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by Doris Britschgi

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*Looks like Kris is planning a wine
country excursion!
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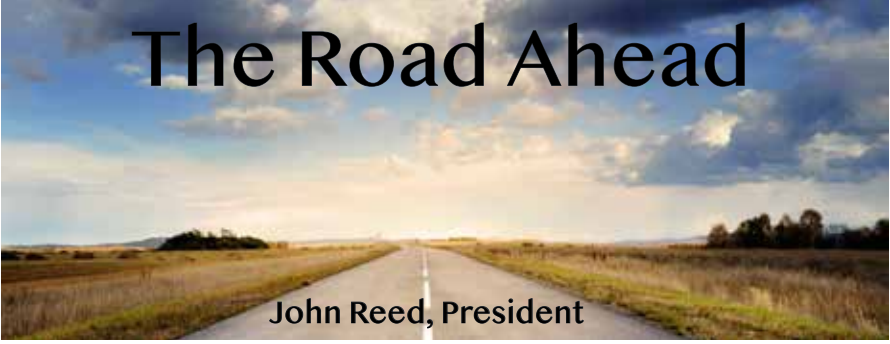


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The Road Ahead



John Reed, President

The final count...

The 2020 LPR election for the Board of Directors and your choice as to who will receive the annual awards for outstanding service to the club are in and final. The election ballots were certified official at the November board meeting and (drum roll and not a surprise) everyone nominated for a BOD position was elected for another one year term.

They are...

Lisa Radding, Vice President; Iain McNeill, Secretary; Margie Jensen, Treasurer; Kathy Musser, Membership; Bob Morgan, Activities; Steve Graham, Member at Large; and yours truly as President. Joining this board as newbies are Bob and Steve. Bob is a former LPR President with oodles of experience while Steve makes his first-ever appearance, we welcome Steve on board the board!

This will be my 10th time around, as the crow flies over 50 years, as LPR's President. When I joined the region in 1970 I really wanted nothing to do with this job and held out until sometime in the 1980s before agreeing to give it a shot. I agreed a few more times along the way, there must be something in the air, either that or my arm doesn't take much to twist.

We have to say a big thank you to those who took the time to vote. The final count showed an increase from last year to this year. A few reminders via our mid-month blasts and an easy to follow online voting process provided by Jim Turk and compiled by Survey Monkey made voting an easy process. If you regret not voting this time it's a short 11 months until you have the opportunity to do so once again, consider this your first but not the final notice!

End the year...

With a tour, a holiday dinner and a gift exchange. As you're thumbing

❖ The Road Ahead..

through your printed Prieta POST or reading it online you'll see we have these three events in December. OK, you read all about these events in the November POST, but what the hey, nothing like a refresher reminder. As usual, all of the details can be found while doing the aforementioned thumbing, or read on...

First up is the Third Annual Toys for Tots Tour on the first, by the time you read this it may be after the fact, or not. Check the pre-tour sign up date to see if there's still time for you to participate. Second is the LPR Holiday Celebration Dinner & Awards at the Pasatiempo Inn in Santa Cruz on Dec. 7th. Contact Kris Vanacore and come celebrate the holidays with your pals in LPR. The third and final event that will end the calendar year is the annual LPR Gift Exchange at the Hallock's home in San Jose. The laughter hangs in the air as gifts are taken, re-taken and finally taken no more. Who knows, you may end up with what you brought.

Finally...

It's been a wonderful year in LPRLand. After the calendar planning meeting on November 17th we'll be sure to have another year of bountiful events coming your way. And 2020 will also be the year to celebrate LPR's 50th anniversary with a gala dinner at the Cinnabar Hill Golf & Country Club in San Jose on March 28th. It looks like a back to the future evening when the 1970s comes alive. Some of you were alive then, right?

Until we meet and greet again, fire up the Porsche and we'll see you on...the road ahead.

