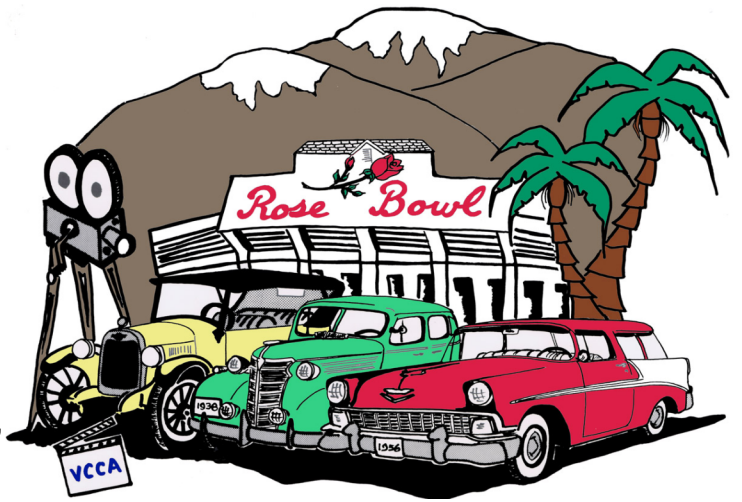


# Classic Clatter



**MARCH 2023**

A monthly newsletter for the FOOTHILL REGION of the Vintage Chevrolet Club of America



*Happy  
St. Patrick's  
Day*





# DIRECTOR'S MESSAGE

GEORGE T. EDWARDS, Foothill Region Director 2023

It is March! Hi everyone. It is still wet and cold outside. In February I went over to the Flairplex because the Grand National Roadster Show was on. I walked my legs off seeing all of the cars. A few pictures are included in this edition of the Classic Clatter. The start of this month I will be over at the Las Vegas Motor Speedway enjoying three days of racing. It is "Daylight Saving Time". This month we have to set our clocks one hour ahead - "Spring Forward"! I hope everyone is doing well. I will see you next month at Marie Callender's. Take Care!

George Edwards, Director



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## Hot Wheels Launches Limited-Edition '66 Chevy Nova As RLC Exclusive

Seemingly still determined to offer some of the coolest die-cast models of exciting and iconic cars available today, Hot Wheels is launching their limited edition '66 Chevy Nova tomorrow morning, January 21st, at 9 A.M. Pacific time (PST) or 12 P.M. Eastern (EST). It's available to order through the company website.

Hot Wheels' latest edition of the '66 Super Nova is a Red Line Club (RLC) exclusive. The Hot Wheels Red Line Club offers fans the ability to buy exclusive items — like this '66 Chevy Nova — priority sales access, and use of a members-only forum among the perks of membership.



The original 1966 Chevy Nova launched the Nova's second generation just as the muscle car era was catching fire back in the later Sixties. The 1966 model year saw the Chevy Nova get a complete overhaul and redesign, while the Nova Super Sport (SS) offered a new optional Turbo Fire 327 CID L79 V8 engine paired with a four-speed manual transmission.

The Turbo Fire 327 L79 variant used in the '66 Chevy Nova SS developed 350 horsepower and 360 pound-feet of torque. This enabled the Nova to go from zero to 60 mph in 7.2 seconds and do the quarter-mile in 15.1 seconds at 93 mph. The Bow Tie produced just 3,547 1966 Chevrolet Nova SS cars with this specific powertrain. The auto was popular among street-racing enthusiasts.



The Hot Wheels die-cast '66 Chevy Super Nova honoring this hard-charging muscle car depicts a Nova with a blown engine and drag-racing stance. The sizzling color scheme features an incandescent Spectraflame Race Team Blue body color heated up with yellow, red, and orange stripes in a rainbow spectrum streaming along the sides. The color layout on this Chevy Nova harkens back to the Seventies and Eighties and the Southern California Pro Street scene.



The details don't stop there, with the Chevy Nova riding on Real Riders Drag Strip Demon race dish drag wheels with a Goodyear tampo on the rear tires. Light smoke-tinted windows give a view into a light blue interior. The base model is a full-metal die-cast with a chrome-plated chassis and engine, with painted engine details.



