



OCPanteras *Orange County*

Orange County Panteras
April 2021 Newsletter

Happy Spring,
OCP members!

I hope you are all safe and well.

Pandemic situation seems to be improving quickly.

We will resume monthly meetings this month. We will be meeting Saturday morning April 17 at PI Motorsports.

We will strive to balance local regulations with comfort level of members for a safe event.

Board meetings are the first Monday of the month, and any member is invited to attend and speak.

If you want to sit in or speak, please contact myself, or John Maloney

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John Maloney jgmaloney@roadrunner.com

If you wish to speak, we need advance notice to put you on the agenda.

Please, help us with your ideas.
We are looking for meeting locations, event venues, etc.
You can post on OCP FaceBook page, as well.

Monthly OCP Board meetings minutes are now

available on our website!

www.ocpanteras.com

Under the "about us tab".

[Board Meetings](#)

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Great News!!

Just in time for Pantera's 50th!!

Fabulous Fords Forever has a new date and

home.

It's at the Irwindale Raceway on Sunday, June 13th.

This will be the 50th anniversary of the Pantera, and it will be one of the featured Milestone cars. They are looking for 5 Panteras to be on special display in the Milestone area.

Like 5 years ago when the show was still at Knott's Berry Farm. The Pantera display attracted lots of attention!

Scott Couchman is looking for cars that well represent the Pantera community. Prefer to find cars that weren't in the Milestone display at Knott's, just so we can share the opportunity with other owners.

If you are interested in participating, please contact Scott directly, He can answer any questions, and he can help complete the necessary forms.

Scott 949-683-6264

OCP mourns the loss of

Frederick Heitman

We learned Frederick passed away last October.
No further details at this time.

Calendar is still working on current events.

We are looking to reschedule the Pantera Palooza this summer. The Palooza can be assembled fairly quickly and can easily work with social distancing.

Greg Ford is working with the park to get us in as soon as they re-open. The park is open, but not allowing groups. We expect this to change very soon!

NHRA Winternationals planned for April 9-11 Has been Postponed. No update, yet.

Fabulous Fords Forever 6/13/21 at Irwindale Speedway.
Let's celebrate the 50th anniversary of the Pantera!

National Collector Car Day is July 9.

NorCal chapter is hoping to host a Pantera event in Monterey 8/15 just after Concorso Italiano.

Long Beach Grand Prix is now scheduled for September 26.

POCA Fun Rally April 2022 in Arizona!

Meeting Announcement!

Join us Saturday April 17 for our next general meeting.

If you don't show up, we'll know you were at the Prius Club meeting!

PI Motorsports has graciously offered their place for our general meeting.

**PI Motorsports, Inc.
1040 North Batavia, Suite G
Orange, California 92867**

Meeting for club business, updates, TAYP (tell us about you Pantera) feature car, upcoming events, etc.

TUAYP will be Steve Buchanan's 1973 Red Euro Edition Pantera, which will be on display.

Meeting from 9 am-noon

Coffee, donuts, juice, and more!

This meeting is outdoors in PI's parking lot. Please, bring a chair if you can.

Masks and social distancing are required!

More details to follow soon!



POCA is looking for a new membership director
for 2022

Josette D'Orazio has done a fantastic job for the
past few years since the passing of our own Judy
McCartney.

This position is the most important within POCA
and does involve quite a bit of work.

If you can help out, please contact:

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We now have 711 followers on our FaceBook page, and 34 members active in our mail group.

Please join our google mail group. It is a great way to communicate with other member, get tech help, learn about events, etc.

Go to google.groups.com
search for and join

OCPanteras@googlegroups.com

You should already have received an email invitation to join the mail group. Please, join. If you did not get an invitation, check you spam folder, or contact me.

We have 30 members active on the mail group, and a good deal of parts trading going on!

Please, visit the Orange County Panteras FaceBook page.

Please, feel free to post and communicate via our FB page.
No Politics, please!

Watch for recent updates to club functions.



Does anyone remember Rumble Seat Mustangs?

They were built in 1967 by Galpin Ford in Van Nuys.

The picture at right, is at the 1967 Riverside 500.

I was riding in a Mustang fastback about 2 rows back.
About 50 local Ford dealers brought a Mustang for the parade
lap.

