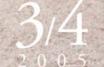
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# President's Corner by Murray Cogan



#### **Dear FCA Members:**

The year is moving along quickly. We are now in February and we have already had two events. The first was an Informal Driving Event hosted by Jim Bindman. Eleven members and their Copilots met at Jim and Ritas house for coffee and donuts. Following the social gathering, we all followed Jim up the Angeles Crest Highway and then back again to the Tam O' Shanter for an enjoyable lunch.

The next event was a Technical Session held at the Auto Gallery. We are most grateful to Harry Gray and Tony Schwartz for providing the services of their highly trained technicians and the use of their facilities. All of our members who attended received a free comprehensive technical inspection and a detailed report.

In April, thanks to the efforts of our club member Doug Prestine, our next event is an upscale weekend with gourmet dining and fine wines (see the ad in Sempre Ferrari). May is the month of our much anticipated Concorso Ferrari in Century City with full weekend of festivities planned. On Saturday, May 28th, we are planning a driving tour to Paramount Ranch with our concours on Sunday. We look forward to this event being as successful as in 2002.

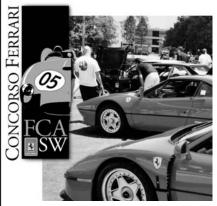
A large turnout of our members will be the planning committees reward. So come on out and show them how much you appreciate their efforts.



President Ferrari Club of America, Southwest Region

## JOIN THE FCA SOUTHWEST REGION FOR A VERY SPECIAL WEEKEND





#### PARAMOUNT RANCH DRIVING TOUR Saturday, May 28, 2005

**Experience the Wild West** The Paramount Pictures "movie ranch" is where numerous western movies and television series have been filmed. Today it is still in use as a working set. Paramount Racetrack opened here in 1956 and it was regarded as one of the most challenging tracks in the U.S. After several fatal accidents it was closed as a racing venue.

Our Tour will drive along Pacific Coast Highway and into the Santa Monica Mountains to arrive at Paramount Ranch. Lunch will be served and you can visit the western town.

Tour Info: Tino Mingori: (310) 474-8769, E-mail: tino.mingori@stanfordalumni.org

#### CONCORSO FERRARI IN CENTURY CITY Sunday, May 29, 2005

**Exclusive Ferrari Concours** Over 100 Ferraris of all years will be on display in the heart of Century City. Judging will follow FCA National guidelines for Ferraris 1990 and earlier.

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Auto Gallery Ferrari hosted a Tech Session where our members could learn about their Ferrari's condition by factory trained service technicians. Article on page 24

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These dedicated members organize and the plan events of our Club. Our thanks to them and all of their work.





Walter Meyer Vice President 310-234-3300





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	5th	Chuck Lamb Event (Formula 1 Viewing) Cancelled due to rain.
	5-6th	<b>Track Event at Willow Springs Raceway</b> with Pantera Club. Info: Kevork Hazarian 818-755-9555.
F	— 12th	Southwest Region Board Meeting 9:00AM.
	19th	<b>Swap Meet at Ferrari &amp; Maserati of Orange County</b> with lunch and car display. RSVP for free lunch for members.Registration on page 10. Info: Wally Clark 714-630-9202.
	April	
	2-3rd	Ferrari 360 Challenge Race and Ferrari Historics at California Speedway in Fontana. Info: Kevork Hazarian (818) 755-9555. Registration on page 16.
	8-10th	<b>Gourmet Ride &amp; Drive - Paso Robles Wine Country Tour.</b> Back road drive to Paso Robles Inn. Gourmet dinners, winery tours, two night lodging. Info: Doug Prestine 310-476-0217, email: dprestine@msn.com. Registration on page 12.
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	7th	<b>Go Kart event at Adams Karting in Riverside.</b> Registration on page 22. Info: Kevork Hazarian 818-755-9555.
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	13th	Southwest Region Board Meeting 9:00AM.
	18th	Monterey Ride & Drive
	19-21th	Monterey Weekend
		FCA Southwest Region Board Meetings - All Members Welcome!
-		Held the second Saturday of each month at 9:00AM at the Petersen Automotive Museum, 6060 Wilshire Blvd (at Fairfax), Los Angeles CA 90036 unless otherwise specified.



