



## ❖ Council Meeting Minutes ❖

**March 11, 2008**

The meeting was called to order by Vice President Rich Sherman at 6:30 pm. Officers in attendance were President Hugh Monroy, Vice President Rich Sherman, Treasurer Lori Jordan, Secretary Suzanne Monroy, Membership Chairman Dan Bond, CIA David Judd, Governor Ron Scott and member Larry Jordan.

### **NEW BUSINESS:**

Rich stated that we had a great turnout for the last two events; the caravan to R&J Vintage Car Museum & the Japanese dinner @ Osaka Steakhouse. He reminded the Council of the upcoming event March 30; the caravan to the Very Large Array. Rich also mentioned that he is still trying to find air show events that include car shows. He also mentioned that he is still working on getting an airplane for the trip to the Lobo Wing in June. Then he asked Council officers for updates/reports.

**President, Hugh Monroy** told the Council that he & a group of officers/members checked out the Isleta Lake & Resort as a possible site for a BBQ/picnic; the \$300 rental fee might be prohibitive. The rest of the Council offered alternative ideas for an event in May; a couple suggestions were Shady Lakes off old Hwy 85 & Pine Flat off Hwy 14. Hugh will check out these suggestions & report back. Also dinner @ Ribs in Tejas was mentioned for a dinner meeting this summer.

**Membership Chair, Dan Bond** stated that we had two new social members; Dan & Peggy Pearson. Dan also told the Council he would enjoy another trip out to Embudo Station as a possible caravan/lunch venue.

**Governor, Ron Scott** updated the Council regarding the SWI the end of September; he is firming up a hotel & dinner location. Ron is proposing a car show, rally & 2 autocrosses for the weekend of September 26-28. 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. The NCCC National Convention will be in Tulsa, OK for 2008 & Colorado Springs, CO in 2009. Ron told the Council that member Ken Daby who recently passed away requested monies be donated to one of his favorite charities; his sister Kelly will forward a list to us & a decision will be made regarding a donation.

**Treasurer, Lori Jordan** gave the Council an update on our current funds. She told the Council that we are all set for the caravan to the Very Large Array & the Socorro restaurant. We have also been invited to participate in the MotorTrend Car show 4/27 @ the Expo New Mexico fairgrounds. In addition, we have an event set up for June to Grants, El Morro National Park & lunch. In addition, we will be looking into hotels in Ruidoso for the overnight trip to see CIA David Judd perform w/his band this coming October.

President Hugh Monroy made a motion to end the meeting; VP Rich Sherman adjourned the meeting at 7:10 p.m.

The next general meeting is @ 7 p.m. on Friday, 3/21 @ CASA Chevrolet.

The next Council meeting will be 6:30 p.m. on Tuesday, 4/8; all members are welcome to attend.

Respectfully submitted,

*Suzanne Monroy*

Suzanne Monroy, NMCA Secretary



## ❖ General Meeting Minutes ❖

**March 21, 2008**

The meeting was called to order at 7:00 p.m. by President Hugh Monroy.

**President, Hugh Monroy** started the meeting by asking if visitors would introduce themselves; Dr. Jeff Shepherd, 2006 silver C6; Randy Pisto, '01 yellow coupe; Bob Kitts, '53 C5 retro; & Sydney Branch. Also, newest members Dan & Jeannie Shorter from Ruidoso, '02 pewter coupe.

Hugh introduced **Treasurer, Lori Jordan** who reminded everyone of the upcoming caravan on Sunday, March 30, to the Very Large Array in Socorro, followed by lunch @ the Socorro Springs restaurant. They serve brick-oven pizza as well as a variety of deli selections. We plan to meet @ the American furniture store parking lot on the corner of Menaul & Carlisle; we'll leave @ 8 a.m. sharp!

