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A Note from our President

What a great car show and race season it has been! However, when faced with a deadline of writing the PNWCC President's page my mind goes blank, so I am going to mention two great experiences of recent memory.
I thoroughly enjoyed myself on the track at OnGrid this past weekend on October 2nd at the Ridge Motorsports Park in with my friend Brent Franich. I felt more confident on the track with the "Green Flash" performing well and holding the track with the new 20" Goodyear F1 Supercar Sport 3 tires and the new Forgestar wheels.
All the participants at OnGrid had a safe day, but I did manage to see to two Porsche's spun out during my sessions; one at just after turn 4 and another just after turn 13. The Porsche at turn 13 surprised me the most since it was blind turn to the left and downhill, but I easily and safely cleared the wrong way pointing Porsche since it was all the way to the left side of the track, and I hugged the right side of the track downhill curve into turn 14.
The All Camaro Show was a success and the weather held. Here is the Best of Show winner below with the orange first generation Camaro.
In the coming year I would like to increase our membership and will work to implement some recent ideas I received from my fellow club officers that will achieve that goal. Thank you to all the officers and membership for making this a great car show season.

Thank you.

Brian Stanley, President PNWCC 2021

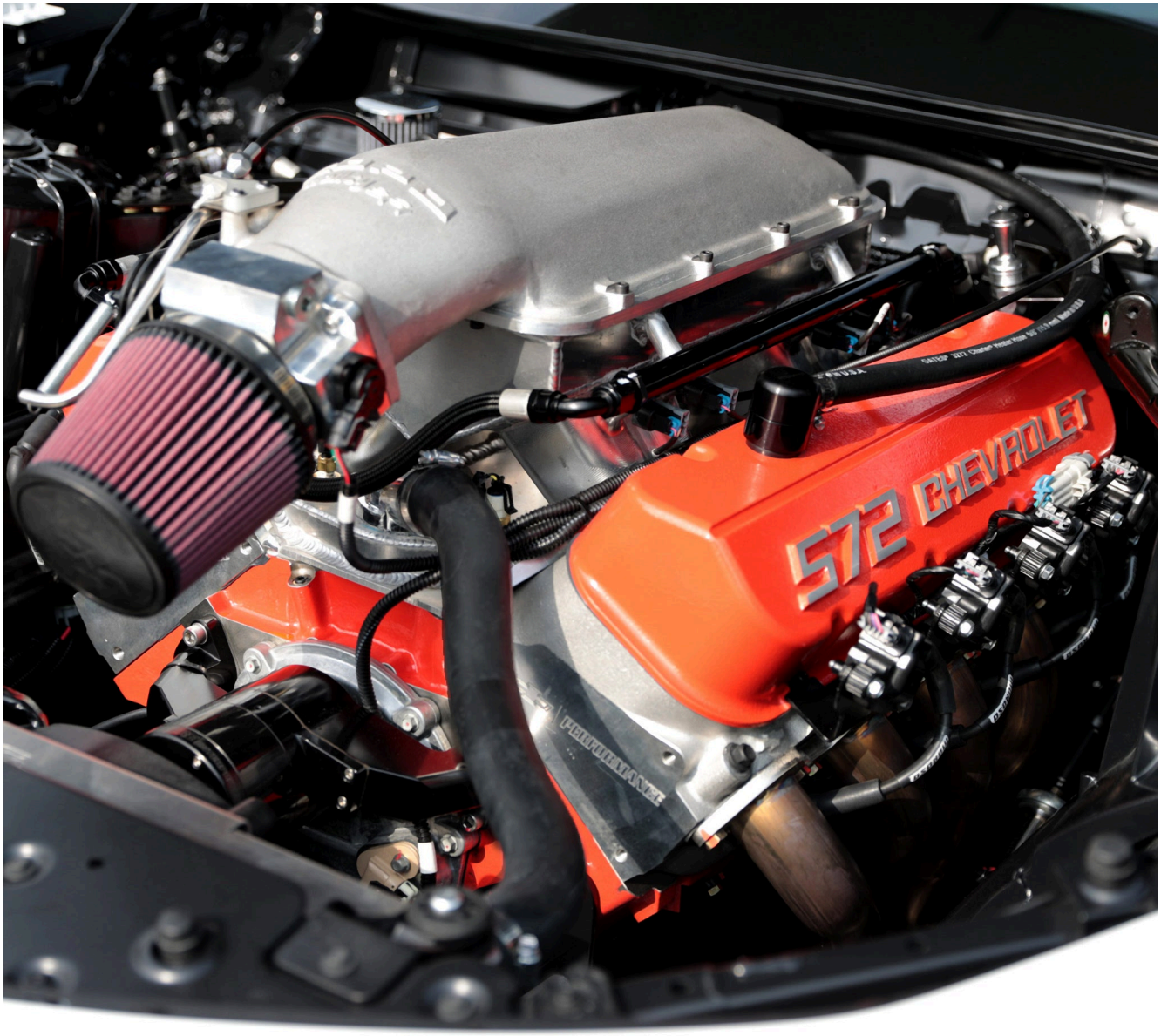
2022 Chevrolet COPO Camaro Unveiled with the Biggest V8 From Any American Automaker

