



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

Minutes of the General Meeting

July 5, 2023

At 7:01 p.m. this chapter meeting was called to order by President Rick Najera. There were sixteen members present, which included all four officers. Treasurer Brian Davis informed us that the \$1500 (or so) amount that was spent on T-shirts last month was almost completely recouped at Dixon, with around \$1200 in sales. We remain in good financial standing and have 86 members.

Old Business

Greg Wood Memorial June 10 Victor Boocock reported on this event. It was set at an old farmhouse in the Delta and the owner, Gary, had quite a collection of old tractors, cars, and motorcycles. There was a good turnout with a nice showing of bikes and everyone brought food. Greg's son and daughter were there, as well, and both Gary and Richard (from Fort Sutter) had some entertaining stories about Greg. Brad Booth added that there were only six members from Yerba Buena, but a heavy turnout from Fort Sutter. Victor ended with "it was a good event and just as Greg would have wanted it."

Panhead Reunion Ride June 11-13 Ricky noted that this was an awesome event and that Paul Thomas did a great job on the roads. There was a decent turn-out, approximately 25 bikes, and the weather was perfect—not too hot, not too cold. Brian Davis told us that on the third day they headed inland and stopped at a place that gave a demo of radial airplane engines -- really cool.

Dixon Swap Meet June 16-17 Ricky commented that the vendors were there, but not so many walk-ins. Everyone agreed it would be better to move it to a weekend that isn't Father's Day or Davis Graduation. The Fort Sutter President will look at their event summary and figure out what to do. The final observation was that it's the only national meet on the West Coast and it would be sad to lose it.

New Business

Board of Directors June Meeting Ricky announced that the Yerba Buena road run location for 2024 was decided at the June 28 meeting. It was a unanimous vote to have it in the North Bay. Paul Thomas has started looking for routes. Victor Boocock shared the information he had acquired on his drive to Cloverdale. He went to the Cloverdale Wine Country Inn & Suites which has 62 rooms in the shape of a fort; bikes could park in the center. It would be approximately \$120/night. They do not serve breakfast and there's no banquet facility, but the main street is within walking distance. Ricky noted that this is the manager that he and Paul have been talking to as well. If anyone has thoughts or suggestions on this location, please give Paul a call.

Laguna Seca AHRMA, July 14-16 Mario DiSalvo clarified that this event has a swap meet. He mentioned that Brian Stearns has been talking about going to this. Rick reported that this is a big motorcycle weekend and National would like us to have a presence there. Benito Mendoza volunteered to go.

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New Business (continued)

Annual Memorial Club Ride Mario DiSalvo advised that the date for this will be July 22. It will start at Buck's in Woodside with kickstands up at 10 am. He'll figure out a route up and over the mountains and end up at the coast for lunch. Watch for the emails.

Upcoming Dates

Sacramento Swap Meet (West Wind Drive-In) July 9

Wauseon July 13-15

Laguna Seca AHRMA July 14-16

Memorial Club Ride July 22

Niles Car Show August 13

Sturgis Rally August 4-13

Evergreen Chapter Swap Meet August 17-18

Good of the Club No comments.

50/50 Raffle Rick Rutledge won \$23.

Meeting adjourned at 7:45 p.m. Next general meeting will be held August 2nd at Harry's.
Notes submitted by Sue Booth.