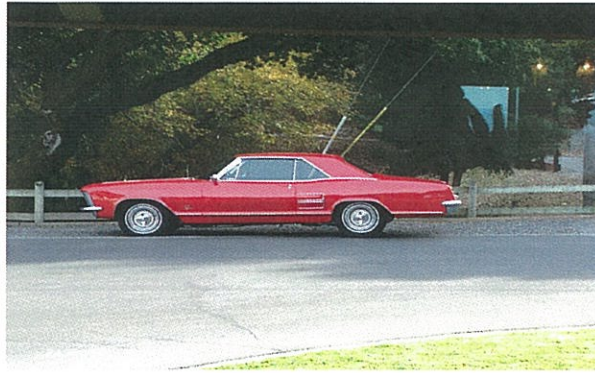




December 2014



Happy Holidays

Thank you to all the club members who joined us for our December meeting to support the election of new officers for the new year to the Buick Club of the Redwoods. It was an enthusiastic group and we worked thru some urgent tasks to keep the club on track.

As the newly elected Director, I look forward to the opportunity to work with everyone in the club to make this an eventful year. Going to car events that we have in the past as well as taking on new adventures and other car shows that just might help widen our horizons and spread Buick enthusiasm to folks outside of Sonoma county by showing off our cars and sharing a bit of history with our new found friends.

As the new year unfolds I look to each of our club members participation and event suggestions to keep us all on our toes for the next adventure. There are many car shows we have not done as a club, but many members have done independently, that may just be the a fun event to share. Add them to the Events Brain storming sheet and lets work as a group to make them happen.

In closing, I welcome our supporting officers to their new positions as well as, the re-elected treasurer and webmaster; to have fun with our new responsibilities and enjoy the tasks.

April Kahnberg, Director

The Buick Club of the Redwoods
PO Box 1027, Rohnert Park, CA 94927
www.buickcluboftheredwoods.com

Founded 1998

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.)))*

OFFICERS:

Director: April Kahnberg	1185home@prodigy.net
Asst Director: Kenny Silvestri	kennysilvestri@sbcglobal.net
Secretary: Joan Costello	whc2000@sbcglobal.net
Treasurer, Membership, Store keeper:	
Rich Kahnberg	1185home@prodigy.net
Photographer, Historian, Webmaster:	
Terry Eggleston	terenzio@sonic.net

Newsletter Editors: Richard Kahnberg and April Kahnberg (see email address above)

BUICK CLUB OF THE REDWOODS
MINUTES OF THE DECEMBER 10TH, 2014 MEETING

Members in attendance were Don and Lois Brooner, Keith Brumbley, Bill and Joan Costello, Terry Eggleston, Rich and April Kahnberg, Kenny Silvestri, and Stan Sollid.

April introduced our guests to the membership. Vickie Fertig and Frank Moraes were both former members.

At 6:55 p.m. Rich called the meeting to order.

Rich passed out notes of the November meeting taken by April for review by the membership. A later vote will be taken for approval.

TREASURER'S REPORT

Rich reported the current bank balance. Deposits for the month were from November's raffle and dues. Membership dues are due on January 1, 2015. Rich has sent out reminders to all members. There have been 11 renewals to date with 10 members who have not renewed. Rich will send out a second reminder. Joe Rosendahl and Mike & Connie Lightell will not be rejoining and will be missed by all. Vickie Fertig rejoined the club this evening. Welcome back, Vickie.

OLD BUSINESS

Keith reported on the subject of toppers for license plates or grilles. The price he quoted at November's meeting did not include tax and shipping for orders placed in the U.S. only the order coming from China. April offered members a cost and material breakdown for the three sources of toppers – China, Indiana or North Dakota. Rich will send out an e-mail to members asking how many each member would like to order pre-paid. We would need 50 toppers to be pre-paid before we place an order. Discussion followed regarding the three sources of toppers. Bill made a motion for Rich to send out a query to members with prices quoted from China which was the least expensive quote. Motion was seconded by Rich. No action will be taken, however, until more discussion at the January meeting.