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FCA Southwest Region events in **bold** 

Septe	ember FCA Southwest Region events
10th	Southwest Region Board Meeting 9:00AM.
11th	Corona Airport Event - Charles Betz and Fred Peters - Don West
25th	<b>Tour of the US Navy aircraft carrier "Midway"</b> at NAS Coronado. Info: Tom Brockmiller 949-716-2395
Octo	ber
1st	Go Kart event at Adams Karting in Riverside. Info: Kevork Hazarian 818-755-9555.
8th TBD	Southwest Region Board Meeting 9:00AM. Fun Run Tour
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6th	Woodley Park Italian Car Show 9:00AM.
12th	Southwest Region Board Meeting 9:00AM.
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#### F430 Auction at the Petersen Automotive Museum Cars & Stars Gala



#### GIVE TO CHARITY

Your successful bid over the F430's MSRP is a tax deductable donation to the California Highway Patrol's 11-99 Foundation.







#### THURSDAY, MAY 12, 2005

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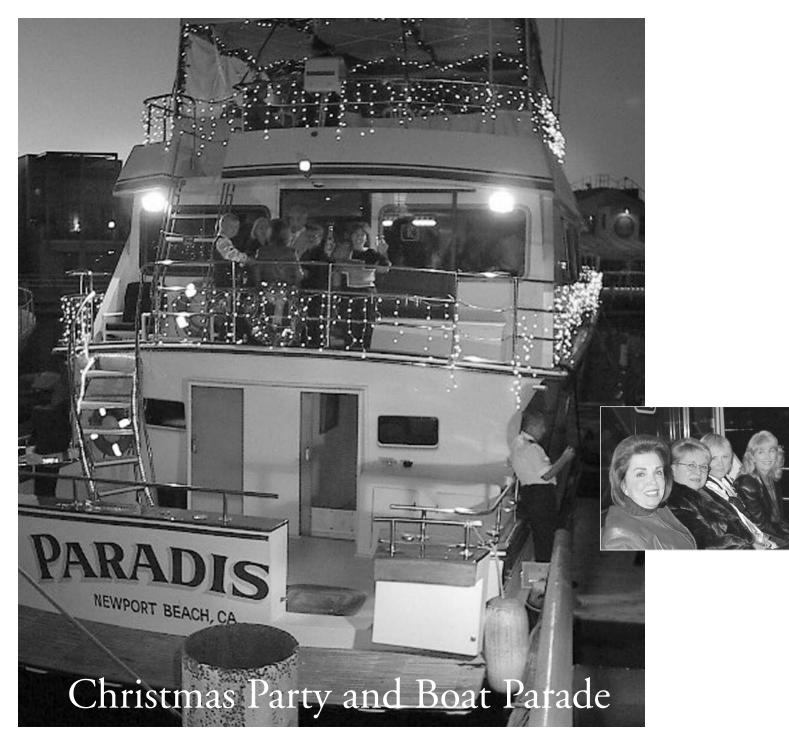
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#### **Petersen Automotive Museum**

Gala hotline: 323-964-6366

Reserved tables and individual tickets for the 2005 Cars & Stars Gala are available in advance from \$250 to \$500 per person.

#### www.fca-sw.org/Calendar.aspx



#### Nary a Ferrari was seen but did we have fun.

In a sell out attendance aboard our chartered yacht, Paradise of Newport Beach, we were part of the annual Christmas Boat Parade.

A clear, crisp night met the revelry makers as we departed the dock at five for a four hour tour of the bay and its beautifully decorated houses. Having spent many years in the area but never have seen the tremendous display of homes from the water, I must admit to being overwhelmed. In one direction you would see these beautifully decorated bay front homes in full color and animation and in the next direction over 150 boats "touring" the bay with their horns honking, flags flying, and thousands of lights displayed.

Aboard our own craft, our group choose to either stand on the open foredeck or view the scenery from the warmth of the protected bridge saloon. An open bar was the equivalent to standing around the pot belly stove. Most everyone was kept warm. A buffet was served with desserts and champagne to cap off the evening. Friendship abounded, and it was proof, once again, that if you come to any of our many events you will be rewarded with meeting wonderful people. Some of them famous. Rumor has it that next year's Christmas party, orchestrated by non other than our esteemed Marv Landon, will be at a new and grand location yet to be announced.

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### Saturday, March 19, 2005, 8:00 am to 3 pm

The swap meet and lunch will be free to FCA members. Non member's lunch will be charged \$15 each.

Please RSVP to Demetri at the Club office for your swap space and lunch reservation.

