

# Classic Chassis Car Club-San Antonio San Antonio "Ride With Pride"



## July 2017—Pride Parade

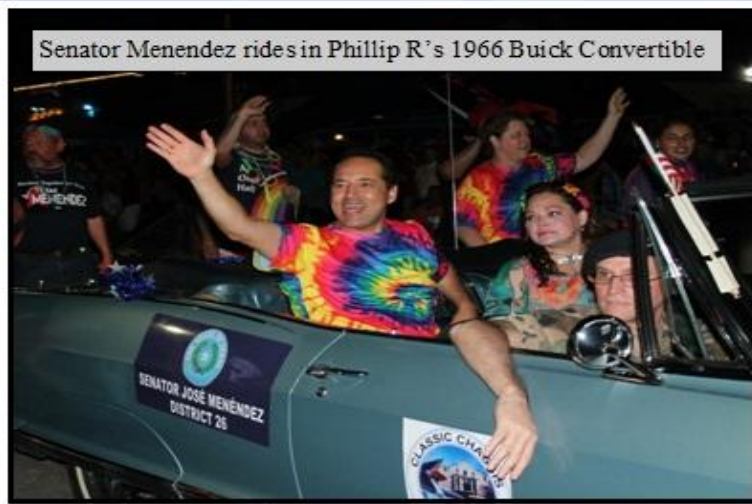
*We let the "Girls" out for June Pride Month!  
The Club always supports San Antonio Pride by carrying dignitaries.*

# PRIDE

## San Antonio

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Senator Menendez rides in Phillip R's 1966 Buick Convertible

## August 2017 Find—1966 Ford Thunderbird—Stan L.—LCCI Member

*1966 Ford Thunderbird—  
"A Love Story" by Stan L.  
San Antonio Club*

*(For this story and more  
photos, see Pages 4-5)*

*A childhood dream  
and want becomes a  
reality for one San  
Antonio Club Mem-  
ber!*



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For information on any event on this page, please call Tom/ President at (210)422-5313!

# Classic Chassis Car Club-San Antonio

## Upcoming Events for August—October 2017

### August 2017



**Saturday  
August 5, 2017  
1:00PM**

#### San Antonio Club Summer Picnic

Saturday, August 5, 2017—1:00PM

HOSTED BY DONNIE DUNFORD AT HIS COUNTRY HOME!

Please bring a side-dish to complement the Picnic—LCCI-San Antonio will provide the meat (Hot Dogs, Hamburgers & "fixin's!") and please bring your own towel and swim attire.

For details call Tom at (210)422-5313

### September 2017

**Cool Crest MINIATURE GOLF**  
World's Finest

**Saturday  
September 9, 2017  
10:00AM**

**9:45AM—Meet at the Course!**  
1402 Fredericksburg Road (Just west of IH10 on right)

**Prices (tax included):**  
\$9 - Adults (ages 13-54)  
\$8 - Seniors (ages 55+)  
\$8 - Military (with ID)

## OCTOBER 2017



### "GOLDEN GHOULS" 2017

OCT 20—22, 2017

#### ARE YOU REGISTERED?

FOR MORE INFO AND CALENDAR OF EVENTS  
SEE PAGE 9!



*Lambda Car Club International  
"... is the largest collector car club for gay and lesbian people in North America. Membership is at 2,200, and there are 32 active regions throughout the U.S. and Canada. All vehicles of any age or condition are welcome at club events. You don't even need to own a car to belong. You do need to enjoy vehicles and social fellowship with LGBT people who also enjoy vehicles."*

*-LCCI Website-2017*



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## **The "Top 10" Things Your Mechanic Doesn't Want you to know!**

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*Some garages get a percentage of parts sales, or might have a friend in the parts business who they try and support. Often you can get the same part (even OEM or OE parts) for much cheaper elsewhere. If you decide to shop online, be sure to buy from reputable sources to help avoid the risk of receiving a counterfeit part. Ask your mechanic to see if they will install parts that you supply – often they will, but they probably won't provide a warranty on the work if the part is defective.*

