



# Monaco Romers E - Newsletter

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## Welcome to Sonora!

On our first rally day we were off to Jamestown Railway. We all enjoyed a tour of the round house and a 45 minute train ride into the beautiful fields behind Jamestown where we passed the water tank used in the TV series Petticoat Junction.

Our day didn't end there, at 2 PM most of us attended a matinee performance of *The Million Dollar Quartet* at the historic Fallon House Theater in Columbia. The show re-enacted the true story of the day when four powerhouse musicians—Elvis Presley, Jerry Lee Lewis, Johnny Cash and Carl Perkins—performed together at Sun Records. What a show!

Monday was golf day for a few of our members at the Phoenix Lake Golf Course, while the rest of us enjoyed a quiet day at the Fairgrounds and shopping in the nearby towns. Later we enjoyed the Black Irish Band.

Tuesday morning we held our General Meeting and Tech Talk which was attended by most of our members. In the early afternoon we drove to the town of Murphy and visited Ironstone Winery for a private tour and wine tasting. The highlight of the event was hearing a very large



We enjoyed the Black Irish Band, a local group from Sonora that performs around the country. The band's musical style captures the spirit of the immigrants of this land in folk and Celtic music. We were very fortunate to have them entertain us at our rally.



*Rally Masters:  
John & Dottie Van Doren  
Gary & Phyllis Wimberly  
Dennis & Geri Dee,*

pipe organ play songs from Phantom of the Opera. Tuesday evening we gave out the golf awards and had our fun auction.

Wednesday morning we enjoyed a very delicious continental breakfast and said goodbye and safe travels to everyone.

Gary and Phyllis Wimberly and the Wagon Master Team



The Historic Fallon House Theater.

## Fall Rally Preview Pinot, Port, Plymouth, Placerville & Pie

**Join us September 23-27, 2018 for our fall rally extravaganza! Rally and excursion forms are on page 10-12. Sign up early!**



## President's Report

First of all I would like to thank our rally masters, Gary & Phyllis Wimberly, John & Dottie Van Doren and Geri & Dennis Dee for a Rally well done. What a great time we all had. It will be a rally we will always remember. I would also like to thank Patrick Coleman for stepping up to the plate and providing us with the expertise to help us maintain our Romer web site.

Thanks also to our new officers: Secretary Maureen Bouma, Treasurer G'Nell De Lack and Activity Managers: Newsletter Editor Nancy Holt, Sunshine Lady JoAnn Curtis and Web Master Pat Coleman.

I know we have several rallies planned with the next one being September 23 thru September 27, 2018 in Plymouth CA. Paul Klempner (rally master) said 30 is the maximum number of coaches they can handle, so get your Registration forms in. Looking forward to seeing everyone at our next rally.

Stephen Hobbs, President

### MARK YOUR CALENDAR

#### Monaco Romer 2018-19 Rallies

Plymouth, CA  
September 23-27, 2018

Indio, CA  
January 6-13, 2019

Temecula, CA  
May 6-9, 2019

Pendleton, OR  
Fall, 2019



## Vice Presidents Report

WOW! What a good time we had during our "Spring Into The Gold Country" rally. It was a **huge** success! Thanks to the hard work of the Wimberly's, Van Doren's and Dee's. Everyone really enjoyed the train ride, "The Million Dollar Quartet" show in Columbia and the Black Irish Band. The caterers did a good job with the food and golf was a challenge for the golfers. Thanks again, you have really raised the bar.

We have a good lineup of rallies for this year and next: Paul and Pat Klempner along with Dale and Judy Edwards and Jim and Joanne McPheters are hosting "**Pinot, Port, Plymouth, Placerville and Pie**" in Plymouth CA September 23rd thru 27th. January not only brings in the New Year but also our 4th **Indio Rally** and driving the Courtesy Carts from January 6th to the 13th. The theme this year is "Once Upon a Time." Jim and Susan Lewis are hosting again this year and have a couple of volunteers helping them. They are looking for ideas for a Float for the parade that will relate to the rally theme so if you have any ideas let Susan know. Joann Bush and Bill Beckley and crew will host our Spring Rally to be held at the **Pala Rv Resort** near Temecula CA May 6 thru 9. Look for more information soon. And to finish off the decade, George and Linda McKiernan are looking into a rally in Pendleton, OR during the **Pendleton Round Up** which should be fun as well.