We invite all swap meet vendors who want to clean out their garages and closets to join us at our annual event at the dealership. The swap meet area will be held in the service drive and in the back parking area.

We also encourage our members to bring their Ferraris for special parking in front of the dealership. Parking for non Ferraris will be on the street or on the facility's roof.

Swap meet set up will begin at 7:30 am. The Club will provide coffee in the morning.

Ferrari & Maserati of Orange County 1425 W. Baker St., Costa Mesa, CA (One block east of Harbor Blvd.)

For info, please call: Wally Clark at (714) 630-9202.

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Fax to: (818) 343-0859

#### **Event information:**

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#### Swap Meet at Ferrari Maserati of Orange County

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Partake in a Friday evening Opening Dinner in the Matador Room at the Inn featuring your choice of Harris Ranch Peppercorn Tenderloin Medallions, Baked Salmon Fillet or a Vegan Plate. Dinner will be preceded by a no host cocktail hour.

Indulge in a Saturday Gatsby Era Dinner and Wine Pairing styled by the Justin Winery Master Chef, Sous Chef, and Pastry Chef in the exquisite Isosceles Room of this private winery. Dinner courses will be preceded with passed hors d'oeuvres and a private tour of the Wine Caves and Barrel Chai Room. To ensure an evening of relaxed enjoyment, bus transportation will be provided between the Inn and the Winery for this County Club Casual (no denim) evening.

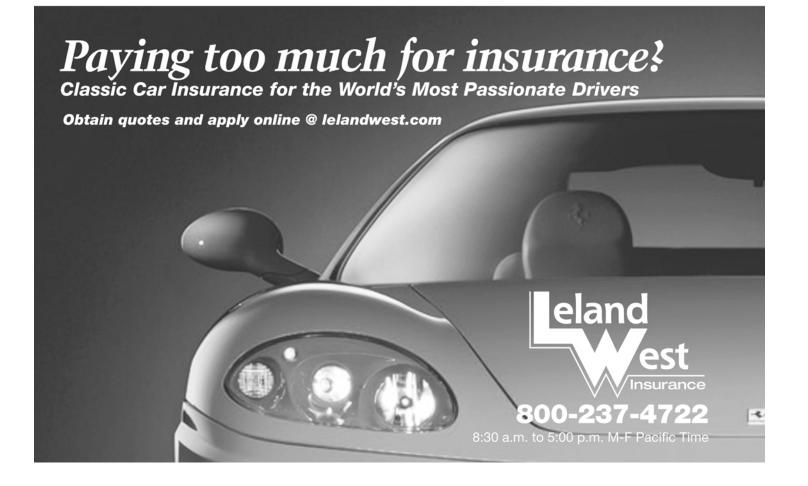
The cost for this exclusive event including lodging for two nights, the Friday Opening Dinner for two and Dinner for two at the Justin Winery including bus transportation shall be \$775 for a standard room and \$970 for a deluxe spa room with private outdoor Jacuzzi.

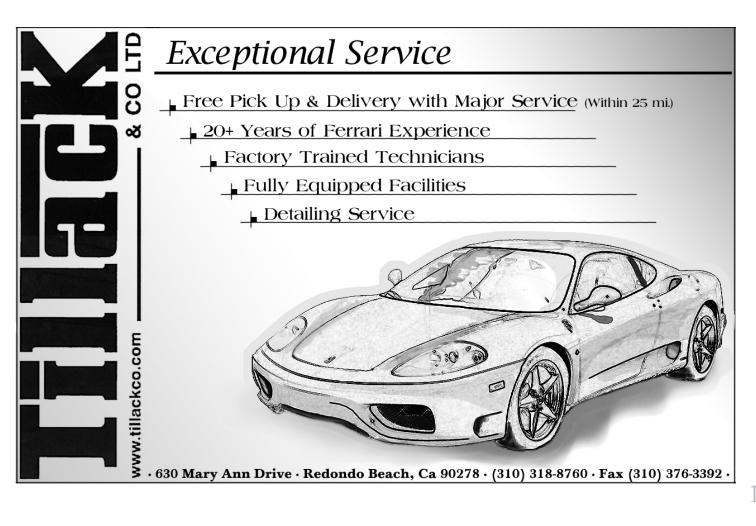
An optional ride and drive to three wineries has been arranged for Saturday from 10 AM to 3 PM. Those electing this option will enjoy private tours and tastings at Tablas Creek Vineyard, Carmody McKnight Estate Wines and Adelaida Cellars. The cost for the three tours and tastings including a gourmet box lunch at Carmody McKnight to be enjoyed by their pond is \$88 per couple.