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40 Years: Don Wise



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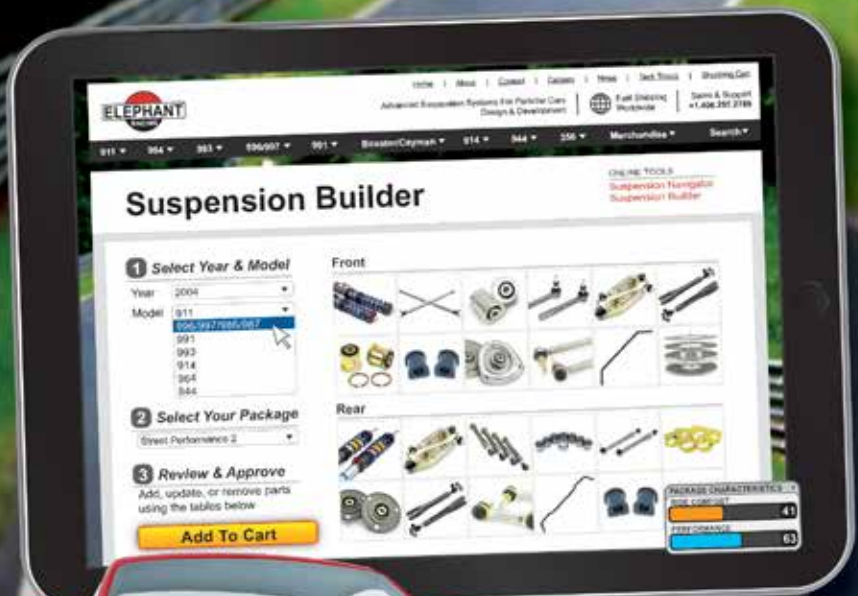
feel free to bring any provisions you feel might enhance your evening chatting with your LPR buds.

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POST Script

Kat Hsueh, Editor
& Mandy, Co-pilot



Happy Holidays!

It's already the end of the year, can you believe it? 2020 will be upon us in a month. Good thing no one has predicted that the world will stop as it was supposed to in 2000 (well, maybe some more power outages)! Looking back, the LPR has been busy with tours, social events and some great charity donations.

Jacob's Heart was very thankful for our donation (page 15). We also made a contribution to the Morgan Autism Center that will be in next month's POST. The annual Toys for Tots tour is on Dec. 1st, do you have your toy yet?

If you didn't get to attend the Hearst Castle Tour this year (as it sold out very quickly), read about it on page 20. I had a great time meeting people and touring the central coast. I'm looking forward to some upcoming fun events (that always seem to feature food) such as the Awards Banquet, Holiday GTG, and soup party. For more info, **check the [LPR event calendar](#) as it is always updated.**

See you next year!

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<https://www.motorsportreg.com/>

Third Annual Toys for Tots and Davenport Lunch Tour



Sunday, December 1, 2019

Join us to get in the holiday spirit with Toys for Tots, enjoy some of our great mountain roads, and lunch with fellow LPR members at the Davenport Roadhouse. We'll again meet in Saratoga Village at 9:45 am for a driver's meeting and depart for the Boulder Creek Fire Department at 10 am, where we'll meet the fire chief and donate our Toys for Tots. After a short break, we'll continue to Davenport for lunch. The Davenport Roadhouse has again put together a menu for the group that includes multiple appetizer and main course choices. The \$40 per person price includes appetizer, main course, a drink and gratuity. A full-service no-host bar is also available. In addition to the lunch fee, there's a \$5 per car LPR tour fee.

Please RSVP to John and Honore D'Angelo at 60thclubcoupe@gmail.com by November 25th and either send a check in advance

([431 8th Ave., Santa Cruz, CA 95062](#)) or bring payment with you. The group is limited to the first 50 people who RSVP.

*Santa Cruz county Toys for Tots has a high need for gifts for older kids: soccer balls, board games, art sets, larger sized bike helmets, batteries and the like. Please note that toys need to be new and unwrapped. Toys for tots cannot accept / distribute used toys. Kindly avoid guns, toys of aggression and unwrapped stuffed animals.

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Spotlight on Charity

**The Jacob's Heart Tour was a huge success,
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Above left to right: Angie Reed, Mariela Medina and Kathy Musser

Mariela Medina, Team Family Support Specialist at Jacob's Heart, receives the \$2,550 check from LPR Charity Co-Chair Kathy Musser and LPR member Angie Reed.

