



Mar 2017

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Meetings are held on the 2nd Wednesday night of every month at
Round Table Pizza, 1791 Marlow Rd in the Safeway Shopping Center,
Santa Rosa.....(Corner of Marlow and Guerneville Roads)

Social starts at 6:30

Meeting 7:00 to 8:00

(((Our room is free for this meeting, however this agreement is based on members planning to have dinner at Round Table.)))

Confirmed - Room reserved thru Dec 2017

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Directors Message



Spring has sprung. April is here (not talking about me) - but the Month of April.

Great weather, spring flowers, and yard chores galore.

Our March outing to the Blackhawk Museum came with a bit of chatter - from those who have been there before.

"Way less cars than the last time", "hard to find - the shopping center grew up around it".

But the good news - we all had a great day - and found the museum to be very interesting; along with a great lunch at the Back 40.

The great thing about the Spring - it gives us opportunity to visit museums with our group - to museums that are of interest locally as well in the hobby. Very nice date / outing with friends - See Terry's article in this Newsletter.

Just a Footnote:

There are 7 months left this year before we nominate - officers for 2018 BCR . My office as Director is available for nominations - so please think about, accepting a nomination to run for office and give consideration to lead this organization for a year or two. The group is very supportive and is more than willing to lead the charge for different events - when they are part of the event planning.

If anyone has interest in any other officer position - please be sure to open discussions.

Happy Buicking

April Kahnberg

2017 Director

MINUTES OF THE BUICK CLUB OF THE REDWOODS

March 8th, 2017 MEETING

Director, April Kahnberg, called the meeting to order at 6:57 p.m.

Members in attendance were Dave Bergmann, Don and Lois Brooner, Keith Brumbley, Bill and Joan Costello, Terry Eggleston, David Hoogendoorn, Rich and April Kahnberg, Leo Ladner, Bill Marsh, Will Norton, and Stan Sollid. All were welcomed.

A motion was passed to accept the minutes of the February meeting as published in the Nailhead News.

Rich gave the Treasurer's report. A deposit of \$31.00 was made which included \$21.00 from the raffle and \$10 for a T-shirt. Membership stays unchanged at 25 members.

Bill Costello gave an update on Kenny's medical condition.

OLD BUSINESS

On February 12th, BCR had a great outing to the Grace Hudson Museum in Ukiah hosted by Marge Giuntoli. It was reported that the weather was perfect and the museum was very interesting. Thanks to Marge for her efforts to make this a successful outing.

Dave Bergmann reported on three restaurants that were possible venues for the BCR Christmas Dinner – Washoe House, Cattleman's in Petaluma and Cattleman's in Santa Rosa. After hearing about the different restaurants, the club members present voted to have our Christmas Dinner (December 9th) at Cattleman's in Petaluma. April will send an email out to all members allowing for feedback from those who were unable to attend the meeting.

Discussion followed regarding the logistics of club members entering and parking together at the June 18th Juilliard Park Father's Day Show and Shine. Rich would like to have three club members enter the park early and rope off an area large enough for the expected number of club members participating. This has been approved in writing by Mary Kennedy. BCR members who have not yet registered for this popular event are encouraged to do so as soon as possible. They are limiting the number of cars to 400 with no registration on the morning of the show.

NEW BUSINESS

April opened the floor to discussion regarding ordering T-shirts and sweatshirts. Some suggestions were:

- Windbreakers or lined jackets
- Patches that can be sewn on your own jacket or hat
- Custom orders depending whether you want a man's shirt, women's shirt, jacket, sweatshirt, etc.

There will be further discussion at future meetings.

The Fort Bragg weekend event and American Graffiti Car Show are both on the weekend of May 19th – 21st. Members are split as to which event they will attend. See details of the Fort Bragg weekend in the Nailhead News.

Our April social will be a visit to Korbel Winery for a photo op and maybe some shopping with a picnic following at Armstrong Woods. Bring your buffing towels, elbow grease and whatever you need to spruce the old Buick for the car show season ahead. This event will be hosted by Stan and Gail on April 22nd.

Keith will follow up with contacting Silveira Buick GMC Dealership in Healdsburg regarding a possible old car display this summer at the dealership. Also Leo will get more information regarding the tour of the Sturgeon's Mill that is scheduled for September 16th.

The meeting was adjourned at 7:45 p.m. followed by the 50/50 raffle of \$25.00 won by Keith.