It's not too early to think about **2020!** I'm always looking for volunteers to host a rally. So put on your thinking caps, pick a place and give me a call so we can set it up. Until next time, happy travels and see you at the next rally.

Duncan Holt,  
Vice President



**Sign up soon for the Plymouth Rally in September!  
We have space for only 30 coaches.  
Don't miss out.**

## Treasurer's Report

In the absence of the Romer Treasurer G'Nell DeLack, Stephen Hobbs gave the treasurer's report. Savings Account balance is \$5,052.30, checking balance is \$5,355.30 for a total of \$10,407.60.

During the membership meeting those present voted to increase the chapter dues from \$10/year to \$25/year for renewing members and from \$25 to \$40 beginning June 1, 2018 for new members initial fees beginning on June 1, 2018. Renewing members will pay the increase the next time they renew. See minutes on page 8.

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## National Director's Report



Larry & Ellen Johnson will attend the FMCA National Convention in Gillette, WY.

The 97<sup>th</sup> FMCA National Convention was recently held in Perry, Georgia. Attendance was 2,904, with 989 first timers, the highest attendance since 2006.

FMCA negotiated a roadside assistance benefit called Roadside Rescue. The cost is \$69/year and can be locked in for 3 years. Call 877 581-8581 for details.

A redesign of the FMCA monthly magazine will be unveiled with the May 2018 issue. The name of the magazine will change to **Family RV'ing** to reflect the expanded membership.

Upcoming rallies are listed below.  
Larry Johnson, National Director

### FMCA Rallies

98th National FMCA Convention, Gillette, WY  
July 18-21, 2018

Monaco International, Gillette, WY  
July 11-14, 2018

(If you attend MI you can stay in the same parking spot for the FMCA Convention)

Western Area Rally, Indio, CA  
Jan 9-13, 2019  
(Romer rally is Jan 6-13)

March 13-16, 2019 Perry, GA

August 14-17, 2019 Minot, ND

# Rally Memories



Rally Attendees (in alphabetical order): Don & Nancy Baumgart, Bill & JoAnn Bawks, Knud & Darline Bjornestad, Richard & Maureen Bouma, Bob & Carolyn Bulot, Pat & Kathy Coleman, Curt & JoAnn Curtis, Dennis & Geri Dee, Joe & Leah Dingman, David & Karen Dixon, Dale & Judy Edwards, Michael & LaVerne Gates, Steve & Donnis Hobbs, Duncan & Nancy Holt, Larry & Ellen Johnson, Butch & Henny Kersey, Paul & Pat Klempner, Jim & Susan Lewis, Robert & Susan Martin, George & Linda McKiernan, Jim & Joanne McPheters, Dave & Bev Miller, Dominic & Jessie Oliveira, Garold Partin & Leah Reynolds, David & Bobbi Peterson, Don & Norma Preston, Janet Smith & Debbie Ream, David & Joan Richardson, Dave & Marsha Taylor, John & Dottie Van Doren, Rob & Dianne Wilson, and Gary & Phyllis Wimberly.



*Thanks to Rob & Larry's  
Merry Band of Bartenders*



*Food, Drink & Fun*



# Sonora Rally Golf



The golf tournament took place at the Phoenix Lake Golf Course. The course was a 9-hole course with different tee locations for each nine. We followed the Pro's recommendation and played from the forward tees. It was a very enjoyable day of golf winding throughout the Gold Country hills. Even though the course was challenging, everyone had a fun day.

The two teams played a scramble format, with each golfer needing at least two drives. The competition could have gone either way since the teams were very closely matched with only one stroke difference at the end. The winning Team 1, consisting of Garold Partin, Curt Curtis, Bob Martin and Karen Dixon, squeaked by with one under par. Team 2, consisting of Joe Dingman, David Dixon and Butch and Henny Kersey, scored even par for second place.

We had two individual competitions. Closest-to-the-Pin at hole #8/17 was taken by Curt Curtis at about twelve feet from the hole. No one else even got on the green. Even though only 100 yards long, there was a deep canyon between the tee and the front of the green. Curt thought he also had Longest Drive on hole #4/13, but Joe Dingman beat him by a few yards.

A great time was had by all. Everyone is looking forward to the next competition back in Gold Country at Plymouth, CA. We hope more of you can join us. The primary objective is always to have fun, regardless of skill level.