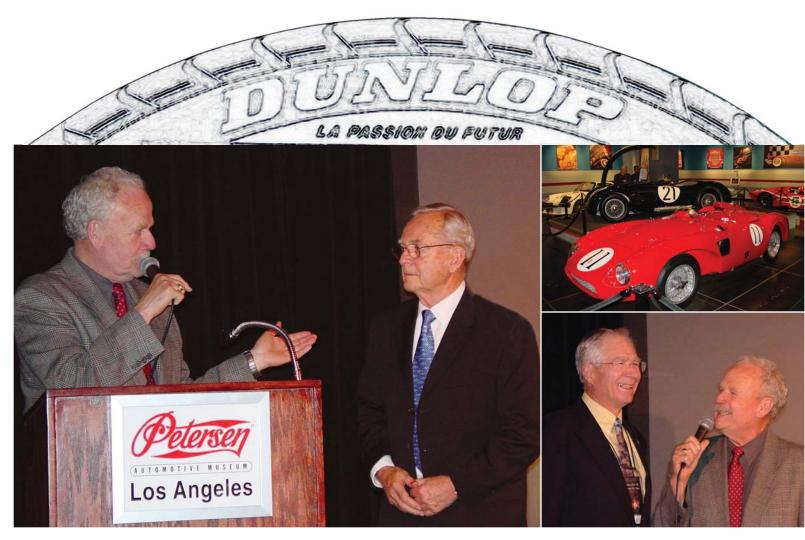
This event is limited to the first fifteen couples / cars to sign up. Reserve your place by submitting your completed form and remittance. Ensure your room preference by registering early. Only four Deluxe Spa Rooms are available. Once spoken for, you will necessarily be assigned a standard room at the lower rate regardless of your choice.

Reservations must be finalized by February 25th, 2005.

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# TRIBUTE TO PHIL HILL AND THE 24 HOURS OF LE MANS

Last November the Checkered Flag 200 and the Petersen Automotive Museum hosted the Tribute to Phil Hill and the 24 hours of Le Mans. This was another production spearheaded by Tom McIntyre who seems to excel in each subsequent event. There was a book-signing by Phil of his new book *A Champion's View* featuring John Lamm's photography. Displayed in the Gallery were significant examples of Le Mans racecars: Peter Mullin's 1930 Talbot T-26C, Steve Earle's 1953 Jaguar C-Type, Rusty West's 1954 Porsche, Skip Cook's 1959 Deutsche-Bonnet HBR5, Bruce Meyer's 1960 Cunningham Corvette and Ferrari 250GT SWB SEFAC, Darrell Mountjoy's 1964 Sunbeam Tiger LM, Gary Schroeder's 1966 Ford GT40, Tom Malloy's 1967 Ford GT Mark IV, Tom McIntyre's 1976 Porsche 934, Jim Busby's 1983 Lola-T616, Rick Knoop's 1983 Lola-T616 and Ford Motor Company's new 2005 Ford GT among others.

After cocktails and socializing a superb buffet dinner was served. Although the lines were long the process went fast considering the huge audience participation. In fact more than 600 attended and there was a waiting list for those who weren't quick in registering. First after the introduction by Tom McIntyre and Dick Messer, there was a live auction featuring racing memorabilia such as posters and special paintings by George Bartell depicting Phil's Le Mans win in '58, '61 and '62 in a Ferrari commissioned just for this occasion. MC Dave McClelland and Bruce Meyer were the auctioneers. Proceeds benefited the Petersen Automotive Museum. Then we got to see film clips about Le Mans in the '50s and '60s, much footage featuring Phil Hill. Phil was born in Santa Monica and raced his aunt's 1918 Packard at 19 years of age and went on to hillclimbs, road races, endurance races including Torrey Pines, Pebble Beach, Sebring, Daytona, Riverside as well as Le Mans. He was a Ferrari factory team driver and raced with Olivier Gendebien. He raced Cobras and Ford GT40s for Carroll Shelby and his last professional race win was for Jim Hall in a Chaparral. In 1961 he was crowned Campione del Mondo and became the only American to date to be World Champion driving for Ferrari in a Dino 156.

<sub>Article by</sub> Shin Takei Event Photos by George Carroll

#### <u>PICTURED</u>

From top left: Master of Ceremonies Dave McClelland with Phil Hill. 1956 Ferrari Testa Rossa. Jim Hall tells of Phil racing the Chaparrals.

