

# Minutes

## LINCOLN HILLS SPORTS CAR GROUP

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Kilaga Springs Presentation Hall

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### BOARD MEMBERS:

President:	Tom Breckon	Tour Events:	Wood McCann
VP/Membership:	Vic Kremesec	Social Events:	Linda Snyder
Secretary:	Marggi Holtze	Liaison/Historian:	Jeanne Cervantes
Treasurer:	Carol Asnault	Webmaster:	Ron Goleno

### Welcome to Members and Guests

Tom welcomed everyone to our May 2023 meeting. We are requesting that all members wear their nametags. Guests and New Members will be wearing a green dot on their nametags, so we can more easily recognize and get to know them.

### Introduction of New Members and Guests

Tom handed the mic to visitors Herb Cantwell and his wife Lory. Herb said he had owned a motorcycle but now owns a BMW Z-4.

### Sunshine: Dianne Schumacher

Dianne said Ralph Lacaze is doing well from a broken femur. She sent a card also to DiAnn Rooney after she broke her sternum in an auto accident. She mentioned that DiAnn had planned to have back surgery but it is put off now.

Dianne told us that Lynda Snyder and Cathy Fernandes served as waiters at the Mystery Dinner because 14 more people were allowed to come, so they volunteered their services. We all clapped to thank them. Another drama at the Drag Race Incident that night was when Chuck Schmidt who was taken by ambulance in the middle of the show for dehydration. Dianne gave him a gift of flavored Water. Chuck thanked her by saying he had a cat scan which showed he had missing memory brain cells to remember to drink water! We all laughed.

### Reports:

#### President's Report: Tom Breckon

Tom said our club's status is good, with lots of participation. It was fun to see the smiling faces at the meeting.

#### VP/Membership: Vic Kremesec

Vic reported the meeting attendance was 50 members and 30 households, with no new members.

You can order name tags yourself from [lhsportscars.com](http://lhsportscars.com). Contact Vic if you want a decal for your car. You can get a shirt, vest or hat with the club logo embossed on it, or get a logo put on your own garment, at Ethan Wade Graphics, 5460 Douglas Blvd. #D, Roseville, 916-791-3174.

**Secretary: Marggi Holtze**

All approved last month's minutes as they were sent out to the membership.

**Treasurer: Carol Asnault**

Carol reported our beginning balance was \$1,766.64, total deposits were \$2,977 with disbursements of \$2886.45 leaving the April 30 balance of \$1,847.19.

**Social Events: Linda Snyder and Kathy Fernandes**

Regarding the Mystery Dinner, Lynda said the owner apologized about the tri-tips being rare and she mentioned the little kids who helped wait table each received a \$100 tip. Despite all the commotion, the large crowd and the medical emergency, we still had a fun adventure.

The July 12<sup>th</sup> Luau will be rescheduled to September from hot July.

**Liaison/Historian: Jeanne Cervantes**

Jeanne reminded us to come to the Orchard Creek ballroom for the June 5<sup>th</sup> meeting.

She said they will be taking pictures of members and their cars for the Website on Friday May 5<sup>th</sup> and Saturday May 6<sup>th</sup>, starting at 10:30 AM. This will take place at Woodacre Park in Lincoln Hills. The park is located at the corner of Crescent Ln and Woodacre Ln. These streets are off of Stoneridge Ln near Twelve Bridges Dr. This is for new members or those who want their photo updated. If there are two members in the household, both should come for the photo.

Please send your recent Tour/Social Event photos to Jeanne soon after each event so she will have time to review them along with others that she receives. Jeanne will select photos and send them to our webmaster. If you have just a few photos, say 6 or fewer, you can email them to Jeanne. Please do not send any photos by text message.

You can provide pictures to Jeanne on a flash drive. Call or email her to arrange when and how to get her your flash drive. Alternatively, you can provide your pictures using a

download link, such as with Microsoft OneDrive. But please test this out first to make sure it will be easy and convenient for Jeanne to use.