This fun, high-speed addition to your collection is designed by Larry Wood. Purchases are limited to two units per Red Line Club membership and five per household, and as a limited-edition the Hot Wheels '66 Super Nova will probably sell out quickly despite the limit. The models will begin shipping on or before May 19th, 2023. An RLC membership

giving access to quality exclusive models like this is only \$9.99 per year.



Article by Rhian Hunt posted February 20, 2023 at <https://gmauthority.com/blog/2023/02/hot-wheels-launches-limited-edition-66-chevy-nova-as-rlc-exclusive/>

## TAKE A LOOK AT THE COOL CARS AT THE GRAND NATIONAL ROADSTER SHOW AT THE POMONA FAIRPLEX LAST MONTH! PHOTOS BY GEORGE EDWARDS





## Foothill Meeting Minutes - February 4, 2023

The February meeting was begun at 8:54 a.m. by Director George Edwards. George welcomed and greeted everyone present. George asked Roger if he would preside over the March meeting, because he will be at NASCAR. Roger accepted.

Motion to approve January minutes was made, and approved.

No correspondence to share.

Treasurer's Report was given by Sabrina Karras, treasurer, who informed the members present that a new checking account for Foothill VCCA was opened at Chase Bank on January 28, 2023; Sabrina Karras and Rosie Garcia are signers. Motion to accept report was made and approved.

Membership Report Sabrina Karras, membership secretary, reported 14 paid families.

Past Tour none.

Upcoming Tour None, but future tour options are being explored.

Old Business Still reaching out to Chevrolet of Puente Hills for a possible car show in May, or June.

New Business Sabrina acquired the "Stripe" electronic payment system for the Foothill club checking account, which will make paying dues easier.

No parts/cars for sale.

Meeting was adjourned at 9:54 a.m.

Respectfully submitted by

Rosie Garcia, 2023 Secretary



### **Meeting This Month!**

**Saturday, March 4th at 8:30 am**

**Marie Callender's Restaurant**

**1175 E. Alostia Avenue, Azusa, CA 91702**

**Off the 210 Fwy - Grand Ave. exit on the corner of Historic  
Route 66/Alostia & Barranca Ave. on the north side of the street**





How about  
some St.  
Patrick's Day  
fun!



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**ST. PATRICK'S DAY SALE**  
For REAL SAVIN' O' The GREEN!

(GREENBACKS, THAT IS!)

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**1964 CHEVY**



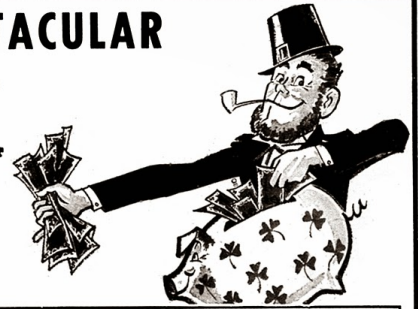
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March 17, 1964  
St. Patrick's Day



St. Patrick driving the snakes out of Ireland.

# FOOTHILL REGION HISTORY

*First meeting was in 1977 and it was held at Jack Wall Chevrolet  
Jack Wall Chevrolet became Team Chevrolet and now is a lumber yard.  
In 1977 the region had 18 families.*

