



Reno Miata Club Minutes

Tuesday, August 6, 2019

The monthly Reno Miata Club (RMC) Meeting was started at 6:30 p.m. at the claim Jumper on South Virginia Street. 18 members attended. Presiding was President, Rod Gordon, Vice-President, Roger Holliday and Membership Coordinator, Susie Mason. Susie Gordon presided over the raffle. No new members were in attendance.

Meeting Venue Change - This meeting is the 2nd meeting at the Claim Jumper. A vote of the members in attendance at the meeting was to continue meeting at the Claim Jumper rather than revert back to the Black Bear Diner. The Black Bear Diner will be notified of the change of the RMC Venue and thanked for their service during the past years of meetings.

August 8 and 10 – Hot August Nights – The RMC participation in 2019 Hot August Nights has been coordinated by Rod and Susie Gordon. Dave Elsner has also participated in the 2019 event. Reno Miata Club is scheduled to assist with Hot August Nights on Thursday, August 8th and Saturday, August 10th – each night is from 6:30 to 10:00 p.m. Rod and Susie, Dave and Terrie Schulte have signed up for both dates. A sign-up sheet for additional members to assist was circulated at the meeting. Packets with “meet here” map were distributed. Parking is at the theater, the Nugget and at Summit Racing with free shuttle to the Nugget starting at 5:30 p.m. Contact Rod or Susie at 622-4000 with questions.

Miata Club Shirts – Two members have not picked up their orders.

August 24 – Fallon Cantaloupe Festival and County Fair Run – Jack Atherton, run coordinator, reviewed the information for this run and passed out written instructions for the run. Participants are to meet at the Summit Sierra park and ride at 3:00 p.m. and depart for Fallon at 3:30 p.m. The ride is approximately 66 miles and takes 1 hour and 30 minutes each way. Parking is free at the event. Contact Jack Atherton (852-5395) for additional information and reduced pricing on tickets to the event.

September 28 – Antelope Lake Run – Dave and Terrie Schulte are the leaders and additional information will be available at the September meeting.

December 7 – Christmas Party 2019 – Terrie Schulte and Debbie Campbell are the event coordinators. Terrie reviewed menu alternatives and buffet selections were agreed to by the members present at the meeting. The party will be at La Fuente Restaurant on Baring Blvd. on Dec. 7th.

Additional/Spur of the Moment Runs – Anyone who wants to volunteer to lead any of these or others can notify Susie Mason and she will sent out e-mail information to the members:

- Run to Animal Ark
- Mt Rose Highway to Incline Village and back (include a drive on Lakeshore)
- Gold Lakes Area to Graeagle – for breakfast or lunch

Raffle – The meeting raffle earned \$75 for the club. Winners of the donated items are:

1. Cindy Ransom – T-shirt
2. Steve Smith – car cleaning kit
3. Jack Atherton – oil filter
4. Dave Schulte – door sill covers
5. Mike Norman – wine
6. Randy Mason – fender cover
7. Cindy Ransom – table runner
8. ??? – Champagne

Finances – Disbursements: Susie Mason was reimbursed \$132.00 for the annual RMC website fee paid to Wix*Wix.com, Inc. Previous balance \$182.50 minus \$132 equals \$50.50 plus \$75 from raffle = \$125.50 in “kitty”.

Other –

1. Mike Norman announced a golf tournament or raffle to benefit ForKidsFoundation.
2. Repairs for Wheels: Susie Mason highly recommends Sierra Wheel Repair for damage to wheels – curb rash, etc. Excellent repair and paint work.
3. Dolan Auto Event – Susie Mason is following up with Lucas Neiderer to get digital photographs of the Miata Club participation in the Dolan Auto Group’s Owner Appreciation Night on July 31, 2019. 26 RMC members participated, 18 cars were displayed and 16 members (11cars) participated in all or part of the “Circle Run led by Chuck Swanson.
4. Car Shows in Reno Area – Quite a number of car shows and swap meets are being conducted in the area during the remainder of the summer and early fall. Information will be available on the RMC website for those who might be interested.

Next meeting – Tuesday, September 3, 2019 at the Claim Jumper.