

# Sacramento Area Miata Owners Association

## Regular Monthly Meeting

**November 9, 2017, 7:00 PM**

President Robin George called the meeting to order and introduced the founding members, past presidents and lifetime members present.

Robin also recognized our veterans and reminded us that Lowes gives a 10% discount to veterans who present their veterans cards. Many other retailers do as well, so get and carry your card.

### Regular Business

The video from Elk Grove Mazda was shown. The video was from our Show 'n Shine and featured all of the cars entered in the judging contest. Thanks to Elk Grove Mazda for this great keepsake of the event.

Rene introduced our new members, Wayne and Sheryl Beck. Welcome to SAMOA!

### Recent Events

Ron Petrich took a drive to Napa and reported that the roads are open, but there are a lot of downed trees and some areas look like a moonscape.

### Upcoming SAMOA Events

Reminder: Please RSVP for any event you will be attending. This is very important, especially if we are stopping for lunch where we need a head count. It helps the organizer know how many cars to expect and ensures you won't be left behind if you're running a little late. It also allows the organizer to contact you in case of a change of plans, such as a change of meeting place or cancellation. Full details of all planned events are posted on the club website.

- 12/03 Rally4Kids Toy Drive at Shriners Hospital
- 12/14 Christmas Party
  - The Christmas party will take place at our regular meeting at the Black Bear Diner on December 14<sup>th</sup>. We will have a gift exchange in lieu of the raffle. All gifts should have a \$10 - \$15 value. If you bring a gift, you will receive a gift. No joke gifts, please! Don't forget to RSVP. We want to give the restaurant a head count so they'll have adequate wait staff available.
- 12/14 Elections for next year's Officers will take place at the Christmas party
- 03/2018 Miatas on Display
  - The California Auto Museum is once again planning a display of Miatas during the month of March, 2018. The club is looking for one of each model of Miata for the display, so if you would like to have your car on display, contact Robin for further information.

Reminders

**Club Logo Merchandise** – The club has window decals as well as 6” magnetic decals available. Contact Michele Nanjo or Jeanne George for details.

**Facebook page** – The club has a private Facebook page for members only. The name is **Sacramento Miata Club** and all members are encouraged to join. This group is intended for car stuff only, so post stories or information that would interest other SAMOA members. Also, if you could use some advice about your Miata, someone on the page will probably be able to help you.

To join, please submit a request to [jeanne@winfirst.com](mailto:jeanne@winfirst.com) and give her your Facebook user name. One of our administrators will add you to the group.

**Our next monthly meeting will be our Christmas Party on December 14<sup>th</sup>.**

Please contact Michele Nanjo if you have any corrections or additions to these minutes.

Happy driving!