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**April 2023**

**Buick Club of the Redwoods.....Founded Aug 1998**

Meetings are held on the 2nd Wednesday of every month at

**Mary's Pizza Shack**  
**Piner & Marlow**  
**Santa Rosa CA.**

Dinner Social starts at 6:00  
Meeting 7:00 to 8:00

**REGULAR MONTHLY MEETINGS CONTINUE**

*Our room is free for this meeting,  
attending members are encouraged to have dinner while at Mary's.*

**Room reserved to June 2023**

**Officers 2023**

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# Greetings From Your Absent Director!



Wickenburg, AZ.

“No, it's not a Buick but it does have 1 horsepower!”



See if you can identify this vehicle without researching it. Bring your guess to the next meeting. Honor system.

Saturday the 29<sup>th</sup> the club met for an outing encompassing a drive up to Cloverdale via Healdsburg and Dry Creek Valley and breakfast. A beautiful drive with the hills and the vineyards in their full green glory. Breakfast was partaken of at Zini's and was very good as was the service. The turnout was exceptional with 19 members and one prospective new member participating. A big thank you to Rich and April for organizing a fun and relaxing event. See you all at next month's meeting on the 10<sup>th</sup> of May.

# MINUTES OF THE BUICK CLUB OF THE REDWOODS

## APRIL 12th, 2023 MEETING

Assistant Director, Bill Costello, called the meeting to order at 6:55 p.m.

Members present were Bill and Joan Costello, Jay Emery, Craig Janakos, Leo Ladner, Jim Liddle and Andrew Wong.

**Directors Report.** Bill welcomed those present. The activity for April will be a cruise to breakfast at Zini's Diner in Cloverdale on Saturday, April 29<sup>th</sup>. Evite will be sent out next week.

**Treasurer/Membership Report.** Membership stands at 19 not including significant others. One check was written for \$12.60 to April to reimburse Rich for stamps. There was no other activity during the month of April.

**Secretary Report.** There were no additions or corrections to the March minutes. They were approved as published.

**Newsletter Editor.** As always, Leo is interested in content for the Nailhead News. Leo had a possible idea for some content. While Jim is out and about town, if he spots an interesting car (preferably a Buick but does not have to be), take a picture and send to Leo. Leo said that any member could do the same thing if they spotted a car they thought others would enjoy.

### NEW BUSINESS

Craig says he knows of a guy in Penngrove that has about 30 cars that he thought the club would be interested in seeing. Craig said he would contact the guy and see if he could set up a tour.

Leo reported on Keith's medical situation. Keith will be entering Stanford Hospital on Monday, May 1 for a month or longer stay. Keith and his sister, Tara, will stay in designated patient housing close to the hospital. His schedule will be very busy and rigorous so he is asking any communication be done by text messaging only. Leo will try to keep club members updated as to his progress during the treatment.

Bill announced that Jeff and Bruce have set the day of July 16<sup>th</sup> (Sunday) for their annual summer barbecue.

Bill reported that a fellow named Jayson Jones from Australia has contacted him. Jayson purchased a 1955 Buick Super Sedan from the Bay Area. He would like information on how to read the vin number. If anyone can help, please contact Bill.

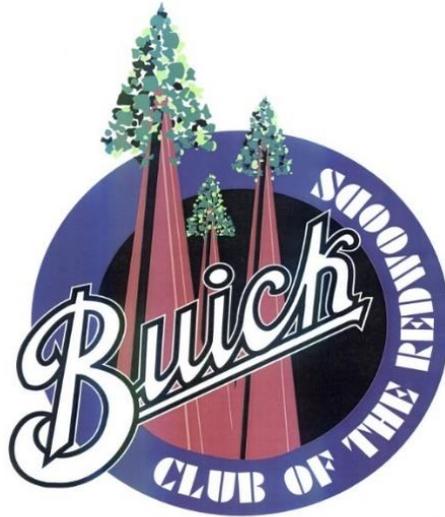
Jim reported on some upcoming car shows.

- May 27<sup>th</sup> at Oakmont. Reply to Mike Murphy at [oakmontcarshow@gmail.com](mailto:oakmontcarshow@gmail.com) if you would like to enter. Respond ASAP. 10:00 a.m. – 1:00 p.m. Cost is \$10.00.
- June 18<sup>th</sup> – Father's Day Show and Shine at Juilliard Park, Santa Rosa
- July 16 – Swap Meet at Santa Rosa Vets Building sponsored by Corvettes of Sonoma County.

