

SIDE LIGHTS

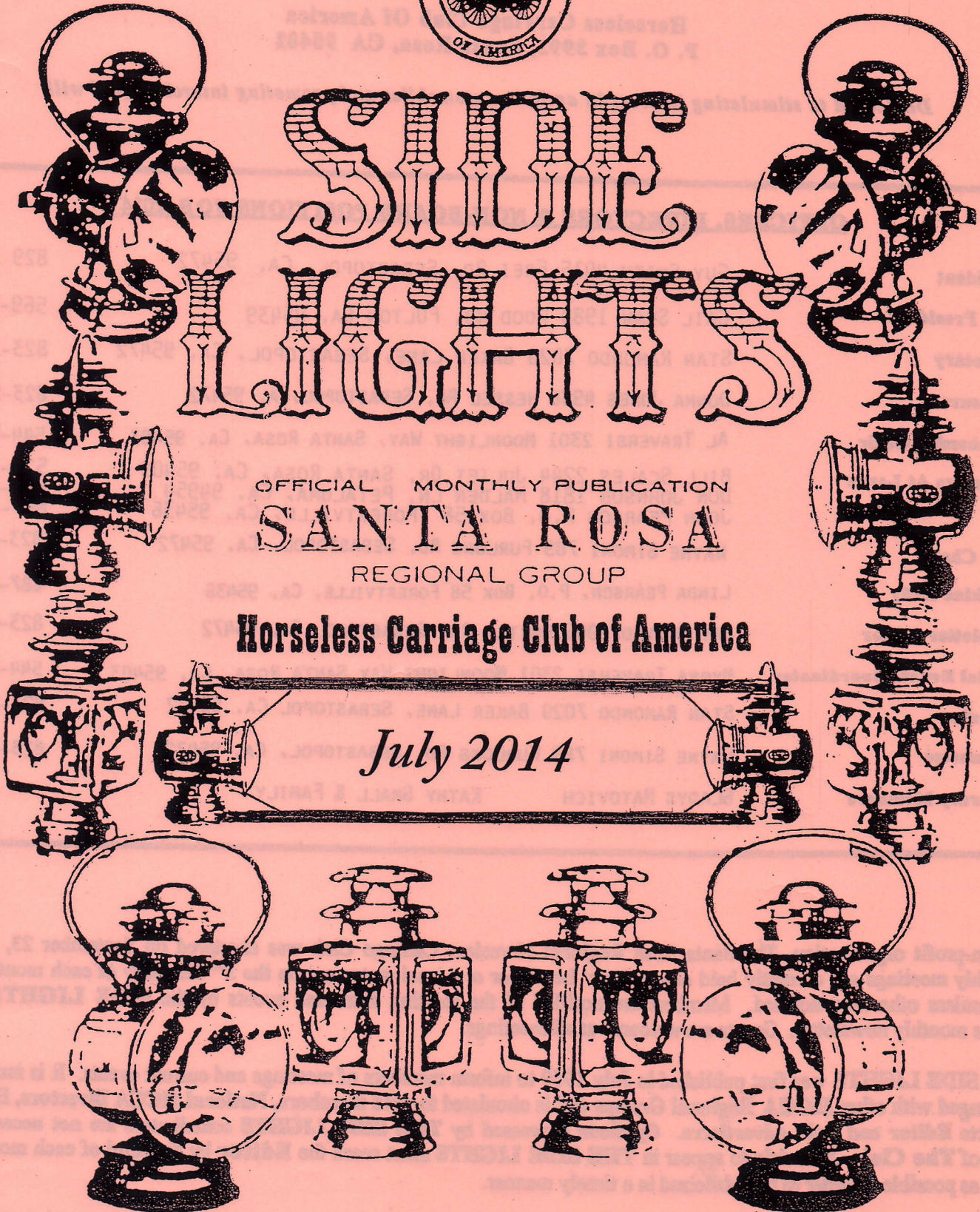
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SANTA ROSA

REGIONAL GROUP

Horseless Carriage Club of America

July 2014



**The Santa Rosa Regional Group
Of the
Horseless Carriage Club Of America
P. O. Box 3993, Santa Rosa, CA 95402**

Dedicated to stimulating interest in antique automobiles and promoting interclub good will

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A non-profit organization, The Santa Rosa Regional Horseless Carriage Club was chartered on September 23, 1955. Monthly meetings are currently held at members' homes or at a local restaurant on the 3rd Thursday of each month at 7 p.m. unless otherwise notified. Members are notified of the meeting dates and events by the **SIDE LIGHTS**, the Club's monthly newsletter. Guests are welcome at all meetings.

