



Oct 2017

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

Meetings are held on the 2nd Wednesday of every month at
Round Table Pizza, 1791 Marlow Rd in the Safeway Shopping Ctr,
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

Officers

- Director: April Kahnberg 1185home@att.net
 - Asst Director: Stan Sollid stansollid@prodigy.net
 - Secretary: Joan Costello whc2000@sbcglobal.net
 - Treasurer,
 - Membership,
 - Story Keeper: Rich Kahnberg 1185home@att.net
 - Photographer,
 - Webmaster – Historian: Terry Eggleston terenzio@sonic.net
 - Newsletter Editors: Rich and April Kahnberg
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Annual Elections –Nov, December

November Nominations – December Passing of gaval.

Directors Message



To all our BCR Members.

It is with great emotions – that, I confirm all club members and their homes have survived the recent Firestorm, as it ravaged parts of our county and specific areas inside the city limits.

None of us are untouched by this event – whether it be that close friends who lost their homes and personal belongings. But also many of our own members – close by neighbors – homes are gone and it's (in my opinion) only by divine intervention that so many were spared that were so close to the destruction. Many local businesses that many of us frequent – are gone. The landscape of this community – will be forever changed. There is hope that they will rebuild and bring back the vitality of the grass roots of this community. This loss will be evident in the many days, weeks, years ahead; but Sonoma Strong will prevail.

As we move into the holiday season – please open your hearts to so many who have lost. Smiles and words of encouragement to those we don't know personally, but may have lost so much.

Tasks at hand: BCR Office – positions are open for anyone who might be interested

Elections nominations will happen November meeting. Anyone interested in holding an officers position for 2018 Buick Club of Redwoods, please be sure to share with other members for nomination and/or come to the meetings the next few months. Elections in December and passing of the gaval in Januraty 2018

2018 –Is right around the corner – we picked a date for the **Planning meeting to lay outline for our 2018 events. (January 13)** Bring ideas to share or be sure to send ahead of the meeting with any details you may have to support the idea. Please be sure to note if you are willing to host / co host the event.

2018 – BCR Club dues – are due by end of December – watch your mail – (snail mail) soon for the renewals **Please note** – you must complete a new application with your renewal check.

Happy Buicking

April Kahnberg

BCR Director 2017

MINUTES OF THE BUICK CLUB OF THE REDWOODS

OCTOBER 18th, 2017 MEETING

Director, April Kahnberg, called the meeting to order at 6:59 p.m.

April welcomed those present and expressed her appreciation that all BCR members are safe following the recent fires. Members present were Dave Bergmann, Bill and Joan Costello, Terry Eggleston, Rich and April Kahnberg, Leo Ladner, Dave Uhlig, Cindy Omoth, and Stan Sollid. April recently received an email from Jay Emery who expressed interest in joining the club.

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

Rich gave the Treasurer's report. There was a deposit of \$23.00 from the September raffle. A \$100 check was written to Sutter Care at Home in Vicki Fertig's honor.

We currently have 24 members.

Dave submitted an invoice for \$258.91 for the 4" embroidered patches. Terry made a motion that the club treasurer reimburse Dave. Motion passed by majority vote.

April opened the floor for discussion to decide the price the club will charge per patch. Each patch cost the club \$5.18. After much discussion, Cindy made a motion to charge \$10.00 per patch. Terry seconded the motion and it passed by majority vote. Dave was thanked for the time and effort that he put into ordering and delivering the patches.

Terry gave an update on the T-shirt designs for BCR's 20th anniversary in June of 2018. Michelle has had some computer difficulties and will have the design revisions at the November meeting.

The annual swap meet in Turlock is January 27th and 28th.

Rich, April, Bill and Joan have put together a Poker Run to be held Saturday, November 4th. Bill made a motion that the club award \$50 for the best poker hand and \$25 for the worst hand. Terry seconded the motion and it pass by majority vote. Dave Bergmann made a motion that each participant pay \$5 and that will be awarded to the member with the best hand plus the \$50. The motion passed by majority vote. There will be only one hand per car and participants must be current members to be eligible for the prize but guests and potential members are welcome to join us. Cindy will be the official poker hand judge.