#### Below:

Event program cover with image of Phil Hill awaiting the start of the 1962 Le Mans which he won with co-driver Olivier Gendebien in this Ferrari 330LM.

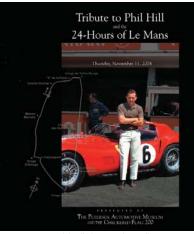


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#### From top:

Group photo of the racers who attended to pay tribute to Phil. Bernard Cahier recounts his memories with Phil Hill. Carroll Shelby said a few words about his competitor and friend. Live auction of Phil's cherished photographs presented by Bruce Meyer and Dave McClelland were actively sought after by bidders.

Dave McClelland then got on with the program. Letters from Sir Sterling Moss, Augie Pabst, Coco Chinetti and Jim Jeffords were read. The attending guest list was impressive: Dennis Aase, Tony Adamowicz, Jim Busby, Chris Cord, Chuck Daigh, Steve Earle, Dick Guldstrand, Dan Gurney Jim Hall, Jim Jeffords, Stefan Johansson, Rick Knoop, John Morton, Carroll Shelby and Danny Sullivan. First to speak was photographer Bernard Cahier from France who remembered the wonderful camaraderie between the drivers of the period. Phil even stayed at his house and got there by train. One by one, the legends got on stage: Jim Busby who raced against Phil, Bob Bondurant and John Morton. John remembered buying Phil a drink at a Carroll Shelby roasting dinner. After asking him if he was ready for this, Phil answered he would rather drive down the straight at Le Mans at 200mph in the rain. He then proceeded to pocket the change from the bartender. One by one, they got up, historical and contemporary Le Mans legends telling us their experiences of speed fighting fatigue, sleep and fright competing with other racers. Bob Bondurant, Stefan Johannson, Danny Sullivan, Dan Gurney, Jim Hall, and Carroll Shelby all got up and spoke. All had funny stories and experiences and each had great respect and admiration for Phil.

Then it was John Lamm's turn to "talk" with Phil and ask him questions from his racing past. Phil recollected the terrible incident involving Mercedes W196 and how it affected the entire race. He then talked about his favorite race in 1958 where he couldn't see well because of the rain and darkness. He also went on to describe the difference between Ferrari and Ford where at Ferrari, it was all about obeying Enzo Ferrari. Phil seemed very happy surrounded by Alma, their son Derek and daughter Vanessa. We all had a grand time and enjoyed the evening, another smash hit for us.

My memorable moment with Phil was when I visited Hill and Vaughn in Santa Monica sometime in the eighties. I was with a car club and drove my 300SL there. After the wonderful visit it was time to go home. We all thanked Phil and shook his hands. When we came out it was raining. I got in my car to back out onto Lincoln Blvd. Then Phil took it upon himself to go out and stop traffic on the rainy street so I could safely back out. That's Phil, World Champion and a hero to many of us. **SF** 



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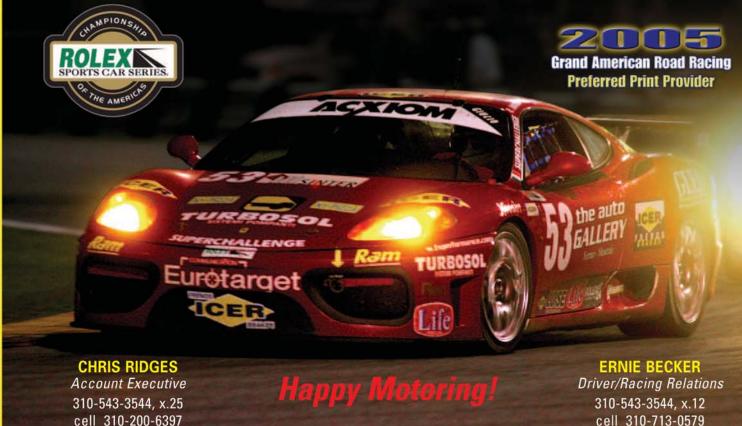
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## Paramount Ranch Driving Tour

#### SATURDAY, MAY 28, 2005 Experience the Wild West

Saddle up and visit the historic wild west of Hollywood and sportscar racing in Southern California.

In 1927, Paramount Pictures purchased 2,400 acres of the old Rancho Las Virgenes for use as a "movie ranch." For 25 years, a veritable who's who of Hollywood practiced their craft at Paramount Ranch.