NEW BUSINESS

Since the November meeting, three members have resigned from office: Keith Brumbley as Director and co-Newsletter Editor, Rebecca Kisling as Secretary and co-Newsletter Editor, and David Yoast as Assistant Director. Nominations were open for the vacant offices. April Kahnberg was nominated by Joan for Director. The motion was seconded by Bill. Kenny Silvestri was nominated by Bill for Assistant Director. Lois seconded the motion. Joan Costello was nominated by April for the position of Secretary. The motion was seconded by Bill. All nominated members accepted the nominations. Don made a motion to accept the slate of officers. Motion was seconded by Bill and passed by majority vote. The offices of Treasurer and Webmaster will not change.

Rich and April volunteered to temporarily take the office of Newsletter Editor. They will create a format for the newsletter and continue for a few months with the hopes that someone will take over the responsibility. Terry said he would like the newsletter submitted to him a week before the meeting to give him time to put it on the website so members can receive it before the meeting. Members who have articles they would like in the newsletter should e-mail them to Rich or April.

Newly elected Director, April, suggested that the current job descriptions and bylaws be reviewed in the near future. April also asked that members e-mail her any annual car shows or events which will then be written on a calendar for the entire year.

Discussion followed regarding the minutes for each meeting. It was agreed that Joan will send a draft of the minutes to members present at the meeting. Members will be asked to read the minutes and reply to Joan with any additions or corrections. Joan will then submit the corrected minutes for publication in the newsletter.

Rich contacted the Exchange Bank in Rohnert Park to learn the procedure to have our new officers become signees for club checks. All checks are required to have two authorized signatures. April declined as a signee since she is the wife of the club Treasurer. The officers who will be added as signees will be Terry (Webmaster), Kenny (Assistant Director) and Joan (Secretary). Rich (Treasurer) will remain as an authorized signee.

In the near future, Rich would like to look into the possibility of moving our post office box from Rohnert Park to Santa Rosa.

Rich made a motion to accept the minutes from the November meeting. Bill seconded the motion and it passed by majority vote.

Terry asked the club members if they would be interested in displaying their cars at the Sonoma County Air Show. Concerns were brought up about people opening car doors and sitting inside. Members agreed that we would not participate.

Rich has a Christmas card for Jack and Juanita Wilson (former members who moved), Joe Rosendahl and Rusty Tucker that members can sign at the Christmas Party which is Saturday at 4:00 at the Kahnberg's.

Rich went around the room asking what was going on with each of our members.

Raffle followed with Rich winning the 50/50 prize of \$19.00.

The meeting was adjourned at 8:00 p.m.

Respectfully Submitted,
Joan Costello



2014 BUICK CLUB OF THE REDWOODS CHRISTMAS DINNER

By Terry Eggleston

On the evening of December 14th we had our Annual Christmas Dinner and Pirate Gift Exchange at the lovely home of Rich and April Kahnberg.

In addition to our hosts, Don and Lois, Bill and Joan, Stan and Gail, Kenny, Keith, and Terry and Michelle attended.

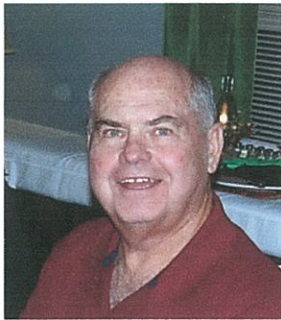
We enjoyed a lovely dinner of meatballs made by April and Joan, lasagna, ravioli, and Caesar Salad were the main course. This was followed by several delicious desserts including the perennial It's Its and drumstick ice-cream from Clover via Keith.

We had our pirate gift exchange; I felt the big star here was the Chevy Nomad that Keith had built...it will soon adorn a shelf in Kenny's house.

During course of the evening there was a running slide show of the 2014 events of our club....it ran continuously until Red, one of the Kahnberg's intrepid Maine Coons, decided that he had had enough and reached up onto the keyboard and shut it down. Probably appropriate, it had run WAAAYYY too long!

A wonderful evening, and Club Thanks to our most gracious hosts, the Kahnbergs!





Lois Brooner's Yummy Lemon Squares

LEMON SQUARES...

crust

1 cup flour

1/2 cup butter

1/4 cup powdered sugar.

Prepare like pie crust and pat into 8x8" pan.

Bake 20 minutes @350 degrees.

Beat 2 eggs

1 cup sugar

...add dash of salt

3 tablespoons lemon juice.

Mix well.

Combine

2 tablespoons flour

1/2 teaspoon baking powder

Add to egg mixture, mixing well.

Pour into prepared crust and bake 25 minutes.