Sonoma Chevrolet's benefit for Toys For Tots will be Sunday, November 19. Bring a new and unwrapped toy. April suggested those participating can meet for breakfast. There will be more information later.

Upcoming events:

- Poker Run – Saturday, November 4th
- Toys For Tots – Sunday, November 19th
- Holiday Dinner and gift exchange – Saturday, December 9th

- Planning Brunch – Saturday, January 13th

The Chevy Club will be in the November 11th Veteran's Day Parade in Petaluma and will be driving veterans in their cars. If interested, contact Terry for more information.

Rich and April have recently volunteered their time at the Redwood Empire Food Bank. On the registration form under affiliations, they put Buick Club of the Redwoods and encourage members to do the same if they are volunteering.

Nominations for the 2018 year will be held at the November meeting with elections taking place at the December meeting.

The 50/50 raffle was won by Cindy. The meeting was adjourned at 7:37 p.m.

Respectfully Submitted,
Joan Costello
Secretary

BUICK CLUB OF THE REDWOODS ANNUAL PROGRESSIVE DINNER

October 21, 2017

Contributed by Terry Eggleston

The last couple of weeks have been difficult for residents of our beautiful Sonoma County as we begin the recovery process from the devastating firestorms. A nice respite was provided as members of our club met for our annual Progressive Dinner. Attendees were Bob Guintoli, Bill and Joan Costello, Rich and April Kahnberg, new members Dave Uhlig and Cindy Omoth, Dave and Linda Bergmann, Alden and Adela Hennings, Stan and Gail Sollid, Terry Eggleston, and Michelle LaVoie.

All three stops were on the west side of town, which minimized travel time. This was a good thing because Ruby (Terry's 54 Century) developed a leaky radiator, and Dave and Cindy's 52 Estate Wagon proved difficult to start.

Ah....the joys of old cars! The first stop, appetizers, was at the lovely home of Dave and Linda Bergmann's.



Dave and Cindy's 52 Estate Wagon

Rich and April's 63 Riviera

Bill and Joan's 71 Skylark



Terry and Michelle's 54 Century



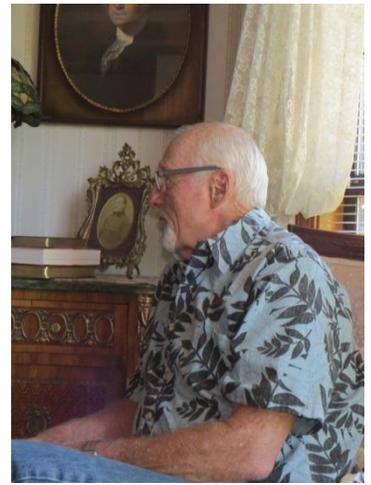
Dave and Cindy sharing a moment. Note the old stuff. Most of us in the club like "old" stuff.



Really cool dry martini bar from 1930's England



Checking out the appetizer table



Bill Costello

We then headed about a half mile north to Stan and Gail's house, where our hosts provided us with several great main dishes:



These models greet one as they come in the front door, Gotta love the priorities!



Bob, Dave, and Rich watching a car show...



The young Stan catching his limit....



Club members enjoying a great dinner...compliments of Stan and Gail

Our third and final stop was at Terry and Michelle's for dessert. Michelle has a knack for decorating and hosting. Terry had a running slide show of the Club events of the previous twelve months. He's the photographer. He takes pictures. That's what he does.





Adela and Alden



Dave and Cindy



Stan



Bob

This reporter thought it was a great evening and would like to thank Dave and Linda, Stan and Gail, and Michelle for the wonderful hosting!

Next up: The Poker Run on November 4th

Signing off, Terry Eggleston

More Pictures by Stan Sollid





Fun Event – this says it all

October 11, 2017

Mr. Richard Kahnberg
Buick Club of the Redwoods
1185 Carr Ave
Santa Rosa, CA 95404

Dear Mr. Kahnberg,

On behalf of Sutter Care At Home, and especially the patients and their families who will benefit from your generosity, thank you for your \$100.00 gift made in loving memory of Vicki Fertig, which we received on October 10, 2017. A letter will be sent under separate cover notifying the family of your gift; the amount of the gift will not be mentioned. As requested, your contribution will support the Area of Greatest Need.

