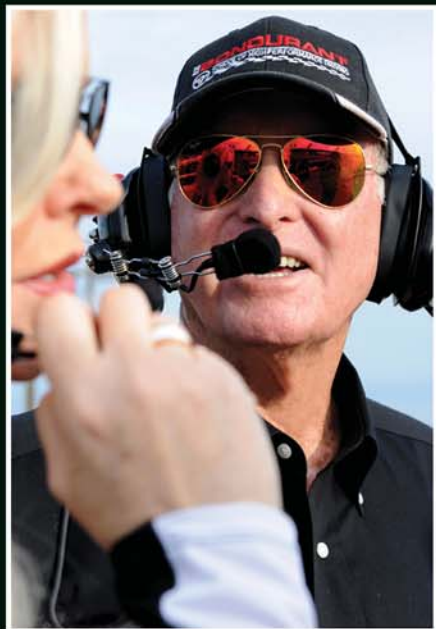


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RACING LEGEND BOB BONDURANT HONORED THROUGHOUT MONTEREY CAR WEEK

Bob Bondurant was honored for his incredible racing career at multiple celebrations during Monterey Collector Car Week in August.

"I'm humbled and honored to be recognized for my career during the famous Monterey Collector Car Week," said Bondurant as the week began. "Looking back at the successes and hardships I've endured over the years is astounding. Few people have had the opportunities I was gifted, and I'm thankful for them every day. My wife and I truly appreciate the acknowledgement and look forward to sharing memories with old and new friends at these celebrations."

Bondurant, founder of the Bob Bondurant School of High Performance Driving, at Wild Horse Pass Motorsports Park in Chandler, has driven for several storied marques and is the only world champion to have a driving school.

Bob Bondurant's list of accomplishments is filled with many victories and exciting stories. He raced Corvettes in the mid 1950s, winning the West Coast SCCA B Production National Championship in 1959 with a stunning 18 of 20 wins. During SCCA competition from 1960 to 1963, he won 30 of its 32 races.

During the 1965 FIA World Championship season, Bondurant won seven of his 10 races to score the win for Shelby American over the previously dominant Ferrari effort—still the only American team to do so. After capturing the title, Ferrari invited Bondurant to be one of their Formula 1 drivers. He also served as a stunt driver for the 1966 film *Grand Prix*.

Bondurant's racing career ended in 1967 after a steering arm snapped at the Watkins Glen track. He sketched his vision for a racing school while in the hospital and began building that dream after he recovered. It is the only purpose-built facility of its kind in the world and has trained nearly 500,000 people. Professional racers, executives, law enforcement officers, military specialists, performance enthusiasts and teenage drivers have learned to be safer and more proficient on the track, street and highway.

"The Bondurant name is synonymous with high performance driving," said Pat Bondurant, who is president of the School. "Bob has so many unique accomplishments, so it's wonderful to see him recognized. His victories as a driver made him a champion in the racing world, but his impact as a driving coach has made him a legend. He has made an incredible impact on thousands of people who have benefited from his extraordinary ability to teach. I'm so proud to stand by his side as he receives the accolades he deserves."

The celebration kicked off at a private unveiling of the continuation Shelby Cobra Daytona Coupe on Wednesday, August 12, at Gordon McCall's Motorworks Gala. Bob and Pat donated a 3-day driving school to raise money for the event's charity, CHP 11-99 Foundation, which supports families of the California Highway Patrol.

On Thursday evening, Bondurant was recognized at the Rolex Monterey Motorsport Reunion participant reception, on the track at Mazda Raceway Laguna Seca. On Friday, he was an honored guest at the Rolex Dinner at Bernardus Lodge & Spa. The 50th Anniversary Daytona Coupe's public reveal was on Saturday at the track, where Bondurant participated in a Q&A and autograph session.

The events concluded on Sunday at the Pebble Beach Concours d'Elegance, where Ferrari was among the featured marques. ■

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