



Orange County Panteras June 2019 Newsletter

Happy June OC Pantera members!

Do you know we have a Facebook page? Orange County
Panteras

Like the page and post a picture of you and/or your car.

You should have received an invitation to join our new OC

Panteras news group.
Please join and keep in touch with the club.
ocpanteras@googlegroups.com

Any Thoughts on newsletter content?
I will appreciate helpful feedback.

Glen Chancellor racerglen@aol.com

Very Sad News

OC Panteras has lost a cherished member, vendor, and friend.

Bobby Byars lost his struggle with leukemia May 29

Most everyone in the Pantera world knew Bobby
His Precision-Performance is one of our great parts suppliers

I enjoyed hanging out with him at many Pantera events and
partied some at SEMA

My own car has wheels/tires, shocks, brakes, steering rack
and more, all from Bobby

RIP Good Friend..



Tom Tjaarda Scholarship

a message from Dave & Linda Adler

Attention all Tom Tjaarda and Pantera Enthusiasts!

Mrs. Paola Tjaarda, Tom Tjaarda's wife, has asked us to participate in establishing a scholarship at the prestigious I.E.D. School of Design in Torino, Italy. The scholarship would be in Tom Tjaarda's beloved name and would be presented to an outstanding design student on June 20, 2019 in Torino, Italy. (Website: <https://www.ied.it/>)

Mrs. Tjaarda is not able to fund the scholarship herself and has asked DeTomaso International to spearhead a campaign to raise at least 2,000 Euros or more.

Tom touched so many of our lives when he visited the US and spoke at events or signed autographs and sun visors, dashboards and more for us.

When the DeTomaso Factory did not represent the marque in the US, Tom

was there to be what we called, "the face of DeTomaso". He spoke so well at many Concours, conventions and universities about his experience with

A. DeTomaso and the development of the Pantera, Longchamp and Deauville.

If you ever met the gentleman, you would know exactly what we are talking about. He was an inspiration. Humble, intelligent and a person of great integrity and creativity.

If you are willing to make a contribution in any amount, please PM us or post a comment and we will contact you. Payments may be made by Paypal.

Please, let us honor Tom in this small way and help an outstanding automobile design student follow in Tom's footsteps. On behalf of Mrs. Tjaarda, we thank you for your contributions.

Respectfully,
Dave and Linda

Here is an interesting article about Lucas wiring
Mostly about British cars, but very relatable
A lot about previous owners making repairs and mods, we
see a lot of that with Panteras

[Lucas Wiring](#)





We congratulate OCP members for taking trophies at recent
HUNTINGTON BEACH CONCOURS 2019

Robert and Tammy Ervolina ffirst place award in Show Car

Al Arakawa for best Street Class

Rod Kunishige for 2nd place Street Class

Bill and Nancy Harris won Best of Show for their Mini Cooper



Pantera Palooza 2019!





Another Great Palooza!

Beautiful Weather, Beautiful Venue!

Great Food, Great Friends!

Just under 30 cars this year.
A few less cars, but just as much fun!

[More pictures and information](#)



3D Technology Tour



GoEngineer
3D Technology Open House
Saturday June 22, 2019
10am-1pm
1231 E Dyer Rd #150
Santa Ana, Ca 714-438-1400

Live Demonstrations of:
Latest features of SolidWorks CAD Software
Analysis Software / Design Optimization Software
Commercial Grade 3D Printing / Additive Manufacturing
(no hobbybots here – this is where the Big Boys play!)
Watch how we re-engineered a Pantera clutch pedal
for a 92% weight savings!
FREE Lunch to all who RSVP to:
Glen Chancellor gchancellor@goengineer.com

General Meeting 3rd Wed, 7PM, 17th Street Grill, Tustin
ocpanteras.com for more information





Were you at our "Hooky Day" at the Price
Museum near Carson?

If so, you'll know what this means. We saw the
beginning of this on our visit.

If you missed Hooky Day, here's your chance to
see a fabulous car collection!

The Gran Opening is June 22, after our
3D Technology event.

Tickets are \$25 online. Museum will be open
Wednesday afternoons, going forward.

[Lions Drag Museum](http://thelionsdragstrip.com)





Remember this car seen around Geneva Auto Show?
The DTprojetP

Look like a return of DeTomaso mark at this year's Goodwood
Festival July 4th

Press the link for full story.

[Pantera Return](#)





We also have the Ares Panther ready to hit the streets.

I love that this proves the design and styling of the Pantera is truly timeless. Our 45 year old cars look current again. I hope this helps our values.

Very nice that they stayed so true to the original styling.

On the other hand, you take an ultra expensive Lamborghini Huracan, add a couple of hundred thousand dollars to make it look like a Pantera.

Isn't this about the opposite of what the original Pantera was all about?

[Ares Project Panther](#)



The club needs your help!

We have some supplies for events, EZ Ups, banners, etc. that need a home.

We are looking to get a small trailer and need a place to park it.

Do you have a small space at your large hacienda for our tiny little trailer?

Please, contact any board member.

We're still looking!

Automotive News and Events

Lions Drag Strip Museum - Grand Opening June 22 1-6pm

Pantera Night at Cruisin Grand June 26 or July 10

Belmont Car Show - Second St. Belmont Shores September 9

NHRA Finals Auto Club Raceway at Pomona November 11-14

*For listing of all local car clubs, shows, cruise nights, and
cars & coffee, check out:*

SoCalCarCulture.com

Know of an upcoming event? Please, let us know.

June Meeting 6/19/19

OC Panteras 2019 Events



**OC Panteras
2019 Event Calendar**

Jan 19 - Flo's Diner, & Chino Air Museum
Morning canyon drive for breakfast & Chino Museum

Feb 9 - Valentine's Breakfast+Cars&Coffee
Cars & Breakfast & Fun Games! 17th St Grill

Feb 23 - Open House at PI Motorsports
Cars & Lunch & The Band! w/Trophies!

Mar 23 - Private Garage Tour & Lunch
Have you ever seen a restored Vallelunga? + Lunch

April 20 - Palooza Prep&Roadworthy Tech
Fluid Changes/Safety Focus

May 5 - Pantera Palooza V
Sunday in the park car show & family picnic

June 5-9 - POCA Fun Rally

June 22 - 3D Printing Tour
Learn the process and machines + Lunch

July 20 - Tech Session 2
See what's in-store

Aug 24 - Private Garage Tour & Lunch
These have become too popular to miss! + Lunch

Aug 24 - Int'l "Drive Your Pantera Day"
Drive your Pantera & add your photo to Profiles

Sept 22 - Old Time Ice Cream Social
Return of one of our most popular summer events

Oct 18 - Manufacturing Tour & Lunch

Nov 23 - Tech Session 3
Mystery Tech Event

Dec 8 - OC Panteras Christmas Brunch
Country Club Fun! Drive your Pantera & Win!

Dec 28 - Gondola Getaway Cruise
Christmas lights of Naples canals, wine & dinner!

Details in event flyers and at General Meetings

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The 2019 Calendar has something for everyone. We kick things off with a spirited morning drive through Carbon Canyon to Flo's in Chino, followed by a visit to the Chino Air Museum, and finish with our Gondola Cruise of Naples. In between, we have tech sessions, private garage tours, manufacturing tours, and more.....and don't forget the Grand Daddy of all, Pantera Palooza V!

[OC Panteras 2019 Calendar Link](#)

