



May 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

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Directors Message



I hope you are all enjoy your Memorial Day weekend. The weekend has become a time for family gatherings and barbecues, but I hope we will all take a few moments to reflect on the sacrifice of our many veterans and their families over the years. From as far back as March 5, 1770, Americans have made sacrifices including the ultimate sacrifice to gain our freedom and to preserve it. Bless them all.

There was a good turnout of club members for the American Graffiti cruise into the shopping center on N. McDowell in Petaluma on the 19th. This kicked off the 3-day event. I saw only a couple of Buicks on display. After viewing the many automobiles, we all gathered for dinner at Don Pancho's restaurant in the shopping center. Good food, company and service was the experience.

Thank you, Leo and Linda, for making the arrangements for the meal.

Dave



MINUTES OF THE BUICK CLUB OF THE REDWOODS

MAY 10th, 2023 MEETING

Director, Dave Bergmann, called the meeting to order at 7:00 p.m.

Members present were Dave Bergmann, Bill and Joan Costello, Jay Emery, Rich and April Kahnberg, Leo and Linda Ladner, Jim Liddle, Donna Watt and Andrew Wong.

Director Report. Jim and Dave have been trying to make contact with the owner of a 1937 Buick in Santa Rosa. Dave left a note on the windshield regarding our club.

Assistant Director Report. Bill shared with members that he spoke to Dave Hoogendoorn. Dave is very busy at work but is hoping to join us on a weekend event this year. He sends his regards to all.

Bill also reported that the Bear Republic Brewing Company in Rohnert Park is presently closed. The cruise-in sponsored by Cruisin' North Car Club on the 2nd Sunday of the month will not be starting up this June.

Treasurer/Membership Report. Membership remains at 19. Donald Crayton, a potential member, attended our last event but has had surgery recently so was unable to attend the meeting. Wishing Donald a speedy recovery.

There was one deposit for the month of \$12.00 from the April raffle.

Rich still has some mid 50's Buick parts stored in his garage that were donated to the club. He will take them to the July 16th swap meet to see if he can sell them. After the swap meet, Rich will no longer be able to store the parts. Discussion will be held at the August meeting as to what to do with any parts not sold. Bill made a motion that the club pay for the spot. Dave seconded the motion. Anyone who would like to join Rich is welcome.

Dave informed members that there is a cruise-in Mondays at Carr's Drive-In in Forestville. Dave also reported that the Classic Car Magazine stated that there will be a Classic Packard National Meet in Rohnert Park, June 25th – June 30th.

Secretary Report. There were no additions or corrections to the minutes. They were approved.

Newsletter Editor. As always Leo is looking for content. Terry has sent some interesting things to Leo that he will be using in the future.

As of the meeting, 14 people have responded yes to the American Graffiti Friday night cruise-in and dinner at Don Pancho's.

Leo gave an update on Keith's treatment at Stanford Hospital. Leo and April read their latest text messages from Tara, Keith's sister.

Jim's report on upcoming car shows:

- May 21st – Swap Meet in Petaluma sponsored by the Early Ford V-8 Club
- May 27th – Oakmont Car Show, 10:00 a.m. to 1:00 p.m. Cost is \$10:00
- June 18th – Father's Day Show and Shine at Juilliard Park, Santa Rosa

NEW BUSINESS

Dave reported on an idea for the November event - a docent tour of the Marin Civic Center. There needs to be a minimum of 10 people and tours are held only Mondays through Fridays. Cost is \$12.00 or \$7.00 for seniors. It will include about a 1½ mile walk. Members present thought it was a good event to schedule. Dave will contact the Civic Center and send an email out to all members.

Bill inquired about the prize for the poker run in June. After a short discussion, Dave made a motion to have \$100.00 for the best hand and \$50.00 for the worse hand. Leo seconded the motion.

Dave and Linda have made reservations for the club's Christmas event at Franchetti's Gusthaus on Dutton Avenue in Santa Rosa. After some discussion, members decided on a Brunch at 11:00 a.m. The date was set for Sunday, December 3rd.

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

Submitted by
Joan Costello, Secretary



American Graffiti Show - Petaluma

The May 19th and 20th celebration of the 1972 Petaluma filming of the classic movie.

BCR members came to the Friday 'cruise in' event and enjoyed the many cars and dinner with friends at Don Pancho's.

This year the "main show" downtown on Saturday drew more cars and visitors than usual with many seldom seen cars spotted throughout the show field of nearly 600 entrants.



Buick was present in factory fitted form and various customized styles.



Within a sea of tri-five Chevys, Mustangs and Camaros were some seldom seen collectables and 'one off' custom modified rides.

