

Council Meeting Minutes

April 8, 2010

Meeting called to order at 6:00 pm

Brenda Bunting, Shane LeMon and Stephen Hopkins were in attendance.

As there was not a quorum of officers in attendance no decisions were made.

Stephen Hopkins announced that the International Auto Show organizer was unable to get display permission for the street between the convention center buildings. This means we will not display at the show this year. The organizer, Joe Showalter is sending us fifty VIP tickets for the show. Stephen will distribute them.

The upcoming trip to Acoma Sky City was discussed and Shane tendered that we could move it back a week if the weather was bad as we were not going to be at the International Auto Show.

Shane has made arrangements to eat the Charlie's Front Door after the next meeting at 7:45 pm.

We discussed the loss of our two dear friends and members David Judd and Rich Sherman.

David's wife Helga has arranged a celebration of life for David on Saturday April 17th 3:30 pm at the Pyramid Hotel. Stephen forwarded her email to all members.

Rich's family is going to organize a celebration involving the Commemorative Air Force and the NMCA on an unknown date. Rich had made it know he wanted his ashes dropped from a plane. Stephen will keep the club notified via email.

Stephen Hopkins volunteered to take the CIA duties in place of David Judd.

The meeting was closed at 6:45 pm

Respectfully submitted, Stephen Hepkins for Doug Arney, NMCA Secretary



General Meeting Minutes

April 16, 2010

Meeting was called to order at 6:36pm by President, Stephen Hopkins.

Visitors: Jeff Greago joined us for a second time and joined at the end of the meeting. Jeff owns a 1994.

Treasurers Report: Brenda reported that the Club has \$1,604. Brenda also stated that the club needs to have 3 members as Directors for our non-profit status and they cannot be present officers. These Directors are Ron Scott, Bob Kitt, and Lori Jordon.

New Members: Two new applications were received from Brad and Bonnie Peters (2010 Cyber Grey) and James and Debra Romero (1999 Silver)

Past Events:

The Nuclear Museum tour was very educational and a good time was had by all that attend. Dinner after the tour was a Scarpa's and was very good

Stephen Hopkins reported we lost 2 members since the last meeting. Both of these members have been very active and will be missed.

Rich Sherman passed away from a heart attack he had while driving his truck along I-40. Rich had requested that his ashes be spread from an airplane, since we was also a huge airplane buff. Rich's memorial service will be at a later date and the club will caravan to the airport for his service.

David Judd also passed away since our last meeting. David had been a member of the club since 1978. David was active in racing for many years and held most every office in the club. David's memorial service will be held April 17th and the club will meet at Alliance Appliance at 2:45 pm and caravan to the Marriott Pyramid for the memorial service. Discussion was held that the club should do something for Helga after the family members leave. More discussion was proposed for our next meeting.

Upcoming Events:

Acoma Sky City Run is scheduled for April 18th. The club will leave from Shane's office off of Midtown at 10:15 am. The cost per person is \$10 since we will be receiving a group rate. We will have dinner at the Visitors Center at Sky City.

The Club will not be participating in the International Car Show this year. The promoter of the show did however give the club free entry tickets.

The Wolf Preserve was again discussed as a future trip for the club. Mike Rothman did reiterate that this trip is not a Corvette trip because of the dirt roads.

The Wine Tasting Tour and BBQ at Newman's following the tour are scheduled for May 22nd. The times will be sent to members in the near future.



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The club has received a request from the "Walk for your Man" to show up for their event scheduled for June 12th. This is a walk against prostate cancer. The cancer walk begins at 7 am and you would be out by 12 noon.

The club has also received notice that "Corvettes of the Jemez" is also scheduled for June 12th. More information on this event will be discussed at the May meeting.

The next Executive Meeting is scheduled for May 13th and the next club meeting for May 21st. Stephen Hopkins will be out of town for the next club meeting so Mike Rothman will preside.

Program: Bob Kitt started the program by asking the group in attendance about information from the Blue Bars magazine. He stated that in the near future he will put to test our knowledge of Corvette's and its history. Bob then introduced Shane LeMon to talk about Corvette racing.

Shane discussed the importance of attending driving schools to get a better understanding of how your vehicle handles and learning tips from experts. Shane stated that Bondurant Driving School is excellent as well as Spring Mountain Racing. Attending these schools not only teaches you about your car and driving at high speeds but also makes you a better defensive driver on the road every day. Shane highly recommends attending a driving school or at least getting with some of the more experienced drivers in the club and learn from their experiences.

Dinner: The club will be going to Charlie's Front Door

Meeting was adjourned at 7:38 pm.

Respectfully submitted, *Doug Arney* Doug Arney, NMCA Secretary