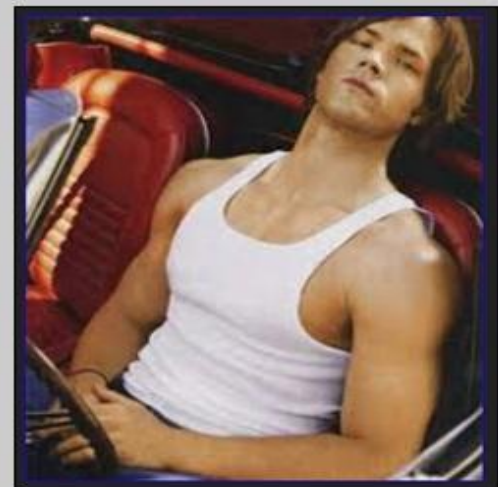
*From AutobyteL.Com—*

***The true price of car parts!***

## ***Joke of the Month***

**Why is it so hard for women to find men that are sensitive, caring, and good-looking?**

***Because those men already have boyfriends!***



"Barn Find" is a regular feature of the monthly newsletter (from Page 1)



# Stan L's 1966 Ford Thunderbird (From Page 1)

Story & Photos from: Stan L.—San Antonio LCCI Member

## A Love Story

*This is a story that began in 1966, when as a young boy I fell in love with the Thunderbird that had sequential turn signals, a tilt away steering column and an instrument panel designed to resemble one in an airplane cockpit. I told everyone that if I was old enough to drive, this was the car I would buy. As the years passed, my dream car eluded me, but my love lived on for this magnificent automobile. 40 years later, while telling a friend about my dream car, he said he knew someone who owned a T-bird like I described, and he was pretty sure it was for sale. He contacted his friend, and we scheduled a day to go see it.*



.....(from above)

*On a hot Sunday in August 2006, three wonderful friends gave up their day of relaxation and joined me on the long trip. Beginning at 4:30am, we drove 300 miles to North Richland Hills to check the car out, purchase it, and return. Slowly, (at least while I was driving with white knuckles on the steering wheel) we drove 300 miles back to San Antonio in a very hot car with a black interior and non working air-conditioner. The temperature had risen to 103 degrees.*

*We traveled with a box load of "just in case" auto parts, a tool box, an AAA membership, and a large dose of enthusiasm. Fortunately we made the return trip without need of the first 3 items. The only mishap was when my friend pulled back the vent levers in the center of the dashboard. Dirt and leaves flew into the interior and all over us. We were dripping in sweat and coated with debris, but that was a small price to pay in my opinion! My new addition was home at 10:30pm that same evening.*

*The car club newsletter announced the arrival of our newest member to the family, and all came to ooh and aah over my new baby. I have received an enormous amount of much appreciated help since then from many great people.*

*Yes, this is a love story about a great car, but even more special is the love of my good friends that helped me to get the car and make it into the beauty it is today.*



*Want to see this and other San Antonio Member cars?*

**VISIT: [www.cccc-sanantonio.com](http://www.cccc-sanantonio.com)!** (click on Member Cars)

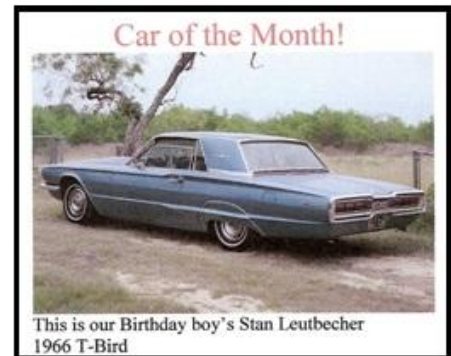


*1st & 2nd Row: Stan's 1966 T-Bird after a new paint job, wheel covers, and fender skirts.*