Paramount Ranch found renewed life as a film location when William Hertz bought the southeast portion in 1953. An ardent fan of movie westerns, he built a permanent western town utilizing Paramount Pictures' old prop storage sheds. Soon television companies began producing westerns such as *The Cisco Kid* and *Dick Powell's Zane Grey Theatre* at the ranch. Hertz sold the property in 1955, and the



Paramount Racetrack opened at the site a year later. It was regarded as one of the most challenging tracks in the U.S. Several fatal accidents during the first year of operation led to its closure as a racing venue. The site, however, continued to be used for filming,

and has been featured in more than 100 films including *The Devil's Hairpin* (1957).

The Ranch is now operated by the National Park Service.

Our Tour will begin near Century City and it will take us through places that evoke visions of elegance, style, fun and sun. We will drive through Beverly Hills, cruise along Pacific Coast Highway through Malibu and motor along Mulholland Highway through the Santa Monica Mountains. Ultimately, we will arrive at the Paramount Ranch where Lunch will be served and you will have an opportunity to explore the site.

#### **Paramount Ranch Tour Information**

Tino Mingori (310) 474-8769 E-mail: tino.mingori@stanfordalumni.org Carlos Amato (310) 446-1554 Walter Meyer (310) 471-2744





### Concorso Ferrari In Century City

#### SUNDAY, MAY 29, 2005

#### **Exclusive Ferrari Concours**

The event will become the only annual Southern California Concours exclusively honoring Ferraris. This event is organized by the Ferrari Club of America, Southwest Region. Judging will follow FCA National guidelines.

Century City's famous Avenue of the Stars at Constellation will create an excellent venue for international identity with over 100 Ferraris on display.

#### **11-99 Foundation Charity**

Proceeds will go to the 11-99 Foundation of the California Highway Patrol.

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#### **Concorso Ferrari Information**

Wally Clark (714) 630-9202 E-mail: clarkinc@pacbell.net



\*Participation in the Concours is not a requirement for participation in the Paramount Ranch Driving Tour.

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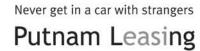
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Each owner completed a form with their Ferrari's information, after which their car was placed on a lift for a complete inspection of all components of their car. Suspension, engine, transmission, oil, coolant, heating/air conditioning system, gaskets, hoses and belts were among the parts and pieces examined by the technician and discussed with the owner. Proper maintainence and servicing and repair options as well as available factory updates to their specific model were advised by the technician at the conclusion of the over 30 minute inspection.

Article by Tex K. Otto Photos by The Auto Gallery

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Owners were also able to meet other owners of like model Ferraris to learn of each others experiences and self-learned tips of keeping their cars in top running condition.

Auto Gallery generously provided coffee and donuts as members arrived. Complementary sandwiches and beverages were served as lunchtime grew near. A special Auto Gallery Ferrari cake honoring 50 years of Ferrari in America was enjoyed as sweet treat to our members.

We wish to thank Auto Gallery's Gary Kawakami and all of the service technicians who gave up their Saturday morning to provide our members with valuable information on the proper upkeep and maintanence of their cherished prancing horses. Thanks also to our President Murray Cogan for organizing this timely event for our membership. **SF** 







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# **Track Event/Driving School Survey**

Our Club wants to organize events that are desirable to our members. There are a number of members with exciting Ferraris who may want to be able to run them safely on a race track to experience their car's performance in a safe environment.

We wish to ask our members the types of track events and activities in which you would like to participate. Please check the below items of interest to you and include your comments for any ideas to help make our track events fun for you. We invite you to send up your comments and ideas.

- Ride & Drives to the track event
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- Weekday track time (lower price potential)
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- Overnight accommodations for weekend package
- On track participation
  - Green New to the track Novices
  - □ Yellow Some track experience and limited passing
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#### Comments



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## Track Event/Driving School Survey

# Please consider my track event selections and comments:

#### Mail to:

Track Survey Ferrari Club of America 4358 Nogales Drive Tarzana, CA 91356

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Thank you for your continued support of the FCA Southwest Region.

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A special thank you for their continuous work in making possible well organized open track events based on a safe, relaxed, social event for everyone at a reasonable price.

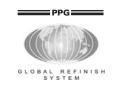
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Did you get the latest trick cell phone for the holidays? Or did you simply wear your buttons down RSVPing for all the great FCA-SW events? You know that wireless cell phone you're no longer using? The one that is sitting in your drawer or closet right now? It could literally save the

life of one of the 5000-plus victims who are beaten and abused every day.