Cut while warm and sprinkle with powdered sugar. **Let cool well before serving.**



Upcoming events

January 24th – 25th

Annual Swap Meet in Turlock – Saturday \$10, Sunday \$5

February 1st

Sacramento Swap Meet presented by Sacramento Capital Buick Club –
Cosumnes College 5am to 2pm

February 7th

Free Museum Day at the California Auto Museum in Sacramento (916)
442-6802

February 14th, 15th & 16th

Annual Sacramento Autorama at Cal Expo

March 28th – 29th

Goodguys Car Show and Swap Meet, Pleasanton Fairgrounds

May 14th, 15th & 16th

American Graffiti Car Show downtown Petaluma - americangraffiti.net

Salute 2015, Our 10th Anniversary, May 14, 15, & 16

Petaluma's Salute to American Graffiti vehicle registration will open on Feb 2, 2015. Although we expect to increase the total number of vehicle entrants, registration normally fills very fast so please mark your calendars now so you are sure to get signed up.

I Received this email - I am sharing with the club member s - FYI *Notes from April Kahnberg 12-21-2014*

Note: this is a 2 day event - Friday and Saturday, June 5 - 6, 2015

I talked to Wayne Lyndon, Dir of Sacramento Buick club.

His thoughts.

Thunder Valley Casino, is locate about 1/2 way between Sacramento and Roseville, CA. (West of Auburn)

Just off Hwy 80 on Hwy 65. (about 1/2 hour from Sacramento)

There is lodging at the casino, but nothing else around the area.

His thoughts - and he will bring it up at his next meeting: might be best to stay in Auburn and the day after the show, Sunday am - take a tour thru the hills / country side of Auburn and have lunch someplace out there before returning to Santa Rosa Area.

He recommended staying at the Best Western in Auburn (Off Hwy 80) (they will offer group rates) and the Sacramento club would caravan to the hotel, round us up and take us on the tour. (They will plan the tour and where to have lunch event). This Best Western has plenty of secure parking.

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From: **Raymond A. Geiger** raygeigers29@gmail.com
Subject: Thunder in the Valley Show & Shine June 5th and Downtown Lincoln Classic Car Show June 6, 2015
Date: December 20, 2014 at 11:12 AM
To: Ray and Pat Geiger raygeigers29@gmail.com

Merry Christmas and Happy New Year,

Attached is information on the above car shows. If your club is planning the years activities we hope you will consider our shows. We are confident you will have a good time. We would appreciate it if you would forward this email on to your members. Hope to see you in Lincoln the first weekend in June.

Thank you

Ray Geiger, Rods & Relics

Lincoln Car Show Friday, June 5th & Saturday, June 6th 2015
 Friday, June 5th 2015, Rods & Relics & Thunder Valley Resort Sponsored
 Show & Shine at Thunder Valley Casino Resort



**Saturday, June 6, 2015, Rods & Relics & VFW Post 3010 host the
 Historic Downtown Lincoln Classic Car Show**

Friday, June 5th

- * Thunder Valley Casino Show & Shine, Registration 4 to 6 P.M. Awards 8 PM.
- * Donation, cash, or canned non-perishable food, requested for Salt Mine Food Bank.
- * Open to 1975 and older American made or powered vehicles.
- * Raffle, Music, Awards, Food & Drink and lots of fun from 4 to 9 PM.
- * Lodging: Thunder Valley Resort 877-468-8777 or www.thundervalleyresort.com

Saturday, June 6th

- * Show open to 1975 and older American made or powered vehicles.
- * Registration 7 AM to 9:30 AM, Awards at 2:30 PM, 50+ Trophies & Plaques.
- * Dash Plaques and Goody Bags for the first 200 registered cars.
- * Great Raffle prizes, Music, Food & Vendors NSRA Safety Inspection available.
- * Boy Scout Troop 160 will host a Pancake Breakfast from 7 to 10 AM at VFW Hall.
- * Show to Benefit: Ride to Walk, The National Downs Syndrome Coalition, and The Lighthouse Counseling & Family Resource Center.