In addition, Lori talked about the International Car Show sponsored by Motor Trend magazine; they have invited NMCA to participate again this year @ Expo New Mexico on April 27. If you wish to participate contact chairperson Lori Jordan @ [Lij0610@comcast.net](mailto:Lij0610@comcast.net) by March 23. For those of you already signed up please be @ the fairgrounds between 8-9:30 a.m. as the show starts @ 10. Passes to see the show will be provided for all participants (& spouses).

**Governor, Ron Scott** mentioned that there were some folks from the El Paso Club who wished to join us for the VLA event; they will join up with us in Socorro @ the Smith's grocery store between 9:15-9:30.

**Secretary, Suzanne Monroy**, informed the membership that on April 5 the Club plans to have dinner @ the County Line on Tramway. Details will be posted on the website this coming week. She also mentioned that she is checking out hotels for the overnight event to the Oktoberfest in Ruidoso, NM, in October. CIA, David Judd, plays in a band that performs each year & we plan to attend this event as a Club function. As information becomes firm it will be posted on the website. **Membership Chair, Dan Bond** stated that he is still scouting a place to hold a BBQ/picnic. Members Ron & Robin Eschinger mentioned that there is a park off Hwy 528; one of the Council members will check out this site.

**President Monroy** also stated that Galles Chevrolet contacted the Council to ask for participation in their 100th Anniversary car show which will take place in June. This will not be a Club sponsored event, but individuals may enter if they wish.

**Governor, Ron Scott**, asked if everyone had received their NCCC calendars for 2008. He also asked if anyone was interested in caravanning w/him to Sierra Vista for an autocross event 4/18-20; he plans to leave early Friday, April 18. If you plan to go contact Ron @ [RScottLT1@aol.com](mailto:RScottLT1@aol.com)

**Member, Jack Stephens**, also reminded members about Vettes on the Rockies @ the end of July in Breckenridge, CO. This is the 35th anniversary for this event which includes ralleys, funkhana, autocross & Show & Shine; there are also social events & a banquet which are always fun.

**Member, Steve Otero** asked if anyone was participating in the Charity Car Show for Cancer @ Four Hills on April 18. Several members have already signed up for this event.



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**Member Rich Mlczecko** told everyone that the new deli he is managing opens on March 31. It is located in the ABQ Uptown shopping mall @ Indian School & Louisiana.

Then Hugh Monroy held a drawing for all the shirts the Bunting's had provided & a hat from Jim Allen's Firestone tire store.

Congratulations go out to Steve & Jean Haydu on the acquisition of a '57 Chevy Bel Air!

The meeting was adjourned @ 7:30 p.m. by President Hugh Monroy.

The next Council meeting will be held on April 8 @ 6:30 @ Scotty's Corvettes on Girard.

***ALL MEMBERS ARE WELCOME TO ATTEND THESE MEETINGS!***

The April General meeting will be @ CASA Chevrolet on Lomas @ 7 p.m.

**UPCOMING EVENTS (check out the website for more details):**

***3/30, caravan to the Very Large Array in Socorro (private tour); lunch in Socorro after***

***4/5, Dinner @ County Line restaurant***

***4/20, caravan to Mountainair-lunch @ Shaffer Hotel (haunted); Salinas Nat'l Monument  
tour/visit follows***

***5/3&4, Atomic City Vettes in Los Alamos have invited NMCA to participate in their car show***

***5/25, Rt. 66 Casino car show (possible NMCA Club photo shoot)***

***6/8, Moriarity Airport-BBQ, plane rides (\$75/ride) SEE RICH SHERMAN for details***

***6/21-27, NCCC National Convention in Tulsa, OK (See **NCCC website** for registration forms)***

***6/22, caravan to Grants & El Morro National Monument-BBQ/music***

***7/13, Hyde Park Picnic in Santa Fe***

***7/31-8/3, Vettes on the Rockies ([www.lgcacorvette.org](http://www.lgcacorvette.org) for registration forms)***

***8/9, Annual BBQ @ Bunting's***

***(see website for details [info@nmcorvette.org](mailto:info@nmcorvette.org)).***

Respectfully submitted,

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