

HAN Car Committee Minutes

May 8, 2008

Nancy Beets called the meeting to order @ 5:40pm and welcomed all new members attending their 1st meeting and welcomed back returning members. 5 new members in attendance.

Introduction of Assistant Chairs and Managers: Those present were introduced along with their working venue and major responsibilities: Larry Metzger, Laverne Walton, Rita Boyd, Helen Teglia, Margie & Crys McIntyre, Al & Judy Oppio, Tamas Judson, Mike & Terri Murray, Norm Frank, Carol Dusek, Joanne McMaster.

- Sparks has a new cruise route.
- Judging Committee still evolving
- Phone Committee coordinates with Assistant Chairs and Managers the volunteer work schedules.

Ice Breaker:

Participants were counted off for groups of 3/4s, introduced themselves with in the group, shared what they planned to do during the event, and with a spokesperson come up with a “burning” question regarding the event.

Handouts:

- April Car Meeting Minutes – volunteers can locate each months meeting minutes on the HAN website: Click on Volunteers – Join the Team – Car Committee and scroll down to meeting minutes.
- Wednesday cruise schedule.

Updates and Announcements:

- Finalizing dates for training by Sparks PD and Sparks Fire Department- TBA
- Poker Run stops and Gravity Drags location still to be finalized.
- Foundation Committee needs a few more cars for the O’Brien Show n’ Shine on Thursday, May 15th.
- Requesting more volunteers for Spring Fever at the Atlantis Saturday, May 17th, 7a-3p.
- Member Appreciation Party Monday, May 19th, Silver Legacy, 5:30p-9p.
- Bonanza Show n’ Shine June 14th, 7a-10a.
- Up to 10 cars will be needed for the Reno Rodeo Parade in June – date and time TBA.
- New Member Handbooks will be available soon. You are requested to bring your handbook to the next meeting to be reviewed in detail....several new and important policies/procedures to be discussed.
- Next General Meeting – Thursday, June 12th.
- Volunteers are encouraged to complete a work schedule to keep track of what, when, and where they have committed to during the event.
- Pre-Events/Kick-Off Events:
 - 1) No Farmer’s Market this year – no space available.
 - 2) Summit Sierra Shopping Show n’ Shine – Friday & Saturday only –Limit 300 cars.
 - 3) No Winners Corner this year – we outgrew the site.
 - 4) Downtown Reno Show n’ Shine – Sunday
 - 5) Peppermill – Official event kick-off – Monday
 - 6) Sparks - Monday – Street dance, only open cruise, only in Sparks.
- Discussion, comments and suggestions regarding the new GSR Saturday night cruise route were voiced.
- The 2009 Event Registration forms have gone out and registration was closed as of Monday.
- HAN volunteer base is 450 strong but many more volunteers are needed. **PLEASE RECRUIT NEW MEMBERS.....FRIENDS, FAMILY MEMBERS, NEIGHBORS!!!!**
- Several car clubs have been invited to assist with the event.
 - 1) Car club members are also volunteers and are not individually paid.
 - 2) Assisting HAN is a fundraiser for the specific car club.
 - 3) Please afford these car club volunteers the same respect we give towards each other.
- Nancy reminded attendees that to work the event, volunteers **MUST** be HAN members.
- A short question and answer period followed the announcements.

Meeting Adjourned at 7:05p. Venue sign-up binders available. Assistant Chairs and Managers were available to assist volunteers with work schedules and answers questions.

Submitted by
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