The meeting was adjourned at 7:19 p.m. followed by the 50/50 raffle won by Jay.

Submitted by  
Joan Costello





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## **BUICK CLUB OF THE REDWOODS ACTIVITIES – 2023**

**FEBRUARY 11** *(Saturday) – 11:30 a.m. – Lunch at Art’s Place, Rohnert Park*

**MARCH 8** – *(Wednesday) – 6:00 p.m. Planning Meeting/Business Meeting  
Mary’s Pizza Shack – Marlow Road, Santa Rosa*

**APRIL 29** – *(Saturday) – Breakfast at Zini’s Diner, Cloverdale - April*

**MAY 19 - (Friday) – American Graffiti Cruise-In – Dinner – Leo**

**JUNE 24** – *(Saturday) – Cruise and Poker Run – Bill and Joan*

**JULY 16** – *(Sunday) - Summer Barbecue – Jeff and Bruce*

**AUGUST 6** – *(Sunday) - Cruise to Korbel and Armstrong Woods - Gail*

**SEPTEMBER 17** *(Sunday) – Cruise to Fort Ross – Rich and April*

**OCTOBER** – *Coffee and scones at Janakos Antiques - Craig followed by Cadillac Garage Tour – Jim and Donna*

**NOVEMBER 4 or 5** – *Bowling – Dave and Linda*

**DECEMBER** – *Christmas lunch or dinner – Dave and Linda*

**JANUARY** – *Planning Brunch (potluck) – Rich and April*

### NorCal Buick Club Tech Talks

Our friends down in the South Bay host a TechTalk on auto topics **every 3th Tuesday at 12:30** via Zoom. Sometimes the date moves due to conflicts. If you'd like to be kept aware and want the link to the Zoom session, let me know, and I will reply. It might be a few days prior.

Next session May 16<sup>th</sup> 2023 – Body, Fender and Paint

**Interested members can contact Ricky directly at:**  
[ricky.deutsch@gmail.com](mailto:ricky.deutsch@gmail.com)

## Save the Date

**Friday May 19, 2023**

**American Graffiti Cruise In – Petaluma**

**Dinner at Don Pancho's**

**Watch for Email/Evite - details to follow**

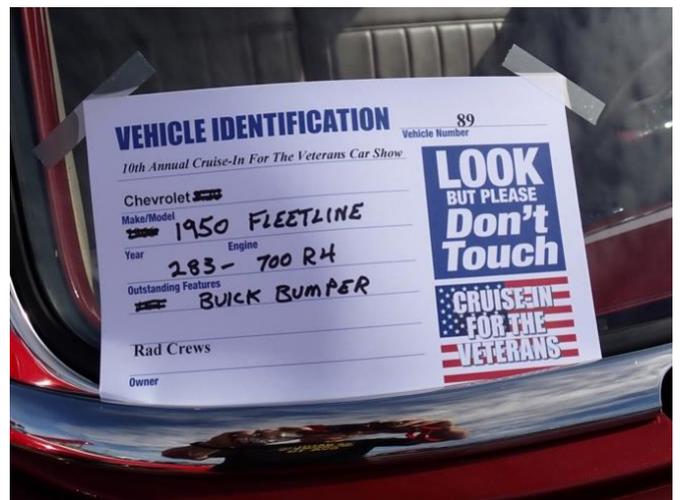


*Rich and April Kahnberg recently had lunch with former members Bob and Marge Giuntoli.*

*The Giuntoli's now live in a adult community in Redmond Washington. Their Riviera has also found a new home. They are pleased to now be closer to family and send greetings to their BCR friends.*



Terry Eggleston recently spotted this version of a “new species” at a Veterans car show in Prescott Arizona



# April 29<sup>th</sup> Tour with lunch at Zini's

A ride thru the back roads of Sonoma County

Contributed by April and Rich Kahnberg

*Photos by Andrew Wong and others*

A turnout of 22 members with their significant others participated for a great spring outing with a ride north on Old Redwood Hwy out thru Dry Creek to Cloverdale and Zini's Diner.

Attendance was total 23 with a pending new member Donald Crayton, who brought his Buick LaSabre convertible along for the drive.

