



**Rally Report , Fresno State University,  
May 14-16, 2010; Dee Jordan rallymaster**

Attending: Matt & Ruth Winzen, Dave & Vickie Case, Bob & Ginger Good, George & Jodell Banovich, Harry & Edie Friedman, Bert & Fay Curtis, Jack & Mary Kincaid, Gene & Irma Cole, Doug & Marilyn Mackintosh, John & Alyce Shutzbaugh, Donna Prishmont, Doug & Irene Norton, Jim Kanomata, Deo & Manny & Frankie Trovao, Cliff & Dorlene Dunlap (first timers), Bill Henson, Chris, Paul & Natalie Spencer, Suzanne List.

Wow! What a rally. Thank you Dee Jordan for including us in your "Thank You" from Fresno State University for you and your family's very generous donation to the school. We definitely appreciated all the largesse that was there because of you.

We all arrived in the afternoon, some of us taking an individual tour in our GMCs around the extremely large campus before arriving at our final destination, Lot O!

Once there it was all down hill. We let our rigs cool off and greeted folks we hadn't seen for a while. Then it was off to wine tasting and appetizers, followed by a sumptuous Italian dinner in the Jordan College of Agricultural Sciences and Technology winery. Very impressive wines. They actually make 22 varieties of wine.

Following that wonderful dinner, we were given a great show at the Downing Planetarium, with a few of us snoring after that great dinner!

Early Saturday found us ready to go after a great night's rest , heading for the coffee and juice on

the lawn, under the trees where our tables were set for our Wagon Master's Breakfast. Yum!

Then the business meeting was brought to order. John Shutzbaugh made a motion to officially end the meeting, but that didn't get by President George. We did a lot of business!

We relaxed on the lawn before our delicious choice of salads for lunch followed by a tour of the Henry Madden Library. Beautiful architecture in and out allowing for natural light and all the latest technology.

Then we were whisked off on a tour of the 1,000 acre Fresno State Farm where the students raise and grow everything that is necessary for the table, from beef and pork to vegetables, nuts, fruits and, of course, grapes for the great wines!

After the tour, we were taken to O'Neill Park where the students of the Fresno State Meats Club prepared another sumptuous dinner with appetizers, music and wine, of course!

Sunday morning, Dee met us at her coach for Fizzes by Dee, followed by breakfast on the lawn, pancakes prepared by the President of the University!

Thank you again, Dee, and your daughter Chris Spencer,- for a great rally!

**Add new members** Mark & Lore Zawkiewicz (Vincent & Amy) to your roster. 2340 Ralston Road, Sacramento, CA 945821. 916-359-5454 cell 916-804-3577 email zbuilt3@aol.com.

## Minutes of the Business Meeting

GMC 49ers Business Meeting 15 May 2010

Called to order 10:05 am

**First order of business:** New guests. Cliff and Dorlene Dunlop from Visalia. Proud owners of a GMC for one week. Found us on the internet. Chris Spencer, Dee's daughter, another guest. Frankie Travao joined us for two days. Joining us Friday night were Bob and Dottie Glim and Erlene Smith and her daughter and son in law. Minutes. Accepted Ginger first, and Dave Case second. Motion accepted.

**Treasurer's report:** Debra says we have \$1,681.37. Three people paid dues since March. 14 members have not paid their dues. Everyone at the meeting has paid their dues. Mackintosh 1<sup>st</sup>, Deo second.

**Correspondence.** Mackintosh got a note from John Sue. John was a landscape Architect. He did the Mackintosh front yard. "Dear M & D, a beautiful garden is the work of the people who love and care for the garden.....For my part, the ladies seem to have discovered that I leave alone and are doing their part to rectify my exalted status."

Curtis, Western Area FMCA, regarding our newsletter sent to WFMCA a certificate of appreciation. FMCA is now partnering with GMAC insurance with special rates. Med X program will be ending and replaced by another company next year. Recruitment campaign is now going. FMCA Annual convention in August, Redmond, OR.

Dave Case, talked to Spooners. Cindy is fine, Dick hurting a bit. Taking some medication and in some pain and cranky all the time. Drop him an email and cheer him up.

