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HIT & MISS

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PRESIDENT'S MESSAGE

BY RON HASKELL

Here it is July all ready, time flies when you are having fun, I hope you all are having a good summer. Several shows have taken place since the last meeting, Steve Mc Queen Cal Poly Fun On The Farm, and the two weekends at Vista. I missed the first two while on vacation, but did attend both weekends at Vista. WAPA was well represented with displays of engines and tractors. They have new leadership and seem to be heading in a direction favoring engines and tractors, the next show is the third and fourth weekend of October, come down and display and try something new.

Just as I say at the start of every meeting, "this is your club, if you have something to say, speak up." If you don't there is no reason to complain. Last month there was no meeting because of too many shows, and there was no Hit N Miss because no one submitted articles or not enough to justify printing and mailing an issue. I hope someone has sent Rob an article on the two shows we had, the work at the tractor shed, or other adventures. Can you believe someone would travel half way across the United States just to pick up a tractor? Might make an interesting article.

Fourth of July is near, please everyone be safe and half way sane. We have the Marina Del Rey show coming up on the 28th, contact Ken Evans if you would like to go for information.

I can't find the latest Hit N Miss for more shows, and without the WAPA page on the net I am not sure what else is scheduled. Come to the meeting and keep up on the latest.

LA VERNE COOL CRUISE

BY PAUL MONTGOMERY

A big thanks to Roger for adding the La Verne Cool Cruise Car Show to our show schedule. This event was well organized and we had a great display area right in the thick of things. The down town streets of La Verne were blocked off with about 400 cars on display. It was nice to see lots of new faces checking out our engines with good questions about them.



WAPA LOSES A FOUNDING MEMBER

BY GAETANA GOSNELL & JOSE CARRILLO

On April 14, 2019 WAPA lost its last Founding Member, Bill Baldwin. Bill was born on July 7, 1941 in Alhambra, Ca. He was the eldest of three sons born to John and Adelyn (Tooty) Baldwin. He was along time resident of the San Gabriel Valley, attending Southwestern Military Academy in San Marino as well as Alhambra High School.

Bill was drafted into the Army in 1966, where he was sent to Baumholder, Germany to be a cook. It was there he became involved in Boy Scouts. After his Honorable Discharge, he continued with the Scouts back home at the Tatanka Lodge WWW488, where he became a vigil member (of the Order of the Arrow) as well as a Kiowa Chapter O.A. Advisor.

It was in WAPA's Infancy in 1975 that the club was founded. Bill along with Walter Briscoe, Lamar Dixon, Henry Lesovsky, Doug Vermillion and John Thurber and many others helped promote, build and displayed vehemently at places like the Rose Bowl Swap Meet, Santa Anita Race track, Knotts Berry Farm and the Pomona Swap Meet.

Bill held the office of Club President from 1977-1979 as well as being Safety Director the following year. Bill enjoyed attending and displaying at Knotts Berry Farm, Tulare Antique Ag Fest, the Amador County Fair, the Vista Shows and many others.

Bill will be missed but not forgotten by all his friends but especially by Jose Carrillo.



MINUTES OF THE BOARD OF DIRECTORS MEETING HELD ON MAY 4, 2019

Board Members Present: Ron Haskell, Carey Stockton, Kelley Garcia, Dave Stockton, Joe Siddons, Lance Wilson, Bob Smith

Board Members Absent: David Pasillas, Don Young, Roger Hahn

Members Present: Paul Liverman Jr., LeRoy Overstreet, Danny Ponce, Lance Bryant, Jack Johnson, Dick Bouma, Tom Millett, John Rimpau, Dave Ruhland, Paul Montgomery, Bob Holman, Gordon Morse, Clay Wilson, Stephanie Wilson, Dale Linn, Al Antoucci, Jack Hassler, Steven Mandell, Phil Sigmon, Sue Bradley

Visitors: none

Call to Order: President Ron Haskell called the meeting to order at 9:00 AM

Flag Salute: Led by President Haskell

President: Ron Haskell welcomed all in attendance and encouraged the membership to participate in discussions. Bill Baldwin passed away on April 15 at the age of 77 and further information on a service / celebration of life will be forthcoming.

Vice President: Carey Stockton had nothing to report.

Secretary: Dave Stockton made a motion to approve the minutes of the Board of Directors meeting held on April 6, 2019, second by Ron Haskell with all in favor, and entered into record without correction.

Treasurer: Kelley Garcia furnished the banking report as follows: April figures for the investment savings account report a balance at \$39,121.17, museum fund at \$158,800.30, total investments at \$197,921.47, with an adjusted profit/loss of \$14,852.45. Checking account balance at \$4,775.66. Total income/expenses were \$9.00.

Membership: David Pasillas absent - membership report as follows: total membership at 158 with 123 as active dues-paying.

Purchasing: Lance Wilson has WAPA shirts and hats for sale. Shooting day is on Saturday, May 11.

Show Director: Roger Hahn absent - upcoming shows: AHS Truck Show at Perris Railroad Museum on Sun. May 5; Steve McQueen Car Show on Sat. June 1, with a motion to sanction by Ron Haskell, second by Kelley Garcia with all in favor; Cal Poly Spring on the Farm Show on Sat. June 8.

Library: Joe Siddons reported on a donation made by Dave Ruhland on behalf of the

estate of Gus Lukrofka containing information on Schramm compressors. **Safety:** Director Don Young absent - no report.

Museum: Director Bob Smith assures the Membership that things are moving along with Cal Poly. Hay rides are on-going and he needs drivers!

Editor: Rob Skinner absent - he needs articles and reminisces written about Bill Baldwin.

Cal Poly: Director Bob Smith reported that the work on the J-D "A" & "50" is complete.

Riverside Citrus Grove Project: Ron Haskell reported that the foundation for the wind machine has been poured.

Unfinished Business:

New Business:

Announcements: WAPA Militia shootout is on Sat. May 11, Global Sweeper factory tour is on Sat. May 18. No June Board meeting due to conflicting show dates.

Adjournment: 9:58 AM

Next Meeting: Saturday July 6, 2019 at 9:00 AM

Announcements:

Dave Stockton, Secretary

LANCE'S WAPA SHOOTOUT!



SAVE THE DATE

July 6
Board of Directors Meeting
Cal Poly Pomona Farm Store

July 28
Old Fashioned Day
Burton Chace Park
Marina Del Rey
Chairman: Ken Evans

September 15
South Pasadena Car Show
Chairman: Ken Evans

August 3
Board of Directors Meeting
Cal Poly Pomona Farm Store



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