It pops wheelies, just like you hoped for.

Chevy has unveiled the newest COPO Camaro, and it's a bit more...aggressive than expected. Sure, the classic COPO's 7.0-liter monster was nothing to sneeze at, but this latest version goes even further. Forget 427 cubic inches; that's just not enough.
As well as being offered with a supercharged 5.7-liter V8 and the classic 427, the new COPO Camaro enters the 2022 model year with a 9.4 liter—or 572-cubic-inch—V8. Indeed, it's the largest car engine GM makes.

The 2022 COPO Camaro is not street legal, to be clear. It's a purpose-built drag racing machine. As we described before, it has its roots planted firmly in Chevy drag racing history, namely the NHRA's Stock and Super Stock eliminator classes. That doesn't make its honkin' V8 any less impressive, of course; if anything, it makes it cooler.
The engine features four-bolt main caps, a forged steel crankshaft, forged steel rods, and forged aluminum pistons. You could say it's built like a brick... shore house. The iron-block 572 features aluminum heads as well, and all COPOs come equipped with a three-speed automatic transmission from ATI Racing Products.

All of this can be yours starting at $105,500 before dealer fees. That may sound expensive for a track toy, but keep in mind that fewer than 700 new COPO Camaros have been built since the program was jolted back to life in 2012. More people own modern Bugattis than COPO Camaros.



Chevy detailed power figures for this monster of an engine not in the press release, but in a separate COPO order form. It already makes a few 572 crate engines, the most powerful of which produces 727 horsepower and 680 pound-feet of torque, but this particular motor has been choked down to 430 horsepower to fit into a specific NHRA class. The 6,750 RPM-capable 572 installed in the COPO is also fuel-injected, unlike its more powerful siblings.

If you'd rather have the supercharged 5.7-liter, it makes 600 horsepower; the naturally aspirated 427 V8 produces an NHRA-rated 470 hp.

The Detroit automaker has previously restricted sales of the COPO Camaros to just 69 a year, but that's not the case anymore. Perhaps because the future seems uncertain for internal combustion, or perhaps because Camaro sales are in the gutter, Chevy has decided to accommodate as many customers as possible on a first-come, first-serve basis. It will be available starting in late 2021.

2021 Pacific NW Camaro Club Activities

October

9 10:00 am Tech Session at Griot's Garage, Tacoma
16 9:00 am Hotrods 4 Hearts Halloween bash cruise-in at Griot's Garage, Tacoma
26 6:30 pm PNWCC Board meeting @ Round Table Pizza in Renton
30 5:00 pm PNWCC General Meeting @ Round Table Pizza in Burien, **Nominations of 2022 Officers**
31 11:00 am Free 3rd Annual Pacific Raceways Trunk or Treat

November

6 5:30 pm PNWCC Awards Banquet, Angelo's Italian Restaurant, Burien
16 5:00pm PNWCC Board Meeting, Round Table Pizza, Renton
20 5:00pm PNWCC General Meeting, **ELECTION OF 2022 OFFICERS**

December

No Meetings in December *Happy Holidays*

NEW PNWCC SHIRTS!!!