Jacob's Heart sends a heartfelt thank you to everyone



whose donations and support towards their work with children and their families are greatly appreciated.



Join us for an evening of laughter, cocktails, dinner, awards, prizes, dancing and more at the Inn at Pasatiempo, 555 HWY 17, Santa Cruz.

Register at: www.motorsportreg.com (search LPR) prior to Sunday, Dec.1 (no refunds after December 1) or...

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Dinner choices: Miso Glazed Salmon, Pepper Rubbed Grilled Sirloin w/blue cheese butter or Mushroom Risotto

The cost for this magical evening is a mere \$40.00 per person. Includes appetizers, dinner, wine with dinner, dessert and one drink ticket.

2019 Autocrosser participants... this is for YOU! Attend the Awards Banquet and your name will go in for a special drawing limited to this season's series participants only... a full season of AX on LPR!!!!
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AND JOHN REED







Hearst Castle at night - outdoor pool

Puttin' On A Tour, San Simeon Style

by Doris Britschgi

Photos by The Britschgis, The Casaminas, Gary Goelkel and John Reed

Have you ever wondered what is involved in “puttin’ on a tour”? Current president John Reed has organized countless successful tours throughout his long tenure as an LPR member and past tour director. A recent club trip to San Simeon was a prime example of how he does it. John has partnered with a variety of people in doing tours, this time with his wife Angie and Peter Ridgeway, resulting in a delightful weekend experience. Russ and I were privileged to be part of this group of forty-four “tourists” and want to

share how a good tour is planned and conducted.



Rest stop

1. Have an interesting destination in mind. Hearst Castle with a special night tour was the goal of our trip.

2. Search for interesting roads to reach that destination, especially scenic off-highway routes. Drive those roads several months ahead

to be sure they are still open and are good “Porsche roads”. Keep track of the

mileage between turns and other specific helpful information for your written route instructions. Before heading to the coast, our route to San Simeon wound southeast through the countryside skirting Hollister, Paicines, and The Pinnacles. After a lunch stop in King City, we continued around Fort Hunter Liggett and Paso Robles. Some of us were even privileged to see deer, a fox, and a bobcat along the way.



Hungry crew ready for lunch in King's City!

3. Be sure to include rest stops with restrooms at strategic intervals. We appreciated a country church (on this month's cover) that welcomed tourists' use of their restrooms that were accessible from outside.

4. Find and plan a restaurant that can accommodate a large group for lunch. Our delicious buffet at Cork and Plough in King City had cost and food

details negotiated on the pre-run by Peter and John. Plenty of parking was available in a nearby lot, again pre-planned.

5. If planning a two day tour, make arrangements with a chosen motel/hotel for a block of rooms to be held for the group a specified amount of time at a prearranged cost. We all booked our own rooms this time, but booking through the tour



Heading to the coast

leader who can then hand out keys at the site can save time at arrival. The after-lunch portion of our tour passed by several wineries which provided stops for

those interested. Some of us drove straight to the motel, thus relieving our check-in by not arriving all at once. We appreciated the cordoned off parking just for our group at San Simeon Lodge. Some of us walked across Highway 1 to the beach, others chatted and admired the varied Porsches in the lot, and still others squeezed



Special parking area at the hotel just for us

in a nap before dinner.

6. Arrange a group dinner within walking distance of the motel with a few choices and a fixed price per person, prepaid. Be sure you know what the dinner price includes. On our trip, Russ was pleased with his huge steak while I enjoyed savory baked salmon. Other choices included Mediterranean chicken or Pasta Primavera.

7. Make arrangements for transportation and tickets for all to the selected venue if needed. After enjoying a spectacular sunset, we drove a short three miles to the Hearst Castle Visitor Center where we boarded a bus for a twisty ride up the hill to the castle on the hill, glowing like a small city. Its formal name in Spanish means “The Enchanted Hill”. The castle at night is quite different from a daylight visit!



Waiting for the bus to the castle



Is anyone listening to the docent?

Julia Morgan for William Randolph Hearst between 1919 and 1947, is filled with architectural and decorative treasures, no expense spared! For more on its colorful history, I recommend checking it out on Wikipedia.

