



AUG 2021

**During Corona Virus Pandemic Follow CDC Guidelines
And Local Recommendation**

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

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

OUR NEW LOCATION

Mary's Pizza Shack
535 Summerfield Rd.
Santa Rosa CA. 95405

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

SEE DIRECTORS MESSAGE

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

Room reserved to Dec 2021

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Message From Your Director



Welcome to September – the last days of summer are almost gone and we are now approaching the first days of fall. September was once called the Harvest Month, the time to gather up the rest of the harvest and prepare for the winter months. Speaking of winter months, we as a club will be having more indoor functions than outdoor ones due to the cooler months ahead.

This is a touchy subject especially with the new Delta variant. I have been approached by several members who are concerned about the virus. We want all members to come and enjoy our events but we also want all members to feel safe. If you have had your Covid shots or have had a recent negative test (within two days) of an event then of course you are welcome to join us. If not then it might be best if you do not join us until this is taken care of.

Our August event was well attended with a variety of cars which was exciting for us gearheads. The day turned out to be quite mild, a perfect day for a picnic. The cruise from Santa Rosa to Lake Sonoma was very relaxing and enjoyable. The vineyards were beautiful and the grapes look ready for picking. All in all, a great day. Thank you all for participating. Check out the Car Nut Calendar for upcoming events – Father’s Day Show and Shine and Wheels and Wings.

See you September 8th for our next business meeting at Mary’s Pizza Shack.

Your BCR Director, Bill

MINUTES OF THE BUICK CLUB OF THE REDWOODS

AUGUST 11th, 2021 MEETING

Director, Bill Costello, called the meeting to order at 7:12 p.m. and welcomed those in attendance to our first meeting held in the new location at Mary's Pizza Shack.

Members present were Keith Brumbley, Bill and Joan Costello, Jay and Julie Emery, Rich and April Kahnberg, Leo Ladner, Jim Liddle and Donna Watts, Gail Sollid, Dave Uhlig and Cindy Omoth, and Andrew Wong.

Director Report. Bill thanked Julie for the research she put forth in finding a new location for our monthly meetings. Bill also thanked Andrew for all the great pictures and for bringing the banner to the meeting. Rich stated that he has a stand for the banner and will see if it will be helpful.

Treasurer/Membership Director Report. Rich reported our membership is at 23. Rich also reported that there was a \$133.00 deposit made from the July raffle, sale of merchandise and from selling a grill bar that was donated to the club by Dennis McCabe.

Secretary Report. Joan asked for additions and/or corrections to the July minutes. The minutes stand approved. Joan reported that corrections for the meeting location have been made on the BCR membership application and it is posted on the website along with the new BCA membership application.

Publications Director Report. Leo said he needs content from members to put in the newsletter to make it interesting to read.

Webmaster Report. Julie said she created a unique email for BCR through gmail. By using this email along with the club's password, she set up an Evite account and was able to upload our member's email addresses. This account is assessable for all members who would like to send an evite. April asked if the club would want to pay for the premium account which allows for a greater/better selection of invitation designs. Julie thought we should hold off and see how it goes with the free invitations.

OLD BUSINESS

Bill gave a rundown on upcoming club events:

- August 21st – Cruise and Picnic at Lake Sonoma. Meet at the Raley's grocery store at 1470 Fulton Rd, Santa Rosa at 10:30 leaving at 11:00 a.m. Bring picnic lunch.
- September 5th – Father's Day Show and Shine – Juilliard Park – see May newsletter for flyer.
- September 25th – Wheels & Wings car show at the Pacific Coast Air Museum – see July newsletter for flyer.

- October – no scheduled event – all members are encouraged to step up and organize an event.
- November 13th – Progressive Dinner and Poker Run. April will be organizing the dinner and Bill volunteered to manage the poker run.
- December 4th – Christmas Dinner at Cattlemens. This has been organized by Dave B.

Leo asked the membership to revisit the thought of a donation at a local high school auto shop. Leo started a dialog with the auto shop teacher at Petaluma High but progress came to a halt with Covid. The teacher indicated that he needed dispensable items such as paper towels and hand cleaner. Leo would like to reach out to the teacher again once school resumes. The membership's general thought was to buy an item for the shop rather than dispensable items.

