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PRESIDENT'S LETTER

Happy New Year everyone. It was extremely happy for me because January was my first month of full retirement. No more getting up at 5am and driving 50 minutes to work. Sleep in, get up and make a cup of coffee, and decide what I plan to do that day. Plenty of projects to work on that have been put off for so long. As I finish 1 thing I add 5 to the list. It feels good though. Work at your own pace and keep active.

Jim Treadwell brought his John Deere tractors over on January 10 and we drove our tractors down to the car show in Chino Hills. Had a great time and quite a few people were interested. It was a beautiful day and we had a blast. Several thumbs up from passing cars on the road. Not a lot of traffic on a Sunday morning and it was 4 lanes all the way so didn't disrupt the traffic flow. I asked Lance Wilson about the law of driving a tractor on a public road and he said as long as you are within 5 miles of your farm. I guess I could call my house a farm. We are safe and use hand signals when turning. I bet half the drivers don't know what a hand signal is.

We are all crossing our fingers hoping the pandemic is close to over so we can get out to some shows this year. We are also waiting for Cal Poly to open so we can start setting up our building so we can have meetings and work on projects. Let's all stay healthy.

A TRIBUTE TO A LONG -TIME MEMBER OF WAPA AND DEVOTED WORKER AT VISTA ENGINE MUSEUM JIM KIRKES



Jim will be missed. Good guy with loads of technical knowledge.

WESTERN ANTIQUE POWER ASSOCIATES

Minutes of the Board of Directors meeting held on

Saturday January 16, 2021

Board Members Present: Bob Smith, Dave Stockton, Lance Wilson, Tim Neely, Mitchell Reichwein, Ron Haskell

Board Members Absent: Carey Stockton, Kelley Garcia, David Pasillas

Members Present: LeRoy Overstreet, Larry Madole, Paul Liverman Jr., Dick Bouma, Dave Foley, Eric Waltzer, Clay Wilson, John Rimpau, Bill Karp, Merle Morse, Tom Denson, Joe Siddons, Jim Treadwell, Phil Sigmon, Sue Bradley, Steven Mandell, Al Antonucci, Gordon Morse, Jack Hassler, (?) - name not legible. **Visitors:** Roger Meeker

Call to Order: President Bob Smith called the meeting to order at 9:00 AM

Flag Salute: led by Bob Smith

President: Bob Smith welcomed all in attendance and encouraged the membership to participate in the discussions. Roger Hahn has officially resigned his position as Show Director, and in accordance with WAPA bylaws, a member of the Board (Ron Haskell) appoints a member (Mitchell Reichwein) to fill the vacancy, second by Dave Stockton with all in favor.

Vice President: Carey Stockton absent; no report

Secretary: Dave Stockton made a motion to approve the minutes of the Board of Directors meeting held on Dec. 5, 2020, second by Ron Haskell with all in favor, and entered into record without correction.

Treasurer: Kelley Garcia absent; no report

Membership: David Pasillas absent; furnished report as follows: total membership at 138, active dues-paying members at 102, life members at 32, with 52 members (51%) having 2021 dues paid to date. Motion by Ron Haskell to accept for membership Michael Peterson, second by Dave Stockton, motion by Mitchell Reichwein to accept for membership Ray Webb, second by Ron Haskell, and a motion by Ron Haskell to accept for membership John Boeck, second by Bob Smith, with all in favor on all motions.

Purchasing: Lance Wilson reported that the Burgers & Bullets Shoot-out was a success, with perfect weather as well.

Show Director: Mitchell Reichwein, newly appointed, will be taking over the duties of Show Director. Possible dates for upcoming shows are the LaVerne Car Show on Saturday, April 3, Calico Show on Sat. & Sun. May 8 & 9, and the Steve McQueen Car Show on Sun. June 6. The Highland Citrus Festival has been cancelled.

Safety: Director Tim Neely had nothing to report.

Museum: Director Ron Haskell reported that the Cal Poly campus is closed down to Club activities until further notice.

Editor: Jim Treadwell would like to have all articles, stories, ads, etc. to him by the 15th of each month for inclusion in the newsletter. Jim asks that any pictures, articles, etc. be sent as an attachment to the e-mail. Jim is asking for articles. Jim announced that the Club newsletter will be delayed this month.

Cal Poly: Bob Smith reports that all Club activity is on hold.

Riverside Citrus Grove Project: Ron Haskell reported that a wooden sidewalk has been completed. A wood-clad facing and an overhang will be added to the front of the building. The wind machine is now operational.

Unfinished Business: none

New Business: Bob Smith has completed amendments to the Bylaws

Announcements:

Adjournment: 9:50 AM

Next Meeting: 9:00 AM Saturday February 13, 2021. Minutes By Dave Stockon Secretary

BURGERS AND BULLETS DECEMBER 2020

PICTURES BY PAUL MONTGOMERY





In typical SoCal fashion WAPA headed out to the warm sunny desert to celebrate the last Bullets & Burgers event for 2020. With temperature in the mid 70's we had a great turnout with all the usual suspects. The highlight of the day as always was the excellent BBQ feed put on by team Wilson. With the opening shot of Leroy's black powder cannon the festivities were under way. Tim was flying ornaments around with his drone and we even had a raffle with prizes organized by Cary Stockton. Thanks to Lance and his crew for making this a really great event !!



SAFETY NOTES FROM TIMOTHY NEELY

24601. License Plate Lamp

Either the taillamp or a separate lamp shall be so constructed and placed as to illuminate with a white light the rear license plate during darkness and render it clearly legible from a distance of 50 feet to the rear. When the rear license plate is illuminated by a lamp other than a required taillamp, the two lamps shall be turned on or off only by the same control switch at all times.



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(HIGHLAND CITRUS FESTIVAL CANCELLED)



STEVE MCQUEEN CAR SHOW JUNE 6

NEXT MEETING SATURDAY AT LARRY MADOLE

FEBUARY 13

LA VERNE CAR SHOW APRIL 3RD

CALICO SHOW SAT AND SUNDAY MAY 8TH AND 9TH



