



MINUTES OF MAY 1, 1970 OF THE ROUGHWHEELERS

The meeting was called to order at 8:00 P.M. The guests were introduced as follows:

Warren Fine and Debbie Singer-	- - - - -	-No Vehicle
Bob and Mary Angerer -	- - - - -	-Toyota
Hans Petersen-	- - - - -	-Bronco
Randy and Phyllis Burnett-	- - - - -	-Scout
Ron Koerner-	- - - - -	-Willy
Leal and Cindy Bonito-	- - - - -	-Toyota
Connie Wood-	- - - - -	-None
Dave and Luana Sherbrook -	- - - - -	-Chev. Carryall
Bill and Lois Jameson-	- - - - -	-None

FIRST ORDER OF BUSINESS was voting in the new members.

Leal Bonito  
John Borders  
Randy Burnett

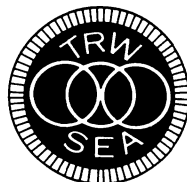
Rich announced that the results of the balloting would not be made known until the next meeting.

The entertainment for tonight was a film, "Sierra Jamboree."

THE SECOND ORDER OF BUSINESS was presenting the awards for the Anza Borrego trip.

Dave Hiebert - 1st place - pocket knife  
Dave McClure - 2nd place - can opener

At this time we usually present the Good House-Keeping Award, but we do not have a recipient for the award on the Anza-Borrego trip.



A motion was made and seconded to adjourn the meeting.

JOANN SANDS



THE THIRD ORDER OF BUSINESS was collecting completed lists from;

Dave Telenko- - -First Aid list  
Dave McClure- - -Camping check list  
Don Sharp - - - -Vehicle Safety check list  
Bob Hughes- - - -Trail Rules

These lists will be compiled into a packet and issued to each member.

Roger Leach reported that the flag proposals will be presented at the next committee meeting.

THE FOURTH ORDER OF BUSINESS. Rich reported that there was an article in TRW Readout news about our picnic for the boys from the California School for Boys.

THE FIFTH ORDER OF BUSINESS. Jack Johnston gave us a conservation comment. He showed us some brochures from the BLM and told us about Operation ORVAC. Jack also said that Tom Lucas would not be ready until 2 weeks after May 5th.

THE SIXTH ORDER OF BUSINESS. Dave Hiebert showed us some new articles on the market now. Portable air pump, space blanket and a collapsible fishing pole.

Al Bowers said that anyone not going on the club run was welcome to join him in Anza-Borrego on May 2.

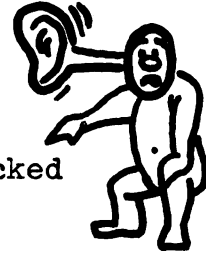
The drawing of \$3.00 was won by Don Sharp.

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JOANN SANDS



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After the May meeting a few weak minded, strong backed members helped the Hughes' do a little furniture moving in the living room. There's not many kitchens that sport a grand piano right in the middle of the floor.

Then came the fun - we didn't get plastered but got papered (and taped.) Probably only those that partook could appreciate it. Especially all those people in the hall way at one time. Nell got all wrapped up in her work, and Bob was speechless.



Shall we place bets on Rich's Jeep being all put back together for the Pismo run? He'll make the run even if he has to walk.

You know - the Mafia has never been an equal opportunity employer. Pass it on.

Lynn



## ROUGHWHEELERS TRIP REPORT

### FAST CAMEL CRUISE

MAY 2-3, 1970

#### Members;

Roger Leach - - - - -Bronco  
Chuck and JoAnn Sands - - - -Bronco  
Don Sharp - - - - -Bronco  
Leal and Cindy Bonito - - - -Toyota  
George and Jan Panek- - - - -Jeep  
Dave Telenko- - - - -Jeep

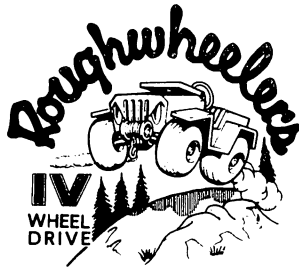
#### Guests;

Bob and Mary Angerer- - - - -Toyota  
Jim and Gale Booth- - - - -Toyota

Jim and Gale are from Santa Ana. (Do we have mail order members?)

This months trip departed TRW at 8:45 P.M. following the monthly meeting. Chuck and JoAnn, George and Jan, Bob and Mary A., Don and Dave, Roger all left in loose formation for Indio. Leo and Cindy joined us just north of Indio. First stop was Denny's, Indio, where Jim and Gale joined up.

At 12:30 A.M. we left Denny's for Thermal Canyon where everyone checked in for the cruise. Dave and George selected a campsite. Soon the air was filled with the normal sounds of setting up camp in the dead of night, "Where's the other #%\*@ tent pole? Forget it! Have another beer Dave!" All was quiet by 2:30 A.M.



Next morning at 8:00 sharp all hands departed on the "hard" trip, within 5 miles of camp our guide managed to get the entire group lost. We wandered in the desert until 10:00 A.M. when the trail was finally found and shortly the first hill was encountered. Just over the second hill was a near vertical wall to be climbed that had one to three foot boulders to scramble over to the top. Luckily there was a easy way around as only super strong Jeeps could manage the hill. My Bronco made it about half-way up and then gave a fine display of throwing more dirt in the air than most Broncos are capable of. Running short of beer, er courage I backed down and went up the easy way like everyone else. Roughwheeler honor was later saved when Dave T. charged over the top to join the select group of five who made the climb.

Everyone got along fine until about hill #6 where Chuck spoiled a fine climb by falling off a huge boulder and gave his, until then, virgin Bronco its first off road ding, scratch one front fender! The thing looks kind of salty now.

At the end of the trip driving back to camp, Roger cracked his finger on his steering wheel again, and then had a flat in camp. George then discovered his "Baja-proven" can carrier wasn't up to a Fast Camel cruise.



Saturday night after the B.B.Q., tickets were drawn for the door prizes. Roger forgot the pain in his little finger when he won a towbar. Who ever looks over Bronco owners took pity on me because I won the last prize, a combination hoist-winch-puller called a Pow'r Pull. Bet I get over the next hill!

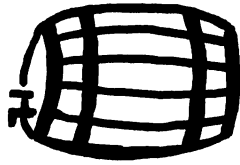
Around the camp fire later it was decided to forgo the Sunday events and drive up Coyote Canyon and see that waterfall we missed the last time. On the way over Roger's wheel bearing finally gave its death rattle and broke up. George , Dave and I escorted the now front wheel drive Bronco on its painful trip home. Did you know that half a Ford bearing is as strong as most whole bearings? Roger got all the way home on that half.

Leal, Bob A. and Jim went on through Coyote Canyon. Having found the waterfall, Leal couldn't resist the temptation and jumped in, clothes and all!

Too bad more members did not make the run. We met many friends from past Camel cruise's and established new friend's we hope to meet at other events during the year.

See ya all next run

DON SHARP



# ON TAP

## COMING EVENTS

June 13-14 - - - - - Big Bear  
July 25-26 - - - - - Pismo  
Aug.? - - - - - -Pismo

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## MEETING NOTICES

Roughwheelers - - - - - -Fri., June 5 - 7:30  
Committee Meeting - - - - - -Wed., June 24- 7:30 - The Hollands  
Roughwheelers - - - - - -Fri., July 10- 7:30

PLEASE NOTE CHANGE IN DATE OF THE JULY MEETING. IT WILL BE  
HELD THE SECOND FRIDAY OF THE MONTH, NOT THE FIRST FRI. DUE  
TO THE HOLIDAY WEEKEND.