



***RIPON POLICE, MENLO PARK POLICE AND  
THE CALIFORNIA LAW ENFORCEMENT HISTORICAL SOCIETY***  
 Present the 33rd Annual  
**Emergency Vehicle Display Show & Law Enforcement Recruitment Fair**  
**Saturday, October 7, 2023, 8 a.m. to 3 p.m.**  
**Ripon Community Center & Park**  
**334 West Fourth Street**  
**Ripon, California 95366**

The show is a pro public safety family event. You will see vehicles of all types including police, fire, ambulance, and military. All proceeds are donated to the Ripon Police Volunteers and Explorers, the Menlo Park Police Cadets, the California Law Enforcement Historical Society, and the CHP Historical Museum. Spectators are free. Congratulations to our 2022 Best of Show winner, Tom Cavellero and his 1941 Willys Jeep, U.S. Army.

Our 2023 show is dedicated to Hewy Wick, who passed away recently. Hewy was a kind friend and strong supporter of our show. He had restored numerous police, fire, and ambulance vehicles. He was known for always helping others with their restorations.

**Vehicle Entry** Public agency vehicles are **FREE**, privately owned vehicles are \$40.00 for pre-registration, \$45.00 for day of show. This show is open to any current or vintage vehicles including, Police, CHP, public relations/CSO/ volunteers, K9, mobile command, SWAT, ambulance, hearses, fire trucks, motorcycles, security, tow trucks, and military vehicles. Agency owned vehicles of any year are permitted. Privately owned vehicles must be at least 20 years old, unless they are unmarked and unequipped for the “daily driver” class. Contact us if you need further information. **All vehicles entering the show must arrive by 09:30 hours.**

**Recruitment Booth** Any public or private agency (LE related) is welcome to set up a recruitment booth, but a marked display vehicle is required. Public agencies are free; private agencies are \$50.00.

**Swap Meet** Spaces are available; all items must be hobby related only. The cost is \$50.00 per space.

**Cruise, Parade, and other Information** On Friday October 6 at 6 p.m., there will be a cruise escorted by Ripon Police starting from the Ripon Community Center. On Saturday, October 7 at 1:00 p.m., there will be a slow speed “code 3” parade escorted by the Ripon Police. Only vehicles registered in the show may participate in either event. The Ripon Police Dept oversees the cruise and the parade.

We thank the Ripon Police Dept, the Ripon Police Volunteers and Explorers, the Menlo Park Police Dept, the Menlo Park Police Officer’s Association, the Menlo Park Police Foundation, the California Law Enforcement Historical Society, the Walnut Creek Police Reserve Captain Chris Flath & the Walnut Creek Reserve Police Officer’s Association, retired Menlo Park Police Chief Bruce Cumming, Kevin Mc’Laughlin and family, Jeff & Mavis Leathley, Pete & Diane Onorato, Mr. Ernie Zebal, Sean & Bernice McDonagh, Joe DiCorpo and many other individuals who sponsor and support our event. We also recognize and thank our many show volunteers. Thank you all for supporting our event.

For further information or a entry form, please contact the **Event Coordinator Darryl M. Lindsay** via 650-743-4486 or email; [inpursuitmppd@yahoo.com](mailto:inpursuitmppd@yahoo.com), visit our Facebook page under the show title, or see our website at [www.riponmenloparkpolicecarshow.com](http://www.riponmenloparkpolicecarshow.com) Thank you again for your support.

## **Emergency Vehicle Show Classes**

**Best of Show** This winning entry will be selected by our expert judges. Any vehicle in any class is eligible.

**Best Restored and Novelty Police Vehicle, vehicle years 1900-2003** This class includes original police vehicles (non-police package cars that were used as a police vehicle) or a police package vehicle. Also includes vehicles that are not original or police package vehicles but have been restored to resemble one. It also includes law enforcement related TV and movie police cars.

**Display Vehicle** This class includes vehicles that are exempt from judging. Vehicles in this class may be owned by show volunteers, or participants that do not wish to be judged. Vehicles in this class may be awarded by Police Chief's choice, Chicago Police Award, or Sponsorship Family Award.

**Best Restored Special Service Pursuit Package Vehicle** This class includes any police package, Mustang or Camaro that is privately owned.

**Best Specialty Vehicle** This class includes public agency vehicles used for traffic enforcement, SWAT, K-9, bomb squads, prisoner transport, vehicles within the title, and others as determined.

**Best Police Motorcycle** This class includes restored or current, agency or privately owned police motorcycles.

**Best Fire, Ambulance, Medical, Military or Professional Vehicle** This class includes any restored or current fire vehicle, ambulance, medical, military, or professional vehicle, privately or publicly owned.

**Best In Service Police Vehicle** This class includes any current vehicle owned by a public agency used for routine patrol, and not covered in the Specialty class.

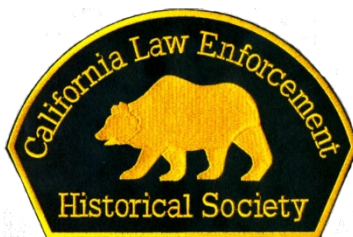
**Best In Service Security, Tow Truck or Daily Driver Vehicle** This class includes any security vehicle, tow truck, or daily driver vehicle. A Daily Driver vehicle is defined as a vehicle that can be a prior police package vehicle now privately owned, without markings or equipment, or other similar plain looking vehicles.