## Tech Talk with Jim McPheters



Numerous issues were raised including a couple of engine and/or **transmission overheating** issues, and a **fan that would not shut off**. Dave Dixon and Jim Lewis raised these issues.

John Van Doren was seeking a more permanent fix to his **entry door scissor arm**. Possible solutions included using a stainless steel rivet in the arm or replacing the arm as a couple of other members have already done.

Dave Richardson had issue with his **key fob and key not working**. He ended up calling a locksmith. Also, Curt Curtis was having trouble **leveling his coach with airbags**. No definitive solution was mentioned.

Michael Gates **lost all engine power and lights while traveling** and was able to fire up the generator and restore power. He took it in for diagnosis and found the battery disconnect switch had failed. During discussion, a possible solution of bypassing the cutoff switch was mentioned along with replacing the coach battery disconnect switches. Sources for parts included West Marine or other boat supply houses.

A question on replacing the gauge on an **onboard propane tank** disclosed the gauge does not penetrate the tank and removal of 4 screws should do the trick.

Pros and cons of various **tire manufacturers** made its way to the floor. Personal preference prevailed.

An article in a recent FMCA magazine addressing **cleaning and polishing aluminum wheels** was mentioned. One member had a tire sensor leaking causing a tire to lose air.

Steve Hobbs addressed a recent visit to AAA and getting an **insurance quote for the same coverage** as he had with another company, but AAA was significantly less.

## Membership Report



**Rob Crow, Membership Chair**  
107 current members

### 7- New members since November 2017

**Bill & Joann Bawks**  
Visalia, CA

**Scott & Mariann Van Pelt**  
Nipomo, CA

**Gene & Susan Soda**  
Glendora, CA

**Juan Marquez & Debbie Holt**  
South Pasadena, CA

**Jim & Rena Smith**  
Dinuba, CA

**Doug & Linda Holmes**  
BC, Canada

**Dave & Joan  
Richardson**  
Box Elder, SD



## Welcome New Members

## Goodbye to a treasured friend



Tom Townsend....a friend and fellow Romer passed away April 27th and left behind Bill and their beloved dog Brianna. Tom and Bill spent a lot of time with her at agility meets, one of their big loves. Tom and Bill joined Romers in 2005. Tom was secretary of the club for many years and later became the club's web master. He excelled at each job and set high standards for completeness and accuracy. Tom and Bill also worked on a number of rallies, including the Jackson Rancheria Rally where we got to know them better. Tom loved golf and used to play at all the rallies as well. We'll miss his camaraderie and competitiveness. Our prayers to Bill and their family.

## Sunshine & Flowers

JoAnn Curtis and Nancy Holt shared news of Marsha & Dave Taylor's new grandchild, as well as congratulating Paul & Pat Klempner for a stunning new RV exterior paint job. They also reported on brief hospital stays in the past seven months for Tom Getzfrid, Don Baumgart, Duncan Holt and Judy Hays. All four are back on the road and feeling better.

Sad, sad news came during the rally of the death of longtime Romer member Tom Townsend. A goodbye tribute to Tom, written by JoAnn Curtis, can be found above.





**MONACO ROMERS**  
**General Business Meeting Minutes**  
*Spring Into The Mother Lode*  
*Mother Lode Fairgrounds*  
**May 1, 2018**

The meeting was called to order by President, Stephen Hobbs at 8:45 a.m.

John Van Doren gave the invocation and Curt Curtis led the members in the Pledge of Allegiance.

**Secretary's Report**

The minutes of the meeting held January 12, 2018 and September 27, 2017 were printed in the previous newsletters. Motion was made & seconded to accept the minutes as published, motion passed.

**Treasurer's Report**

In the absence of the treasurer, Stephen Hobbs, gave the treasurer's report. Savings Account balance is \$5,052.30, checking balance is \$5,355.30 for a total of \$10,407.60. Motion made and seconded to accept the report and it will be filed for audit.

**OLD BUSINESS** – Vice President, Duncan Holt reported that it is the recommendation of the Board to increase the chapter dues from \$10.00 per year to \$25.00 per year for renewing members and from \$25.00 to \$40.00 beginning June 1, 2018 for new members initial fees. Renewing members will pay the increase the next time they renew. MOTION was made by Knud Bjornestad and seconded by Jim Lewis to increase the dues as stated, Motion passed.