# We want your old cell phones for our charity cell phone drive.

- All models of wireless cell phones are accepted working or not.
- Any phones not working will be refurbished if possible.
- It's good for the environment, your conscience, spring cleaning and most of all, those in need.

Just mail your old cell phone(s), battery(ies) and any accessories to:

FCA-SW "Call to Protect" Cell Phone Charity Drive C/O Synchronis LLC 1514 17th Street # 202 Santa Monica, CA 90404

Or bring your old cell phone(s) and accessories to the monthly board meeting scheduled the second Saturday of every month at the Petersen Museum.

Any questions please contact: Tambi or Tex Otto, 310-453-4100 or email: Tambi@synchronis.com.



The national CALL TO PROTECT campaign collects wireless phones to benefits victims of domestic violence. In the hands of a victim, these phones are a lifeline enabling them to call for assistance when faced with an emergency situation.

## How does someone in need get a CALL TO PROTECT Phone?

CALL TO PROTECT phones are distributed to potential victims by participating local domestic violence organizations and police departments. For general information about getting help for a victim of domestic violence, please call the National Domestic Violence Hotline at 1-800-799-7233 or visit the National Coalition Against Domestic Violence.

#### How do the phones work?

All CALL TO PROTECT phones are pre-programmed to dial 911 and usually one or two non-emergency numbers like a domestic violence shelter. Neither you nor the victim will be charged for any emergency calls made. All airtime is donated by local wireless carriers. Free emergency airtime is donated by members of the Cellular Telecommunications & Internet Association (CTIA).

The Call to Protect program is sponsored by the Wireless Foundation, Motorola and the National Coalition Against Domestic Violence.

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#### **Our member Jeff Littrell Scores Victory in 4-Flight Season Opener**

February 7—With the 2005 season kicking off, FCA-SW member Jeff Littrell and the P-1 Racing team hoped to get the season off on the right foot in Rounds 1-2 of the 4-Flight S2 Cup at California Speedway.

To say the least, a Friday testing crash destroying most of the Lola T89/90's bodywork wasn't on the squad's agenda, but nevertheless the team persevered.

After missing the majority of the Friday test session including adding some late hours for the P-1 crew on Friday night, Littrell bounced back with style to sweep the slate on Saturday, winning the pole and race convincingly.

Such a feat is hard to match which was proven true on Sunday as things weren't quite as easy. Unpredictable weather threw the competitors a hard slider due to a slick but not completely wet track and on and off rain drizzle throughout the morning. Littrell qualified a disappointing 4th for Sunday's Round 2.

With the track being such a question mark, a necessary gamble had to be made prior to the race. The grid was made up of a mixture of rain and slick shod cars, with P-1's Littrell opting for slicks. The optimism didn't pay off though as the light rain never subsided, leaving the track's surface too slick for slicks. Consequently, Littrell's drive to 4th place on Sunday while maneuvering slicks in the rain could very easily be just an impressive as his dominant drive the day before.

After the first two rounds of the 2005 4-Flight S2 Cup, Littrell comes away with the lead in the championship with 18 points, 5 points ahead of second place Mike Pettibone. SF





**Congrats Jeff!** 



# **Historic "Barn Find"**

(Well Almost: It was more like a warehouse find.)

We have recently uncovered 50 original banners which last saw the light of day on Rodeo Drive in June of 1995.

These highly collectible banners were created by famous Ferrari artist Carlos Brigandi in brilliant, vibrant colors to commemorate the US debut of the 355 Spider on Rodeo Drive in Beverly Hills.

The impressive 4' x 8' banners are made of exterior use being printed one side on heavyweight water proof vinyl. Hanging is convenient using the metal grommets fitted to each corner.

