

UFO Sports Car Driving Enthusiasts & Friends ~ 2nd Annual Fabulous Fourth Fun Run Scotts Valley, CA - Eureka, CA

July 1 - 4, 2010

Have some fun with your cool ride!

UFO Sports Car Driving Enthusiasts and Friends Fabulous Fourth Fun Run begins with a day of back country driving on Thurs. July 1st. We will meet at Scotts Valley, CA at 7:30 AM on Thursday July 1st to begin the trek. There will be 2 other predetermined meeting points along the way northward for people who are coming from central valley locations or from other points north. We have specifically mapped out stops for gas and lunch. We will end up on day one at Red Bluff, CA. Hotel recommendations, meeting points, planned stops and trip schedule will be sent upon registration. On Friday, July 2nd we will start with a Tour of CA Highway 36 from Red Bluff to Eureka, CA. This is the same route as the famed and historic California Mille with miles of driving through towering redwood forests en route to Eureka. We will pause at several spots along the way to take some photos and look at the grand vistas. Chris Obert is taking us up a side road through the mountains where we will enjoy more twisty bits. We will arrive in Eureka late on Friday afternoon and have planned on a fun group dinner Friday evening. On Saturday, July 3rd we will participate an Autocross will be hosted by the Redwood Sports Car Club of Eureka, CA at the Samoa AutoX site. We plan on reprising our Saturday night dinner at Mazzotti's on the Plaza in Arcata. Sunday AM we will head out on the back roads to the Lost Coast then head for home on Sunday afternoon. Friday dinner and Saturday dinner are included in the entry. Other meals and hotel accommodations will need to be paid for separately. Recommended lodging and restaurant stops along the way will be made available in your acceptance letter *Note: There are no refunds after June 27th, 2010.

DEADLINE FOR MAIL IN ENTRY - MUST BE RECEIVED BY SATURDAY, June 26th, 2010.

SEND COMPLETED REGISTRATION FORM TO: NorCal UFO – Fab 4th Fun Run c/o Dennis Hale
8683 Glen Arbor Rd.
Ben Lomond, CA 95005

MAKE CHECKS PAYABLE TO: NorCal UFO For More Information Call: (831) 336-2444
UFO Fab 4th Fun Run Registration Form

Driver Name _____ Drivers License # and State _____

2nd Driver Name _____ Drivers License # and State _____

(sharing the same car)

Rider Name _____ Please list your riders name if passenger only.

Child(ren)

Name(s)Age(s) _____

Address _____ City _____ State/Prov _____ Zip/ Postal Code _____

Club Affiliation _____ Car Make: _____ Model _____ Year _____

REGISTRATION OPEN UNTIL June 27, 2010				
Dinners include tax and tip!	Cost		# Entries	\$ Total
Includes Driving Tour, 1 Auto X Entry; 2 dinners	\$60.00	per Driver		
Extra Non-Driver Friday Night Dinner	\$20.00	per Person		
Extra Non-Driver Saturday Night Dinner	\$20.00	per Person		
TOTAL SUBMITTED: UNITED STATES FUNDS ONLY \$				



Event Workers - The AutoX and Gymkhana will need workers just like any regular UFO AutoX would. You will sign in with the Redwood Club when we get there to work your work groups just like you would at a UFO event. You run, you work!

Please bring a CB in your car if you have one so that we can communicate!

Information About the UFO Fab 4th Fun Run

The flyer is attached in this newsletter which has a brief description of the Fun Run. Our intention is for this to be a fun driving experience going on at least some roads you may not have driven before.

For those of us on the Santa Cruz side of the hill, we will meet at 7:30 AM on Thursday July 1st at:

Ferrell's Donuts-The Original
5520 Scotts Valley Dr
Scotts Valley, CA 95066
(831) 438-0423

We will take the freeway, Hwy 17, to the Mission crossover (Hiway 262) to Hiway 680 and then proceed North toward Sacramento. We will drive the freeway north through Walnut Creek & over the bridge keeping on 680 to **Cordelia, CA. We will be stopping at the 76 Station next to the Burger King (I think it is a Burger King, the 76 is the 1st station on the exit on the left) at Cordelia. This is the 1st exit after the 680 – 80 merge toward Sacramento**, stay in the right lane at the merge as we will get off there. We will top off on gas then head out on Suisun Valley Rd taking the back roads from there on up to Red Bluff. We should be at Cordelia by 9:00. We will plan on leaving there by 9:30 AM. I have plotted a route that should NOT have any dirt roads for us to navigate. We hope for clear back roads with lots of twistie bits to have fun on.

