

❖ Council Meeting Minutes ❖

April 8, 2008

The meeting was called to order by Vice President Rich Sherman at 6:35 pm @ Scotty's Corvettes on Girard. Officers in attendance were President Hugh Monroy, Vice President Rich Sherman, Treasurer Lori Jordan, Secretary Suzanne Monroy, CIA David Judd, Governor Ron Scott & member Steve Hopkins.

NEW BUSINESS:

<u>Vice President, Rich Sherman</u> thanked Treasurer Lori Jordan for the outstanding job she did coordinating the event to the Very Large Array. Then he showed us a copy of the Corvette Fever magazine that honors outstanding shops that work on Corvettes. He suggested we get the signatures of as many Club members as possible & submit a letter to the magazine editors nominating Scotty Smith of Scotty's Corvettes as an outstanding example of a automotive shop that takes care of Vettes in the Albuquerque, New Mexico area.

<u>President, Hugh Monroy</u> told the Council that he has asked member Steve Hopkins to be the "official photographer" for NMCA for 2008. Steve has agreed & attended his first meeting as part of the Council this evening. Welcome aboard Steve!

<u>Secretary, Suzanne Monroy</u> started a discussion of upcoming events planned so far by the Council through October, 2008. She stated that she would re-contact Mountainair & firm up our plan to have a local speaker for the caravan on Sunday, April 20. She will give them the names of the event coordinators, Larry Jordan & Hugh Monroy, as well as the phone/cell phone numbers for Lori Jordan as a point of contact.

<u>Treasurer, Lori Jordan</u> talked about the Motor Trend International Car Show @ Expo New Mexico fairgrounds on Sunday, April 27. She read a list of the cars from the Club that will be participating. We also have an event set up for June to Grants, El Morro National Park & lunch.

<u>Member Steve Hopkins</u> mentioned a couple of sites for a possible caravan in the future. He will check them out & get back to the Council.

<u>VP Rich Sherman</u> will try to find out if there are any upcoming air shows here in New Mexico; in addition, he will get back to the Council regarding another visit to the air hangar for the Lobo Wing in Moriarity for an August caravan. Upcoming events include: 4/20 Caravan to Mountainair; 4/27 Motor Trend car show; 5/18 possible caravan; 6/22 Caravan to Grants & El Morro National Monument; 7/13 Hyde Park picnic (registration required); 8/9 annual BBQ @ Buntings; 8/17 possible caravan to Lobo Wing; 9/21 picnic in Cibola National forest, Oak Flat (Pine area); & 10/17-18 overnight trip to Ruidoso, NM to Oktoberfest. In addition, there will be various dinners planned around the Albuquerque area during the year.

<u>Governor, Ron Scott</u> asked President Hugh Monroy to clear up some confusion regarding posting information on the website by current Club members. Hugh will contact our webmaster & make sure that any member who wishes to post information may do so. Ron also mentioned that he will be going to Sierra Vista for an autocross event the weekend of 4/18-20; anyone who wishes to join him please contact him.

VP Rich Sherman adjourned the meeting @ 7:20 p.m.

The next general meeting is @ 7 p.m. on Friday, 4/18 @ CASA Chevrolet.

The next Council meeting will be 6:30 p.m. on Tuesday, 5/6; all members are welcome to attend.

Respectfully submitted,

Suzanne Monroy, NMCA Secretary



❖ General Meeting Minutes ❖

April 18, 2008

The meeting was called to order at 7:00 p.m. by President Hugh Monroy. <u>President, Hugh Monroy</u> started the meeting by discussing the upcoming caravan to Mountainair on Sunday April 20. We will meet at the Smith's at Tramway and Central at 9:45 am leaving at 10:00 am. We will have lunch at the Schaffer Hotel and visit the nearby Indian ruins.

Hugh announced that Steve Hopkins will be acting as club photographer.

'Corvettes in the Jemez' by the Atomic City Corvettes is scheduled for May 2 – 4, 2008. There will be a car show and banquet on Saturday, and a Rally on Sunday. Lori and Larry Jordan are driving up for the weekend to participate. They will be leaving from the Lowes parking lot on Paseo del Norte at 8:00 am. If you are going be sure to register and let them know your plans for the banquet. More info is available on our website.

Hugh then asked if visitors would introduce themselves; Ken Kashuba, 2005 silver C6 (Ken joined NMCA on the spot); Visitor Danny, 2005 blue C6, was back for a second visit and his brother was at the last meeting.

Hugh announced that Mike Rothman has acquired a 2002 Electron Blue Z06. Mike says it had 6,454 miles on it when he picked it up in Texas and thanked Lori Jordan for the assistance in tracking it down.

Rich Sherman invited members to the Lobo Wing of the Commemorative Air Force's fund raising sit down dinner. The dinner will be held at their hanger at the Moriarty airport and include skits and entertainment. The date is Sunday, May 18, 2008. For more information contact Rich.

Discussion was held on a destination for the May caravan. Possible locations; Angel Fire and the Vietnam Memorial, Trinity site (only open first Saturday in October), the museum in Los Alamos and Ruidoso. Any suggestions to Lori.

We will be taking a club photograph. The date was set to Saturday, June 14th at the Sandia Tram parking lot. We are planning on an early morning picture for good lighting and a clear parking lot and then having breakfast. We would really like to get everyone and their Vette so please mark your calendars.

VP Rich Sherman updated the club on the Oakflats picnic to be held Sunday, September 21. He is holding off making the reservation until he has a better read on the ruling for use of grills.

Hugh discussed the possibility of setting up an autocross and would help teach setup, driving, etc. We would need enough interested people to handle setup and working the course. He also mentioned track rental outside of the club and the last rates he knew were 675 a day and 35/car.

Lori reminded everyone of the Motor Trend car show at the Expo New Mexico on Sunday, April 27. Registered participants need to be there at 8:00 am to setup. Passes to see the show will be provided for all participants & spouses.

We also discussed the Hyde Park show coming up on Saturday, July 12 in Santa Fe. They are limiting the event to 225 cars so be sure to register early. You can link to their site from ours to register.

The May 16th general meeting will be a caravan dinner meeting at the Rib Joint in Tijeras. We will be meeting at the Smith's at Tramway and Central. Check the website for more information.

The meeting was adjourned @ 7:45 p.m. by President Hugh Monroy.

The next Council meeting will be held on May 6 @ 6:30 @ Scotty's Corvettes on Girard.

ALL MEMBERS ARE WELCOME TO ATTEND THESE MEETINGS!

Respectfully submitted,

Stephen Hapkins for Suzanne Monroy Suzanne Monroy, NMCA Secretary