August News 2019

Upcoming MPOTAC Events

Saturday August 3rd - Trailers in the



-Trailers in the
Trees – Bob Moll
leads this tour from
Woodside to Felton
for its annual
vintage travel trailer
gathering. Packard

Club members will join us there - Flyer has gone out.

Sunday August 11th - Annual Picnic – is

once again at San Mateo's Beresford Park.

Park. **Andy's**



Bar-B-Q will cater our lunch this year! Flyer has gone out.

Other Automotive **Events**



Saturday, August 10th -Car Crazy -This 22nd



annual San Mateo Car Show & BBQ is presented by Car Crazy Promotions. Flyer has gone out.

Sunday, September 1st - Labor Day Car Show at Menlo Circus Club – Steve



Marchegiani invites fellow MPOTAC members to this historic venue. Afternoon show and

BBQ Dinner is \$20 per person. Application mailed with this NEWS.

Saturday, September 7thth - Summer Social and Mini Concourse afternoon event The Magnolia of Millbrae invites



MPOTAC to display up to 10 vintage vehicles on their grounds. Watch for the flyer.

Sunday, September 22nd, 2019 - 19th annual Antique Autos in History Park presented by the Santa Clara Valley Model T Ford Club and History San José - 11:00 AM to 4:00 PM. Watch for the flyer.

Since Last Issue

Sunday, July 21st – 63rd Annual Hillsborough Concourse D'Elegance

Members: Don Barnes, Steve Marchegiani, Kevin Enderby and Hal





Schuette were active on the field. Steve's

Bentley won Best in class (Rolls Royce & Bentley Post-War), Kevin's yellow car took 3rd in Ferrari Class while Hal, the

Business Development Director, also served as an Honorary Judge

Friday July 26th - **General Meeting** 7:30 PM at the Highlands Community Club 1665 Fernside Redwood City.

Topics included upcoming Club and other events, September / October plans plus the Nominating Committee for 2020 Officers. New member: <u>Dennis May was announced</u>.

Saturday, July 27th - 15th Annual Cars-In-The-Park was hosted by the Burlingame Lions Club. Joe Kirley and Len Flaherty showed cars;
Bill & Pat Bratt were visitors.

Sunday, July 28th – DON FROLICH MEMORIAL NATIONAL MEET and BBQ Picnic, hosted by the Cadillac & LaSalle Club, Inc. NorCal Region. MPOTAC members Bob Moll, Kay & Mark Barchas, Russ Genna, Frank



Giordano, Deb & Len Flaherty, Rob Guzzetta and Don Barnes showed cars this year.



* * Feature * *

87-year-old driver wins Peking to Paris rally for third time!



After 8,500 miles, the 7th Peking to Paris Motor Challenge ended with 87-year-old

Gerry Crown and teammate Matt Bryson posting their third victory, though by a margin of just two minutes.

The 36-day slog through 12 countries ended with the checkered flag waved by

Prince Constantino
Paolo Borghese,
great nephew of
Prince Scipione
Borghese, winner of



the first Peking to Paris auto rally in 1907.



"Our third win in the Leyland was the toughest yet but it was also very enjoyable," said Crown,

adding that, "What we really needed though was a few more 87-year old's in the field to keep me company."

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