DIRECTOR	ASST, DIRECTOR	SECRETARY	TREASURER	TOUR DIRECTOR	NEWSLETTER
1977 Ray Waldbum	Norm Lefmann	Betty Kirkwood	Mike Norton	_____	_____
1978 Marvin Imm	Norm Lefmann	Betty Kirkwood	Ester Imm	_____	How-Bett Kirkwood
1979 Bob Hassinger	Howard Kirkwood	Betty Kirkwood	Rita Jones	_____	How-Bett Kirkwood
1980 Bob Hassinger	Howard Kirkwood	Betty Kirkwood	Ester Imm	How-Bett Kirkwood	How-Bett Kirkwood
1981 Dennis Fink	Tom Stimson	Jean Fink	Steve Michaelson	How-Bett Kirkwood	Jean Fink
1982 Dennis Fink	Jim Holt	Jean Fink	Sue Robertson	Helen Holt	Helen Holt/Jean Fink
1983 Jim Holt	Jim Ferrier	Ina Brookshire	Sue Robertson	Dennis Fink	Helen Holt/Jean Fink
1984 George Reeley	George Aust	Jean Fink	Sue Robertson	Dave Johnson	George Aust/Jean Fink
1985 Jean Fink	Roy Brookshire	Dennis Murray	Sue Robertson	Lita Murray	Brookshire/Fink
1986 Dick Dennis	Glenn Ritter	Dennis Murray	Ernie Moffatt	George Aust	Glenn Ritter/Fink
1987 Dennis Murray	Al Bafford	Jean Fink	Ernie Moffatt	Lita Murray	Jean Fink
1988 Roger Felix	Curt Potter	Dennis Murray	Lita Murray	George Aust	Ken Kaufmann/Fink
1989 Ernie Moffatt	Bob Hughes	Ken Kaufmann	Curt Potter	Don Gardner	Ken Kaufmann/Fink
1990 George Aust	Dick Dennis	Ken Kaufmann	Curt Potter	Don Gardner	Ken Kaufmann/Fink
1991 Dennis Murray	Don Gardner	Ken Kaufmann	Art Label	Lita Murray	Ken Kaufmann/Fink
1992 Jean Fink	Ernie Moffatt	Ken Kaufmann	Art Label	Denise Zappen	Ken Kaufmann/Fink
1993 Jean Fink	Tracy Gage	Ken Kaufmann	Art Label	Don Gardner	Ken Kaufmann/Fink
1994 Don Gardner	Tracy Gage	Ken Kaufmann	Roger Felix	Joe Zappen	Ken Kaufmann/Fink
1995 Jean Fink	Tracy Gage	Ken Kaufmann	Roger Felix	George Aust	Ken Kaufmann/Fink
1996 Don Gardner	Ray Sorenson	Ken Kaufmann	Roger Felix	Joe Zappen	Ken Kaufmann/Fink
1997 Jean Fink	Tracy Gage	Ken Kaufmann	Roger Felix	_____	Ken Kaufmann/Fink
1998 Joe Zappen	Tracy Gage	Ken Kaufmann	Roger Felix	Robert Jackson	Ken Kaufmann/Fink
1999 Bill Zappen	Tracy Gage	Ken Kaufmann	Roger Felix	Don Gardner	Ken Kaufmann/Fink
2000 Don Gardner	Tracy Gage	Ken Kaufmann	Roger Felix	Victor Bracamontes	Ken Kaufmann/Fink
2001 George Edwards	Tracy Gage	Ken Kaufmann	Roger Felix	Michael McCormack	Ken Kaufmann/Fink
2002 Tracy Gage	_____	Ken Kaufmann	Roger Felix	Bill Zappen	Ken Kaufmann/Fink
2003 Roger Bolton	Tracy Gage	Ken Kaufmann	Roger Felix	George Edwards	Ken Kaufmann/Fink
2004 Paul Porner	Roger Bolton	Ken Kaufmann	Roger Felix	_____	Dennis & Jean Fink
2005 Bill Reese	Paul Porner	Ken Kaufmann	Roger Felix	Mike McNeill	Dennis & Jean Fink
2006 Bill Reese	Porner/Felix	Ken Kaufmann	Roger Felix	Mike McNeill	Dennis & Jean Fink
2007 Bill Reese	Roger Felix	Ken Kaufmann	Sue Robertson	Mike McNeill	Dennis & Jean Fink
2008 Bill Reese	Roger Felix	Ken Kaufmann	Sue Robertson	Steve Knickelbein	Dennis & Jean Fink
2009 Bill Reese	Roger Felix	Ken Kaufmann	Sue Robertson	Alonso Guerrero	Dennis & Jean Fink
2010 Alonso Guerrero	Roger Felix	Mandy Emerson	Sue Robertson	_____	Dennis & Jean Fink
2011 Alonso Guerrero	Roger Felix	Jean Fink	Sue Robertson	_____	Dennis & Jean Fink
2012 Alonso Guerrero	Roger Felix	Jean Fink	Sue Robertson	_____	Dennis & Jean Fink
2013 Alonso Guerrero	Roger Felix	Rosie Garcia	Sue Robertson	_____	Jean Fink
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2015 Jean Fink	Roger Felix	Rosie Garcia	Sue Robertson	Ray Garcia	Jean Fink
2016 Alonso Guerrero	Roger Felix	Rosie Garcia	Judy Mulé	Ray Garcia	Jean Fink
2017 Alonso Guerrero	Roger Felix	Rosie Garcia	Judy Mulé	Ray Garcia	Jean Fink
2018 Alonso Guerrero	Roger Felix	Rosie Garcia	Judy Mulé	Ray Garcia	Jean Fink
2019 Alonso Guerrero	Roger Felix	Rosie Garcia	Judy Mulé	Ray Garcia	Jean Fink
2020 George Edwards	Roger Felix	Rosie Garcia	Judy Mulé	Ray Garcia	Jean Fink
2021 George Edwards	Roger Felix	Rosie Garcia	Judy Mulé	Ray Garcia	Jean Fink
2022 George Edwards	Roger Felix	Rosie Garcia	Judy Mulé	Ray Garcia	Sabrina Karras
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If your name is in **BOLD** than your dues are paid for 2023

