30 am. The route we will be using is the South River road, this is a very scenic drive. I will have route sheets for everyone.

Announcement

The All Firebirds Free Car Show that our club is putting on in May 17th will be held at the A&W in Lodi. Like last year we will be having a raffle which will cover the cost of the trophy's and put extra money in our account, we are asking if any of our members would like to donate a prize.

Jim Nakata made a motion for the club to spend \$40.00 for two trophy's for our All Firebirds car show at the A&W in Lodi.

2025 Calander of events

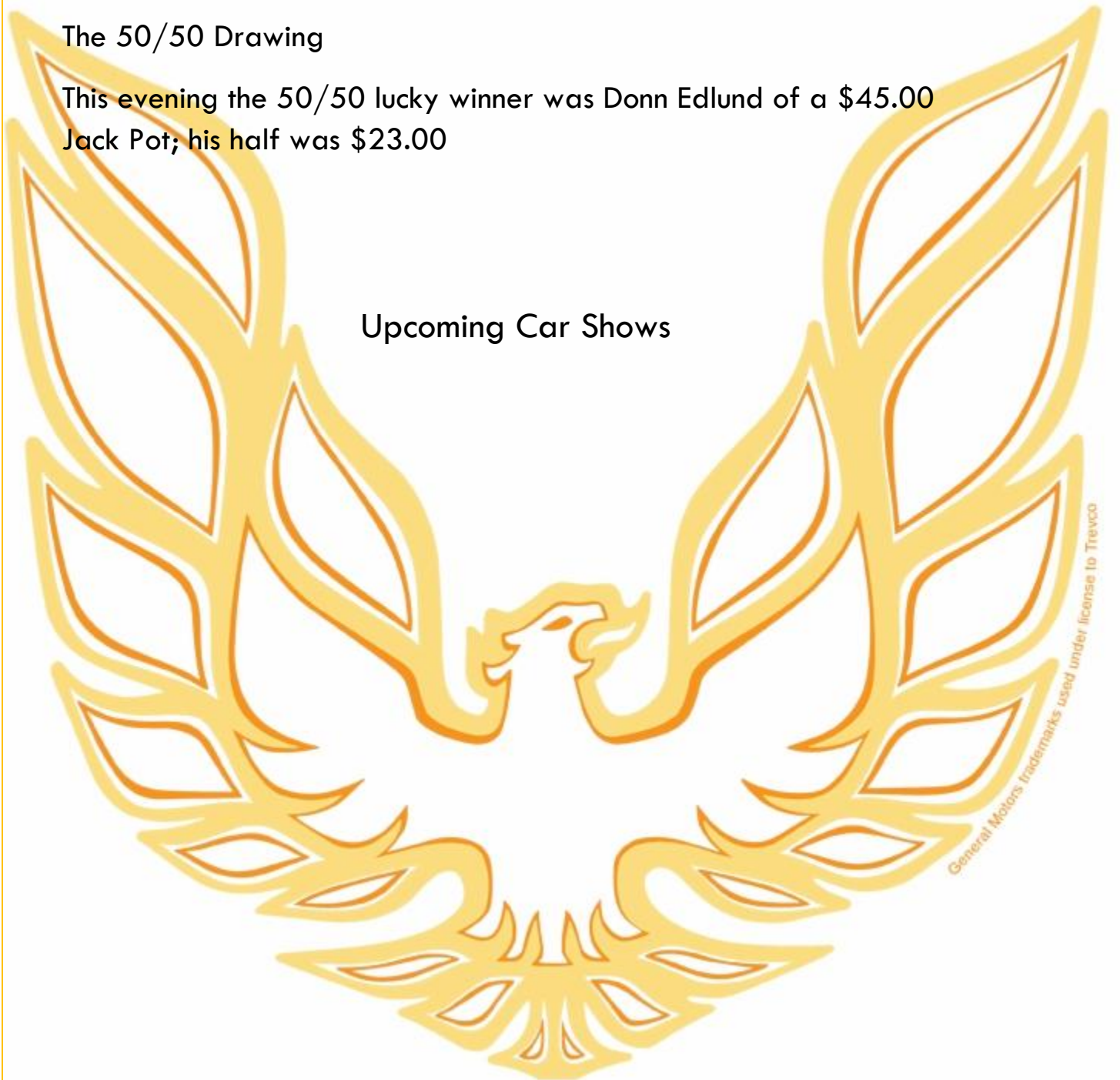
April	19th ----	Point restaurant in Rio Vista
May	17th ----	All Firebirds Free Car show at A&W in Lodi
June	7th ----	Drive to Modesto for Graffiti festival
July	19th ----	Areo Space Museum McClennan Park, Lunch afterwards
August	16th ----	Club barbeque at my house
Sept	20th ----	Drive to Bogeda Bay
Oct	18th ----	Chili – cook off & Pumpkin Carving contest
Nov	15th ----	Calif Auto Museum display for our TA's
Dec	6 th ---	Club Christmas Party

I would like to thank Jim Nakata for taking the meeting note and Fay Holland for running the 50/50 Raffle.

The 50/50 Drawing

This evening the 50/50 lucky winner was Donn Edlund of a \$45.00 Jack Pot; his half was \$23.00

Upcoming Car Shows





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I will be attending this show, would anyone else like to attend that way we can park together, if so, please e-mail or call me.

May 2 – 4, 2025 Auto – Rama which will be at Cal expo, Donn Edlund and myself will be attend with our TA's. We will be with the Camaro Generation club.

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May 17th - Free Car Show

If you own any year Pontiac Firebird, we are inviting you to attend a Free show at the A&W in Lodi, which is located at 216 East Lodi Ave, 95240.

The Show will start at 11:00 am and go till 2:30 pm

There will be three Trophy's for Best Original and Best Custom and people's choice award.

There will also be a raffle.

If you have any question, please contact me

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Every Sunday morning Cars & Coffee show at Carmichaels Starbucks
Manzanita & Fair Oaks 7:00am to 9:30am

Would any members be willing to write article about your Trans Am or Firebird, it help to make to Trans Script more interesting. Please e mail it to me with a picture of your vehicle.



Gary Vollstedt	4-4
Donn Edlund	5-2
David Tan	5-7

For those of you that have not paid club dues. Yearly Dues are \$40 per person, \$50 per family. It can be mailed to our P.O. Box 465 Fair Oaks, Calif. 95628

Adjourning – Brian Rankin made a motion to adjourn the meeting at 7:45 pm and Donn Edlund seconded it. Everyone voted in favor of closing the meeting.

Classified Ads –

If any members have Pontiac related items they would like to sell, please send me an e-mail of your items and I will post them in the Trans Script.

These businesses are supporting our club. Please patronize them.

Here is a link to www.norcalcarculture.com that has a free newsletter that comes out every week; it has a list of car shows, Classified Adds, etc. All you have to do is give him your e mail address.

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We have a new member named James Hischier that is looking to buy a 1974 Firebird Formula. If anyone has one or knows of one for sale, please contact him 209 484 9421

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Respectfully Submitted by

President Don Scalise

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