8. Do a pre-run about a month ahead, following your written directions and

Tour guides divided us (plus a few others present) into three groups for tours that included climbing over 300 steps (Whew!) to see rooms on multiple floors of the main house as well as one of the guest houses, plus both the indoor and outdoor pools. A few strategically placed volunteers dressed in clothing from the 20s and 30s gave the house a party feeling. Hearst Castle, designed by the renowned architect



One of the guest houses



Just your average home library

checking for needed “fixes” in the plan. It’s more fun and also helpful to have another car driving the pre-run with you. Russ and I joined John and Angie, Peter and Jacqueline, and Margie and Ken Jensen (unable to attend the actual tour) on this pre-run. We did everything except visit the castle.

9. Other important steps in planning and conducting an LPR tour that are not included here can be found



Cindy Casamina ponders which glassware to use at dinner

at <https://www.lprpca.org/driving-events/porsche-tours/>

Hopefully this will entice you to plan your own LPR tour in the near future. The club tour directors are willing to help and answer any questions you may have in the process.

The drive to San Simeon and Hearst Castle was a delightful way to spend a weekend. We made new friends, renewed old friendships, traveled some very interesting roads (Tom Provasi did a great job slaloming around the potholes in front of us on one particular old road!), and saw some amazing sights. Many thanks to John, Angie and Peter for “Puttin’ On” a great tour.



Castle partiers from another era



An opulent dining room



The Enchanted Castle at night with some of the 300+ steps



Johnny Musser is happy to be on the bus heading back - a fun and long day!



San Simeon shore at sunset



Collin Fat **Zone 7 Rep**

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Wishing everyone a Happy Holiday! By the time that you get this column we will be right in the middle of the busy holiday season. With Thanksgiving behind us and the hectic pace of the Christmas and New Year holidays around the corner, let us all be thankful for all that we have, our wonderful families and great Porsche Club friends.

Yosemite Region 60th Anniversary:

Yosemite Region celebrated its 60th Anniversary on October 27th with more than 60 members in attendance. The original location of the event, Ironstone Vineyards in Murphys, California was cancelled due to concerns of fire and yet another power shutdown by PG&E. Scrambling to find an alternate location, club president Chuck Pierce made an executive decision to keep the event on schedule and hosted the event at his home. My hats are off to Chuck for the quick recovery. The tour started as scheduled but with a modified route. High winds were the menu of the day as some 15 cars departed from the Starbucks Coffee parking lot in Manteca for some great backcountry driving roads..

Zone 7 Presidents Meeting:

The fall president's meeting was held for the first time in many years in the Sacramento area and was attended by all the presidents or their representatives in Zone 7. A special presentation by Ed Won, past president of Diablo Region, on building your relationship with your local Porsche dealer was well received. Ed provided a lot of insight into the some of the common pitfalls in the relationship and tips on how best to develop a relationship that is mutually beneficial to both the club and the dealership. The most important point to remember is that the dealer is in the business of selling cars and service and that anything our clubs can do to reciprocate adds to the value the dealership gains from this relationship. The president's meeting is one manner in which national communicates with region leadership. The next meeting will be scheduled sometime in March. Among the topics discussed included a financial report submitted by Zone treasurer, Howard Thomas, tips on succession and transition planning, membership retention, Parade 2020, and a report by each region on what went well and did not in their regions and also what goals they were working on for 2020. In attendance were; Brian Adkins (Diablo), Ed Hunter (Golden Gate), John Reed (Loma Prieta), Steve Taty (Monterey Bay), Craig Steele (Redwood), Gregg Plourde and Rob Lee (Sacramento Valley), Ed Suarez and Darrick Duerksen (Sequoia), Wayne Martin and Terry Topolski (Shasta), Millie Smith (Sierra Nevada), Chuck Pierce and David Boyd (Yosemite).

Zone 7 Awards Banquet:

The annual awards banquet was held in conjunction with the presidents meeting and was attended by nearly 60 competitors who participated in the Zone autocross and concours series. The concours series hosted 7 events over the year while the autocross series hosted 8 events.

