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Next Meeting: 11 March 1986

The next meeting of D.C.T.R.A. will be held in the banquet room of the HUNAN RESTAURANT, 1575 E. Camelback Rd., near the corner of 16th Street and Camelback. Starting time is 7:00 P.M.

- Amnesty Notice -

Any member still owing dues for the year of 1985 is hereby given a one time pardon, your 1985 indebtedness to the club is hereby forgiven. However, your dues for 1986 are still due.

Presidents Report: Fred Peck

Just a short note to remind everyone what's going on.

**Dues:** Please note Amnesty notice, Dues for 1986 are \$12.00.  
If you have not paid this years dues yet, please...remit.

**New Member Flyers** - will be available at the next meeting.

**Club T-Shirts** are in the works again - more about them at the next meeting.

**Next Event - Eloy Gran Prix** - Bring lawn chairs, if the weather stays as good as it has been, Eloy should be a great weekend of good racing. Plan to watch Tom keep his car upright, and possibly win in his class, with his new engine.

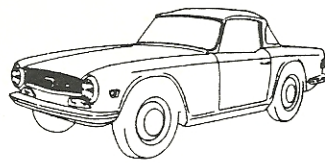
**British Car Day** - was rescheduled for March 1st. I'm writing this before the event, so I hope that there was a good turn out, and that everyone had a great time.

Now that the weather has turned nice, take your cars out and shine them up. After all that's why we enjoy owning them.

*FRED*

Treasurers Report: Gracie Pennell

We had four people join at the Banquet, who's names got lost. If you joined at the banquet please call me at 951-8472 to see if we have your name on the membership roster.



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Secretary's Report: Sherry Sharp

The D.C.T.R.A. meeting was called to order by Fred Peck, President. New members were introduced followed by the reintroduction of the new club officers.

**Old Business:** Discussion focused on the British Car Day, scheduled for Feb. 15th., at the Dover Industrial Park. Events were scheduled to begin at 9:30 AM. The ASRA Play Day was scheduled for Feb. 23rd, at Firebird in preparation for Eloy. Solo II was scheduled for Feb. 16th, at the U-Haul proving grounds, beginning at 8:00 AM. The Eloy Gran Prix is still scheduled for March 15th & 16th, pending insurance information and the councils vote. More information will be forth coming regarding the caravan to Eloy. Obtaining a bulk rate postage permit was discussed, and tabled till next meeting. All visitors were asked to fill out an application for membership, and be put on the club newsletter mailing list. Membership flyers reflecting club focus and direction are being prepared, copies will be available at the next meeting. Newsletter deadline is the 25th of the month, send all articles and pictures to Howard Hall. Club badges are available from Fred Peck at a cost of \$5.00 each. A decision regarding the printing of T-Shirts will be finalized at the next meeting. We're still looking for a club song. One entry has been received and reviewed. Request - pictures of TRA West '84 & '85. Please send to Fred Peck, club historian. The treasurers report was read by Gracie Pennell.

**New Business:** Entry forms were distributed by Bill Riddle for the Jaguar Club Concours D'Elegance to be held March 22nd, at the Biltmore Fashion Park. A presidents Plaque was presented, and will serve as a perpetual record of past club presidents. Tom Pennell described for new members and visitors our club affiliation with the national organizations V.T.R. a T.R.A. The meeting adjourned at 8:06 PM.

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Membership Report: Tom Pennell

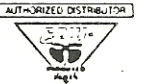
The following club members owe dues for 1986. Please see the treasurer at the next meeting to clear this matter. Thank you.

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Chadsey, Jim & Marcia  
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Dunbar, Paul R.  
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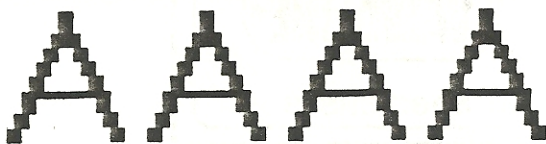
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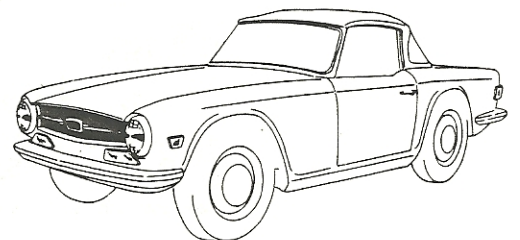
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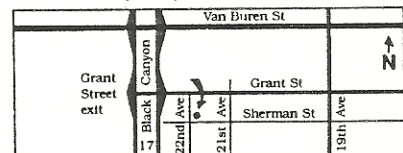
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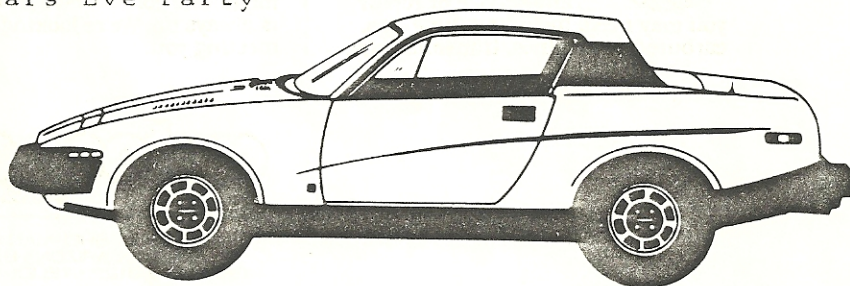
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- D.C.T.R.A. 1986 CALENDAR OF EVENTS -

- 11 MAR Monthly meeting
- 15, 16 MAR Club tour to Eloy Grand Prix
- 8 APR Monthly meeting
- 13 APR April Fool Rallye
- 13 MAY Monthly meeting
- 17 MAY Grand Canyon British Car Day
- 10 JUN Monthly meeting
- 14 JUN Annual Pool Party
- 8 JUL Monthly meeting
- 12 JUL Night desert barbeque
- 12 AUG Monthly meeting
- 16, 17 AUG Overnight mountain camp out
- 9 SEP Monthly meeting
- 13 SEP Western Night
- 14 OCT Monthly meeting
- 17, 18, 19, OCT TRIUMPHEST '86
- 11 NOV Monthly meeting
- 16 NOV Tortilla Flats picnic
- 9 DEC Monthly meeting
- 13 DEC X-MAS Party
- 31 DEC New Years Eve Party





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