Bill expressed his concern that our treasury is down due to not receiving raffle money during the Covid shutdown. The Christmas dinner is an expense for the club as half of member's dinner (plus one) is paid for by the treasury. The general consensus was that our treasury is okay to support a donation and the Christmas dinner expense.

NEW BUSINESS

Bill would like to schedule a planning meeting in January. Gail volunteered to host the event. Date and details will be discussed at the next meeting.

Tom Charleston owns the 1916 Buick that was featured on the cover of the August Buick Bugle. Tom was a guest of Jim's at the pop-up event at Galvin Park. Andrew took some great pictures that Leo published in the Nailhead News which was sent to the editor of the Bugle who contacted Tom about featuring his car. Unfortunately Tom is not interested in joining BCR but it was great being a part of his car being featured in the Bugle.

Julie was asked at the last meeting if she could track the number of visits the website gets. She reported that from July 13th to August 11th there were 73 unique visits.

The 50/50 raffle was won by Donna. The meeting was adjourned at 7:45 p.m.

Submitted by Joan Costello
Secretary



Members enjoying our monthly meeting at our new venue Aug 11, 2021

Photo by Andrew Wong

NORCAL BUICK CLUB LUNCH-TIME ZOOM TECH TALKS

3rd Tuesdays each month

12:30 p.m

If you are new to Zoom, watch the following Youtube video:

<https://youtu.be/9isp3qPeQoE>

August 21st BCR Cruise to Lake Sonoma and Picnic

Our members met in Santa Rosa and proceeded past some of the finest vineyards in our county, over a historic bridge and by stands of Redwoods to the picnic area at Lake Sonoma Park. This event included three Buicks and a charming 1930 Ford Model A and handsome 1970 Lincoln Continental. Our members have varied interests.





The Wohler Bridge was completed in 1921 and was the first highway bridge over the Russian River in this segment. As one crosses its age is apparent with its pocked concrete roadway and lots of visible rust. Even with the weight signage, it remains a “fingers crossed” experience.

Dave and Cindy brought out their 1930 Model A Ford and had a hot lunch ready to go at the lake.









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.

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

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

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

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

4th 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

2ND 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

2021				CAR NUT CALENDAR 2021
	Mo		Date(s)	EVENTS
	<i>Jan</i>			
	<i>Feb</i>			
	<i>Mar</i>			
	<i>Apr</i>			
	<i>May</i>			
	<i>Jun</i>	Both Events Have Been Cancelled	Jun30-Jul 3	BCA National Charlotte, NC 704-455-8200
	<i>July</i>		July 7-10	BCA National Cleveland OH 440-238-8800
	<i>Aug</i>			
	<i>SEP</i>		5	ECA "fathers day" show Juilliard park Santa Rosa 707-546-5500
	<i>SEP</i>	New	8	MEMBERSHIP MEETING and DINNER @ Mary's- Summerfield
	<i>SEP</i>		11	Elks lodge Chester, Ca. " Street Rod Extravaganza" 530-519-6248
	<i>SEP</i>		18	Sonoma Vets "All American Bad Ass Car Show" 707-509-3609
	<i>SEP</i>		25	Wheels and Wings Show -Sonoma Co. Airport 707-695-8261
	<i>OCT</i>		2	Chilly Billy Fun Run- Sonoma-Marin Fair Grounds- Petaluma 707-695-8261
	<i>Nov</i>	New	12	BCR Pot Luck Dinner/Poker Run
	<i>Dec</i>		Dec 4	BCR Holiday party Cattleman's Dave Bergmann-Host
2022	<i>Jun</i>		8-11	ROA National Branson Missouri
2022	<i>Jun</i>		21-26	BCA National Lisle, IL.
2023	<i>July</i>		11-15	BCA National Spokane, Washington





Bruce Johnson Aug-11th

Dave Uhlig Aug- 23rd

Joan Costello Aug- 29th



None to celebrate this month



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

Men's XL (1)	Front logo location	\$25.00	\$10.00
Men's L (2)	Lapel logo location	\$25.00	\$10.00
Ladies L (1)	Lapel logo location (discounted/flaw)	\$15.00	\$ 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.

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