



DECEMBER 2007



PRESIDENT'S CORNER



Merry Christmas & Happy New Year to one and all.

On 25 November Gold Coast Rods lost a good friend. Jerry Smith passed away after a ravaging bout of cancer. Jerry was a good fellow and always a friend to our club. Gold Coast Rods had a nice representation at his service on 30 Nov.

This will be my last column as President. I want to thank each of you for this opportunity. Special thanks go to the club officers I had the pleasure of working with. We ended the year well into the black financially and with a series of great car shows behind us. All in all it was a good year.

See you in January
David Peelo

NEW OFFICERS AND BOARD MEMBERS FOR 2008

PRESIDENT	TERRY WECKER
VICE PRESIDENT	STEVE MAST
SECRETARY	KATHY ALLEN
TREASURER	RHONDA CHAMBERS
DIRECTOR	RONNIE USREY
DIRECTOR	SAL GIAMONA
DIRECTOR	DALE MAUZEY

**THE FIRST MEETING OF THE YEAR WILL
BE HELD **JANUARY 8, 2008** AT BAYONET
BLACK HORSE GOLF CLUB. SEE YOU THERE!**

DUES REMINDER

**DUES ARE DUE January 1, 2008 and delinquent the day
After the February meeting. February 6, 2008.**

Gold Coast Rods ~ Monthly Membership Meeting ~ November 6, 2007

- I. President Peelo called the meeting to order at 7:00 p.m.**
- II. Minutes from the October 2, 2007 meeting were approved.**
- III. Treasurer's Report, Rhonda Chambers: Rhonda in Arizona, no report.**
- IV. Secretary's Report, Roberta Legg:
 - A. Griffin Bartman is here for his first reading.**
 - B. There are four people on the waiting list for membership.****
- V. Vice President's Report, Jack Burnam:
 - A. Jim Zimmerman won the engine raffle and a big thanks to Ron Sanders for donating the engine.**
 - B. The September HCCN was great and thanks to everyone for their help.**
 - C. Thanks to Couch Distributors for their contributions for the raffle prizes at HCCN.****
- VI. Presidents Report, David Peelo:
 - A. The elections for 2008 Board of Director positions is at the next meeting on November 27, 2007.**
 - B. The GCR Christmas Party is on Dec. 2, 2007. Cruise starts at 10:30 a.m. from the DMV in Seaside. \$20 per couple for members, \$20 each for guests, \$10 for kids 12 & under.**
 - C. 2008 dues are \$40.00.****
- VII. Old Business:
 - A. Some dash plaques are available for \$2.00 a piece.****

- B. Jim Ward talked about upcoming events.
- VIII. New Business:
 - A. Harley talked about the upcoming run to Big Sur on 11/18/07 leaving DMV, Seaside at 10:45 a.m.
 - B. Steve Mast talked about the Marina Air Faire.
 - C. Steve Mast talked about participation with CHAMP CAR in April 2008.
 - D. Dave Peelo talked about a run to Tres Pinos on 12/09/07
 - E. Dave Peelo and Lester Ysazaga talked about a car show in Old Town Salinas.
- IX. Meeting was adjourned at 7:25.p.m.

Gold Coast Rods ~ Monthly Membership Meeting ~ November 27, 2008

- I. President Peelo called the meeting to order at 7:00 p.m.
- II. Minutes from the November 6, 2008 meeting were approved.
- III. Treasurer's Report, Rhonda Chambers: Balance in checking: \$13,162.00
 - A. Dues due in January 2008, delinquent in February.
 - B. Club to maintain a \$2,000 buffer in account for 2008 HCCN.
 - C. Donations for 2007: \$4,050.00
 - 1. Monterey County Veterans Van: \$500.
 - 2. Boys & Girls Club of the Monterey Peninsula: \$500.
 - 3. Seaside Pony Baseball & Softball: \$500 (Team Sponsorship).
 - 4. MPC Scholarship for Automotive Engineering: \$250.
 - 5. Monterey High Auto Shop: \$250.
 - 6. Seaside High Auto Shop: \$250.
 - 7. Gateway Center: \$500.
 - 8. Beacon House of Pacific Grove: \$250.
 - 9. Meals on Wheels of the Monterey Peninsula: \$300.
 - 10. Frank Sollecito Jr. Leukemia Fund: \$250.
 - 11. Robert Down Elementary School: \$250.
 - 12. First Tee: \$250.
 - D. Christmas Party payment to Kathy Allen.
 - E. Annual Dues- Mail to GCR at P.O.
- IV. Secretary's Report, Roberta Legg:
 - A. Griffin Bartman is here for his second reading.
 - B. Annual Elections for club officers will now take place.
- V. Vice President's Report: Jack Burnam: No Report.
- VI. President's Report, David Peelo:
 - A. December 2, 2007 is the annual Christmas party.
 - B. Ron Usrey is organizing the run to the party, 10:30 a.m. at DMV Seaside.

- C. Bring an unwrapped present for the Salvation Army.
- D. The club is purchasing PA/Sound system.
- E. Richard Avila advised everyone about the memorial for Jerry Smith.
- VII. Old Business:
 - A. Harley McGinnis talked about the run to Big Sur.
 - B. President Peelo advised there were two Dash Plaques left and for sale.
- VIII. New Business:
 - A. Jim Ward talked about upcoming car events.
 - B. Election results: President: Terry Wecker/ Three new Directors at Large:
Ron Usrey, Dale Mauzey & Sal Giamona.
- IX. Meeting adjourned at 8:30 p.m.

DECEMBER BIRTHDAY'S

LOUISE KLOSS

BARNEY MORGAN

CHUCK PAGE

IRENE RODRIGUES

JAY RUCCELLO

BARBARA WARD

RICHARD AVILA

FRANK DIPOLA

JOHN HAYWORTH

ROBERT VERWOLD

CHRIS WILSON

LESTER YSAZAGA

GEORGIAN MCGINNIS

JUDYSALEEN

JOANN BERTI

ANNIVERSARIES

JIM&RHONDA CHAMBERS

GEORGIAN&HARLEY MCGINNIS

DAVE&SUZANNE GARVELLO

ALAN&ROSE TURPEN



Merry Christmas and Happy New Year

See you all at the next meeting

Kathy Allen