The concours series overall winners by class were: Bill Sardella, Full Concours, Ken Lewis, Touring I, Thorsten And Simone Kopitzki, Touring II, and Jim McMahan, Street. The prestigious Rookie of the Year award went to Juan Fernandez.

In the autocross series, there were award winners in almost all of the classes with multiple

drivers who competed. The highly coveted PAX awards for men and women both had 3 award recipients. In the men's PAX, Grady Carter garnered top honors with Monty Pack finishing 2nd and Andrew Blyholder,rd. In the ladies PAX competition, Stacy O'Connell garnered top honors followed by Corrin Vanetti, 2nd place and Kelsey Leet, 3rd place. Kelsey was also honored as the Rookie of the Year for autocross.

Lastly, Himanshu Patel was honored as the Zone 7 Enthusiast of the Year and joins a very special group of past Zone members who have been so honored to have their name on the perpetual trophy.

Events of Interest:

CRAB 38 will be hosted by Sacramento Valley Region, May 29-31. And Shasta Region will host the Zone 7 Tour again on June 11 -15. Porsche Parade 2020 will be held from June 21 – 27th at the La Quinta Resort in La Quinta, CA. with phase one registration opening in January. Sierra Nevada Region will host the Mammoth Tour July 25-26.PCA's Treffen 2020 to be held at the Broadmoor in Colorado Springs in the spring and the fall Treffen at the Greenbrier Resort in West Virginia. The dates will be April 29-May 2, 2020 for the Colorado Springs event and September 16-19, 2020 for the West Virginia event. For more information on registration, go to <https://treffen.pca.org/>. Remember that past Treffens have sold out in as little as one hour due to their growing popularity!



(Left)
*L/R; Collin Fat, Chuck
Pierce and Craig Kugler*

(Below)
*L/R; Himanshu Patel with
Grady Carter*



(Left)
Bill Sardella

SOUP



Saturday, January 18th 6PM

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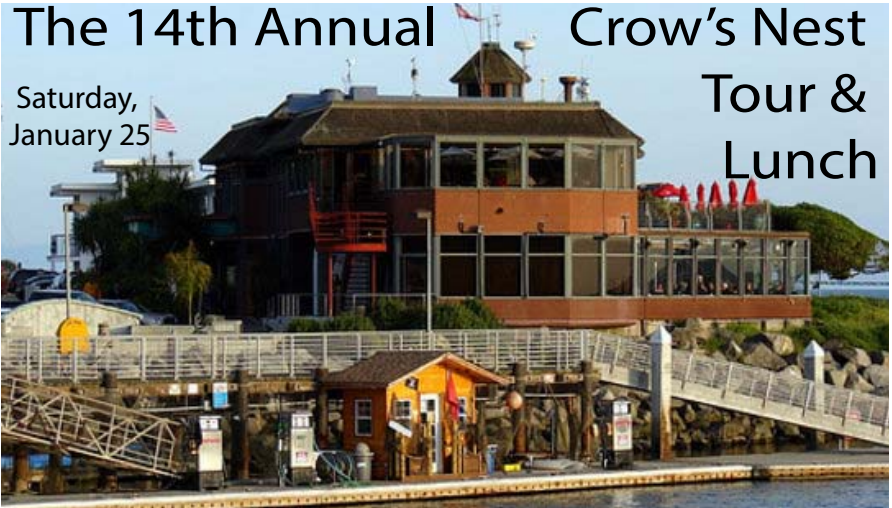


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The 14th Annual Crow's Nest Tour & Lunch

Saturday,
January 25



We will once again sojourn the mountain back roads to this picturesque Santa Cruz icon landmark for a winter lunch by the sea.... our 14th annual journey!

Menu items are: Angus Steak; Charbroiled Chicken Breast; A Seafood Special; Butternut Squash Ravioli. Each entrée comes with a house salad and bread. Choose from the LPR-themed menus when we arrive. Tax, tip, coffee, iced tea, soda or hot tea included. There is a no-host beverage selection.

We have a private room with a beautiful view of the harbor. The cost is \$34.00 per person. We have reservations for up to 50.

Weather or not, we will make our way!