Respectfully Submitted,
Joan Costello, Secretary

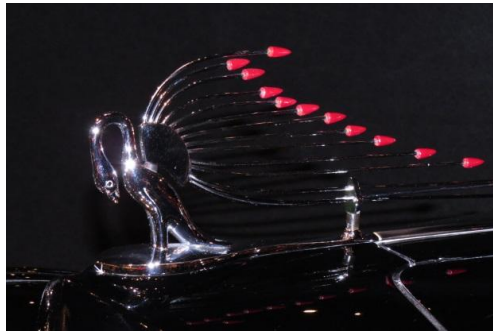
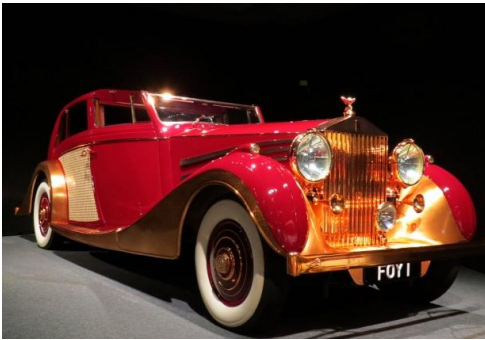
**TRIP TO THE BLACKHAWK AUTOMOTIVE MUSEUM
IN DANVILLE, CALIFORNIA**

By Terry Eggleston

Beautiful weather greeted our club as we left Sonoma County in our daily drivers and headed to Danville in the East Bay to see this exclusive auto museum. Attendees were Rich and April Kahnberg, Dave and Linda Bergmann, Stan and Gail Sollid, Bob Guintoli, Keith Brumbley, and this reporter. We were happy to be joined by old friends and Capital Club members Gene and Linda Perrin.



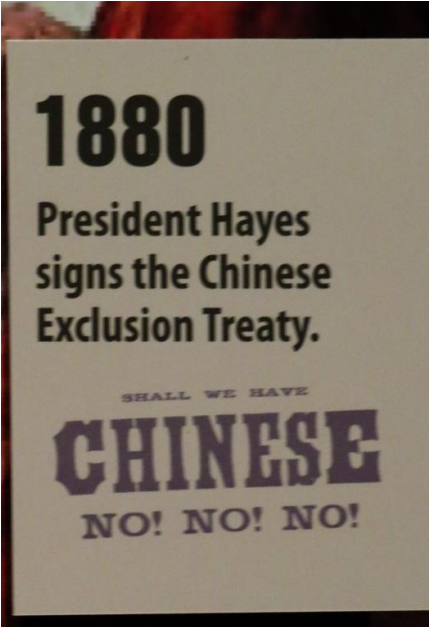
There were way too many cars to list all the info for each one (plus I'm too lazy for that!), so I'll just put in a number of pictures and hope you enjoy them:



I particularly enjoyed the Alfa Romeo BAT (Berlinetta Aurodinamuca Tecnica) cars from 1953-55 with their futuristic styling and 'way cool' tail fins:



On the second floor was a Spirit of the West with a diorama of models depicting the 19th century American West.



Where have we seen this kind of thing before???

We then headed up the 680 and had lunch at the Back Forty on Gene and Linda's recommendation.....good food and good times!



Footnote - Additional pictures - added to EVITE - by members who attended and took pictures they wanted to share. Please revisit the EVITE for this event.

Next month: April 22nd....shine our cars in Armstrong Woods and visit Korbel Winery.
Or just bring a picnic and visit with friends.

**Additional Black Hawk Museum Pictures contributed by Stan Sollid our
Assistant Director**





.....hmmmm Anyone recall seeing this car on the floor at the Museum ??

Shared by new members - Will Norton and Stacy Willow

The 51 - 50 Foundation

An Automotive Social Club

150 Ford Way, Novato CA (www.CAL5150.com)

Formed in 2011 by Marin County auto enthusiast, car builder, and race car driver Tony Lazzarini.

It was his plan to create a unique facility that would offer it's members secure auto storage, needed services and a "social club" for car guys/gals to meet for various automotive-related events.

Foundation produces 12-15 events yearly.

See Website for details anyone interested in learning more about this organization.

(not endorsed by the BCR)

SAVE THE DATE April 22

Dust off the winter cobwebs.

Bring your buffing towels, elbow grease and whatever do you need to spruce the old Buick for the car show season ahead. Something to do while you chat with each other in the park on a "hopefully" nice sunny day in April.