Sutter Care at Home is a not-for-profit organization that relies on charitable support to carry out its mission to provide a myriad of services – such as home health, hospice and bereavement care – to individuals who are often in their greatest moments of need. Your contribution will help make that possible.

Thank you again for your generosity.

Sincerely,



Alison Sadler
Vice President, Philanthropy Operations

Sutter Care at Home qualifies as a federal tax-exempt non-profit corporation under the IRS section 501(c)(3). In accordance with regulations, we are providing you with an acknowledgment of your gift and verification that we provided no goods or services to you in return. Our tax identification number is 94-6068843.

FOR SALE BY MEMBER:

Jeff Mounce – BCR Members – is selling his “Moms” Skylark.

- Bought new at Barnett Buick in Burbank,CA (I remember when she brought it home)
- **1970 Skylark 350 Hardtop Sport Coupe**
- Rebuilt 350 cu inch engine (285 hp), rebuilt Turbo Hydramatic Trans
- Power steering, power disc brakes
- Working a/c converted to 134-a
- Quick ratio steering box
- Dual exhaust with Magna Flow mufflers
- Front end rebuilt
- New springs all around
- New gas tank
- Rear sway bar added
- Front and rear seats reupholstered in original matching material
- Zero rust (ever)
- One repaint in original color
- Buick 15" rally wheels
- WAY too much more to list
- **I have over 30k in the car with receipts to prove it. asking 15k**



Dates to Remember

NOV 4th Poker Run – EVITE out – Please RSVP asap.

Nov 19th Toys for Tots – breakfast and ride to Sonoma Chevy dealer

Dec 9th Save the Date – for the BCR Holiday Party - At Cattlemen's,
Petaluma 2:30 – 5:30

Gift Exchange at the Kahnberg's for the end of year celebration.

2018

Jan 13, 2018 ---- 2018 Planning Meeting / Brunch at Kahnberg's Home

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.

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.

FOR SALE – BCR Items.



Just In:

- **Nailhead – embroidered patches – larger size – 4” for Sale ... \$10.00 each**

WHITE: BCR T Shirts / Sweatshirts for sale.

- **Sweatshirts - now selling for \$20.00 each (only a few sizes available)**
 - 1 Large
 - 2 X large
 - 4 2X Large
- **T-shirts -- Now selling for \$10.00 each (only one size available)**
 - 2 2X Large
- **BCR - Window Decals Available -----**
\$2.00 each + .50 postage if mailed (any qty)



PS – we have lots of Misc lapel / hat PINs. Anyone interested – I can send you specifics.

CAR NUT CALENDAR 2017

Yellow indicates - Club events for 2017

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| Oct | | | Geyserville Car show |
| Nov | Sat | 4th | Poker Run (Coordinators: Kahnberg and Costello's) |
| Nov | Sat-Sun | 11-12 | Good Guys Autumn Get Together |

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| Nov | Sun | 19th | Toys for Tots (Sonoma Chevorlet Dealer) |
| Dec | Sat | 9th | BCR Christmas Party - Cattlemen's Petaluma / Gift exchange and Dessert: Kahnbergs |
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CAR NUT CALENDAR 2018

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| Jan | Sat | 13th | Planning Brunch - at Kahnergs |
| Jan | Sat-Sun | 27-28 | Modesto Area A's 52nd Annual Swap Meet at Stanislaus County Fairgrounds, Turlock CA www.TurlockSwapMeet.com |
| Jun | | | BCR Celebrates 20 years / Celebration - Details TBD |
| Jun | Sun | 17th | Father's Day - <i>Julliard Park</i> - location to be confirmed for 2018 |
| | | | Peggy Sue |
| May | Fri-Sun | 17-19 | American Graffiti |
| July | | | Fortuna AutoRama |
| July | Sat | 20th | Gualala Car Show, Gualala CA sponsored by Gualala Arts Center |
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