THE SIDE LIGHTS was first published in July 1959 to inform members of meetings and current events. It is mutually exchanged with other HCCA Regional Groups and is circulated to paid members, National HCCA Directors, HCCA Gazette Editor and paid advertisers. Opinions expressed by **THE SIDE LIGHTS** contributors are not necessarily those of The Club. Materials to appear in **THE SIDE LIGHTS** must reach the Editor by the third of each month as much as possible in order to be publicized in a timely manner.

- NOTES:** (1) National HCCA membership is a mandatory pre-requisite to any Regional HCCA Group membership. However it is not necessary to own a pre-16 vehicle.
(2) Other HCCA clubs may reprint any material contained herein for their use.

2014 SANTA ROSA H.C.C.A. ACTIVITY CALENDAR:

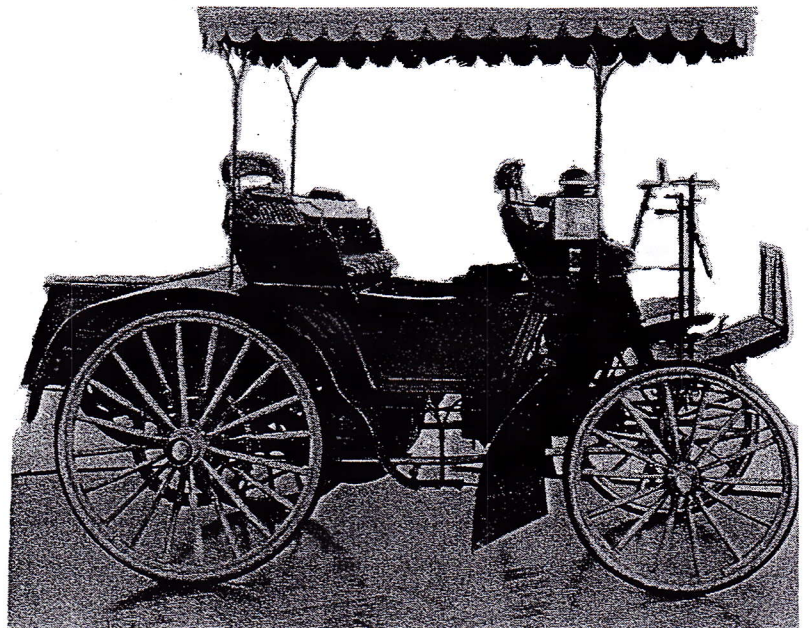
DATE:	EVENT:	COMMENTS:
JULY 17	MEETING AT SMITH'S GEORGE RANCH @ 7 PM.	4015 FREI RD., SEBASTOPOL PH: 494-0505
JULY 27	ANNUAL WELSH TOUR/BBQ /POT LUCK	5050 HALL RD., SANTA ROSA
AUG. 21	MEETING AT RAMONDO'S 7 PM	7020 BAKER LANE, SEBASTOPOL PH: 823-3594
AUG. 24	TOUR - LOCATION TO BE DETERMINED	LEADER - SIMONIS
SEPT. 17-20	OLD CALIFORNIA TOUR PUT ON BY THE MODESTO GROUP	BASED IN STOCTON HILTON. PLANNED BOAT TRIP, PIERCE ARROW MUSEUM, & OTHERS
SEPT. 18	MEETING AT TRAVERSIS'S	2301 MOONLIGHT WAY, SANTA ROSA PH: 544-5711
SEPT. 21	TOUR - LOCATION TO BE DETERMINED	LEADER: GUY & MACHELE SMITH
SEPT 28-OCT.2	REDDNET NICKEL ERA TOUR BASED IN REDDING, CA. PRE-1932 VEHICLES	CONTACT: LES @ 626-961-8209
OCT. 3-5	POTENTIAL OVER NIGHT TOUR DATE -----	
OCT 7-11	HERSEY SWAP MEET AND SHOW	
OCT. 16	MEETING AT SCALES & CRAVEN'S 7 PM	2244 JULIET DR., SANTA ROSA PH: 526-4943
OCT. 19	TOUR - LOCATION TO BE DETERMINED	LEADER: SCALES & CRAVEN
NOTES:	LET JOHN PEARSON @ 887-1000 KNOW OF ANY CHANGE, CORRECTIONS OR ADDITIONS TO THIS EVENT CALENDAR	CALENDAR IS SUBJECT TO CHANGES - SEE CURRENT MONTH OF SIDE LIGHTS FOR ANY CHANGES..
NOTE:	PLEASE ADD OTHER CAR ACTIVITIES/DATES	