Friendly service at restaurant and good food allowed members to chat from table to table and even peruse the parking lot for the mini car show outside.

A total of 9 Buicks and 1 Lincoln Continental were driven north on this sunny Saturday morning.

General consensus – Nice ride, great weather, good friends and good food made for a lovely start to the last weekend in April.



Our day began with a cool overcast Santa Rosa morning





Spring brings an awaking to mile after mile of world class vineyards.



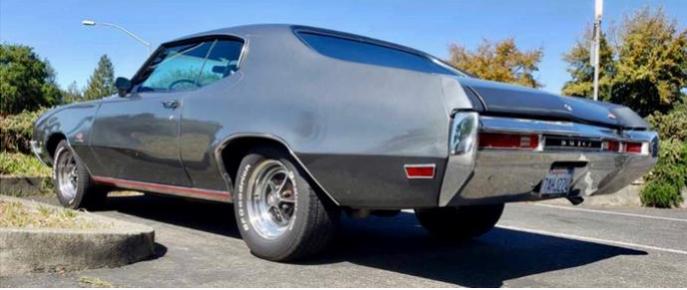


There were happy faces all around





Our cars received many words of approval from folks in the parking lot



**Corvettes of Sonoma County**  
**Car Show**  
**Auto Parts Swap Meet**  
**July 16, 2023**

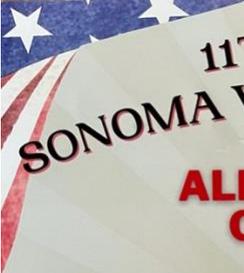


**Santa Rosa Veterans Memorial Building Parking Lot**  
**1351 Maple Ave, Santa Rosa, Ca**

<p>Swap Meet (cash only)                  Vendor Spaces 19'x19'  <b>One Space = \$25</b>  <b>Two Spaces = \$40</b>  <b>Three Spaces = \$55</b>                  Vehicles with trailers or large trucks require 2 spaces</p>	<p>Car Show (cash only)                  Entry fee \$25                  Judging starts at 0800  <b>Best of show</b>  <b>1<sup>st</sup> 2<sup>nd</sup> 3<sup>rd</sup> Place</b>                  You must be present to win, trophies will be awarded @noon</p>	<p>Car sales (cash only)                  One space = \$15    <h1 style="text-align: center;">50/50</h1> <h2 style="text-align: center;">RAFFLE</h2></p>
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Sponsored by: Corvettes of Sonoma County  
[www.corvettesofsonomacounty.com](http://www.corvettesofsonomacounty.com)  
 Contact info: **Richard Koch 707-753-1154**  
**Tony Varela 707-328-1095**



# 11TH ANNUAL SONOMA VALLEY VETERANS ALL AMERICAN CAR SHOW





Scan with your phone to enter online

**SONOMA VETERANS MEMORIAL HALL PARKING LOT**  
**SEPTEMBER 16, 2023 9:00 AM - 3:00 PM**  
**BEER & WINE    SILENT AUCTION    LIVE MUSIC    FOOD**

Open to 1976 and older, American-made cars, and trucks. The pre-registration donation of \$40 ends August 31st. Entries on September 16th are \$45 and held on a first come, first serve basis, for the 11th annual Sonoma Valley Veterans All American Car Show. If you have questions, leave a message at 707-509-3609, or email [vwpost1943@hotmail.com](mailto:vwpost1943@hotmail.com). Register early by visiting [vwpost1943.org](http://vwpost1943.org), or fill out the form below.

Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Phone: \_\_\_\_\_  
 Address: \_\_\_\_\_ Email: \_\_\_\_\_  
 Vehicle Year: \_\_\_\_\_ Make: \_\_\_\_\_ Model: \_\_\_\_\_  
 Car Club Represented: \_\_\_\_\_

Liability waiver and instructions: I, the undersigned participant, hereby agree to indemnify, save, and hold harmless, Veterans of Foreign War Bear Flag Post 1943, John Gray, their subsidiaries, agents, volunteers, or any persons or representatives, from any and all liability arising out of, or, in any way relating to my participation in the 11th annual Sonoma Valley Veterans All American Car Show, held on September 16th, 2023.