Join your Buick friends for a **drive out River Road, maybe a stop at Korbel winery for a quick photo opportunity and continue out to Armstrong Woods for a picnic.**

Details to follow

Bring your basics for lunch - and something to share with others.

OR

Maybe decide to eat at Korbel before going to Armstrong Woods

or

Buy picnic -lunch at Korbel to take to Armstrong woods.

<http://www.sonomacounty.com/articles/armstrong-redwoods>

SAVE THE DATES Coming Soon

May weekend May 19 - 21 for those interested in joining a few now committed members for a relaxing weekend on the Mendocino coast. See information in this newsletter.

May 27th - Saturday - Sebastapol Car Show

benefiting the Senior Center in Sebastapol. sebastapolseniorcenter.org

Get registered - they fill up fast.

June 18th - Father's Day 2017 - Julliard Park Car Show - Repeat Venue.

Dec 9thSave the Date - for the BCR Holiday party

At Cattlemen's in Petaluma - Dec 9th - 2:30 - 5:30 - Gift Exchange at the Kahnberg's for end of year celebration.



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.

The 1st Sunday – **Cars and Coffee Novato** – 8:00 to 10:00 a.m. – Vintage Oakes Shopping Center by Starbucks.

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

Also the 2nd Sunday – **Cars and Coffee Sonoma** – 8:00 to 10:00 a.m. – 19632 8th Street E – 9:00 to 12:00.

The 3rd Sunday – **Cars and Coffee Petaluma** – Washington Square Shopping Center (South East corner of Washington and McDowell) between Pete’s Coffee and Noah’s Bagels – 8:00 to 10:00.

NEW The 4th Sunday – **Cars and Coffee Rohnert Park** by Target and Juice Shack – 8:00 to 10:00 a.m.

OTHER CRUISE INS

Fourth and Sea Fish and Chips, Petaluma (corner of 4th & C Streets). Last Sunday of the month – 11:00 to 2:00 – May to October.

NEW Fourth and Sea – every Thursday from 6:00 to 9:00 p.m. – April through October

Straw Hat Pizza, Rohnert Park. 2nd Sunday of the month 1:00 to 5:00 – May to October -Sponsored by Cruisin North Car Club.

Buns and Burgers, 406 Larkfield Center, Santa Rosa. Every Friday – 3:30 to 8:00 – weather permitting May through September.



A Walk in the Botanical Gardens of Fort Bragg

Let's share a weekend on the North Coast in small quaint towns of Fort Bragg and Mendocino

2 Nights--- May 19 and 20th (Fri and Saturday).. *Deadline to commit - EARLY April - so we can make group plans*

Leaving Santa Rosa Friday morning. Maybe Lunch in Little River Inn in Albion or open to suggestions

Lodging Options: (Be sure to make your own reservations)

Terry & Michelle and Richard and I are booked at the Grey Whale Inn. www.greywhaleinn.com

- **Grey Whale Inn, Fort Bragg.** They have 13 rooms - so if you want to stay there - make reservations quickly . Room cost here are \$135 - 171 per night. (2 night minimum stay required.) **I have 6 additional rooms on hold** there until APRIL 1st. When booking reference my name. If the turnout is good the Inn Keeper here may offer a discount at time of arrival.

We found the following places in comparable price range(s). (For those looking for other options)

- **Beach Hotel Inn, Fort Bragg**
- **Shoreline Cottages, Fort Bragg**
- **Glass Beach Inn, Fort Bragg**
- Many other accommodations are available in Fort Bragg and close by Mendocino - Room costs- dependent on your accommodations.

Ideas to while the time away - the highlighted ones - may be great ones for groups to get together and share

- **May 20 - Sat AM - Walking tour of the Fort Bragg Botanical Gardens..Rhododendrons & azalea will be in bloom.**
- **Dinner - Friday night** - casual at **_(TBD)_ & Dinner Saturday night** - more upscale - **_(TBD)**
- If, you don't stay at a B&B - we can all meet for **breakfast - Sat AM (TBD)___Sun AM at (TBD)**
- **Walks at Glass Beach... Noyo Headlands Park Fort area** is a great way to start a day.
- **MacKerricher Park** (north of Fort Bragg) is a great place for a end of day walk along the boardwalk.
- **Mendocino Headlands walk**
- **Skunk Train** ((may take most of the day)
- **Stroll thru Mendocino** - do some shopping
- **Mendocino Theatre.... will be playing "OR" by Liz Duffy Adams** Make reservations early very small theatre.
- Point Reyes is a 136 mile drive south of Mendocino

Everyone is responsible for making their own lodging and theatre reservations- etc

We can all met in Santa Rosa to drive together to Mendocino. As we get closer - the group going, can help finite the details.

