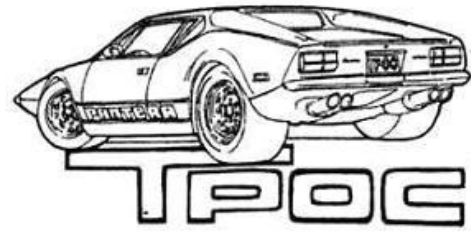




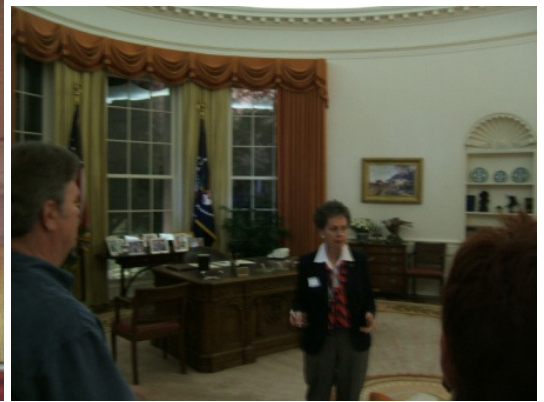
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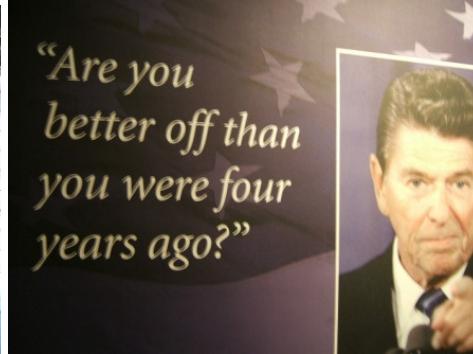
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March 2015

**Valentine Day Breakfast** found a veranda of love all around. I've already written on this and so I direct you to my prior email.



**Reagan Library/Petersen Autos** was a long awaited bus outing. Mr. President greeted us then we toured his Oval office. Hundreds of videos and displays call for a return visit. Air Force One was of particular interest for me with a walk thru its interior. We were granted an inspection of Marine One too. He did challenge us with a final question before we entered the Petersen display.



Within we found Elvis' Pantera still wearing two bullet holes, Steve McQueen's Jag, film star – Herbie, and a 1939 Bugatti (my favorite of the show). The return trip was filled with laughter with Pam's antics. Of note too was the Ellmans joining us representing well our sister car, Maserati. Oh, Marshall Smith of San Diego served bloody Marys at the onset. Chippies added to our number too.

**Weight of Pantera** is a question I often get. My notes tell me that the story begins with:

- '71 2860 dry (150 lbs less than the Mangusta).
- '72 pre-L 3000-3050.
- '72 early L 3200 (3250 w .5 tank gas)
- Late models are just plain unknown to me.

So, please help me by sending corrections including the 73-74 weights to [rkunishige@hotmail.com](mailto:rkunishige@hotmail.com).

**General Meeting (Reminder)** is at Coco's (12582 Valley View St.) Garden Grove (714) 898-9719 at 7:30PM on the third Wednesday of each month except December. Scott is likely to have a video treat for us all.

**Get the message?** Without your current email on file, you are not getting all the communiqués that your membership dues warrant. Five active members have no valid address on file. Send Judy your latest email address for the file.

**POCA Rally Scheduled** for May 15-19, 2015. Jot it down on your electronic devices. I will as soon as I buy one.

**Membership** - We would encourage everyone to become a POCA member, if you aren't already a member. Your membership in the national club helps fund our local chapter. You can download an application at <http://www.poca.com/>. Please help our club grow by selecting TPOC as your chapter. Remember too that you need not be a member to join us at any of our meetings or events.

**Picture of Your Car** is needed for our web site. Email one to Greg Ford at [tpocwebmaster@gmail.com](mailto:tpocwebmaster@gmail.com).

**Reminders:** from [rkunishige@hotmail.com](mailto:rkunishige@hotmail.com). Everyone with an interest in DeTomaso cars is always welcome.

Apr 17-19 Long Beach Grand Prix.

Apr 18 **Tech Session** is for us to prep for the Fun Rally. Time to change fluids at Rod's.

May 15-19 **POCA Fun Rally**. See Judy.

May 23 **Mystery Event & Poker Run**.

Jun 14 **Pantera Palooza Car Show and Picnic** is limited to 300 cars at Mason Regional Park. Scott.

Jul 25 **Big Summer Night** offers dinner under the stars.

Aug 15 Concorso Italiano.

Aug 22 **Joint POCA Chapter Gathering**.

Sep 19 **Tech Session** is for an unknown reason at Bud's Garage. Tell us what you want done.

Oct 24 **Temecula Wine Cruise & Lunch** is with the hungry bunch.

Nov ? Willow Springs Open Track with Jim Saxton 626 285-2515.

Nov 21 **Julian Apple Run** is for those ready for dessert. Gayle.

Dec 16 **Christmas Party**. Bob Singer.

Dec 26 **Gondola Getaway** lets us see the Holiday lights and enjoy dinner. Bob Singer.

**Long Beach Swap Meet** @ 6am – 1pm at Veterans' Stadium \$9 4/12, 5/10, 6/14, 7/12, 8/2, 9/13, 10/11, 11/8, 11/29, 12/13.

**Weekly Events:** Saturday: HB Donut Derelicts, Sunday: Woodland Hills Supercars, Topanga Canyon & Erwin St 7-11am.

**Ads.** A new feature for your pleasure. Submit your ad via email.

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