

THE PRAIRIE LADY

Rolls Royce Owner's Club - Can-Am Prairie Region

Summer Fun !!!!!



Touring Along Highway #1A

Photo by Terry Murphy

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Please welcome the following new member to our region:

- Stephan Steghaus, Gleichen
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Note: Please remember to pay your 2004 Can-Am Prairie Region dues as soon as possible to RROC HQ. Your regional and national RROC dues should be listed in the recent dues renewal notice from the RROC. Full member dues are CDN\$25 and spouses are CDN\$5. If you have any questions or concerns please contact RROC HQ at 1-800-TRY-RROC.

CAN-AM Prairie Region Newsletter

The Prairie Lady is published five times a year. Members are encouraged to contribute articles and photos. Please identify individuals and quote car serial numbers.

Private advertisements for Rolls-Royce/Bentley sales, wants, or parts will be published for members at no charge. For car sales include chassis number and asking price.

Every effort is made to publish accurate information but the Club and its Directors cannot assume any liability for loss or damage arising from any information contained herein. Statements attributed to individuals do not necessarily reflect the Club or Region's policy.

LEGAL NOTICE: The Can-Am Prairie Region is under the direct control of the Rolls-Royce Owner's Club.

SOCIAL CALENDAR

January 2004

| Sun | Mon | Tue | Wed | Thu | Fri | Sat |
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| 25 | 26 | 27 | 28 | 29 | 30 | 31 |



Let's hope that the winter deep freeze has not set in so much that we can still get out and about. Please join us on Saturday, January 24, 2004 for dinner at Paloma's Steak House. 6:30 p.m. sharp. Address: Main Floor, 4600 Crowchild Trail NW, next to Northland Volkswagen. Please RSVP to Darcy Collings @ 547 or darcy.collings@

February 22, 2004

We would love to see you on Sunday, February 22, 2004. Brunch at the Home Food Inn at Noon sharp. Address: 5222 Macleod Trail South. RSVP to Terry @ 257- or 650-

February 2004

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Children welcome



Annual Business Meeting Report

RROC Can-Am Prairie Region
Annual Business Meeting
Sunday, November 9, 2003
Black Knight Inn, Red Deer, Alberta

Meeting Minutes

Members in attendance:

Ted Carswell, Red Deer
Darcy Collings, Calgary – Acting Secretary
Howard Lengert, Calmar
Rob Manderson, Calgary
Terry Murphy, Calgary – Chairman

Meeting called to order at 1:05 p.m.

1. Minutes

- The minutes of the last annual business meeting held on November 29, 2002 were read. Rob Manderson made a motion to accept the minutes as read. Howard Lengert seconded the motion. All members present were in favour of the motion. The motion was carried.

2. Election of Regional Officers

- A motion was made by Rob Manderson to re-elect all of the current members of the regional executive to their same positions for another one-year term. Ted Carswell seconded the motion. All members present were in favour. The motion was carried.

3. Treasurer's Report

- Francis Chan submitted the Treasurer's Report. A motion to accept the Treasurer's Report was made by Rob Manderson. Howard Lengert seconded the motion. All members present were in favour. The motion was carried. The report is presented in on page 6.

4. New Business

- Item One – Can-Am Prairie Region membership listing – discussion around updating our existing membership listing for any additions or deletions. Darcy Collings committed to requesting the latest listing from RROC HQ and putting out a new membership listing with the next newsletter.

Annual Business Meeting Report Continues ...

- Item Two – Coming Events – it was decided that for the first regional newsletter in 2004, a complete listing of events (RROC or other) will be included for members to consider - a number of ideas were discussed for coming events for 2003 and 2004 including:
 - December 13, 2003 – Regional Christmas Pot Luck Dinner – to be hosted by Rob Manderson
 - April / May 2004 – Regional Technical Session to be led by Ralph Curzon
 - Early May 2004 – Red Deer Swap Meet – possible Regional Lunch meeting
 - Late May 2004 – Heritage Park season opening
 - Early July 2004 – International Antique Car Meet
 - July 2004 – Tour to Kananaskis
 - August 2004 – RROC Annual Meet, Monterey, California
 - September 2004 – Regional Meet at Leduc / Howard Lengert's
- Item Three – Regional Membership in the Specialty Vehicle Association of Alberta (SVAA) – this is a provincial association that represents the antique car hobby and is part of the National Association of Antique Automobile Clubs of Canada. The Association is dedicated to the preservation, restoration, and enjoyment of all antique and collector vehicles. It is also dedicated to bringing all of the car clubs in Alberta together to promote and protect a common interest in the old car hobby. There are three levels of membership, national, provincial, and membership in the insurance program. Fees are believed to be nominal and assessed on a per member basis. A motion was made by Rob Manderson to authorize the Can-Am Prairie Region's Chairman to investigate the costs and benefits of joining the SVAA and further to authorize the Chairman to spend up to CDN\$100.00 of the Region's funds to join the association. Ted Carswell seconded the motion. All members present were in favour. The motion was carried.

5. Meeting Termination

- Upon no further new business, Terry Murphy asked that a motion to terminate the meeting be made. Darcy Collings declared the motion. Terry Murphy seconded the motion. All members present were in favour.

The meeting was terminated at 1:55 p.m.

Acting Secretary, Darcy Collings



TREASURER'S REPORT

Rolls-Royce Owners' Club
Can-Am Prairie Region

Balance Sheet
As at September 30th, 2003

Assets:

| | |
|------------------------|-------------------|
| Opening balance | 4,792.98 |
| Add: net income (loss) | (689.90) |
| Closing balance | \$4,103.08 |

Statement of Income & Expenses

For the period from October 1st, 2002 to September 30th, 2003

Income:

| | |
|-----------------------------------|-----------------|
| Advertising | 0.00 |
| Memberships & RROC reimbursements | 904.70 |
| Donation | 25.00 |
| Bank interest | 2.18 |
| | \$931.88 |

Expenses:

| | |
|------------------------|-------------------|
| Newsletter & postage | 615.14 |
| Technical meets (2002) | 991.67 |
| Bank charges | 14.97 |
| | \$1,621.78 |

Net Income (loss) **(\$689.90)**

Submitted by Francis Chan, Treasurer & Memberships

October 13, 2003


Happy Holidays

More on our Cover Story...

On Sunday, August 10, 2003, we had a



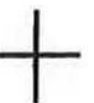
group met in Cochrane near McKay's ice cream shop and set out west along Highway #1A for Ghost Lake. The tour group



also made a quick stop at Nakoda Lodge to enjoy the scenery and take some photos. By this time the group was getting hungry—next stop—Canmore and a wonderful brunch at Zona's Restaurant. Our group consisted of Terry Murphy and Marianne Maurer, Norm Gilliam, Rob Manderson, David & Marie Baer, and Bukiewicz's from Banff. A great time was had by all. Thanks to Terry and Marianne for organizing this event !!!



Thanks to Terry Murphy for taking the photos





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| Calgary | |
| Downtown | 232-6100 |
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| Edmonton | |
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