Make checks payable to: VFW Post 1943. Mail to PO BOX 778, Sonoma, CA 95476

Signature: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_

# 24th Annual **Russian River Car Show**

OPEN TO 1976 & OLDER CARS & TRUCKS



**Best in Show 2022**

**Saturday, August 19, 2023 8AM to 3PM**  
**LOCATION** NORTHWOOD COMMONS 19420 CA-116, MONTE RIO CA 95462  
 NO TRAILERS PLEASE! FREE ADMISSION, PARKING IS FIRST COME, FIRST SERVE.

**PETALUMA ELKS CLASSIC CAR SHOW**

**Sat Jul 8 2023**  
**10 am - 3 pm**

Cool Cars  
 Live Music  
 BBQ Lunch

**TICKETS & REGISTRATION COMING SOON**

PROCEEDS BENEFIT ELKS CHARITY PURPLE PIG

AWARDS  
 People's Choice  
 Exalted Ruler Choice  
 Overall Winner

Fun for the whole family  
**PETALUMA ELKS LODGE**  
**2105 South McDowell Blvd**  
 To Enter Your Classic Car go to: [www.Elks901.org](http://www.Elks901.org)

Northern California Engineering Contractors Association

**Father's Day 28th Annual "Show & Shine" Car Show**

Sunday, June 18, 2023  
 Juilliard Park, Santa Rosa, CA •  
 9 am—4 pm

**PLATINUM CHEVROLET Santa Rosa** Show Case Sponsor Limited to 400 Cars

Cost to enter a car: \$40  
 \$60 day of, if not sold out **Free to Spectators & Fun for the Whole Family!**

TROPHY CLASSES  
 Stock ⇨ Hot Rod ⇨ Trucks ⇨ Motorcycle  
 People's Choice ⇨ Best Rat Rod  
 Best Engine ⇨ Best Flames ⇨ Lowrider

Sign in: Cars enter from South 'A' Street 7:00 am—9:30 am  
 Personal BBQ's, outside alcohol or smoking are not allowed in the park  
 We will have Food Trucks and a Beer Tent

Drinks & Food Trucks, DJ, Raffles

To enter a vehicle at this event send the information request below along with checks payable to: ECA, PO Box 8249, Santa Rosa, CA 95407 / For more information email [mary@nceca.org](mailto:mary@nceca.org)  
 Proceeds help support ECA's Community Relations Projects  
**Please print legibly—Confirmations not sent out.** For more information: 707-546-5500 or [mary@nceca.org](mailto:mary@nceca.org)  
 \$40 to enter a car - \$60 day of, if not sold out

Order your shirt today and pick up at ticket booth day of. Cost \$30! Size \_\_\_\_\_ White  Grey  Deadline to order shirts April 26, 2023  
 Shirts will not be mailed. Pick up shirts day of event.  
 Enclosed is a payment of \$\_\_\_\_\_ for the vehicle(s) @ \$40 each & shirt @ \$30 each

Name \_\_\_\_\_ Phone \_\_\_\_\_  
 Address \_\_\_\_\_ City \_\_\_\_\_ Zip \_\_\_\_\_ email \_\_\_\_\_  
 Year, Make, Model of Car(s) Entrance Class \_\_\_\_\_  
 Insurance Provider \_\_\_\_\_ Policy Number \_\_\_\_\_ License Plate# \_\_\_\_\_

All Entries and Participants by execution of this Registration Form, release and discharge Engineering Contractors Association or any person or group associated with the presentation of the 2023 Father's Day Car Show from any and all known or unknown damages, injuries, losses, judgments or claims whatsoever that may be suffered by any entrant or participant to his/her person or property. By signing below, you accept responsibility for your vehicle and yourself.

**Devil's Darlin's 34th Annual Car Show**

**JULY 15th 2023**  
 9:00 AM TO 3:00 PM  
 TROPHIES, RAFFLES,  
 LIVE MUSIC, FOOD,  
 AND VENDORS

SIGNAL CAR CLUB Presents the  
 1970 & EARLIER AMERICAN PAPER CARS AND TRUCKS

**SONOMA VETERANS MEMORIAL HALL**

126 1st St. West in Sonoma, CA - Pre-Registration \$40.00 until June 27, 2023 - Day of Registration \$45.00



## **REVISED - CARS and COFFEE**

Want something a little different on Sunday mornings? Try **Cars and Coffee**. They are rain or shine and year-round. It is a very casual kind of Car Show – arrive when you want, park where you can, leave when you want.

