

Yerba Buena Chapter Antique Motorcycle Club of America

Minutes of the General Meeting

September 6, 2023

Our chapter meeting was called to order by Treasurer Brian Davis at 7:05 pm at Harry's Hofbrau in Redwood City. The Treasurer and Secretary were present; President, Rick Najera, and Vice President, Benito Mendoza, were absent. Nine members and one guest, Phil Jacobson, attended. The Treasurer informed us that we had no expenses last month and we remain in good financial standing.

Old Business

Niles Car Show August 13 Ted Morris reported that over 600 cars were registered for this event. Gary Oliveira did a great job of getting our club a corner spot; Yerba Buena had about ten members show up. Mark Wiebens had quite on entrance with no exhaust connected on his bike and everyone was sure to know where the antique motorcycles were located. Brian Davis concluded that the weather was great and it was a terrific show.

Rigid Ride August 13 Chris Carter estimated that 20 bikers attended this ride which was a good turnout. It started on Arastradero Road near the Open Space parking lot, traveled over Skyline to Peterson's Store in Pescadero, and ended up at the 101 Brewery on the coast for lunch.

Evergreen Swap Meet, Tenino Washington August 17-18 No one present attended.

Scott's Valley Motorcycle Concourse August 27. Brad Booth stated that this was a really good show on a huge lawn area with probably around 150 bikes. Chris Carter informed us that it used to be a runway. He explained that this show is a fund raiser for a non-profit and to register a bike was \$30. They had all kinds of categories: Motocross, Japanese, American, Electric, British, to name a few. It was a nice mix and a good showing.

Alviso Santos Family Car Show September 2 Ted Morris commented on this event: they close down the whole downtown and it's a really good show.

New Business

Elections Brian Davis stated that we need to hold elections for officers and board members at the October meeting. He revealed, also, that he is unable to seek another term as Treasurer; someone else will need to step up. He explained that it's actually a fairly easy job (only about an hour a month) and he will work with the new Treasurer for a smooth transition.

Officers Vice President 2 year term (Benito Mendoza incumbent)

Treasurer 2 year term

Positions Board of Director (Ted Morris incumbent)

BOD (Rick Rutledge incumbent)
BOD (Gary Oliveira incumbent)
BOD (Vince Spadaro incumbent)

Road Captain – South (Benito Mendoza incumbent)

Bill Huth motioned that this current slate for nominations be carrier to the ballot. Brian Davis seconded.

No vote was taken, however, as the only board members present were Rick and Ted (both of whom said they would continue their positions). It was decided that the other board members need to be contacted about continuing their roles before being put on the ballot.

Positions held for another year:

President (Rick Najera)

Secretary (Sue Booth)

BOD (John Basile, Brad Booth, Chris Carter, Clay Hudson, Brian Stearns)

Road Captain – North (Paul Thomas)

Road Captain – Mid (Mario DiSalvo)

Non-elected positions (continuing)

Merchandise Manager -- Open

Website -- Brian Davis

Facebook/Instagram -- Open

Brian Davis also declared that he will not be able to continue as Website Manager. He knows that National has a program for chapter websites and, since the current software for our present site isn't supported, he will check with Keith Kizer to see about a transition to the Club Express format. We do need someone, though, to take over this essential position.

Road Run Volunteers Brian Davis read a list of possible committees for the 2024 Road Run. He expects that a final list will be compiled at the Board of Directors meeting in October. Chris Carter volunteered to chair Goodie Bags and Door/Raffle Prizes. Ted Morris asked if the Trouble Truck would be for all three days or if a person could volunteer for just one day? This will be decided at the Board Meeting.

Upcoming Dates

Black Hills Chapter National Road Run September 5-7

Turlock Swap Meet September 10

NorCal Chopper Show, Stockton September 16

Daly City Hells Angels Swap Meet in EPA September 16

NorCal Swap Meet Sacramento Drive-In September 17

Comstock Chapter Road Run September 28-30

Good of the Club Chris Carter offered his warehouse for the Board Meeting in October.

50/50 Raffle No raffle was held.

Meeting adjourned at 7:47 p.m Next general meeting will be held October 4th at Harry's. Notes submitted by Sue Booth.