On our way up to Red Bluff, we'll probably try to take in Granzella's Restaurant in Williams, CA, which has a great meatball sandwich, a full deli counter and full restaurant. We probably won't make it up there until around 2:00 PM so it will be a late lunch. As far as the food stops go, I try to make sure that we pick places that give you plenty of food and don't leave you hungry.

We also are trying to do this event on the cheap side so choose the cheaper accommodations as our "host" hotels. There are more expensive alternatives in Arcata, Eureka area, but in order to keep the prices down, we went with the Super 8. When I checked for reservations at both of the places, Red Bluff and Arcata, CA, you could book in an additional discount of 15% which made the rooms around \$65 per night for 2 adults plus room tax, which was pretty reasonable but it looks like they have the reservation non-refundable so you better be sure you are coming if you opt for the cheaper price. Both places have photographs of the properties on the web and look reasonably decent.

At Red Bluff the place we picked to stay is the Super 8, Red Bluff for Thursday, July 1st.

Super 8 Red Bluff
30 Gilmore Road
Red Bluff, CA 96080
Phone 530 529-2028

We will plan on going to the Riverside Bar & Grill for dinner like we did last year and is within walking distance of the Super 8 only .3 miles away, located 500 Riverside Way, Red Bluff, CA 96080, phone: 530-528-0370

On Friday, July 2nd, we will drive over Hiway 36 and arrive in the Eureka area late in the afternoon. We choose the Super 8 Arcata for Friday July 2nd & Saturday July 3rd as it was less pricey than hotels in Eureka proper and only an additional 10 miles away, but almost equidistant to the autoX site from Eureka.

Super 8 Arcata
4887 Valley West Boulevard
Arcata, CA 95521-4693
Phone: 707-822-8888

If we get into Arcata early we'll spend the time exploring old town Eureka and possibly choose a restaurant down in that area, but since we will be very close to the world famous Samoa Cookhouse when we get to Arcata, we may have Friday dinner there. There are some other restaurants that come highly recommended as well, the Jambalaya Restaurant and the Plaza Grill so we'll have to figure out which is the best before the run! Mazzotti's Italiano Restaurant is our choice for dinner on Saturday night as we had a nice dinner there last year and everyone seemed to enjoy themselves.

The Redwood Sports Car Club is having both a Saturday and Sunday AutoX. Our plan this year includes doing the AutoX on Saturday then Sunday AM after breakfast heading down through the lost coast on and driving some fun back roads that we have never been on before. Eventually we will end up on the northern end of the bay area at some point. We normally go around SF by going the Richmond San Rafael Bridge over to 880 then head on south but last year we elected to dodge over on Hwy 20 and down through Cache Creek and over to the 505 and down the rest of the way on Freeways. We'll see how the time goes and elect a route that will get us home before it gets too late!

The cost of the event breaks out as follows: \$60 Includes the Driving Tour, 1 Auto X Entry on Saturday; & 2 dinners (one Friday night and one Saturday night). What the event entry cost does NOT cover is your gas, your lodging, and the other meals along the way.

Another thing you will need to know is that often the weather in the Eureka – Arcata area is chilly even in the middle of summer. It may be 100 degrees in Red Bluff but in Eureka the fog may be in and it will be 50. Please bring a jacket! Also there may be wind out at the autoX site used by the RSCC club is at Samoa which it is right on the ocean so it gets windy, just like Marina! It also may be hot and sunny so don't forget your sunscreen!

I hope with all the detail I have given here, you feel excited to go on this fun trip with us but also know that we have an objective in mind and the trip is pretty well planned. We hope that along the way you will get to see something that you may have not seen before or drive on a road that you may not have been on and you will have a good time with your UFO friends.

If you have any questions, please don't hesitate to ask me! Peggy Peggy_hale_510@yahoo.com

My cell phone is: **831 278-2306**

I will have the cell phone on once we start the trip.