1<sup>st</sup> Sunday – **Cars and Coffee Novato** – 6:30 to 10:00 a.m. – Vintage Oaks Shopping Center by Starbucks.

1<sup>st</sup> Sunday – **Rollin’ Rosies Cars & Coffee** – 9:00 to 11:00 – at Mocha Madness, 355 Southwest Blvd, Rohnert Park

2<sup>nd</sup> Sunday – **Cars and Coffee Santa Rosa** – Coddington Mall by Starbucks – 8:00 to 10:00 a.m.

3<sup>rd</sup> Sunday – **Cars and Coffee Petaluma** – Washington Square Shopping Center between Pete’s Coffee and Noah’s Bagels – 8:00 to 10:00 a.m.

4<sup>th</sup> Sunday – **Cars and Coffee Penngrove** – Penngrove Market – 9:00 a.m.

Last Sunday of the month – **Cars and Coffee Rohnert Park** – Starbucks by Target and Juice Shack – 8:00 to 10:00 a.m. CRUISE-IN 2<sup>ND</sup> Sunday – June through December, 12:00 – 3:00 p.m. – Bear Republic Brewing Co., 5000 Roberts Lake Rd, Rohnert Park. Sponsored by Cruisin’ North Car Club

Monday’s- **Carr’s Drive-In** – Forestville 11AM-1PM

Friday’s – **Machado Burgers**- Santa Rosa 4-6PM

<b>2023</b>				<b>CAR NUT CALENDAR 2023</b>
	<b>Mo</b>		<b>Date(s)</b>	<b>EVENTS</b>
	<b>JAN</b>		11	REGULAR MONTHLY MEETING
	<b>FEB</b>		8	REGULAR MONTHLY MEETING
	<b>MAR</b>		8	REGULAR MONTHLY MEETING & PLANNING MEETING
	<b>APR</b>		12	REGULAR MONTHLY MEETING
	<b>MAY</b>		19	American Graffiti Petaluma-Leo
	<b>MAY</b>		21-23	ROA National Meet Kalamazoo, Mi
	<b>MAY</b>		29	Oakmont show
	<b>JUNE</b>		18	Fathers Day Show- Santa Rosa
	<b>JULY</b>		8	Elks Lodge -Petaluma
	<b>JULY</b>		15	Devils Darlin Show- Sonoma
	<b>JULY</b>		11-15	BCA National Spokane, Washington
	<b>JULY</b>		16	Swap meet - Santa Rosa Vets
	<b>AUG</b>		19	Russian River Show – Monte Rio - Craig
	<b>SEP</b>		9	Orinda Classic Car Show – Land Yachts
	<b>SEP</b>		16	Sonoma Vets Show
	<b>OCT</b>			
	<b>Nov</b>			
	<b>Dec</b>			



**Donna Watts Apr17th**

**Dave Hoogendorn May 15th**

**April Kahnberg Apr 18th**

**Dave Bergmann Apr26th**

**Craig Janakos Apr 28th**



*Dan Joseph and Greg Morgan - April, 18th*

*Bob Kaliski and Linda Nelson - May, 29th*



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**BCR Anniversary (ash grey) T-Shirts available for sale**

Men's XL (1)	Front logo location	<del>\$25.00</del> -\$10.00
Men's L (2)	Lapel logo location	<del>\$25.00</del> -\$10.00
Ladies L (1)	Lapel logo location (discounted/flaw)	<del>\$15.00</del> \$ 5.00

**NOS..... BCR T Shirts / Sweatshirts for sale.**

We only have a few sweatshirts and t-shirts left. (NOS WHITE ONES)

Please contact Rich Kahnberg if you would like to buy "at a reduced cost" any of the following.

**Sweatshirts Now selling for \$20.00 each**

*Sizes available: 2XL (3) XL (1)*

**T-shirts -- Now selling for \$10.00 ea only** *Size available: 2XL (3)*

**---BCR - Window Decals Available -----**

*\$2.00 each + .50 postage (any qty)*

**---BCR Embroidered Patches (4") -----**

*\$10.00 each+ .50 postage (any qty)*

*To purchase: Contact Rich Kahnberg or for any information about availability.*

[1185home@att.net](mailto:1185home@att.net) or 237-1415