CAR NUT CALENDAR

			Indicates Club Planned events
Jan	Sat	14-Jan	Planning Meeting with Club Members (18 attended)
Feb	Sun	12-Feb	Grace Hudson Museum Ukiah
Mar	Sun	12-Mar	Black Hawk Museum, Danville
Apr	Sat	1-Apr	Maria Carrillo HS REDLINE Carrillo Carfest (carrilloredlinecarfest@gmail.com) 707-889-3735
Apr	Sat	22-Apr	Drive to Armstrong - Picnic Lunch Social (Coordinators-- Sollids)
May	Sat	6-May	29th Greg Borrelli May Madness, San Rafael www.maymadnesssanrafael.com
May	Sat	13-May	Fred Stokes
May	Sat	13-May	Colusa Car Show
May	Fri-Sun	19-21	Mendocino Overnighter - details in Nailhead
May	Sat	20-May	Maxwell Classic Car Show and Parade Maxwell High School contact: vicki-wilson@hotmail.com No entry fee
May	Sat	27-May	Sebastapol Sr Ctr Car Show pre register: sebastopolseniorcenter.org 707-829-2440
May	Sat	27-May	Point Arena High School Care show Cont: cafuentes@pauhs.org
May	Sat-Sun	May 27-28	Willits Car & Motorcycle Show 707 459 7910 or info@willits.org
June	Fri- Sat	Jun 9-10	15th Annual Peggy Sue and Cruise In- Santa Rosa Fairgrounds www.cruiseforpeggysue.com
June	Sat	10-Jun	Humbug Days - Capitol Club - Trip to Malokoff Diggins State Park, Nevada City (CA Largest Hydraulic mining site) 26 mi north of Nevada City.
June	Sun	18-Jun	Julliard park (limit 400 cars)
June		June 25-30	ROA National, Boontown, NV
July		July 5-8	BCA National - Wisconsin
July	Sat	15th	Healdsburg Sr Living Crt, 725 Grove St 10-2 PM relayforlife.org/healdsburgCA
July	Sat	15th	Gualala Art and Car Show (Reg early limited number of cars) 707-884-1448 / ksue57@mcn.org
July	Sat	July 15 or 16 ??	Nat'l Cruise in Ukiah
July	Sat	22-Jul	Penngrove Car Show
July	Fri-Sun	July 21-23	Fortuna Auto Rama
Aug	1 week		Hot August Nites (Need to confirm dates)
Aug	Sun	13-Aug	BBQ at Jeff and Bruces/ Potluck
Aug	Fri & Sat	18 & 19	Fri: Show and Shine 8-18 Main street Car Show - Napa at www.donapa.com/event/main-street-reunion/
Sep	Sat	9-Sep	31st Annual Street Rod Extravaganza Chester, CA 530-258-2562 or yourarpd.org or Eventbrite.com
Sep	Fri-Sat	Sep 8-9	Cloverdale Car & Motorcycle Show 894-4470 info@cloverdalechamber.com
Sept	Sat	16-Sep	Sturgeon Lumber Mill (Hosted by Leo Ladner)

Sep	Fri-Sat	Sep 22-23	Capitol Club: Iron Concourse and Tailgate Party Murphy CA
Oct	Sat	21-Oct	Progressive Dinner: Hosts: Appetizers: Bergmann; Entrée: Sollids; Dessert: Kahnbergs
Oct			Geyserville Car Show
Nov	Sat	4-Nov	Poker Run (coordinators: Kahnbergs & Costellos)
Dec	Sat	9-Dec	BCR Christmas Party - Details TBD



BCR T Shirts / Sweatshirts for sale.

We only have a few sweatshirts and t-shirts left.

FIRE SALE - to move current residual stock of white T-shirts and Sweatshirts.

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:

- 1 Large
- 2 X Large
- 4 2X large

(qtys updated 03-19-2017)

T-shirts -- Now selling for \$10.00 each

- 2 2X Large

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



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

Send Request to Richard Kahnberg, Storekeeper.

Check to: Buick Club of the Redwoods.

