# TRANS-SCRIPT

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Issue 1

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 7:10 pm by President Don Scalise

Member Presents where – Don Scalise, Jim Nakata, Chad Murray, Robert & Fay Holland, Mary Wing, Keith Thorson.

No guest

There was no correction to the Nov. 2024 minutes in the Newsletter, Jim Nakata made a motion to accept the minutes and Mary Wing seconded it. The vote was unanimous.

Treasurers report –

The Treasurer's report as of 11/30/24

Bank balance -----

\$1,174.00

Deposit from 50/50

\$20.00

Bank balance as of --- 12/31/24 ----- \$757.74

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Homestead.com for	11/30	\$16.24
Brookfields restaurant	12/7	\$400.02
Homestead com for	12/30	\$16.24

### **Old Business**

On Dec.1st the Calif Auto museum had a Tree Trimming Party that started at 1:00 pm, this was where Car Club Members set up their own Christmas trees, but as usual people showed up before that. Since we are Car Club members, we used this as one of our club events.

Jim Nakata and myself arrived at 11:15 am so I could get to the same location inside the museum as last year, which I was lucky to get. We were able to get our tree set up and most of the ornaments on, Chad & Manjeet Murray show up around 12:30 and Manjeet re arranged some of the ornaments which made it look a lot better. This year we also put on our custom ornaments that were made from pictures of our Firebirds and Trans Am on the tree; we also had fake presents under our tree.

The other club members that attended were Mary Wing and Petra Martinez.

Around 3:30 there was a fantastic potluck dinner, the museum supplied the Turkey and Ham and the car club members supplied the side dishes and dessert, our club brought assorted cookies. They numbered every table so our table was number 6 and even with help from one of our members trying to get the announcer

to call our table, I am not using her name, but it was fun to watch, we were one of the last table called, there was still a lot of food, in fact I did not even go and get any dessert I was stuffed. There was also a great raffle where club members donated prizes to the museum, I forgot when that started. Both Petra and myself donated prizes under our clubs name. We all bought raffle tickets and three of us won prizes.

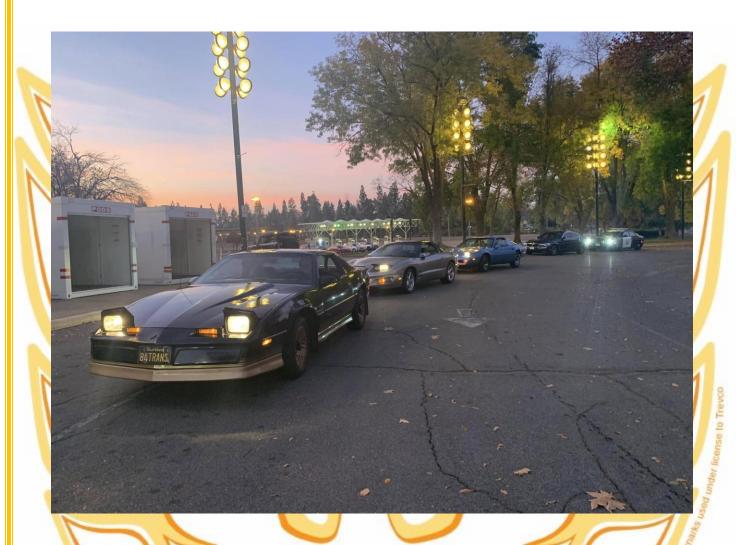
One of the members from the Calif Auto Museum told me that we can display 6 of our Trans Ams in the museum in Nov. 2025, how many members are interest in displaying for a month, this will be our Nov. 2025 event.





Our group picture with our Christmas tree behind us.

On Dec. 6<sup>th</sup> was the Chips for Kids Toy Drive at Cal Expo; myself Jim Nakata and Petra Martinez met at Black Bear Diner on 1830 Arden Way at 4:30 pm and we left about 4:55 pm to drop off toys. This is a event I would like to see our club participate in the coming years.



On Dec. 7<sup>th</sup> we had our club Holiday Christmas party that started at 6:00 pm which was held in a private room at Brookfield's Restaurant on Madison Ave in Sacramento.

The members that attended were Chad & Manjeet Murray, Don Scalise, Mary Wing, Jim Nakata, Donn & Sylvia Edlund, Paul & Cary Camilleri, Petra Martinez.

This was a very fun social event, and since it is the Holiday's season the club bought all the members dinner including desserts. I know that several members got the Salmon dinner including myself which was great.

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As usual we do a gift exchange so when someone brought a gift, they picked a ticket from a bowl with a number on it. So, we start with the lowest number, also we play a game if someone likes a gift the other person got, they can take it, that can only be done twice with one present. From what I saw everyone had a wonderful time.

### **New Business**

On Jan. 18<sup>th</sup> we have our first event for 2025 which will be going to Marlenes and Glen Diner in Plymouth for breakfast and a drive to Jackson to visit the Train Town Candy store. We are going to meet at Huckleberry's which is located at 9647 Micron Ave at 8:30 am and leave at 9:00 am.

#### Announcement

Since its Jan. 2024 it is that time of year for 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

#### 2025 Calander of events

January - 18th ---- Breakfast at Glen & Marlene in Plymouth

February - 15th ---- Valentine Lunch at Hard Rock Casino

March - 15th ---- Poor Red Restaurant

April – 19th ---- Point Restaurant in Rio Vista

May - 17th ---- Car show at A&W in Lodi

June - 21st ---- Drive to Grass Valley

July - 19th ---- Areospace Museum, McClennan and Lunch

August – 16th ---- Club barbeque at my house

Sept – 20th ---- Drive to Bogeda Bay

Oct – 18th ---- Apple Hill and Lunch at Glen and Marlene

Nov – 15th ---- Calif Auto Museum display for our TA's

Dec – 6th Club Christmas Party

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

The 50/50 Drawing

This evening the 50/50 lucky winner was Chad Murray of a \$35.00 Jack Pot; He received \$15.00 and donate \$2.50 to the club; Thank You.

**Upcoming Car Shows** 

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.





Paula Gershon

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Adjouning — Jim Nakata made a motion to adjourn the meeting at 8:00 pm and Robert Holland 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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Respectfully Submitted by

President Don Scalise

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