President Stephen discussed the increased cost of rallies and it was reaffirmed that the rally master sets a budget for the rally and the club usually advances \$1500.00 to cover the initial deposits for RV sites and caterer deposits. It was further discussed that when the budget is established for the rally, it should be self supporting and the \$1500 advance is to be returned. This is stated to confirm existing policy due to some confusion about the advance having to be repaid or not. It is to be repaid whenever possible.

**NEW BUSINESS** – Stephen confirmed for those that had not heard, that Tom Townsend, member and our web master, passed away suddenly. He will be truly missed by all.

It is noted that the club will now need a new Web Master. After much discussion of information needed, cost of domain and how to keep our web site up and running etc, Patrick Coleman, offered to do some research for the Monaco Romers. A thank you was expressed to him for tackling this job.

**Vice President's Report**

Vice President, Duncan Holt reported on up and coming rallies. First he thanked our current rally masters, Gary & Phyllis Wimberly, John & Dottie Van Doren and Geri & Dennis Dee, for a job well done. He then reported that we have several rallies on the schedule.

**Plymouth Rally.** First Paul Klempner reported on the next rally scheduled for September 23 to September 27, 2018 in Plymouth, CA. He indicated that the maximum number of coaches is 30 so please sign up early. Registration forms were handed out.

**Indio Rally.** Susan Lewis reported on the Indio Rally scheduled for January 6 thru January 13, 2019. This is the 4<sup>th</sup> year of doing this rally and as of January 12, 2018, it is an official rally of the Monaco Romers. Susan indicated that she is in need of help with the catering and also gave the members information about the parade theme, "Once Upon a Time," and asked them to give it some thought. Members would also be volunteering to be tram drivers.

**Pala Rally.** Duncan also reported on a rally scheduled for May 6-9, 2019 at Pala RV Resort in Temecula. Joanne Bush is one of the rally masters and more information is to come. He also indicated that there are tentative plans for a rally in mid September 2019 in the Pendleton, Oregon area.

**Rose Parade, New Year's Day, 2019.** Duncan reported that Sports Coach International is doing a rally that will include grandstand seats to the Rose Parade. Contact Joann Bush for further information.

### **Sunshine & Flowers**

Stephen noted that Nancy Baumgart had been our Sunshine & Showers Lady for 20 years and had passed the baton to Nancy Holt. He said a special thank you to Nancy B. for all her work. Nancy Holt reported on several Monaco Romers and this report will be in the newsletter in which the minutes are published.

### **Newsletter Editor's Report**

Stephen noted that Marsha Taylor has been the Newsletter editor for seven (7) years and Nancy Holt has agreed to take on the job. Thank you Marsha for all your hard work and thank you Nancy for agreeing to do this. Since Nancy is now doing the Newsletter, JoAnn Curtis has volunteered to be the Sunshine & Showers Lady and asked that the members keep her informed so that she can pass information on to the members. She also made a short Sunshine & Showers report that will be in the Newsletter in which the minutes are published. Marsha requested that all members report outside for a group picture.

### **Membership Chairman's Report**

In the absence of Rob Crow, Stephen gave the membership report showing a total of 105 current members as of April 19, 2018.

### **FMCA Director's Report**

FMCA Director, Larry Johnson gave a report of the 97<sup>th</sup> National Convention in Perry, Georgia. He said FMCA has 76,000 members at this time and there were 2,904 RV's on site with 2,518 family members, the highest attendance since 2006. The 98<sup>th</sup> convention will be in Gillette WY on July 18-21 and Larry will attend representing our club. The 99<sup>th</sup> convention will be in March 2019. Location not yet announced.

### **Romer Flag**

Jim Lewis brought up the idea of purchasing a new large Monaco Romers flag and Paul Klempner gave price information, \$150 for single side and \$300 for two sided. Club would use the existing logo. After discussion a MOTION was made by Jim Lewis, and seconded by John Van Doren to purchase a new flag for \$300.00. Paul was going to look into purchasing the flag.

MOTION was made and seconded to adjourn the meeting.

Meeting Adjourned at 10:00 a.m.