### **Tour Events: Wood McCann**

Wood talked about the trips that are being planned this year. We had a wonderful response at the prior meetings by many members willing to lead trips this year. We heard from various members on tour progress.

Bob Spengler described his May 12<sup>th</sup> impromptu ride circling 100 miles through Wheatland to points north around Beal AFB, ending up at Hillenbrand Brewery in New Castle for lunch. He said, "Just show up", meeting at 9 am and leaving at 9:30. Wood McCann will send out the flyer for this trip. It is not yet on the website.

Jeanne Cervantes talked about their Empire Mine tour on Friday, June 2, meeting at the Orchard Creek parking lot at 8:15 am and leaving at 8:45. You can go on a 2-hour private tour of the mine for \$10. Parking on paved roads, and lunch at Margarita's Restaurant in Grass Valley. Wood will email this flyer to everyone also.

Tom Breckon reported a change in the Vikingsholm tour at Tahoe, because of snow, to the nearby Ehrman Mansion on June 13-14. As a result of this change, the trip is still full, but there are no members on the wait list. If you still want to go, email Tom and maybe there will be room for a few others.

For the Willo Restaurant in Nevada City June 29<sup>th</sup>, Rich Tassano said more people can still sign up.

Steve Beede said the Lake Almanor trip is still available. But our trip to Fiddler's Fair in Fiddletown is cancelled this year. Fiddletown is such a small town and cars would be parked in a roped-off grassy area. Steve said there are wineries at Fiddletown, so we may be able to go there next year.

Russ Baldo and Chuck Schmidt said their trip to Occidental August 22 to 23 now has 16 cars signed up, so 2 more can come. The Hotel has discounted prices and they would like to fill up the Hotel.

Mike Stabinbil said their tour to Rio Vista at the Point Restaurant was very fun. He said "no one got their car wet", meaning no one ended up in the river. However, one member at the tail end of the cars got blocked by the draw bridge for almost 45 minutes.

Virgil Berry said that in 70's weather for the Sausage Run there were 19 people going to the Meat Market and 47 people came to Teresa's Restaurant.

Gary Musser discussed a new tour to see the Oroville Dam with a tour of how the Dam was built and lunch possible at the Casino.

**Webmaster:** Michelle Breckon helped with the computer as the Goleno's are on vacation in Hawaii.

We do not publish members' phone number(s) or address on the website or provide links to other websites. If you need to contact a member, please refer to the LHSCG roster. The club's website is constantly being updated with pictures and information about our club activities. Please visit our website to see the latest news, pictures, and future Tours and Socials.

#### **OLD BUSINESS:**

We continue to reach out to members with walkie-talkie challenges. You can bring your walkies with you and get help from Tom on how to set them up during the social time after the meeting.

#### **NEW BUSINESS:**

1. July 4<sup>th</sup> is the annual Lincoln Fourth of July Parade. Tom will be sending out an email looking for a club member to lead our participation in this event.
2. Tom explained a new policy that the Board is proposing for the Club's Policies on contracts, for example for venues such as restaurants, wineries, and museums. Tom explained a contract is possible when a venue simply wants to protect itself against last minute no-shows. A vote of the membership to approve the new policy will happen at the June meeting, if there is a quorum. A separate write-up about this was distributed.

#### **Birthdays and Anniversaries for April**

Joe and Carol Asnault will celebrate their 60<sup>th</sup> anniversary on May 11.

Bill McRivette is celebrating his 79<sup>th</sup> birthday, not his 80<sup>th</sup> as he thought!

Dana Caldwell is having his 76<sup>th</sup> birthday.

Ed Oravec told about driving 70 miles on a run flat tire, very slowly. The run flat tire actually worked, and Ed made it home without further incident.

#### **Videos:**

Ernie Drake contributed 2 short videos of past car club rides. One was of Bud Van Cott's zip line ride in 2014. The other was our ride to Crater Lake in 2015 that ended up in a snow storm.

**Reminder:** Our June meeting will be in part of the Orchard Creek Ballroom and not in our usual room at Kilaga.

**We enjoyed cookies and water in the room across the hall after our meeting.**