Photos by Andrew Wong











Rev 5-23

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 Barbeque – 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 9th (Thursday) – 11:00 a.m. – Tour of the Marin Civic Center - Dave and Linda

DECEMBER 3rd (Sunday) – 11:00 a.m. - Christmas Brunch at Franchetti’s – 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 June 20th 2023 – Topic to Follow

Interested members can contact Ricky directly at:
ricky.deutsch@gmail.com

Save the Date

Friday June 24, 2023

Tour Sonoma County Backroads

With 'Poker Run'

Bill and Joan Costello

Watch for Email/Evite - details to follow



CARS and COFFEE Rev. 5-23

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 a.m. – 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

Monday’s- Carr’s Drive-In – Forestville 11:00 a.m. – 1:00 p.m.

Friday’s – Machado Burgers - Santa Rosa 4:00 – 6:00 p.m.

HAPPY
MEMORIAL
DAY



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

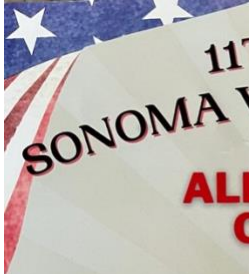


**Santa Rosa Veterans Memorial Building Parking Lot
1351 Maple Ave, Santa Rosa, Ca**


<p>Swap Meet (cash only) Vendor Spaces 19'x19' One Space = \$25 Two Spaces = \$40 Three Spaces = \$55 Vehicles with trailers or large trucks require 2 spaces</p>	<p>Car Show (cash only) Entry fee \$25 Judging starts at 0800 Best of show 1st 2nd 3rd Place You must be present to win, trophies will be awarded @noon</p>	<p>Car sales (cash only) One space = \$15 50/50TM RAFFLE</p>
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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 vfwpst1943@hotmail.com. Register early by visiting vfwpst1943.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

AWARDS
 People's Choice
 Elected Best Choice
 Over All Winner

PROCEEDS BENEFIT ELKS CHARITY PURPLE PIG

A COIN A DAY SO THEY CAN WALK, TALK, SEE AND PLAY!

Fun for the whole family
PETALUMA ELKS LODGE
 2105 South McDowell Blvd
 To Enter Your Classic Car go to: www.Elks901.org

AMVETS The Foundation

TO BENEFIT LOCAL VETERANS PROGRAMS

ALL AMERICAN Car Show

Veteran's Memorial Building
 1351 MAPLE AVE - SANTA ROSA - CA

July 1st, 2023

REGISTER EARLY & SAVE

FOR MORE INFO
CAAMVETS40.PHONE@GMAIL.COM
 707-582-1321
 PUBLIC ENTRY IS FREE

MUSIC
 T-SHIRTS
 TROPHIES
 BEER & WINE
 FOOD VENDORS
 PANCAKE BREAKFAST

SPONSORSHIPS AVAILABLE

VOLUNTEERS NEEDED

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: Proceeds help support ECA's Community Relations Projects
 ECA, PO Box 8249, Santa Rosa, CA 95407 / For more information email mary@nceca.org

Please print legibly - Confirmations not sent out. For more information: 707-546-5500 or 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 CAR CLUB
 Presents the

34th Annual Car Show

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

SIGNAL

SONOMA VETERANS MEMORIAL HALL

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

2023				CAR NUT CALENDAR 2023
	Mo		Date(s)	EVENTS
	JAN		11	REGULAR MONTHLY MEETING
	FEB		8	REGULAR MONTHLY MEETING
	MAR		8	REGULAR MONTHLY MEETING & PLANNING MEETING
	APR		12	REGULAR MONTHLY MEETING
	MAY		10	REGULAR MONTHLY MEETING
	JUNE		14	REGULAR MONTHLY MEETING
	JUNE		18	Fathers Day Show- Santa Rosa
	JULY		1	Veterans benefit show- Santa Rosa Vets
	JULY		8	Elks Lodge -Petaluma
	JULY		15	Devils Darlin Show- Sonoma
	JULY		11-15	BCA National Spokane, Washington
	JULY		16	Swap meet - Santa Rosa Vets
	AUG		19	Russian River Show – Monte Rio - Craig
	SEP		9	Orinda Classic Car Show – Land Yachts
	SEP		16	Sonoma Vets Show
	OCT			
	Nov			
	Dec			



Dave Hoogendorn May 15th



Julie Emery June 9th



Bob Kaliski and Linda Nelson - May, 29th

Bill and Avis Marsh - June 2nd

Ed and Cynthia Petersen - June 18



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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.

1185home@att.net or 237-1415



BCA adopted a new logo in May 2023