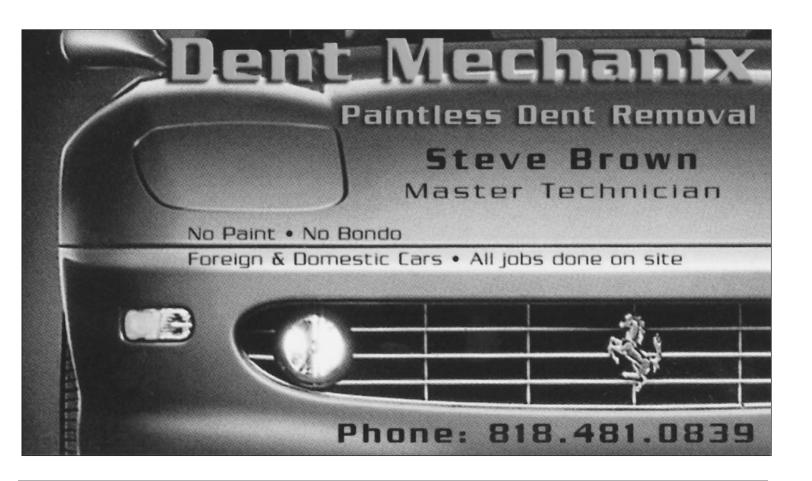
**The banners will look terrific in any Ferrari enthuisast's garage**, living room, patio, etc, etc. Get one for your mother-in-law for Christmas: she will love you for it.

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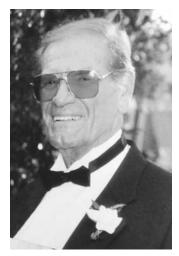
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# Walt Ward



For nearly four decades, Walt Ward was part of the foundation of Ferrari enthusiasts of southern California and was instrumental in the growth of the Ferrari community.

Walt joined the Ferrari Owners Club in 1966 as member #46 where he and his wonderful wife Carolyn have been two of the hardest working members of the Club. Walt had served on the board since the sixties holding nearly board position including two-time President in 1974 and 1986. He had served as both Membership and Region Chairperson for years and served on countless nominating committees. Walt also was awarded the very prestigious Hans Tanner award which he was also first honored with in 1987. In 2002 he received the Lifetime Achievement Recognition.

Many of the events that are enjoyed today were conceived and initiated by Walt. He organized the first Laguna Seca Monterey Historic Automobile Races in collaboration with Steve Earle. Walt also pioneered the Virginia City Hill Climb with Hans Tanner. With the help of his devoted wife Carolyn, the first Ride & Drive to The Giant Forest redwoods. Walt with the assistance of his wife were also instrumental in the launch of the Palm Springs Races.

# J. B. Nethercutt



'The recognition and preservation of beauty has been a major focus of my life, it would suit me well if what people remembered about me was "Where he went he left beauty behind."' J.B. Nethercutt J. B. Nethercutt co-founder of Merle Norman Cosmetics & founder of The Nethercutt Collection & Museum passed-away December 6, 2004. He was 91 years old. Mr. Nethercutt was born in South Bend, Indiana in 1913. He moved to Santa Monica, California to live with his maternal aunt Merle Norman after his mother's death when he was only nine years old. Mrs. Norman, in the 1920's, had begun a small business producing cosmetics for sale locally and opened her first Merle Norman Cosmetic studio in Ocean Park, California in the 1930's. Mr. Nethercutt was then a student at Cal Tech but decided toquit school to go into business with Mrs. Norman. J.B. Nethercutt's ideas, attention to detail and a great business instinct led to his cofounding with Mrs. Norman of one of America's most successful and respected businesses.

J. B. Nethercutt married his childhood sweetheart Dorothy Sykes in 1933. The marriage lasted over 70 years until her death on October 8, 2004. It was during the early part of their life together that J.B. & Dorothy Nethercutt began their love affair with old cars, back then of course they were new cars. J.B. said "When we were out driving we would see the gleaming monsters that we call Classics today, and we studied them, visited the automobile showrooms, we bugged the salesmen to death." He said with a smile. "We got to a point where we could identify a car two blocks away and pretty well quote the specifications on it. Years later when I had become successful in the business I had started, we were affluent enough to afford one of those gleaming monsters we remembered so well, we found that most of them were in dreadful condition." This was the beginning of a lifelong passion to preserve and protect those wonderful automobiles from their youth, a passion that continues today. And, the founding of one of the world's finest collections of Antique and Classic automobile collections: The Nethercutt Collection & Museum now numbering over 240 automobiles and dozens of mechanical musical devices. Since1958, Mr. Nethercutt has won the Pebble Beach Concours d'Elegance six times, more than any other individual.

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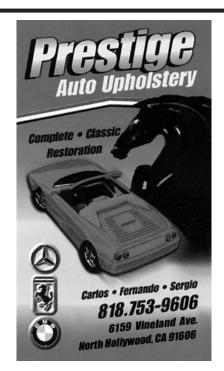
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