

NEWSLETTER



Established 1957 – Celebrating 53 Years

President:	Bob Robbins	March 2010
Vice/Co-Vice President:	Marvin Miller & Dave Mann	Volume 9 Issue 3
Secretary:	Gayle Hurd	
Treasurer:	Don Thorne	Gayle Thorne, Newsletter Editor

No President's Corner this month....the events list has been updated if you wish to print it out.

If you haven't paid your dues you will be removed from the email and/or mailing list the first week in March!

All Members, please note there is a **Board of Directors Meeting held every Saturday before the scheduled Rakers Meeting at 8:30 am**, in the "Rakers' Photo Room" of the Roadhouse. **Everyone is invited to attend. The next meeting will be February 27th.**

RAKERS MONTHLY MEMBERSHIP MEETINGS

Are held at 7:00 pm the First Tuesday of the month at the Highway 20 Roadhouse Lounge area

Next Meeting: March 2, 2010

Upon arriving, please remember to sign in!

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February 2, 2010 Meeting Minutes

Meeting began at 7:03 am.

Vice President Marvin Miller filled in for President Bob Robbins who had other important business to attend. 32 members signed in.

Minutes were approved as circulated via email & snail mail.

Treasurer's report was read & approved.

There were no new guest members.

New Business:

Mike Ryan talked to Matt Tyler and said "The Rakers are on schedule for the June 26th, 2010 Rakers Annual Car Show at Memorial Field."

Mike Hinojos announced our guest speaker, **Carl Jantz**, Owner of Jantz Engineering. Carl is a car, truck and 4x4 Specialist! He set up a detailed slide show showing what his shop can do, such as re-splined axles, housings narrowed, bolt patterns re-drilled, axles & housings straightened. Custom welding and machine work. Intake manifolds, carbs, timing belts, CV joints and custom exhaust. Not to mention, ring & pinion set ups, posies repacked-tight! Drive line repair. Wiring shorts, also brake & clutch repair. Carl does it all! His shop is located at 20555 Pugh Road, Poulsbo, WA Phone 360-598-2773, carl@jantzenengineering.com. Carl has 36 years of experience in fabrication, machine work and welding. For the "do-it yourselfers" he will keep your costs down by doing only what you can't do yourself and he'll give free guidance on what you can do yourself!

Activities:

Activities Director, Keith Marzan, asked for a show of hands for the May 14th Rhody parade.

Jake Johnson will be hosting his 3rd Annual Potluck Clam Fest & Poker Run,

June 5th at Fort Flagler. He added, the Fort personnel asked that we cruise through the waterfront campground upon arrival. The campers enjoyed our route through there last year. "Please no burn-outs this year!" Thank-you!

Bill Eldridge sent an email reminding us pizza lovers to show up for the May 1st annual OVAC Pizza Run at Noon in the Ferino's Pizza parking lot. Pizza will be served buffet style.

Keith mentioned our July 18th Picnic at the Fort Worden cook shack. We have invited the South County Cruisers to join us in the sun and fun that day. We have space for 20 cars parked two-deep.

Old and/or Unfinished Business:

Don Thorne announced that Warren Grondahl as the winner of the over-achievers award for paying his dues twice for this year! We still have six Rakers plaques left, if you'd like one they are \$50. Don also brought in Old Timers Calendars for anyone who wants one. Thanks Don!

Jerry Hampton mentioned that he has three bags and a box of apparel.

Raffle:

Ron Rogers handled the Raffle ticket sales. Raffle winners this month were: Chuck Thrasher, Don Thorne, Chuck Boggs, Bob Frambach, Denny Gregg, Nirmala Jantz (guest speakers wife), Bob Pontius and Bob Haynes. Winners are to bring a raffle prize for the March 2nd meeting.

Meeting was adjourned at 8:08 pm.

Respectfully submitted,

Gayle Hurd, Club Secretary

March 2010

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
	1	2 Rakers Club Meeting 7:00 pm	3	4	5	6
7 Puyallup 4x4 Swap meet	8	9	10	11	12	13 Puyallup Almost Spring Swap Meet
14 Puyallup Almost Spring Swap Meet	15	16	17	18	19	20
21 Elites Leprechaun Daze Bellingham	22	23	24	25	26	27
28	29	30	31	April 1	2	3

Note: The following page contains a list of 'local' events as posted in Rod & Wheels and the 2010 Pacific Northwest Region Calendar of Events. Please remember to verify the event is actually happening as some events have been known to cancel.

