

# SCRG Meeting

January 5, 2026, 8:00pm Pacific

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## **Attendees:**

Jennifer Ferrario

Bob Moore

Paul Winchester

David Knapp

David Frazee

Michael Edmonson (ISM Room D)

Bob Reeves

## **Absent:**

## **Minutes**

8:04pm Meeting called to order by Jennifer.

- 1) Reschedule of SCRG Picnic. February and May were discussed. NCRG is May 21-24, Orange County Pancake Breakfast is Sun April 12. Paul proposed that the OC Pancake Breakfast was the Spring event, not the SCRG's event, but not to compete with it. Jennifer said she called all the club presidents and had about 50 people interested in participating. She does not want to put it off until Fall for fear of losing momentum. She proposed March 21 and it seemed to be acceptable to all. Settled on March 21. Location—Paul had suggested Carbon Canyon Regional Park, has a \$5 parking fee on Saturday's and Sundays. As long as we aren't selling anything we don't have to register for it nor have insurance. Alternative is to do it at Jennifer's house. She said they can put about 10 cars in the driveway, and there is a probability people would have to walk a bit. Jennifer would like to host it at her house this time and investigate the Carbon Canyon location for the future. Jennifer said she would get a flyer out for the updated date.
- 2) Driving Tour to National Convention in Pendleton, Oregon. Paul Winchester is putting together a tour that will leave May 26 and take 4-5 days to get there for the convention on May 31. Wants to travel through Lassen National Park, but they do not plow the roads instead just waiting until the snow melts. So he has to plan multiple routes and then plan a return route. Return route through Crater Lake, again assuming the snow melts. The convention is straight up highway 395. Dates depart May 26 (Tuesday) arrive May 31 to get to convention and welcome party. Meet dates May 31 (Sun) through June 7 (Sun). Return June 8 to about June 12. David Frazee suggested that they could join with other groups going North with a stop at NCRG departing from Sonora to the convention. Drive about 5-6 hours per day with sightseeing each day. There would be one long day (about 8 hours). Hotels are filling up—need to get information out quickly.
- 3) Other ideas for this year? (Tours 2026). Looking for something for Fall, October time frame.

- a. Model A Day (Mike Edmundson)
  - b. Gymkhana (Bob Moore)
- 4) Ideas to support 27/28/29 MAFCA Activities – David Frazee reviewed these potential opportunities for SCRG to sponsor:
- a. 2028 National Awards Banquet, 6-10 volunteers needed, 3 day event. The last one done out here was done by the Pomona club on Foothill Blvd. Ed Tolman is a member of that club—Jennifer would like to reach out to him or the former chairs. Speculation is that a lot of the attendees are local people. Concern is people won't travel for this.
  - b. 2028 National Convention, 40 volunteers for a week.
  - c. 2029 National Tour, need to create a PowerPoint presentation, identify hotels, have an Excel spreadsheet. This could be a lock if we want to do it.

Decisions are late for items A and B, but item C they need an answer by this Summer.

Jennifer knew her Zoom link was going to time out so she proposed that we hold another meeting in one month. Watch for emails to settle this as we did not get to discuss or decide on this.

Meeting concluded 8:35 as the Zoom link timed out.

Meeting restarted on a new Zoom link at 8:38pm. Five rejoined (Paul, Jennifer, Dave F, Dave K, Mike).

- 4) (CONTINUED) Past National Banquet co-hosts—the information is available on the MAFCA website. David F thinks the banquet was in 2019 in Claremont. David F indicated the organizers were Steve Yoss and Bill Whitmore. In 2007, a National Banquet in SoCal was held by Marlon Perry and Bob Trousil in Ontario. Marlon's daughter appears to still be active. Attendees were estimated at 40 registrations. There might be more people than that. There is a raffle room, opening banquet, closing banquet, and some seminars. There are typically one or two tours outside the hotel. The board members want to do away with the welcome to my city type activities to reduce costs. MAFCA pays for their board members to participate. Need to do more research. Jen and Mike to research Queen Mary in Long Beach as a possible venue.
- 5) Logo – Mike Edmundson suggested we have the OCMAFC promotional items chairperson look at the logo for some ideas to come up with proposals. Paul was OK with having that done. Mike will review this with Perry to see if he can come up with ideas.

Communications: Paul suggested we put the picnic, national tour, and NCRG on the SCRG website.

Call for other new or old business. No other business to discuss.

Meeting adjourned at 9:04