*Bottom Left: Stan's 1966 T-Bird shown at a Halloween 2006 Car Show—just a few months after he acquired it.*

*Bottom Right: It was featured as the Club's "Car of the Month in September 2008!*

*Thanks Stan for this story!*



**Story and Photos Courtesy of:**

**Stan L. & Ron C.**



Our club holds monthly events and meetings! See our "Contacts" page to send us a message and join us for the fun or visit us online:

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*July 1, 2017—Annual SA Pride Parade!*



Phillip R's 1966 Buick Electra 225 Convertible. Thanks so much Phillip for bringing it down from Austin and sharing it with the Parade and Texas Senator Jose Menendez!



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LA VILLITA 2017

Classic Chassis Car Club—San Antonio was proud to be a sponsor of SA Pride in 2017. We have a long-standing tradition of providing classic convertibles for the Parade. (Circled Below) Our Logo on the Pride SA Website as a sponsor!



Miguel & Mike's 1973 VW Convertible



Tom's Car has a new drag name....."Ms. Bitchy Trunk!"

*Photos By:*

**Ron C.  
Shayne B.  
Jessica Barraza**



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## July 1, 2017—Annual SA Pride Parade!

Club Members—Ron C. and Phillip R. chatting while Sen. & Ms. Mendendez await the parade starting.



All the Club Convertibles are decorated and ready to roll! Thanks to all our members for allowing us the pure privilege of using these fine classic automobiles to represent our Club!





*The SA Club always supports SA Pride carrying dignitaries! Want to see more photos or want to join in? Visit our website at:*



Senator and Mrs. Menendez with Ron & Phillip in the Buick 225



Classy Logo on a classy Mercedes Convertible



*For the 3rd Year in a Row, Pride SA broke attendance records with an estimated 91,000 people participating in a 2.5 hour long parade with over 222 individual parade entries. Great job John Poindexter for keeping everyone "in line"! (Photo: Our Club Cars Lined Up)*

*Photos By:*

**Ron C.  
Shayne B.  
Jessica Barraza**



*Golden Girls 2017 Will Be Hosted By the  
LCCI-San Antonio Club*



**CLASSIC CHASSIS CAR CLUB- SAN ANTONIO**

**'GOLDEN GHOULS - 2017'!**

*Tentative Schedule until 60 Days Prior to Event*

**FRIDAY, OCTOBER 20 - SUNDAY, OCTOBER 22, 2017**

Register online at [www.cccc-sanantonio.com](http://www.cccc-sanantonio.com)

Friday, October 20, 2017:

- 3:00PM - 8:00PM: Registration/Meet & Greet Social at our Host Hotel Hell (El Tropico - 110 Lexington on the River!) Lite Buffet Provided
- 8:30PM - 10:30PM: Take the Haunted "Party Bus" to a Ghostly, Ghoully, Haunted Tour of San Antonio's Scariest, and Eerieest Ghost Haunts!
- 10:30PM - Free Time/Socialize Individually at San Antonio's Hottest Hot Spots!

Saturday, October 21, 2017:

- 8:00AM - 9:30AM: Breakfast at Hotel Hell!
- 10:00AM - 2:00PM: Driving Tour of Downtown & Old King William District - Visit the 1876 Edward Steve's Mansion - Lunch at Pearl Complex
- 2:00PM - 4:00PM: Free Time
- 4:00PM - 6:00PM: Car Line - Up & Preparation / Individual Costume Preparation
- 6:00PM - 9:00PM: "Golden Ghouls 2017" Car Show and Awards Dinner (Special Trophies for "Best Costume" & "Best Tail(lights!)")
- 10:30PM - Free Time/Socialize Individually at San Antonio's Hottest Hot Spots!

Sunday, October 22, 2017:

- 10:00AM - 12:00PM "Golden Ghouls/Girls" Farewell Brunch - Hosted by LCCI -San Antonio at Host Hotel

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