

MEETING MINUTES—MP&CAC—HELLGATE CHAPTER

October 17, 2022

Potluck and Meeting, Legion Hall

President Doug Winz called the meeting to order at 7:10 pm. Twenty members enjoyed a great potluck. We welcomed member Mike Martin back (after an extended illness). No guests.

Minutes: No minutes from September.

Treasurer's Report: Numbers in official minutes. No bills.

Old Business:

Lochsa Lodge Run: Stan reported on a great trip up Hwy. 12 for lunch at the Lodge. (Note: the Lodge bought 35 of his books for their gift shop).

Fall State Tour, Billings, Sept 30-Oct.2: Doug reported that he, Perry, and Rollie attended the tour which featured an interesting visit to a private collection in Columbus

New Business:

Tours/Shows for Next Year: Suggestions include Garnet Ghost Town, the Wildland Sculpture garden in Lincoln, and member "garage" visits (e.g. McCaffrey, Ruffato, Martin, Stevens, Troutwine). Jeff noted that plans for a Southgate Mall car show are progressing. Other scheduled shows include Five Valleys Bitterroot Car show (May 13), Auto-Tech Car Show (May 20) Caras Park Car Show (July 1), and a Marty Boruasa show. Doug said that the Great Falls Swap Meet is on track for the fairgrounds, but Spring and Fall State Tour locations and dates are yet to be determined. Discussion continues.

Xmas Party: After discussing several possibilities, Cathy made a motion to have the party at China Garden where we could order off the menu and eat in a separate dining room, Barb seconded, motion passed. Karen will check with the restaurant for a date. We agreed to have the "white elephant" gift exchange (\$10 max value). Stay tuned.

Next Meeting: Monday, November 21, 2022, 7:00 pm, Legion Hall. NO POTLUCK! Please bring a treat to share. Watch for the Honker which will be emailed the week before the meeting!

Adjourned: 8:00 pm

50/50: Doug Winz (\$12.00)

Respectfully submitted, Cathy Smyers