Respectfully Submitted

Maureen Bouma, Secretary



# Pinot, Port, Plymouth, Placerville, and Pie

@ Far Horizons 49er Village RV Resort  
18265 Hwy 49, Plymouth, CA 95669; (800) 339-6981

Arrive @ 1:00 p.m. or later: *Sunday, September 23, 2018* – Depart: *NLT 12:00 p.m., Thursday, September 27, 2018*. (Early Arrival [**no earlier than 1:00**]: Is on a first come, first served basis pending site availability. **Early arrival rally rate** for Thurs., Fri., and/or Sat. is \$33.00/night; rally rate for Mon. thru Weds. is \$33.00/night. **Early arrival** requests are to be made through the rally masters, as opposed to the office.

Joanne, Judy, Pat, Jim, Dale, and Paul extend a welcoming invitation for you to join us in enjoying recreation, relaxation, fruit-of-the-vine, and “home-made” apple pie in Gold Rush country. Please know that our rally is limited to the first thirty (30) coaches who submit an accurately completed registration form along with the appropriate fees.

Name(s): \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

City: \_\_\_\_\_ State: \_\_\_\_\_ Zip Code: \_\_\_\_\_

Phone #: \_\_\_\_\_ Cell #: \_\_\_\_\_ Email: \_\_\_\_\_

Guest(s)' name(s): \_\_\_\_\_

(if inviting same)

Handicapped?: \_\_\_\_\_ Dietary Restrictions?: \_\_\_\_\_ First *Romer* Rally: Yes No

(please indicate details on reverse of this form)

Coach Info: Model: \_\_\_\_\_, length: \_\_\_\_\_ # of slide-outs: \_\_\_\_\_,

Arrival day/date: \_\_\_\_\_; Departure day/date: **NLT 12:00, Thursday, September 27, 2018**

Proximity preference (**IF POSSIBLE**): \_\_\_\_\_

[indicate person(s) you'd like as a “neighbor(s)”. Sites of appropriate length are limited and may preclude ability to meet requests]

## **Rally Fees: Application, Golf Lunch Selection, & Fees Deadline:**

Coach (2 people): (Mon-Fri) \$400 \_\_\_\_\_

Coach (1 person): (Mon-Fri) \$270 \_\_\_\_\_

Extra person: \$130 \_\_\_\_\_

SOB + 1 of above: \$25 \_\_\_\_\_

### **\*\*Thurs/Fri/Sat Early Arrival:**

# nights \_\_\_\_\_ x \$33/night \_\_\_\_\_

**High Hill Ranch** Tour # \_\_\_\_\_ x \$12 \_\_\_\_\_

**Renwood Winery:** tasting only # \_\_\_\_\_ x \$5 \_\_\_\_\_

walking tour & tasting # \_\_\_\_\_ x \$15 \_\_\_\_\_

Golf and lunch # \_\_\_\_\_ x \$60 \_\_\_\_\_

**Total Amount Submitted:** \$ \_\_\_\_\_

(Castle Oaks GC: 5948 total yds, par 71

includes driving range warm-up, cart,

green fee, lunch, tournament services, and prizes)

[golf handicap? = 1) \_\_\_\_\_ & 2) \_\_\_\_\_]

Deadline: **Friday, July 20, 2018**

**Please make checks payable to:**

**DALE EDWARDS**

**9649 La Esperanza Ave**

**Fountain Valley, CA 92708-3554**

**\*\*\* (This rally is limited to 30 sites) \*\*\***

(Please mail this form along with your

*High Hill Ranch/Renwood Winery* selection forms,

if participating, to the above address)

**GOLFERS:** Please circle your **Castle Oaks Golf Course** sandwich choice(s) below:

person #1 \_\_\_\_\_ **ham turkey roast beef**  
(name)

person #2 \_\_\_\_\_ **ham turkey roast beef**  
(name)

### **Pinot, Port, Plymouth, Placerville, & Pie Rally Masters:**

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**“Add-on” Rally Event – High Hill Ranch Apple Orchard**

2901 High Hill Rd., Placerville, CA 530-644-1973

**Hay Ride Tour with Apple Pie ala mode & drink**

**Monday, September 24, 2018 @ 11:30**

Mr. Kyle Bridgeman, manager of **High Hill Ranch Apple Orchard**, and his staff are very interested in providing us with a memorable experience at their facility. They are looking forward to enhancing our knowledge of apple growing, processing procedures, and other aspects of the apple orchard industry. They are offering us a unique, guided hayride tour of their orchard and facilities as a way for us to experience the **High Hill Ranch Apple Orchard**. Our tour will be followed by the opportunity to enjoy a piece of their “local’s choice” - “Best Apple Pie” (receiving a local paper’s Readers’ Choice Award) served ala mode along with a drink (cup of coffee, iced tea, hot tea, or water)

