

A hhhh !! The Smell of Summer is in the air. We have already had a couple of wonderful events in April and I would like to thank Ken & Carol Hankermeyer for the great dinner at The Copenhagen. Also thanks goes out to Jerry & Inga Nuijen for the outstanding West Marin Drive and the Barbecued Oyster Hunt. Following those I was looking ahead to the additional trips we have this year. They seem to fit right in with the reasons we all own Jaguars ... The Pleasure of Driving Them !!!! The two upcoming trips that excite me are:



Yosemite June 26th and 27th. This will be an overnight trip staying at the Yosemite View Lodge looking out over the Merced River. (It should be roaring with the rain we have received this year) We will be driving up on Saturday 26th. We plan on taking a Scenic Route for the Drive up to the park, upon arrival you can take a brief tour through the park or just sit by the pool and relax. Around dusk, about 6:30 p.m., we will be having a Wine and Cheese snack in my room followed by a sit down Country Style Dinner at 8 pm in the Restaurant for a cost of \$37.00 per person.

Fill out the reservation form on page 6 and send the package to: Howard Smith 2357 Richland Ave. San Jose Ca. 95125.

Membership Report as of 3/31/10

246 members including 18 new members
19 members for various reasons did not renew
33 members did not respond at all
In 2009 we had 33 non renewals
We had 284 members at the end of 2009

Dave Klabunde, Membership Chairman

If you want to drive back with the group we will be touring the park and driving back via another scenic route.

You need to call the lodge at 209-379-2681 or 1-800-321-5261 to make your Reservations at the Special Rate of \$154.00

The other Over Night Trip that is exciting (every year) is the Tahoe trip and Dinner at the Klabunde's. They are always such gracious Host and Dave is Chef for the day. Good Food and Fellowship for all. The Cost for that is probably going to be \$25.00, to cover the cost of the food.

Since I am pumped about Driving. I will tell you the President's Rally is going to be a do over from last year, since some people did not get to drive, but were designated Riders and want to drive the road up the back side of Lick Observatory again. (aka Kathleen Martin). We will, of course end up for a cook out at my place in San Jose. The Cost of that will be \$25.00 per person. We will do that trip October 16th.

Jaguar is Full of Petro.

Looking forward to seeing you on the road !!!

*Howard Smith
President*

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