**2023 Dues  
are Due!**

**It's a New Year! That means it's  
time to pay dues for 2023!**

**DUES STILL ONLY \$15**

**Checks made payable to:  
FOOTHILL REGION VCCA**

**Mail check to: Foothill Region  
829 E. Van Bibber Ave, Orange, CA 92866**

# MARCH 2023

SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
			1	2	3	4 
5	6	7	8	9	10	11
12 	13 Pat McGowen Birthday	14	15	16	17 	18
19	20 Chris Oaks Birthday	21	22	23	24	25
26	27	28	29 Sabrina Karras Birthday	30	31	

# APRIL 2023

SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
						1  April Fool's Day
2 Palm Sunday	3	4	5 	6	7 Good Friday	8
9 	10	11	12	13	14	15
16 Orthodox Easter	17	18 	19	20	21	22  Jim & Sabrina Karras Anniversary
23	24	25	26	27	28	29
30 Luis & Celine Zarza Anniversary						





THE VINTAGE CHEVROLET CLUB OF AMERICA INC.

# Foothill Region

## APPLICATION FOR MEMBERSHIP

Name \_\_\_\_\_ Birthdate \_\_\_\_\_

Spouse \_\_\_\_\_ Birthdate \_\_\_\_\_ Anniversary \_\_\_\_\_

Address \_\_\_\_\_

City \_\_\_\_\_ State \_\_\_\_\_ Zip Code \_\_\_\_\_

Phone \_\_\_\_\_ Email \_\_\_\_\_

Cell (Member) \_\_\_\_\_ Cell (Spouse) \_\_\_\_\_

Are you a member of the National Vintage Chevrolet Club?  Yes  No

**If YES:** Your membership number \_\_\_\_\_ **If NO:** It is a prerequisite for becoming a member of a local region. Yearly dues for National Membership are listed below and are forwarded to the National Organization.

**FOOTHILL REGION DUES**.....\$15 per calendar year

**NATIONAL DUES**  RENEWAL  NEW

Membership (Member, Spouse & Children) one vote.....\$40 per year

*When paying both dues to the Foothill Region, please write 2 checks:  
1 for \$15 to Foothill Region and 1 for \$40 to VCCA National. Thank You.*

**NOTE: FOR INSURANCE PURPOSES ALL REGION MEMBERS MUST JOIN NATIONAL IN ORDER TO JOIN THE REGION.**

**REGION:** All members receive a monthly region newsletter and participation in all our meetings, tours and events.

**NATIONAL:** All new members receive a club badge, decal, membership card and the national magazine "Generator & Distributor." Members will be entitled to advertising in the club magazine and participation in all VCCA activities. Commercial advertising rates available. For more information or application visit: [www.vcca.org](http://www.vcca.org)

The purpose of the VCCA is to promote interest in the preservation of vintage Chevrolets. Ownership of a Chevrolet IS NOT a prerequisite for active membership. If you presently own a Chevrolet please fill in below.

YEAR	MODEL	BODY STYLE	CLY.	CONDITION
_____	_____	_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____	_____	_____
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Recruited by (VCCA member recruiting Optional) \_\_\_\_\_ VCCA# \_\_\_\_\_

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 Date Paid \_\_\_\_\_  
 Region Membership Number \_\_\_\_\_

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 Applicant's Signature