



**Yerba Buena Chapter
Antique Motorcycle Club of America**

Minutes of the General Meeting

November 3, 2021

At 7:15 p.m. this meeting was called to order by Rick Najera, President, at Harry's Hofbrau. There were 22 members present. Treasurer, Jeff Beam, was absent, but the other three officers (Rick Najera, Brian Davis and Sue Booth) were in attendance.

Old Business

October 8 Club Ride Manny Fernandez had attended this one. He said it was a lot of fun. Rick commented that Paul Thomas has been putting together excellent rides; he does his homework and gets off the beaten path and ends up with really good rides.

October 10 Sacramento Swap Meet Rick reported that this one had a good turn-out. He told us that even though there's a lot of modern stuff, if you dig you might come up with something vintage which makes for a good day.

October 15 Not an Indian Run No one present had attended.

October 17 Hunters Point Swap Meet Rick communicated that this was the biggest one ever. It doesn't cost to sell or be there and they had the whole block this time. More and more people are showing up. Mario DiSalvo said he sold about \$500 worth of stuff and Ted Morris also sold about that much. It's turning into a great swap meet.

October 31 49 Mile Ride Brad Booth relayed that this was a great place to see a lot of people he never gets to see (i.e., San Francisco and North Bay folk). He added that it wasn't just Harleys and Indians, but a wide spectrum of bikes like Velocette, Ducati, Matchless, Triumph, and Vincent to name a few. It was a congested start point, but the costumes added flair. Jack Clark voiced that the traffic wasn't too bad and that there might have been 100 bikes. Tom Clark concluded that the weather was perfect for old bikes and that they stayed at Ft. Point for quite a while.

New Business

End of Year Party Vince Spadaro announced that Nick's private room is available on February 26th and the cost would be between \$50-60 per head (choice of two dinner entrees or vegetarian plate). He confirmed that we would need to put down a \$500 deposit to keep the room. Ricky made a motion to vote if the club was interested in pursuing this event. Brian Davis seconded. The motion was carried unanimously. Ricky noted that we would do a phone bank on this and that if someone indicated that they would attend, then they would be accountable for the cost of their dinner. Vince will further check hotel availability as well as check on amounts for raffle prizes. Everyone mark your calendars.

Board of Directors (Confirmation) Incumbent Board positions that have one more year on their term-- Rick Rutledge, Vince Spadaro and Ted Morris -- was addressed as well as two new Board members: Gary

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Oliveira and Rich Trevino. Ted Morris made a motion to confirm these Directors, seconded by Mario DiSalvo. Motion carried unanimously.

Upcoming Dates

Hot Rods at the Beach, Nov 6 This is the Santa Cruz car show in the Boardwalk area parking lot. Mario, Brian D., Gary O. and Ted M. are planning on riding down. Call Mario if you want to ride there, too.

November 7 Jimmy's Picnic "Coffee and Cars" by the Windmill in Golden Gate Park.

November 21 Big Time Sonoma 2, Santa Rosa Fairgrounds They'll wait and see on the weather; just couldn't get the track prepared in time for Oct. 31.

January 1 New Year's Day Ride

For the Good of the Club

Chris Carter disclosed that there will be a ride in King City this April. It will be a three-day ride. He's looking into hotels, campground, banquet venues, etc. He will have more to tell us at the next couple of meetings.

It was made clear that the waitstaff at Harry's should get a gratuity for taking care of our meeting room. A "hat" was passed with a recommendation of \$2 per person, and a total of \$46 was attained for the service staff.

Gary O. revealed he had bought a 1958 Panhead.

Brad Booth reminded us that there are a "boatload" of people in San Francisco that would be nice to see and get to the meetings. After discussion, it was agreed that setting up two or three meetings a year in the City would be a topic at the next Board meeting.

50/50 Raffle Raffle was not held.

Meeting adjourned at 8:10 p.m.

Next general meeting will be held December 1, 2021.

Notes submitted by Sue Booth, Secretary