RSVP deadline is Monday, January 20th firm!

Get your name on the list! Phone (408) 371-1965. Email – jpreed911@comcast.net We will confirm your place on the tour once we receive your check payable to LPR/PCA sent to your hosts John & Angie Reed, 14837 Donner Dr. San Jose, Ca. 95124.

We're standing by!

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LPR BOARD MEETING MINUTES

November 5th, 2019. Call to order at 7:00PM

Guests: Angie Reed, Tony Vanacore, Bernie Weizimmer

October 2019 Board Meeting Minutes (Motion by K. Vanacore, I. McNeill seconded, passed unanimously)

Board Member Reports:

President – John Reed. Received the monthly region report from PCA National. We will be attending the November 9th Zone President's meeting in Roseville. Report to follow in December. Received a request from Shasta Region to run information regarding their Zone 7 Tour in 2020, this information was sent to the LPR Social Media Chair.

Vice Presidents – Kris Vanacore reported on events: GTG: Final GTG for the year, Dec. 14, Gift Exchange hosted by the Hallocks and Metz's. Info on calendar, in Post and mid-month blast. Awards Event: Peter has committed to requesting give-aways from our advertisers. Will anyone else reach out to our non-advertisers and/or members for give-aways? Rooms are still available to book at the Inn at Pasatiempo. NOTE; WE DO NOT HAVE A BLOCK OF ROOMS! WHEN YOU CALL TO BOOK A ROOM YOU MUST TELL THEM THAT YOU ARE PART OF THE DEC. 7 BACK NINE EVENT. 50th Anniversary: At pace. Have begun looking at hotels and possible shuttle service to/from Cinnabar.

Secretary – Iain McNeill. The 2020 Board of Directors nominees were all elected. Results were prepared by Jim & Iain and audited by John & Dave. Kathy requested funds for 50 name badges for \$437.64 which were voted by email, John proposed, Iain seconded and it was voted unanimously.

Treasurer – Margie Jensen. The Main bank account has \$66,114.12. The Echecking has \$5,880.46 and the CD is at \$8,872.63. There should be enough in the Echecking for people who have access to the credit card numbers to pay your bills/purchases. Then, you can forward the paperwork to me via email or wait and give it to me at the Dec. board meeting. James, Anne and Kris I am forwarding your check requests to John after I send this note out to you. You can ask him at the board meeting for a check or ask him to write and /or send the check for you. I have already input your items into Quick Books.

Membership – Kathy Musser. Total members = 566.

Activities – Vince Vincent. The Insurance for the Hearst Castle Tour and the Toys for Tots Tour have been received and sent to the organizers. Signed Release Form for Kill a Cone AX may be held until December. (Dave brought release to meeting.)

Member-at-Large – John Gould. Perpetual Awards discussion. Will take the awards with ballot results to Alpine Awards for ordering. Kathy offered storage for the perpetual awards if needed. Year end awards requests budget of \$2600, last year was \$2400, proposed by Kris, Kathy seconded, voted unanimously.

Chairperson Reports:

Advertising - Peter Ridgway. Canvassing for gifts for the awards ceremony and starting to work on next year's advertisers, some new vendors include: Haggerty, Tire Rack, Independence Auto, Sierra Madre.

Autocross – Anne Roth, Dave Dunwoodie. 2020 dates have been bid on and we have dates. \$635 collected for lunch, brings our total donations for Morgan Autism to \$3532.00! Brad got home okay. Autocross made \$875.00 today.

Charity – Kathy Musser, Kris Vanacore, Emilie Highley. The Charity Tour benefitting Jacob's Heart was very successful. Between the tour donations and the silent auction, we have a total of \$2075. Thank you to all of the generous donations from our LPR members. We will be receiving

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a stipend from PCA national. This will bring our total donation to Jacob's Heart to \$2500.00. I am planning on delivering the checks to Jacob's Heart next week. If anyone would like to join me please let me know. We can plan a date around your schedule. They also need support a child or support a family. All donations are appreciated. Nov 19/22 for check presentation to Morgan Autism. Dec 1st Toys for Tots 2019, the D'Angelo's are organizing, see social media/post/website for details

Hospitality – Emilie Highley. Sympathy Card sent to the Family of Tom Micele (former member) who passed away. Thinking of You Card sent to Valerie Gould who broke her arm and was going to have surgery. Get Well Card sent to Pete Siemens who had been hospitalized. Thank You Card sent to John & Caroline Eiskamp for hosting the Charity Lunch after the tour to Jacob's Heart

Prieta Post Editor – Kat Hsueh. I have followed up with the printer regarding some issues that occurred with the printed October POST. These should be resolved in the November issue.