Car Club Related Events for 2010, Revised

Puyallup	March 7	4x4 Swapmeet
Astoria	March 13	Astoria Swap Clatsop County Fairgrounds
Puyallup	March 13-14	Almost Spring Swap Meet
Bellingham	March 21	Elites Leprechaun Daze
Bremerton	April 4	Season Opener Bremerton Raceway
Mt. Vernon	April 17	29th Mt. Vernon Auto & Motorcycle Swap
Tacoma	April 24 [Rakers by reservation]	Washington State Hot Rod Hall of Fame Dinner
Port Townsend	April 24-25	Jeffco Expo, Jeffco Fairgrounds
Burlington	April 25	JJ's April Showers Show & Shine
E. Wenatchee	April 30-May 1	E. Wenatchee Classy Chassis Parade/Car Show
Port Hadlock	May 1: Noon	OVAC Pizza Run, Ferino's Pizza Parking Lot
Silvana	May 1	7 th Old Silvana Car Show
Ferndale	May 2	W.C.C.A. Spring Rod Run
Union Gap	May 2	15 th Old Steel Rod Run
Omak	May 7-9	Friendly O.K. Show/Shine/Swap
Port Townsend	May 14	Annual Rhody Parade
Anacortes	May 15	All Corvette Show
Monroe	May 15-16	Monroe Swap Meet
Moses Lake	May 22	Moses Lake Spring Festival Car Show
Mountlake Terrace	May 23	Puget Sound LTD "Spring Fling"
Bellingham	May 30	Boulevard Park Antique Car Show
Everett	May 30-31	Cruz to Colby
Fort Flagler	June 5 (Jake Johnson)	3rd Annual Clam Bake, Poker Run, Pot Luck
Ferndale	Jun3 5	11th Ferndale Haggen Show & Shine
Duvall	June 5	Big Rock Classic Car & Harley Show
Shelton	June 6	Forest Festival Car Show
Bellevue	June 19	Auto Angels 4th Annual Benefit Car Show
Bellingham	June 20	Father's Day Car/Truck/Motorcycle show
Puyallup	June 20	All Pontiac Street Show
Burlington	June 20	Berry Cool Car Show
Wenatchee	June 25-27	Wenatchee Val. SRA Apple RUN #32
Port Townsend	June 26	Rakers Car Show, Memorial Field
Eatonville	June 26	Rod Knockers Show and Shin
Sumas	June 26	Sumas WA Show & Shine
Shelton	June 27	Mason County Historical Society Car Show
Blaine	July 4	Old Fashioned 4th of July Car Show
Spokane	July 9-11	V8 Ford Swap Meet
Ferndale	July 9-11	W.C.C.A. Firecracker Rod Run
Port Angeles	July 9-11	Oldtimers 42nd Rod Run "Car Wars"
Issaquah	July 11	All Camaro & Chevy Show
Port Townsend	July 18 (Fort Worden)	Rakers Gathering/Potluck at Kitchen/Cook Shack
Snohomish	July 18	Kla Ha Ya Days Car Show
Puyallup	July 23-25	23rd Pacific Northwest Nationals/Good-Guys
Rockport	July 23-25	JJ's Summer Safari Cruise-In
Ferndale	July 24	Old Settlers Car Show
Yakima	July 29-31	Vintiques NW Nationals
Gig Harbor	July 31	13th Annual Cruise the Narrows
Spokane	August 13-15	9th Great Northwest National/Good-Guys
Deming	August 20-22	Elites Summer Fun Run
Bellingham	August 22	All Corvette "Jerry Chambers Chev"
Auburn	August 22	Yesterday's Chevelle & El Camino Show
Port Townsend	August 23	Kiwanis Car Show
Elma	August 27-29	18th CNW Unfinished Nationals
Tacoma	August 28	LeMay's 33rd Open House
Mountlake Terrace	August 29	Cruisin the Nile

Lynden	September 9-12	TCT Vintage Trailer Rally
Bellingham	September 10-12	Can-Am Zone Meet
Lake Chelan	September 10-11	Fall In Lake Chelan
Ocean Park	September 11-12	Rod Run to End of the World
Edmonds	September 12	Edmonds Classic Car Show
Sedro Woolley	September 12	JJ's Founders Day
Tacoma	September 17-19	Ranchero Roundup
Lacey	September 18	Summers End Run
Bellingham	September 25	Jerry Chambers Chev/Cad
Snohomish	September 26	Snohomish Classic/Hot Rod Display
Wenatchee	October 1-3	8th Wings & Wheels Festival
Monroe	October 9-10	42nd Monroe Fall Swap Meet
Bellingham	October 31	Elites "Punkin Run"
Bellingham	November 14	Elites Project Santa Claus