**Sunshine report:** Alyce Schutzbaugh. Gene and Irma are here and looking good. Yay. Tony and Kathy Lloyd recuperating. He just had prostate cancer surgery and is recuperating. Kathy cracked a bone in her spine. Vi White passed away. May 29<sup>th</sup> memorial service in Truckee. Contact Alyce for information. Zenna Schaeffer doing well after her operation. Llyle recovering and present here at the rally after surgery.

## Rally reports:

July rally. Doug and Irene Norton are helping Curtis' with a week rally, Monday to Sunday, starting July 5, but can come on 4<sup>th</sup> for a party. Don't have to stay the whole week and let them know so you will be charged accordingly.

Geocaching seminar. Takes place in the cool redwoods of the Eureka area. Head count, 5.

**September 10-12,** Reitz and Mackintosh. Shady Cove, OR, RV park on the Rogue River. Huge deck on the water. Jet boat excursion. Dinner trip, 4 hours. Head count, 10.

**November, 12-14.** Kincaids and Case'.

Alameda. Contract with Commodore Yacht tour/dinner/dance (fancy dress up) cruise Saturday evening. Restaurant close by, Pasta Pelican Friday night. Overnight in Commodore parking lot. Tour the Hornet carrier, Rosenbloom winery nearby. Will find a motel nearby for those not driving their GMCs.

## Future rallies:

Morro Bay, Kanomata for March 2011.

January 2011 New Years' Eve at Casa de Fruita with Travao's. There is a hotel available on site for those with the GMC.

May 2011, Gilroy, the Elwoods.

## Old Business:

**New by-law Proposals** (25) returned, everyone voted yes for the new by-laws. Passed.

**Website.** Suzanne List updating website. Draft of proposal to look at to see if it is what everyone wants. Her organization is (1) Social organization, events.) (2) Technical in and outside our group. (3) encouraging other to purchase GMCs and consider joining the 49ers. Take a look and reply.

John Shutzbaugh. Email from John to buy Viagra, his address got hijacked, so he didn't send it and he apologizes. Received GMAC insurance package, if your coach is a total loss they pay you what you paid for it.??

## New Business:

Thank Dee Jordan (and Spencers) for this fantastic rally. Applause!

Harry Friedman, spoke of what the Jordans have done for Fresno State and how wonderful that is for education. Grapes and Grass.

Adjourn, Fay first, Doug Second. All agree.

(Thanks to Donna Prishmont for writing the minutes! And the rally report)!

**Please Note:** Your officers felt it was necessary to not publish a membership roster this year, due to the unhealthy state of our finances. We also decided to email out news letters we have e-mail addresses for; unless members make a specific request. Thank you for your understanding!

*Next Rally*  
**“Summer Camp”, Kneeland, Ca  
hosted by Fay & Bert Curtis, assisted  
by Irene & Doug Norton  
July 5 - 11**



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**Officers 2010**

President – George Banovich  
VP Membership – Bill Bolton  
Secretary/newsletter – Sharyn Kastner  
FMCA Rep – Fay Curtis  
Past President – Dave Case

## *Celebrations*

### **June Birthdays July**

1 Bev Correa	3 John Shutzbaugh
7 Elen Castleberry	6 Barbara Jordan
8 Bob Good	14 Vickie Case
10 Glen Parker	14 Alyce Shutzbaugh
11 Carol Paden	18 Bert Curtis
11 Marylyn Parker	26 Lyle Srsen
15 Grace Kanomata	28 Sharon Work
18 Ann Dunning	

### **June Anniversaries July**

19 Al Kirtlink	
22 John Sue	
25 Beth Srsen	
26 Fran Burgess	
28 Ginger Good	
29 Dominick Silva	
30 Kirk Yeager	
13 Geo & Jodell Banovich	19 Dave & Gerri Elwood
26 Dave & Vickie Case	23 Gene & Marie Rizzolo
29 Martin & Pat West	
21 Len & Betty Simmons	

### **Future Rally Dates**

**July - Curtis & Norton**  
**September 17-19 Shady Cove, Ore Reitz & Mackintosh**  
**November 12-14 Kincaid**  
**January 2011 – Casa diFruta New Years Eve, Trovaos**  
**March – Morro Bay, Kanomatas**  
**September – Washington State, Berrys**  
**November – Shutzbaughs**

**October 17-22 Western States, Las Vegas, NV**

**March 19-24 GMC Int'l Montgomery, Tx**