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September 2008

I would like to thank everyone for working so hard to make HR-18 such a huge success. For such a small group, our combined talents produced an event which far exceeds any venue of its kind in all of Southern California

Some Highlights and statistics of HR-18

Absolutely picture perfect day – It was overcast in the early morning and turned to Sunny and clear skies in time for the awards.

We had a record number of registered entries of 277, plus approximately another 30 cars associated with our sponsors and vendors

8 Food Vendors

38 Merchandise Vendors

4 major Sponsors attended and were acknowledged

3 local Charities acknowledged and were presented with \$1000 each

Our sound system and DJ efforts were fabulous

9,000 – 12,000 spectators

20 Fabulous Super Raffle Prizes

160+ Regular Raffle Prizes

17 “Best of Class” Trophies were presented

5 remarkable “Home Made Trophies” were presented

NSRA acknowledged

No reported injuries or car related mishaps

The final accounting has not been finalized but I am quite sure the treasury is very healthy and ready to distribute the proceeds to our local charities. October’s meeting we will be selecting the 1st round of donations so be ready to submit your candidates.

As a token of our appreciation, a very nice flower arrangement was sent to the Harbor Management Public Relations Office as a “Thank You” for their overwhelming support of our Car Show.

If you have any outstanding expenses for HR-18 please submit them to Lynn Perske for reimbursement. If you owe for your T-shirts or anything else, again, remit those items to Lynn as well.

VVR made a great showing at the Camarillo Ranch Oktoberfest and Car Show on Sunday September 28th. Ron Cowan won 1st place for the 1940’s class and VVR won the Club Participation Trophy with 8 cars in attendance. Great job Guys!!!!

October’s general meeting and activity may be held at the Reagan Library. The Hildebrand’s are looking into this and will report back in the next few days. A majority of the club will be on travel during the 1st half of October. Lois is looking into the Saturday the 18th or Sunday the 29th. It is very important that all members attend due to we will be selecting the local charities for 2008-2009. If we cannot secure the meeting area at the library, Heidi and I may have a spot where we can have lunch and conduct our business meeting.



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We will be having a vote on potential members Jim and Mary Eubanks. They have completed their 3 club events and have been recommended by Denise McMaster and Paul Thomas.

VVR has been selected as the featured car club at the Road Kings car show at Santa Anita Race Track on October 19th. If at all possible, please try to attend this function. The folks that attended last year had a great time. As an added bonus, this show will be in conjunction with the Breeders Cup activities. So let's try to get as many cars to attend and show what VVR has to offer with a good turn out. VVR will also be judging and presenting a trophy called "Featured Club's Selection Award"

November is still open. If anyone has an idea for an event or locale for November's meeting please contact me so I can post it on the Events Calendar. November is also election of 2009 Officers. I would ask that anyone interested in running for office contact me as soon as possible. If you would like to nominate someone for office, I would strongly recommend that the selectee be willing to accept your nomination.

December will be a non business meeting month. We are looking for Volunteers to host the 2nd annual VVR Progressive Dinner. The Roark's have offered to provide Ventura Harbor rides to see the Holiday Lights again this year. Thanks Charlie.

We will also be having our annual New Year's Brunch and Installation gathering in January. Details to follow as the holidays get closer.

Birthdays

Oct 4 Heidi Leighty
Oct 10 Norris Woods
Oct 13 Paul Schumann
Oct 19 Judy Woods

Anniversaries

Oct 15 Fain

Respectfully Submitted

A handwritten signature in cursive script that reads 'Jerry'.

President VVR