DATE: 7/5/2014

GERMAN BENZ 1892

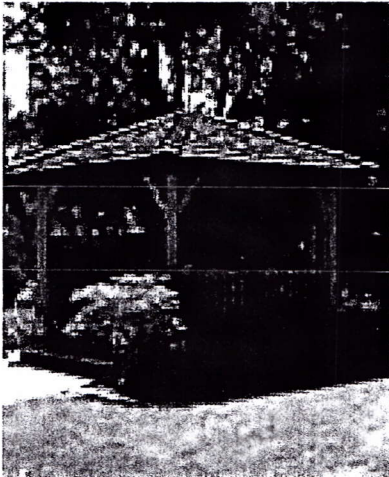
The fringe-top surrey goes mechanical. This 1892 German Benz phaeton had practically the same power plant and chassis as the "Velocipede"

A belt-speed-change car was featured in "The Lightning Conductor" by C. N. and A. N. Williamson, a novel about motoring abroad in 1902.



(Edison Institute Photo)

The Welsh Combo Car Club Tour & BBQ



**Warren & Phyllis Welsh
Ron L. & Irene Welsh**

Invite you to their annual
**HCCA & REMTC
Barbeque, Picnic & Tour
Sunday, July 27th**

9:30 AM

at 5050 Hall Rd. Santa Rosa

For Coffee, Pastries &

Ramondo's Famous Gin Fizzes.

Tour at 10:00 / Back home by 1:00PM

The Welshes will provide the BBQ main dish,
soft drinks and utensils.

Please bring a POT LUCK dish to serve 12.

- A-DSalads
- E-JSide Dishes
- K-NAppetizers
- O-TDesserts
- U-ZDonuts, Muffins or Coffee Cake

Those not touring; please meet us at 1:00PM

Please RSVP to Ron at 823-2533.

This is a big tour and it really helps to know how many will attend.

Hope to see you all on Sunday, July 27th.

AB132 (Skinner D) Vehicles: additional registration fees: vehicle theft crimes. (Amended: 5/2/2013 [pdf](#) [html](#))
Status: 7/12/2013-Failed Deadline pursuant to Rule 61(a)(10)(SEN). (Last location was T. & H. on 5/29/2013)
Current Location: 7/12/2013-S. 2 YEAR

Summary: Would, until January 1, 2018, authorize the County of Alameda to increase the motor vehicle fee from \$1 to \$2, would provide that the service fee on commercial motor vehicles would increase from \$2 to \$4, upon adoption of a resolution of its board of supervisors, and would require the resolution to be submitted to the Department of Motor Vehicles at least 6 months prior to the operative date of the fee increase. The bill would make an appropriation by depositing the increased fees in a continuously appropriated fund.

AB 1998 (Grove R) Vehicles: registration fees. (Introduced: 2/20/2014 [pdf](#) [html](#))
Status: 2/21/2014-From printer. May be heard in committee March 23.
Current Location: 2/20/2014-A. PRINT

Summary: Would require the DMV to clearly identify the \$43 registration fee as the base registration fee on any application for initial registration or renewal of registration, and to clearly identify each additional fee or surcharge added to the base registration fee as a separate and distinct line item on those applications. The bill would also require the DMV to provide with each application a brief description of purpose for each fee or surcharge, and the statutory authority for that fee or surcharge.

AB 2204 (Achadjian R) Vehicle registration fees. (Introduced: 2/20/2014 [pdf](#) [html](#))
Status: 2/21/2014-From printer. May be heard in committee March 23.
Current Location: 2/20/2014-A. PRINT

Summary: Current law authorizes a county, upon the adoption of a resolution by its board of supervisors, to impose a fee of \$1 on all motor vehicles, except as provided, in addition to other fees imposed for the registration of a vehicle, and an additional service fee of \$2 on specified commercial motor vehicles. This bill would make a nonsubstantive, technical change to those provisions.