The **High Hill Ranch Apple Orchard** offers a wide variety of goodies within their apple stand (apple butter, preserves, syrups, etc.) along with a huge assortment of baked goods and treats (pies, cakes, donuts, fritters, streudel, cobblers, turnovers, caramel apples, and more). They offer BBQ chicken or BBQ Tri-tip, along with other hearty meals, as well as their famous Taco Cantina. They have specialty wines (apple wine, pomegranate cherry wine, grape wine – High Hill Golden Nectar, Ranch Red, Barbera, and Rose). You’ll also enjoy access to over 90 artisan craft vendors, along with the Ranch’s own unique gift shops’ wares, to include offering *Two Rivers Hard Cider* and an Espresso bar. You’ll be able to relax by their trout fishing pond or enjoy lunch on their patio deck or picnic area.

In our efforts to optimize your experience at **High Hill Ranch Apple Orchard**, to identify the number of tour participants, and supply Mr. Bridgeman with an accurate count for pie slices, ice cream, and staff, we ask that you provide the requested information below if you desire to participate, and return the “cut-off” slip below, along with your rally registration form with appropriate fees to Dale Edwards.

The information below regarding your participation will enable Mr. Bridgeman and his staff to better fulfill our wishes. On behalf of the High Hill Ranch staff the rally masters express a heartfelt, “Thank you”!

**A MINIMUM OF 20 PARTICIPANTS IS REQUIRED TO CONDUCT THIS EVENT.**

----- cut off slip and return with registration form & fees to Dale Edwards -----

Name: \_\_\_\_\_

“Mmmm, pie” Yes, I look forward to participating in the **High Hill Ranch Apple Orchard** Hayride Tour with Apple Pie ala mode & drink event (\$12.00)

Name: \_\_\_\_\_

“Mmmm, pie” Yes, I look forward to participating in the **High Hill Ranch Apple Orchard** Hayride Tour with Apple Pie ala mode & drink event (\$12.00)

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**“Add-on” Rally Event – Renwood Winery**

**Walking Tour with Tasting OR Tasting Room Only**

**Tuesday, September 25, 2018 @ 11:00**

Mrs. Jennifer Hunt, Tasting Room and Wine Club Manager of **Renwood Winery**, and her staff are very interested in optimizing our experience at their winery. They are ready, willing, able, and excited about enhancing our knowledge of wines and the wine production process. They are offering us a unique hour and a half **“Vine to Wine”** walking tour of their vineyard and facilities with various tastings along the route as one way for us to experience the **Renwood Winery** (tour staff would prefer providing educational services to those of us who truly desire to enhance our knowledge of wines and the production process, as opposed to dealing with on-going, distractive side conversations. Sorry for being blunt/candid, but we, the rally masters along with the **Renwood** staff, desire to create the optimum experience for all involved.). If you’d like to taste additional samples following the tour you may do so within the tasting room for an additional \$5.00 fee. Alternatively, Mrs. Hunt is also offering us the opportunity to sample some of Renwood’s fine wines within their tasting room facility without participating in the tour.

In our efforts to optimize your experience at **Renwood Winery** and identify the number of tour participants we ask that each of you indicate your preference regarding participating in the **“Vine to Wine”** tour along with tasting five wines along the way **OR**, alternatively, accessing the fruits-of-the-wine/elixir of the grapes in the tasting room without participating in the tour. With this in mind, please indicate your preference below and return this preference sheet, along with your rally registration form to Dale Edwards.

The information below regarding your participation preference will enable Mrs. Hunt and her staff to better fulfill your desires. On behalf of the Renwood staff the rally masters express a heartfelt, “Thank you”!

----- **cut off slip and return with registration form & fees to Dale Edwards** -----

Name: \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_ I prefer to participate in the **“Vine to Wine”** tour/tasting room experience of the Renwood Winery (\$15.00)

\_\_\_\_\_ I prefer to participate in the sampling of wines within the Renwood Winery tasting facility w/o tour (\$5.00)

Name: \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_ I prefer to participate in the **“Vine to Wine”** tour/tasting room experience of the Renwood Winery (\$15.00)

\_\_\_\_\_ I prefer to participate in the sampling of wines within the Renwood Winery tasting facility w/o tour (\$5.00)