**Best Public Relations, Volunteer, Recruitment, Explorer, C.S.O. or Cadet Emergency Vehicle** This class includes public agency or privately owned vehicles used in the above related fields.

**Police Chief's Choice** Two vehicles will be selected from any class by Ripon Police Chief Edward F. Ormonde and Menlo Park Police Chief David Norris.

**Chicago Police Award** One vehicle from any class will be selected by retired Sergeant Greg Reynolds of the Chicago Police Department.

**Sponsorship Family Award** One vehicle from any class will be selected by retired Menlo Park Police Chief Bruce Cumming.





## *Show rules, judging and parade information, acknowledgements, lodging and directions*

**JUDGING INFORMATION:** All vehicles **MUST** arrive by **09:30** to be included in the vehicle photography and judging portion of the show. Vehicles arriving after this time will still be permitted into the show until 10:00 am when registration closes but will not have a photograph taken. These time constraints are required to allow sufficient time for the judges to view the vehicles. Not every vehicle will fit into a designated class; staff reserves the right to place a vehicle in the most appropriate show class.

**VEHICLE REGISTRATION:** Vehicle registration will begin at 08:00 a.m. PLEASE be patient. We cannot photograph your vehicle for an award until we have sufficient sunlight. Our team of volunteers do their best to get you processed through registration and photography as soon as possible. **PLEASE stay in your vehicle as we can't move the line if you're not there.**

Please have your vehicle "show ready" upon arrival, ready to be photographed. Please place display signage behind your vehicle so it can be photographed more easily on the field. Surround ropes around vehicles are prohibited. **Personal tents (EZ ups) MUST BE ANCHORED**, and you must inform staff when you park. **Dogs must be leashed. There will be police dogs in the area. Helicopters will be flying in and out.** Pre-registration & Day of Show entries: Goodie bags for all can be picked up AFTER 09:30 at the raffle/t-shirt tables by the DJ at the front.

**PARADE INFORMATION:** The parade begins at approximately 1 p.m. and the staging area for the parade will be announced by Ripon Police Dept prior to the parade beginning. The **Ripon Police Department oversees the parade** and the starting time and will advise you of safety and parade rules. Only vehicles that are registered in the show can participate in the parade. Exterior vehicle music, or any type of public address system is prohibited during the parade.

**HOTEL INFORMATION:** La Quinta, 1524 W. Colony Road, Ripon, CA 95366, 209-599-8999. Please make reservations early as this is not a large hotel.

***We wish to acknowledge our staff of professionals who generously share their time and expertise to make this show a success:***

Darryl M. Lindsay	Police Communications Officer, Menlo Park Police Dept, Event Coordinator
Edward F. Ormonde	Chief of Police, Ripon Police Dept
Stephen Meece	Police Sergeant, Ripon Police Dept (retired), Parade Coordinator, Operations
Paul Staley	Police Sergeant, Ripon Police Dept, Parade Coordinator, Liaison Ripon PD
Scott Lindsay	Police Corporal, Ripon Police Dept (retired)
David Norris	Chief of Police, Menlo Park Police Dept
William A. Dixon	Police Commander, Menlo Park Police Dept
Bruce Cumming	Chief of Police, Menlo Park Police Dept (retired), Event Sponsor and Judge
Scott Mackdanz	Police Sergeant, Menlo Park Police Dept
Chris Adair	Police Sergeant, Menlo Park Police Dept
Dani O'Connor	Police Executive Assistant, Menlo Park Police Dept, Event Organization
George Caravas	California Highway Patrol (retired), Event Operations and Judge
Greg & Heidi Reynolds	Police Sergeant, Chicago Police Dept (retired), Show Photographer & Judge
Chris Flath	Reserve Police Captain, Walnut Creek Police Dept, Event Sponsor & Judge
Matt McLaughlin	Lieutenant, Nevada Highway Patrol, Event Operations
Kevin McLaughlin	Vehicle Placement Coordinator, Event Operations and Judge
Jeff & Mavis Leathley	Event Operations, Raffle and T-Shirt Sales
Pete & Dianne Onorato	Event Operations, Raffle and T-Shirt Sales
Mitchell Owen	Vehicle Registration, Event Operations, Event Parking
Caleb Owen	Vehicle Registration, Event Operations, Event Parking
Eric Wang	Vehicle Registration, Event Operations, Judge
Mike Catalano	Judging Coordinator, Event Operations, Awards Presentation
Joe Dicorpo	Advisor Georgia State Patrol, Event Operations, Judge, Awards Presentation
Larry Sardi	Police K9 Officer, Walnut Creek Police Dept, K-9 Demonstration, Judge
Anthony Miller	Swap Meet Coordinator, Event Operations
LeAnne Ritter	Event Operations
Gary Hoving	President, California Law Enforcement Historical Society
Walt Witt	California Highway Patrol (retired), CHP Museum Vehicle Coordinator
Marla Lindsay	Vehicle Registration, Event Organization and Operations