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## GETTING TO KNOW YOU! GARY HASTON



Gary has been in the area since 1950, going through his school years in Ceres and graduating from Ceres High. He has been in business for himself since 1977 as Haston Corporation. He has spent those years making a great reputation for himself and his company specializing in framing and dry-wall.

Gary has always loved cars and boats, especially those that go fast. Presently, he has a Sanger flat bottom racing boat with a 427 engine and enjoys boating and camping at the lake with his son Adam and their friends. His son Adam is 23 years old.

You might see Gary on a tour, but you will definitely see him during the Graffiti week events in his gorgeous 1962 Impala, which has a 502 engine with a Ford 9" positraction transmission. As you can see in his photo, the wheels are American Racing Torque Thrust II's.

Gary and I were visiting one day and we found that we both loved old "war bird" airplanes, so I did his car in front of this World War II bomber.



## CHANGE IN MEETING DATE FOR APRIL

WE WILL HAVE A *NEW MEETING DATE* THIS MONTH. FOR ONE MONTH ONLY, WE WILL MEET ON **APRIL 14TH** AT PERKO'S RESTAURANT IN RIVERBANK AT PATTERSON AND OAKDALE ROADS. 7 PM, AS USUAL. COME EARLIER IF YOU ARE EATING DINNER.

### **APRIL 8 TOUR to DURTES NURSERY** TOUR DIRECTOR—Don & Margie Wood

Depart: Line up @ Airport Way, in front of Sky Trek Aviation @ 9:30 AM—on Mitchel Rd. in Modesto.

Tour: 10 AM (wear walking shoes) then off to Hot Rod Diner .

Lunch: Hot Rod Diner in Turlock @ 12:30 p.m.

### **MAY 1 DELTA TOUR** TOUR DIRECTOR—DON & MARGIE WOOD

Tour Delta then Brunch @ Grand Island Mansion  
Depart Flying J in Ripon @ 8:30 AM Sharp  
Pit Stop in Thornton  
Arrive @ Grand Island Mansion by 11 AM  
Brunch @ 11:30 AM

Please have your check to Diane Braner by April 15.

**STANISLAUS INSURANCE ASSOCIATION MIXER - DIRECTORS, DON & MARGIE WOOD**  
*Held at Don & Gloria Monaco's Hanger March 11, 2011*



**Don & Gloria Monaco With Some of Their Toys**



**Don & Margie Wood & Orval Welch**

**Don & Kathy Facha's 69 Camaro**

**Dick & Diane Braner's 1951 Cessna 170 Plane**



**Jack & Vicki Flower's  
72 Corvette**

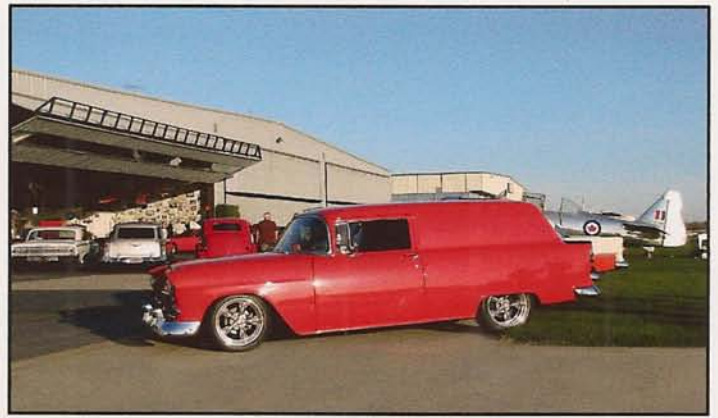
**Louie & Jewell  
Wyrsch's 71 Camaro**

**R:Van Unen's Nova  
Wilson's Mustange  
Wild's Ford Coupe**





Left:  
Mike Cassle  
Don Monaco  
Rick Walker  
Right:  
Chuck Lee's 55  
Below Left:  
Joe Stewart  
Vicki Flower  
Jean Cassle  
Below:  
Cassle's 55  
Koseiwicz 55  
Parham's 38



We had 45 people from our Club plus insurance people. We all had a fun time. The weather turned out nice, as were all of the people we visited with. Thanks Don & Margie for a fun time and thanks especially to Don & Gloria Monaco for hosting such a great event.