Saturday Car Show Participant Registration

Name _____ Address _____

City/State/Zip _____ Phone _____

E-mail _____ Vehicle: 19 _____

Confirmation will be sent by email

Year Make Model
 Registration by May 15--\$20. _____

Club Affiliation _____

Registration after May 15-----\$25. _____

T-Shirts: S M L XL \$15.00 Add \$3 for XXL (Circle Size) Quantity _____ x \$15.00/\$18.00 _____

Check if handicapped parking is needed _____

Total enclosed _____

I plan to attend the Thunder Valley Casino Show & Shine June 5th Yes _____ No _____

As a Participant in this event, I agree to release the Rods and Relics Car Club of Lincoln Hills, the Veterans of Foreign Wars to include VFW Post 3010, the City of Lincoln, and any other sponsors of this event, jointly and severally and each organization's members, officers, officials, directors and chairpersons, jointly and severally from any and all liability arising out of this event.

Signature (required) _____ Date _____

Send checks payable to the Rods & Relics and this form to Rods & Relics, PO Box 93, Lincoln, CA 95648
 Addl. Information at www.rodsnrelics.net or call Kent Parsell at (916) 434-6648 or Ray Geiger (916) 543-0464

California Capitol Chapter Buick Club of America



SWAP MEET

Sunday February 1, 2015

SWAP OPENS 5:00 a.m. RAIN OR SHINE

FREE ADMISSION TO THE PUBLIC

WEB SITE - www.sacramentobuickclub.org

COSUMNES RIVER COLLEGE



8401 Center Parkway



Parking Lot E

SACRAMENTO, CALIFORNIA

DRIVING INSTRUCTIONS:

From Sacramento: Take Highway 99 south, take exit #289, right on Cosumnes River Blvd, left on Bruceville Road, right into Cosumnes east entrance, left to parking lot E.

From Stockton: Take Highway 99 north, take exit 289 left on Cosumnes River Blvd. over freeway, left on Bruceville Road, right into Cosumnes east entrance, left to parking lot E.

VENDORS ONLY: NO ADVANCE REGISTRATION

Set Up Saturday, January 31, 2015 1:00 p.m. until 6:00 p.m.

First come first served. "NO SWAPPING SATURDAY"

1-10'x20' stall equals one swap space - \$15.00 for each swap space taken

1-10'x20' stall for "Cars for Sale" - \$15.00 each

Please move vehicles or trailers you do not plan on paying for to the public parking lot or you will be charged for space in the swap meet area.

For information call: Larry Rael (916) 606-1103

Randy Wright (530) 677-1145

Bob Hettinger (916) 358-9090

Wayne Lyndon (530) 269-3211

JANUARY TRIVIA

1. The first year Buick started using plastic on interior fittings was in 1936, '37, '38 or '39?
2. The Chevrolet Nomad was first built in 1955, '56 or '57?
3. In what year did Oldsmobile build the first front wheel drive Toronado? 1964, '65, '66 or '67
4. The Chevrolet Nova was first introduced in 1961, '62, '63 or '64?
5. The last year Buick utilized the Nail Head motor was 1963, '64, '65 or '66?
6. The Plymouth Barracuda was first introduced in 1961, '62, '63 or '64?
7. The Henry-J was introduced in 1951. It was produced by Ford, Kaiser, Kaiser Frazier or Henry J?
8. Designed as a model to celebrate Buick's 50th anniversary was the Buick Skylark of 1952, '53, '54 or '55?
9. America's leading auto maker by 1903-04 production year was Buick, Oldsmobile, Chevrolet or Packard?
10. Cadillac produced the first production V-8 in 1915. It featured detachable heads and a balanced crank. This motor was so popular that Cadillac kept it until 1935, '36, '37, or '38?

ANSWERS
1. 1936 2. 1955 3. 1966 4. 1962 5. 1966 6. 1964 7. Kaiser 8. 1953 9. Oldsmobile 10. 1936

ANSWERS

Membership Profile ~ none

We have no member profile this month. We still have a few members that we haven't had the opportunity to profile yet. If you are on this short list, please consider letting us feature you and your car in this section. It is a great way to let members get to know you a little better.





2015 BCR Dues

It is time to renew your dues for the Buick Club of the Redwoods.

Dues are still only \$15.00 for the 2015 calendar year. Please note you must be a current member of the Buick Club of America.

Please send your payment payable to "Buick Club of the Redwoods" to:

Buick Club of the Redwoods

PO Box 1027

Rohnert Park, CA 94927-1027

Or for faster processing send payment directly to myself at:

Rich Kahnberg

Treasurer, BCR

1185 Carr Ave

Santa Rosa, CA 95404

The password for the website will be changed on February 1, 2014, everyone with their dues current will be notified of the new password.