Public Relations – Ken Iles. Submitted article for Panorama referred to October's two LPR charity events, the Jacob Heart's Tour, and Autocross #8 "Kill-a-Kone."

Rallye – Bob Frosthalm. Nothing to report.

Safety – John Reed. The Observer's Reports for the October 12th Jacob's Heart Charity Tour and the October 20th LPR Zone Autocross were sent to PCAN in a timely manner. The release forms were given to the LPR Activities Director for the archives.

Social Media – Lisa Radding. I'll be sending out a reminder to the club this week via our email blast reminding our members to attend the planning session and bring their ideas for 2020 GTGs. I'll follow up with members who previously hosted and confirm their interest and commitment to hosting in the future. This year Kris took the reins and invested in pre arranging our bowling, Barracuda and SJ baseball GTGs. My thoughts are we can add to the schedule next year and if I get the message out sooner we may have even stronger turnouts next year.

Tech – Peter Ridgway. Elephant racing on 9:30am Saturday Nov 16th, only 2 signups so far.

Tours – Russ and Doris Britschgi. Saturday, October 12, Jacob's Heart Charity Tour provided 24 people with an informative tour of the Jacob's Heart facility in Watsonville followed by a scenic drive to the home of John and Caroline Eiskamp for a delicious lunch. A sizable donation was made from tour fees and proceeds from a silent auction to Jacob's Heart, which provides support to children with cancer and their families. About 44 people in 23 cars enjoyed the November 2-3 Hearst Castle Night Tour organized by the Reeds and Ridgeways. Attendees agreed the drive was fun and the Castle has a very different feeling at night. Docents shared a wealth of knowledge about the Castle, its contents, and the Hearst family. John and Honore D'Angelo will host a Toys for Tots Tour on Sunday, December 1 with a toy drop-off at the Boulder Creek Fire Department followed by lunch at the Davenport Roadhouse. Details are in the November POST. Saturday, January 25, is the 14th Annual Crow's Nest Tour and Lunch in Santa Cruz. More details in the December and January POSTs.

Webmaster – Jim Turk. Website administration handled. Digitizing the Prieta Post archives project update: received 1 quote for \$0.39 per page, there are about 13,000 pages, missing 1979 & 85 years.

Old Business: LPR 50th Anniversary Update: ideas include magicians, caricaturist and Name that tune game throughout the evening, with 70's hits. Trying to finalize rooms and shuttles from whatever hotel is chosen. Concerned about booking a block of rooms and not filling them. Pinnacles tour is not feasible. Reaching out to old board members for ideas e.g. Provasi's etc. Please speak up to make the event a success.

New Business: Nothing to report.

Adjourn Meeting: 7:50PM NEXT MEETING – Tuesday, December 3, 2019, 7:00PM, Round Table Pizza, 14940 Camden Ave, San Jose



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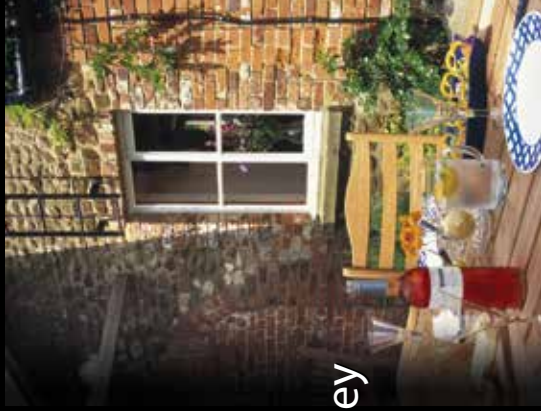
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