

SACRAMENTO AREA MIATA OWNERS ASSOCIATION

MINUTES OF GENERAL MEETING

06/12/2014

Open – President Robin George opened the meeting at 7pm. Why Are We Here? – To celebrate the finest most affordable sports car in the world, the Mazda Miata!

Introduction of Officers. President – Robin George, Vice President – Mike DeLaurentis, Treasurer – Jeanne George, Secretary – Ellen Frosch, Webmaster – Ron Petrich, Events Coordinator – Mike Sipe, Newsletter Editor – Jennifer Sipe, Tech Advisor – Lee Galati.

Recognition of Lifetime Members present at the meeting – Dennis Swaney, Skip Noyes, Ralph and Joann Gingrich; Recognition of past Presidents Mike DeLaurentis and Robin George.

VP Mike DeLaurentis gave a slideshow of their tour through the Corvette Museum in Bowling Green, Kentucky. You could see the damage to the Museum and to the 'Vettes caused by the sinkhole.

VP Mike D. asked the group if they noticed anything missing tonight when they came in? The “Miata Special Menus” were not there. Do we miss them? Do we want to continue to have the special menus? Club said “Yes”.

Robin said that September’s club meeting will be at Elk Grove Mazda.

Tech Advisor Lee Galati: Working on the modifications database. Thank you to those who responded to the survey. Lee also showed a Jay Leno video regarding the 25th anniversary of the Mazda Miata.

Treasurer Report from Jeanne George: Cash flow YTD (\$36.64). We have SAMOA T-Shirts and hats for sale.

Secretary Report from Ellen Frosch: Announced the total number of 130 active memberships, 219 active members, and 142 Miata’s in the club.

Events Coordinator Mike Sipe:

Review of past events (Hair in the Wind II, Take a Ride/Take a Hike, Rio Vista and RR Museum)

Upcoming Events

Bear to Bear Fun Run – June 14, 2014

Greenhaven Estates – June 18, 2014

Wine Tasting and Picnic – June 29, 2014

Fountains at Roseville II – July 11, 2014

Kirkwood Pancake Run – July 12, 2014

USS Hornet Tour – July 19, 2014

Mount Lassen Trip – sometime in August

Miatas at Mazda Raceway – Sept 5-7, 2014

Fall in the Vines (Club Birthday Picnic) – Sept 14, 2014

Fort Bragg Trip – Oct 10-13, 2014

SAMOA Christmas Party – Dec 6, 2014 at Vince's in Elk Grove

Newsletter Editor Jennifer Sipe

Webmaster and Media Director Ron Petrich

VP Mike DeLaurentis introduced new member Dennis Dunn, 2000 Mahogany.

Raffle was held. Manager of Black Bear Diner stopped in to say “hello” and thank you. Meeting adjourned 8:50pm.