AB 2393 (Levine D) Vehicle registration fees. (Introduced: 2/21/2014 [pdf](#) [html](#))
Status: 2/24/2014-Read first time.
Current Location: 2/21/2014-A. PRINT

Summary: Current law authorizes a county, upon the adoption of a resolution by its board of supervisors, to impose a fee of \$1 on all motor vehicles, except as provided, in addition to other fees imposed for the registration of a vehicle. This bill would authorize a

county, that has adopted the resolution to impose the \$1 fee, to increase that fee to \$2 in the same manner that it imposed the initial \$1 fee. The bill would alternatively authorize a county that has not adopted a \$1 fee to impose an initial \$2 fee in the same manner that it is authorized to impose a \$1 fee.

SB 151 (DeSaulnier D) Vehicles: license plates. (Introduced: 1/31/2013 [pdf](#) [html](#))
Status: 8/16/2013-Failed Deadline pursuant to Rule 61(a)(10)(ASM). (Last location was TRANS. on 5/24/2013)
Current Location: 8/16/2013-A. 2 YEAR

Summary: Existing law authorizes the Department of Motor Vehicles to make appropriate rules and regulations for the use and display of stickers or devices issued in lieu of license plates, and to publish a summary thereof. This bill would repeal that latter provision.

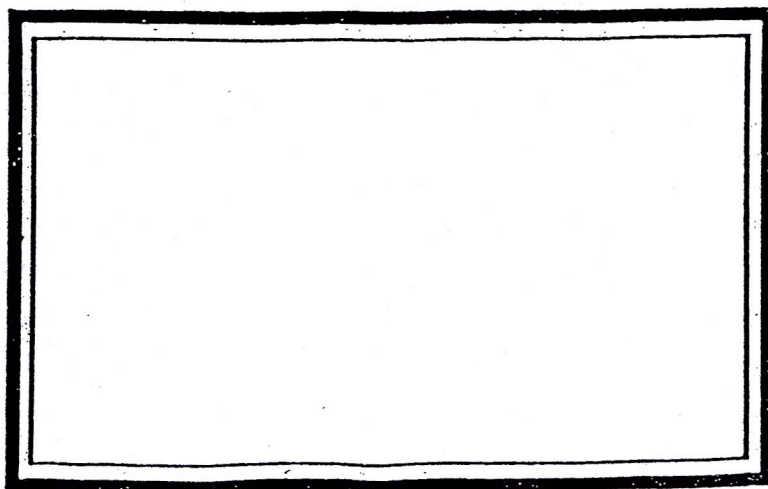
SB 913 (DeSaulnier D) Vehicular air pollution: vehicle retirement. (Introduced: 1/23/2014 [pdf](#) [html](#))
Status: 2/6/2014-Referred to Com. on T. & H.
Current Location: 2/6/2014-S. T. & H.

Summary: Would require the guidelines adopted by the State Air Resources Board to additionally include specific goals for retirement and replacement of passenger vehicles and light- and medium-duty trucks that are high polluters. The bill would require the state board and the bureau to cooperate in the issuance of a specified number of replacement vouchers through the Enhanced Fleet Modernization Program for specified fiscal years and a specified number of retirement vouchers through the Consumer Assistance Program and the Enhanced Fleet Modernization Program for specified fiscal years. The bill would state the intent of the Legislature regarding the funding of these activities.

SB 1077 (DeSaulnier D) Vehicles: vehicle-miles-traveled charges. (Introduced: 2/19/2014 [pdf](#) [html](#))
Status: 2/27/2014-Referred to Com. on T. & H.
Current Location: 2/27/2014-S. T. & H.

Summary: Would require the Department of Motor Vehicles to develop and implement, by July 1, 2015, a pilot program designed to assess specified issues related to implementing a vehicle-miles-traveled fee in California. The bill would also require the department to prepare and submit a specified report of its findings to the policy and fiscal committees of the Legislature no later than June 30, 2016. The bill would provide that these provisions would be repealed on January 1, 2018.

FROM THE - DEFENDER



Happy Birthday



JULY

28 ANNE-MARIE WINTERHALDER



Happy Anniversary



JULY 21 AL & MYRNA TRAVERSI
JULY 26 MARK & JANE CHILDERS
JULY 31 JOHN & LINDA PEARSON

The Ladies' Home Journal for June 1903
Girls' Summer Hat
Designed by Katherine Gandy



THIS DAINTY HAT IS MADE OF WHITE TULLE, THE EDGE OF THE BRIM IS FINISHED WITH MARABOUT FEATHERS. ONE LARGE OSTRICH FEATHER IS ARRANGED ALONG THE BRIM, FALLING OVER THE HAIR.