



**Acorn A's – Our 51st Year**

# *The NutShell*

**January 2022**

## **President's Message**

It's official, all the votes are in ...it was close, but I made it (whew!)....I'm your new president! I even have my own personalized gavel (courtesy of master craftsman, Bill Biddell)! I'm looking forward to 2022 – a new year for more fun driving our cars! Let's have a tour every month. Please contact Mona and set up a tour. Bill and I will lead the first tour "**What's New in '22'!**, leaving Creekside at **11:00 on Monday, January 24 for a tour to Niles for lunch at Skilletz restaurant.** We hope that Marge Garcia will be able to join us. You can sign up at the meeting.



We will be having our **monthly meetings at 11:00** at different restaurants on our regular meeting day, **the second Tuesday.** The first meeting of the year will be at **Mountain Mike's, 20261 Patio Drive, Castro Valley on January 11.** I hope to see you there!

*Kathy*

## 50<sup>th</sup> Annual Installations of Officers Meeting

December 11 2021

President Tony Shull opened the meeting at 1:10 pm, with a welcome to all members attending the Annual Installations of Officers and announced the waitress was taking meal orders.

At 1:35 President Tony Shull asked for a toast to remember the members who aren't with us anymore.

Mona Diamantine, Tour Master passed out gifts to the Tour Leaders of 2021: Judy and Carl Satariano for the Annual Picnic Tour; Kathy, Bill Morte and Jim, Linda Rodriguez for the St Patrick's Day Parade; Glenn and Cathy Martin for the Pee Wee Golf Tour.

At 1:40 pm Past President George Diamantine presented President Tony Shull with the outgoing president's gift, Bottle of wine from his family's winery.

At 1:50 pm President Tony Shull presented various Club Board Members gifts baskets. Brian McGarry and David Samson for being Editors, Linda Rodrigues for being Sunshine, Jackie Brooks for being Fashion and Vern Brooks for being NCRG rep. , Mona Diamantine for being Tour Master, Bill Biddell for Membership, Max Romero for St. of Arms, Sue McGarry for Secretary, Glenn Martin for Treasurer.

2:30 pm President Tony Shull swore in the new slate of Officers

Kathy Morte President

Judy Satariano Vice President

Linda Rodrigues Secretary

Glenn Martin Treasurer

Tony Shull presented Kathy Morte with the newly found Club Charter.

Bill Biddell presented Kathy Morte with a New Gavel with her name engraved on it.

Glenn Martin presented Tony Shull a pair of Flamingos.

Kathy Morte announced the January Tour on the 24th going to Niles visiting a Club member Marge Garcia with lunch at Mountain Mike's and shopping after.

We ended the Meeting with a group photo.

Submitted by Sue McGarry Secretary

# Tours



January 24	Niles Tour	Morte
	<b>What's New in '22"</b>	
February ??	Valentine Tour	Rodrigues
March 12	St. Patrick's Day Parade- Lunch Armadillo Willys	Morte
April		
May		
June		
July		
August	Anniversary Tour	
September	Twinkle Annual Pee Wee Golf Tour	
October		
November		
December 10	Annual Luncheon	

**Please fill in the blanks with your tour. Contact Mona Diamantine with the details!**

# Annual Lunch



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|----|-------------------|----|-----------------|
| 1  | Catherine Martin  | 17 | Jim Rodrigues   |
| 2  | Kathy Morte       | 18 | Denise Peters   |
| 3  | Jackie Brooks     | 19 | Anne Biddell    |
| 4  | Doris LaGrange    | 20 | Max Romero      |
| 5  | Wanda Romero      | 21 | Carl Santariano |
| 6  | Al Low            | 22 | Gene Peters     |
| 7  | Vern Brooks       | 23 | Bill Baxley     |
| 8  | Linda Rodrigues   | 24 | Sue McGarry     |
| 9  | Gail Baxley       | 25 | Brian McGarry   |
| 10 | Dahlia Amaral     | 26 | Tony Shull      |
| 11 | Carol Low         | 27 | Bill Biddell    |
| 12 | Glenn Martin      | 28 | Judy Satariano  |
| 13 | David Samson      | 29 | Duane Isaak     |
| 14 | Bill Morte        | 30 | Rich Johnson    |
| 15 | George Diamantine | 31 | Roger Keppner   |
| 16 | Mona Diamantine   |    |                 |

# News

## Sunshine

If you know of a member who is under the weather call Wanda Romero

## Monday Morning Coffee

Every Monday, 9 AM at Rudy's Donuts in Castro Valley

## January Tour

"What's New in '22"  
Leaves Creekside at 11 AM  
Monday, January 24, 2022  
Tour to Niles and Lunch at Skilletz

## January Meeting

2nd Tuesday, January 11  
11:00 AM  
Mountain Mike's, 20261 Patio Drive,  
Castro Valley

## January Birthdays

01/01 Jennifer Seibold  
01/02 Tony Shull  
01/12 Kathy Morte

## Dues

2022 dues of \$30 are due  
Please send/give them to Glenn Martin

## New Member

Roger Keppner  
San Leandro  
Please say hello at the meeting  
or coffee

## Acorn A's Officers and Committee Chairs

**President**  
Kathy Morte  
**Vice President**  
Judy Satariano  
**Secretary**  
Linda Rodrigues  
**Treasurer**  
Glenn Martin

**Tour Master**  
Mona Diamantine  
**Nutshell Editor**  
**Past President**  
Tony Shull  
**Sunshine**  
Wanda Romero  
**Membership Attendance**

**Fashions**  
Jackie Brooks  
**Shake Committee**  
**NCRG/ACCC Rep**  
Vern Brooks

**Sgt @ Arms**  
Max Romero

**Web Master**  
Robert Woodford

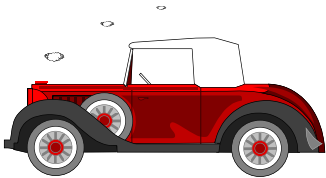


# The NutShell

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**It's the journey, not the destination!**



## Meetings

The Acorn A's meetings are held the 2nd Tuesday of the month at 11AM at a local restaurant listed in the NutShell. Club members meet every Monday at 9 AM at Rudy's Donuts in Castro Valley

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