



GMC CASCADERS RALLY MINUTES

LOCATION: PACIFIC CITY, OREGON

June 10, 2012

The meeting was called to order at 0930 by President Ron Smith.

Presidents Message: Ron thanked everyone for attending the rally. Everyone agreed that they had a good time, expressed by the overwhelming round of applause. Ron reminded everyone that club officer nominations are coming up. We are looking to fill the positions that will be vacant of President, Vice-President and Secretary. Ron is in need of volunteers for the nominating committee. Please let him know if you are interested. Seventeen coaches and three couples in other accommodations were at this rally.

Hosts / Helpers: A special thank you to Sandy Brooks and Paul Hoge for putting on a wonderful rally. Also helping with the rally were Ron and Linda Clark. Thank you to the many others who assisted in food serving, preparation and clean up. Thank you also to Jim Hupy for putting on the men's tech session and Sandy Brooks for her craft session.

New Members/First Rally/Guests: Ron welcomed first time rally attendees, Dallas and Susan Lommen. Don Gibson's son and wife were guests at the Saturday night dinner.

Secretary Report: Jackie Jones requested approval of the previous minutes from the Leavenworth, WA. rally, May 2012, as published. The minutes were approved: 1st motion – Mary Gurtler, 2nd motion – Terry Morris. We presently have 123 memberships. Once again, a plea has been put out for someone to step up and fill the soon to be vacated position of Secretary. Should you have any questions or concerns about the position, please contact Jackie Jones, club secretary.

Treasurer Report: Wayne Wright reported that we have \$7358.59 in the treasury account, with \$600.00 out in deposits.

First Vice President Report: (Historian) No representative was present. No one was aware of any recent get well wishes extended. Tony has requested that you please contact him with any information and addresses concerning any member's illnesses, injuries, surgeries, etc.

Second Vice President Report: (Wagon Master) Sharon Cummins shared input on the critiques she has received back from past rallies. She stated she had some great suggestions for some tech sessions. She has passed that information on to some of the individuals that do Tech Sessions. The three day rallies are consistent with what club members are wanting. You may come for the three days or two days pending your schedule. The food that is being served is listed on the rally notices. You are welcome to eat your own prepared food in your coach if you are not interested in the food that will be served.

August 2 – 6, 2012, Dwayne Jacobson will be beginning his Sea to Sea rally in White Rock, BC. It will be dry camping on 10 acres. That Sunday, the Cascader's who have volunteered, will be participating in the Torch Light Parade through White Rock, B.C. Continuing on the rally, we will be leaving on Monday, beginning the Sea to Sea rally through Canada. The rally notice and itinerary is posted on the website. Dwayne has requested that we please be considerate of Canadian customs and be careful of any "cutesy" comments you might say going over the border. It would also be helpful when going over the border if you are able to give the border guards a copy of the rally notice when they question you about your destination.

In September 2012, we are looking at the Film Festival in Port Townsend, WA., hosted by Jeff Eichen and Mikiya Sequoia and Don and Mary Gibson.

In December, the Christmas rally will be held December 6 – 9, 2012, with the venue planning in the works. Sharon has made contact with Chuck and Pat Horn concerning the plans for this rally.

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In the summer of 2013 we will have a rally in the works hosted by Fred and Ruth Leitch in Eastern WA. and in the fall of 2013 we will have a rally in conjunction with Western States in Salem, Oregon. In the planning stage are rallies on the Olympic Peninsula, a park and walk over to Victoria B.C., and a rally in the Cle Elum area. Please check the website for further updates and information on upcoming rallies.

August 2 – 6 2012	White Rock, BC. (dry camping on 10 acres) Canada	Dwayne & Sharon Jacobson
Starting August 6 2012	Sea to Sea through Canada Rolling Rally	Dwayne & Sharon Jacobson
September 20-23 2012	Film Festival Port Townsend, WA.	Jeff Eichen & Mikiya Sequoia Don & Mary Gibson
December 6 – 9 2012	Christmas Rally T.B.D.	T.B.D.

Webmaster Report: Please check the website often for news and updates.
The link to the website is: <http://www.gmc-cascaders.com>

Western States: No representative available. Jim Hupy gave a brief report on the recent rally at Case De Fruta in Hollister, CA. There were 105 coaches in attendance at that rally. He discussed several key technical seminars that were well received. For more information their website is: <http://gmcws.org>

GMC International: No representative available. For more information their website is: <http://www.gmcmi.com/>

FMCA: No representative was present. Their website is: <http://www.fmca.com/>.

OLD BUSINESS:

No old business was reported or brought up.

NEW BUSINESS:

Once again, Ron is seeking volunteers for the nominating committee for club officers. Elections of new officers will be held at the Christmas rally in December.

Ron Smith adjourned the meeting at 1000.

1st motion: Sandy Brooks

2nd motion: Ruth Leitch

Minutes submitted by: Jaclyn Jones ~ Secretary

MEETING ATTENDEES:

Ron and Linda Clark	Jim Hupy & Judy Courtermine	Ron & Pattie Smith
Tom & Sally Donovan	Dwayne & Sharon Jacobson	Frank Taber
Jeff Fraisure & Mary Gurtler	Paul & Jackie Jones	Tom & Margie Thompson
Ted & Jackie Freemire	Fred & Ruth Leitch	Noble Warrant & Sharon Cummins
Bill & Peggy Guise	Dallas & Susan Lommen	Wayne & Sandy Wright
Donald & Mary Gibson	Terry & Gloria Morris	
Paul Hoge & Sandy Brooks	Sandi Shull	