Buick Club of the Redwoods, a Chapter of the *Buick Club of America*, would like to extend an invitation to you to attend our next monthly meeting. We are a group of Buick owners and lovers, interested in the preservation and enjoyment of Buicks through the ages.

Meetings are held on the 2nd Wednesday of each month at 7 PM.

We meet in one of the private rooms at Round Table Pizza located in the Safeway Shopping Center, 1791 Marlow Road, Santa Rosa, CA. (Corner of Marlow and Guerneville Roads).

MEMBERSHIP APPLICATION BCA# _____ Exp. _____
(Please Print)

Name(s) _____

Address _____

Email address(es) to receive Chapter Newsletter and Chapter event information _____

Phone: Home _____ Cell(s) _____ Other _____

List any Buicks owned. Include year, model, body style and any nickname.

Other car club affiliations and vehicles

Optional: Birthday(s) or Anniversary _____

Please make your \$15.00 membership check payable to: Buick Club of the Redwoods.
Mail to: Buick Club of the Redwoods, P.O. Box 1027, Rohnert Park, CA 94927-1027

-----Please do not write below this line-----

Date paid _____ Amount _____ Check # _____ Date Club Patch Given _____



BUICK CLUB OF AMERICA

Application for Membership

BCA Website
www.BuickClub.org

The Buick Club of America is a non-profit membership corporation dedicated to the preservation and restoration of those vehicles built by Buick Motor Division of General Motors Corporation. BCA membership (includes spouse and minor children only) offers you the following:

- Monthly issue of *The Buick Bugle* published by the BCA.
- Advertising privilege in *The Buick Bugle* for Buick-related items.
- Participation in all club events and opportunity to join local chapters and divisions.
- Membership card, and as a new member, one BCA decal. (Additional decals can be purchased from San Gabriel Valley Chapter.)

BCA MEMBERSHIP DUES SCHEDULE

Membership is on an annual basis beginning with the month following receipt of application. Membership is available in increments as follows:

	1 year	2 year	3 year
USA Periodical Class	\$50.00	\$95.00	\$130.00
USA First Class	\$70.00	\$130.00	\$200.00
Can. & Mexico Periodical	\$68.00	\$131.00	\$194.00
Can. & Mexico Priority	\$93.00	\$181.00	\$269.00
International Surface	\$68.00	\$131.00	\$194.00
International Air Mail	\$98.00	\$191.00	\$284.00
E-Membership	\$35.00		

(E-Membership is an online *Bugle* only; no hard copy — email required)

Without right of transfer or survivorships. Dues are non-refundable.

All foreign countries note: Membership dues and all other financial transactions with the BCA must be a bank draft, drawn on a U.S.A. bank and payable in U.S.A. currency, MasterCard, VISA or Discover charge cards. Make all checks payable to The Buick Club of America. The U.S.A. annual membership is \$50.00.

Name: _____

Spouse (if applicable): _____

Address: _____

City: _____ State: _____ Zip: _____

(include zip + 4 digit)

Country: _____

Phone: (____) _____ Check here if you do not want your phone number printed in the roster.

E-mail Address: _____

Sponsoring Member: _____ (not required)

New or Renewal: BCA # _____
(If you are a renewing member, please include your current mailing label.)

OFFICE USE ONLY

Check/Money Order # _____

Visa Mastercard Discover

Date Processed: _____

Expire Date: _____

1st Class Surface Air

The information entered on this application will appear in the Buick Club of America Roster when printed. If you prefer to have your information withheld from the Roster, place a mark in this box.

Buicks Currently Owned (Buick Ownership is not a pre-requisite for membership in the BCA)

Year	Model Number or Type	Body Style (4 dr./2 dr.)	Vehicle ID Number (VIN Number on Registration)

Check or Money Order made payable to Buick Club of America. Foreign country applicants must use bank draft, money order drawn on USA bank and payable in USA currency.) OR

Mastercard VISA Discover (Check One)

Amount \$ _____

Credit Card expiration date Month/Year. Must have this information to process.

Print full name on credit card if different than name on application

Authorized Signature _____

Daytime Phone Number _____

Return Applications to:
Buick Club of America
P.O. Box 360775
Columbus, Ohio 43236-0775

E-mail:
buickcluboffice@aol.com

Questions?
Call (614) 472-3939
Fax (614) 472-3222



"Never worry about criticism from the misinformed."

<Adolph Rupp>