We have NEW PNWCC shirts with a new design. Available in Black and Athletic Heather. You can order a T-shirt, Crewneck Sweatshirt, or Full Zip Hoodie, so come to the monthly club meeting to get your order in before they run out or send a note to StoreManager@pnwcc.com

Bowtie People

Birthdays

Larry Bellach	10/2	Marcia Christ	11/4
Marlena Jones	10/7	Dallas LeCoque	11/8
Maddie Smith	10/10	Sharon Loewen	11/12
Robert Copeland	10/11	Richard Owens	11/13
Brian Stanley	10/11	Kevin Ames	11/17
Cheryl Groesbeck	10/16	Nancy Holmes	11/18
Jackie Morris	10/18	Greg Scholz	11/18
Luke Bowers	10/25	Carolyn Sawyer	11/25
Natalie Schaefer	10/28	Mark Shaw	11/27
Lynne Marie Dean	11/3		

Anniversaries

Mark and Alice Shaw	10/4	Ken and Jodi Nylin	10/20
Jim and Laura Scharf	10/7	Dale and Jean Krehbiel	11/7
Jon and Karen Nidermayer	10/10	Pat and Gary Marshall	11/15

Hennessey Celebrates 30 Years with Special Exorcist Camaro ZL1

Only 30 will be built.

Hennessey has come a long way since the Texas company began tuning cars in 1991. Thirty years later, it's still turning out high-powered machines, and the company is celebrating the milestone with something special. This year, the tuner will offer a special Hennessey Exorcist 30th Anniversary Edition model, which will be produced in limited quantities and conclude the tuner's run of 100 Exorcist Camaro ZL1s.

Hennessey turns the Chevy Camaro ZL1 into a beast with several performance upgrades, with the heavily modified supercharged 6.2-liter V8 pumping out 1,000 horsepower and 883 pound-feet of torque. That's no different than the other Exorcist models, though that is plenty to rocket the coupe to 60 miles per hour in 2.1 seconds. It has a top speed of 217 mph and runs the quarter-mile in 9.57 seconds at 147 mph. Hennessey designed it to defeat the Dodge Demon.

Those who get the 30th Anniversary Edition model will get a Camaro outfitted with anniversary logos on the car's front fenders. Hennessey will also individually number each car with an Anniversary Edition chassis plate. Hennessey plans to build only 30 examples of the super-fast Chevy. The car does receive the powertrain overhaul to create all that power, like an upgraded supercharger, a high-flow air induction system, beefed-up valve train, ported cylinder heads, and much, much more.

The Hennessey Exorcist 30th Anniversary Edition Camaro starts at $135,000, and that includes the base Camaro ZL1 needed for the package upgrade. The tuned Camaro also comes with a two-year, 24,000-mile warranty from Hennessey.

Source: Hennessey

ALL ORIGINAL: 1987 CHEVROLET CAMARO IROC-Z SURVIVOR FOUND IN A GARAGE, HAS ONLY 13K MILES!

This 1987 Chevrolet Camaro IROC-Z is a fantastic car. The car's condition is close to perfect and it still has its original tires. This beauty was found in a garage in Florida with only 13,000 miles on the clock.

The owner of this car doesn't have any documentation to prove the mileage. Because of that, let's do a quick inspection of the car. The car presents close to perfect. The paint still shines, the glass is intact, and the original rims don't have any damage. Under the hood, this car has a 305 V8 engine which is hooked up to a 4-speed automatic transmission. The owner says that the car runs and drives like new, I am sure that his claim is true. The engine looks brand new and untouched. The interior of this car is also close to perfect. It has some minor damage which isn't something that is noticeable. As you can probably see, the car is loaded with options. It has air conditioning, power windows, power locks, a power driver's seat, power mirrors, and a power hatch release. All of this works as it should.

The overall condition of this Camaro is amazing. It sure holds up the owner's claims about the mileage. It has some minor issues which aren't even noticeable. With this amazing color and 13,000 miles, this Camaro sure has a lot to offer.

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Would you like to receive event and other club announcements by email? (check one): _____YES _____NO

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ANNIVERSAY (mm/dd):_____

CAMARO	YEAR	MODEL	TYPE	ENGINE	TRANS	COLOR
#1						

OTHER INFO/REMARKS:_____

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