**Those Present:**

Phil & June Barone  
Sam Autry & Debbie Bice  
Jerry & Terry Barlow  
Dick & Diane Braner  
Mike & Jean Cassle  
Don & Kathy Facha  
Jack & Vicki Flower  
Sam & Gayle Gotshall  
Don & Elaine Harmon  
Skip & Dorothy Koseiwicz  
Dub & Bonnie Kyle

Carl & Velma Mercer  
Johnnie & Shirley Mercer  
Gary Parham  
Joe & Barbara Stewart  
Rick & Val VanUnen  
Mike & Jan VanWey  
Rick & Kerry Walker  
Orval & Diane Welch  
Glen & Sandy Wild  
Dennis & Carol Wilson  
Don & Margie Wood  
Louie Wyrsh



## CALENDAR OF EVENTS

### APRIL

- 14 Club Meeting @ Perko's on Oakdale & Patterson Roads in RIVERBANK. **CHANGE OF DATE**  
 8 Tour to Duarte Nursery & then go to Hot Rod Diner in Turlock for lunch. Will have sign-up sheet @ meeting. Line up at Airport Way in front of Sky Trek Aviation on Mitchell Road for Departure.  
 10 Stockton—Swap Meet & Car Show @ San Joaquin County Fairgrounds  
 13-17 Redding Convention Center—Kool April Nites  
 16 Lathrop—21st Annual Northern California NSRA Appreciation Day 9 am—3 pm Sangalang Park  
 17 Sacramento—Classic Car Swap Meet Arco Arena, 6 am—4 pm  
 11-18 Redding—Kool April Nites  
 21 Auburn Historic Old Town Car Show 4-8 pm Free to all cars 72 & older  
 23 Shingle Springs Spring Fest by Capital City Cruisers, Redhawk Casino, 75 & older, limited to 300 cars.  
 28 **Brian Ferguson requests cars for his school event (Country Faire Open House). Thurs @ 5:30 pm**  
 29 Bakersfield-35th Annual NSRA West Street Rod Nationals, Kern Co. Fairgrounds—754-875-4032  
 30 Tracy—San Joaquin River Club 7th Annual Spring Fling Car Show 30000 Kasson Rd. 9-4 pm, entry \$20.  
 30 Grass Valley—Annual Grass Valley Downtown Car Show 10 am—3 pm Entry Fee \$20 Limited to 350 vehicles.

### MAY

- 12 Club Board Meeting & Skip & Dorothy Dosiewicz's home  
 26 Club Meeting @ Perko's on Oakdale & Patterson Roads in RIVERBANK  
 1 Delta Tour -Brunch at Grand Island Mansion Leave Flying J in Ripon at 8:30 AM sharp.  
 1 Turlock—Spring Swap Meet @ Turlock Fairgrounds  
 1 Sacramento — Swap Meet—American River College 4700 College Oak Dr.  
 1 Half Moon Bay — Pacific Coast Dream Machines  
 7 Copperopolis—11th Annual Lake Tulloch Lions Club Hot Copper Car Show @ Town Square-entry fee \$25 George 470-4644  
 14 Galt—Strawberry Festival Cruise N'Ride Custom Car & Bike Show @ Veteran's Field 607-9770  
 15 Stockton—Swap Meet & Car Show @ San Joaquin County Fairgrounds  
 29 Manteca—Hero's Car Show More info to follow. Try to hold this date open.

Louie & Jewell Wyrsh volunteered to host the 4th of July Party on July 2. More Info to follow.

We have volunteers for the Christmas Party to be held at SOS Club this year.  
 The Chairpersons are Ray Coyle & Kathy Facha.

**WE STILL NEED CHAIRPERSON FOR THE ANNIVERSARY DINNER.**

### Message From the Board:

**Club Meetings will be held the 4th Thursday of each month at Perko's Restaurant on Oakdale & Patterson Roads in Riverbank.**

**April 14 — Club Meet @ Perko's on Oakdale & Patterson Roads, Riverbank (CHANGE OF DATE)**

**May 19— Club Meet @ Perko's on Oakdale & Patterson Roads, Riverbank**

**Board Meetings will be held the 2nd Thursday of each month at a club member's home.**

**Board Meeting for May 12, will be at Skip & Dorothy Kosiewicz's home**

We look forward to your suggestions, and you are always welcome to attend any of the Board meetings. Please call host before.

### Happy Birthday & Anniversary to You!

#### APRIL

- 3 Debbie Bice  
 4 Don Harmon  
 9 Frank Blanas  
 9 Dub Kyle  
 13 Luann Harrison  
 16 Jewell Wyrsh  
 17 Traci Pantaleo  
 20 Tim Dodd  
 21 Wendy Parham  
 22 Brian Ferguson  
 30 Karina Kelland

#### ANNIVERSARIES

- 11 John & Shirley Mercer  
 17 Jerry & Phyllis Galey

#### MAY

- 7 Bill Harrison  
 14 Ray Coyle  
 20 Gary Parham  
 25 Gary Haston  
 31 Sandy Wild

#### ANNIVERSARIES

- 16 Vic & Jeannine Beltz  
 16 Carl & Velma Mercer  
 17 Bill & Luann Harrison  
 22 Joe & Barbara Stewart

### APRIL 28 Brian Ferguson School Open House

Brian would appreciate members bring their cars to Salida Middle School at Kiernan Ave. and Toombs Rd. for their Country Faire Open House.

**Driver gets a free hamburger and drink.**

**This is reason we changed the Club meeting date this month to allow those that could to support Brian.**

Sam Autry's Saturday Breakfast will be held the 1st Saturday of each month until further notice.