



Reno Miata Club Minutes

Tuesday, May 7, 2019

Upcoming Events - SAVE THE DATES

Meeting was started at 6:00p at the Black Bear Diner on So. Virginia. 25 members attended. Presiding was Rod Gordon, president, with Roger Holliday, vice-president and Susie Mason, Membership Coordinator.

New Member – Mitch Tumalak. He owns a 2008 MX-5 dark red Grand Touring Miata. The members then proceeded to identify ourselves and the Miata they drove.

May 11 Run – Saturday, May 11th Rod and Susie Gordon will be leading us to the Nevada State Museum in downtown Carson City via Bowers Mansion. We will meet at the Summit Park & Ride at 9:30a and leave there at 10a. Parking is free behind the museum. Street parking is limited to two hours. Disabled parking available. \$8/adult. Wheelchair access with an elevator. Note – This is a change from the previously described Kings Canyon Waterfall run.

May 25 - 6th Annual Summer Salute Car Show – Saturday, May 25 at the Rancho San Rafael Park from 9a to 3p. Classic Chevys of Reno teamed up with the Veterans Guest House, Honor Flight Nevada, along with KKOH AM 780, to create a charity-focused Memorial Day weekend event to benefit our Veterans. This year they anticipate nearly 700 entries.

June 8 Run – Mike Norman volunteered for the Saturday, June 8 run down on Jack's Valley Road and then over Monitor Pass with lunch at the Walker Burger in Walker, CA. Detailed information will be distributed in a separate e-mail closer to the event. Check your calendar for possible conflicts with graduation or weddings.

June 29th Poker Run – Member George Minter has asked if Reno Miata Club is interested in participating in a Poker Run sponsored by the Patriotic Knight Riders for Life. The run benefits the Wreaths Across America, an annual event honoring fallen military members, and Casa de Vida, a home for pregnant young women in need. The run will be Saturday, June 29th. Additional details coming closer to the event.

July 6 & 7th Independence Day Fireworks and Parade in Graeagle – The parade is scheduled for Sunday, July 7. Mike Norman is gathering details about the event and asking about the Miata Club participating in the parade. Registration fee is \$20/car.

July 31 - Dolan Owner Appreciation Event – Dolan has an "Owners Appreciation Day" has scheduled the event for Wednesday, July 31. The event includes food and drinks and celebrates Miata and Mazda car owners.

August 6-11th - Hot August Nights is coming up – Reno Miata Club is scheduled to assist for one of the nights. All were very enthusiastic to volunteer to help. We agreed to have 10 volunteers for 2 nights. Each night will be for 4 hours. We will volunteer together and under one leader but may be spread apart. We will be given Hot August Nights name badges but can wear a Miata t-shirt to promote the Miata Club. We can earn \$250/10 volunteers for each night.

Miata Club Shirts, Windbreakers, Caps - Jim Cordray modeled a Miata t-shirt. Pictures of the t-shirts, windbreakers and hats and order forms were sent around. Colors to choose from are blue or gray. Names can be added for a fee. The type set fee of \$25 will be waived if there are more than 12 orders. Orders and payment need to be in by the June meeting. Susie Gordon will take all orders in with checks made out to North American Embroidery. She will take care of the tax, pick up the items and distribute them at the July meeting.

August 23-25 - Fallon Cantaloupe Festival & Country Fair Run – August 23-25. Entrance fee is \$8/adult. Free parking. Will keep you posted.

September 28 – Antelope Lake. Dave Schulte is leading this fantastic run once again. Great scenery and lots of curves.

December 7 - Christmas Party 2019 – Terri Schulte and Debbie Campbell have reserved the La Fuente Restaurant on Baring for Saturday, December 7.

Pot Holes – NDOT will reimburse you if you can prove with pictures that a pot-hole damaged your tire.

Raffle – Winners: Susie Mason-Miata Blanket, Sandy Bonaccorsi-placemats made by Terri Schulte, Steve Smith-tire cleaner and Fix-a-Flat, Cindy Ransom-Leather cleaner and conditioner, Judith Cordray-motion light, Steve Smith-placemats made by Terri Schulte.

Club Funds – We earned \$60 from the raffle and received \$50 from the sale of Phil's seat covers. After paying for the reservation of the La Fuente Restaurant for Christmas, we have a total of \$157.50 in the kitty.

The next meeting will be **Tuesday, June 4, 2019** at 6p with dinner starting at 5:30p.