



GOLDEN GATE CHARTER REGIONAL GROUP #1

V-8 CLUB - SECOND 2026 CALENDAR PLANNER

Annual Chapter Membership Dues are Overdue!

EVENTS, TOURS, AND SWAP MEETS

February:

Feb 2 - Groundhog Day

12 - Lincoln's B-Day

14 - **Golden Gate RG#1 – 9:30am General Meeting and Breakfast** – Le Paradis, 22809 Mission Blvd, Hayward, CA 94541 – Open to all members and guests. You could win a free breakfast just by attending!

14 - Valentines Day

16 - Presidents' Day and Washington's B-Day (Celebrated)

22 - Washington's B-Day

March:

14 - Golden Gate RG#1 – 9:30am General Meeting and Breakfast – Le Paradis, 22809 Mission Blvd, Hayward, CA 94541 – Open to all members and guests. You could win a free breakfast just by attending!

17 – St. Patrick's Day

SAVE THESE 2026 DATES:

Black Bart Tour – April 17 – 19 – Registration form attached

Drive your V-8 Day – June 21, 2026

East Coast National Meet – Sept 24 – 26, 2026 – Hosted by Garden State Region #38 in Princeton, NJ – See Nov/Dec V-8 Times for additional Information.

GOLDEN GATE Charter RG#1 – 37th Annual Bean Bash – November 8, 2026

CARS AND COFFEE/ CRUISE IN EVENTS:

(Get your car out of the garage and share it, or just enjoy the cars of like-minded individuals, [maybe meet our next new member!](#)) (Provided by [Upcoming Events - NorCal Car Culture - NorCalCarCulture.com](#)) (Some of these may be seasonal. Check at the above link to verify event dates)

Alameda Cars and Coffee - Every First Saturday 8AM - 10AM - Greer Family Mortuary 2694 Blanding Ave, Alameda (May through November)

Castro Valley Moose Lodge Cars and BBQ - Every Fourth Wednesday 3PM - 7PM - Hayward Castro Valley Lodge #1491, 20835 Rutledge Rd Castro Valley (May thru Aug). More info - castrovalleymoose1491@gmail.com

Danville Livery Cars and Coffee - Fridays from 8:30am to 10am at 400 Sycamore Valley Road, Danville

Niles Flying A Classics and Coffee - Every Second Sunday 7AM - 11AM - Niles Flying A
37810 Niles Blvd, Fremont

Redwood City Cars and Coffee - Every Second Sunday 7AM - 10AM - Breakers Cafe 270
Woodside Road, Redwood City. More info carsandcoffee peninsula@gmail.com

Rob's Zombies Cars and Coffee - Every Saturday 8AM – 12PM - Rob's Zombies 1776
Arnold Industrial Way, Concord

Rose's Cars and Coffee – First Saturday 8AM - 10AM - Lloyd's Donuts 5200 Mowry Avenue
Fremont

The Hot Concord Nights Cruise-In - every Saturday evening at 6pm at Los Tacos de
Pancho, 2699 Clayton Road

The San Francisco Ocean Beach Cars and Coffee - every third Sunday at Ocean Beach in
San Francisco

San Leandro Rodder's Night Out – Every 2nd and 4th Thursday 3:30PM till Dusk. Parking Lot
at the corner of Washington and Floresta, San Leandro (Near Elio's Restaurant)

The San Mateo Cars and Coffee is every other Sunday at 10am at Auto Vino, 380 Industrial
Road.

South San Francisco - The Bay Area Summer Nights is every Friday from 6pm to 10pm at
925 El Camino Real.

Benicia - Benicia Cars and Coffee is the first Saturday of the month from 8am to 11am at
Starbucks, 90 Solano Square.

Foster City - The Peninsula Mustang's Cars and Coffee is every first Sunday from 8am to
10am at Armadillo Willy's, 2260 Bridgepointe Parkway

GOOD OF THE ORDER:

Annual Membership Dues are OVERDUE! Please mail your payment of \$30.00 by
December 31st to Wilma Lenz 1200 W. Winton Avenue #79, Hayward, CA94545. Make
checks payable to GGRG#1

Me and My V8 - It would be great to feature club members and their cars and/or
experiences in this publication so we can continue to get to know one another. Please
consider writing a short story about one of your cars or an experience that I can share.
Include pictures if you have them and any other facts to peak club member
curiosity. Submit your story to Matt Beall, mbeall_ra@yahoo.com, (510)910-4321.

EVENTS and TOURS – Plan, lead or suggest a tour. Do you have a favorite tour from days past? Is there somewhere you'd love to take a drive? A Museum? A Park? Someone's Garage? A Car event? Let's make it happen! Let me know... Matt Beall, mbeall_ra@yahoo.com, (510)910-4321.

CALENDAR INPUT - If you have any Dates, For Sales Items, information or additional content you would like to share with the Club, please reach out to mbeall_ra@yahoo.com or (510)910-4321.

PARTS WANTED/FOR SALE:

Tools – Automotive End Lift 4000 lbs capacity and Engine Stand – Both for \$300 – Call Jay Jennings (510)604-3656

Parts for sale – Miscellaneous Ford Parts. Lots to choose from, reasonably priced, (some FREE!) - Call Mike Aahl @ (510)760-1260

We help Sell or Buy your Cars and Parts - Complete cars, unfinished projects, and parts - Call Mike Aahl @ (510)760-1260

Automobile Storage - Safe and Secure facility - Call Mike Aahl @ (510)760-1260

BIRTHDAYS AND ANNIVERSARIES:

February: 20th Jim Derickson, 23rd Juanita Simpson and 27th Mike Aahl

March: 6th Kohler Anniversary, 11th Mark Norell, 14th Linda Womack, 20th Jeanette Palmer, 22nd Jerry Lew, 25th Kathy Derickson, 29th Wilma Lenz, 30th Marilyn Repp and 31st Palmer Anniversary.

SIDE NOTES:

Driving Tours - We are working on coordinating some driving tours this year. We are looking at drives to Niles Canyon with lunch and antique Shopping, a trip to the Black Hawk Museum possibly starting with a visit to Rich Callan's garage, Ice cream at the Ghirardelli

Factory Store (Drive your V-8 Day June 21st) and a visit to East Bay Speed and Custom. These are in the planning stages at this point. If you would like to coordinate and lead a tour, please let us know. One of these, or your own. If you have any additional ideas, please feel free to share. Let's make this a year to drive your early V-8 and share some comradery with our Early Ford V-8 family.

Happy Valentine's Day!

