

### Council Meeting Minutes

### February 10, 2011

#### Meeting called to order by Art Lite, V.P. at 6:30 pm

<u>Attendees:</u> Bob Kitts, Art Lite, Steve Hopkins, Shane LeMon, Wallace Bow, Cathy Arney, and Doug Arney (arrived late for meeting)

#### **Reports:**

- 1. Report was given about the Super Nationals held in January. The club won the \$250 award for the best club presentation and all 6 Corvettes won awards. 1 first place, 2 second places, and 4 third places. The display was outstanding and the theme Corvette Corral was a crowd pleaser. Bob Kitts will send a special note to Brianna and Paige for the work on the poster we had for the years the cars were made.
- 2. No treasurers report this month
- 3. Next cruise is schedule for February 20<sup>th</sup>, the Sunday after our next meeting. We will meet at Shane's office at 9:45 and leave at 10:00 am. The cruise will take us to Old Route 66 to Owl Rock, the La Ventana Natural Arch and the Ranger Station and back to Sky City Casino for lunch around noon. Should be back home by 3 to 4 pm.
- 4. The cruise for March or April is still being looked into and ideas were Gran Quivara, Mountaineer (mission ruins).
- 5. Club will investigate the International car Show to see if the show wants our participation this year.
- 6. Next club meeting will still start at 6 pm and dinner following will be at Charlie's at Hoffman Town Mall.
- 7. Cathy Arney will send invitations to those potential members that signed up for information at the Grand Nationals before the next meeting.
- 8. The membership of the club is officially 67 members.
- 9. At the next meeting it will again be mentioned to members that they take membership business cards and hand out to corvette owners or put on Corvette windshields in parking lots.
- 10. It was suggested that the Club look at its letterhead to see if it needs updating or revised. Steve will send some club symbols to Shane.
- 11. Bob Kitts reported that Randy and Ann Pisto were assigned to head up the committee to look into club logo wear. Art suggested some summer wear with club logo. It was stated that the "café" press store that was on our web site is no longer in business. It was also stated that "Black Duck" does have our logo and has done some shirts for members. Shane said we need to look into the by-laws to see if they need to be amended if different colors are used.



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- 12. The driving safety school was discussed for corvette owners. Bob Kitts and Wallace Bow will talk with Route 66 casino for potential location. Bob Kitts also suggested we look into a safe driving school for student drivers. This could be a program for students that the Corvette Club could sponsor.
- 13. Bob Kitts would like to have all of the Club Members wear their badges at the club meetings. Steve Hopkins was appointed to attempt this task. Bob thought that by doing this our club would feel more comfortable talking with new members and may help the friendliness of the club.
- 14. A discussion was held about where to hold the Executive meetings each month. For the past few years Scotty has allowed us to use his facility but Scotty has to stay late that evening. Since Shane is attending the executive meetings it is not an inconvenience for him as opposed to Scotty. Bob Kitts will talk with Scotty to see if this is an issue for him. It is not the club's intent to make Scotty feel bad only allow Scotty that time off that he didn't get by staying at work for us to hold our meeting.
- 15. Discussion was held about getting another club photo. We will begin planning the date and time in the future. We have a photographer in Wallace Bow that will provide a professional quality shot. Suggestion were made about location and follow ups will be done.
- 16. A suggestion was made to look into an Isotopes game as a club event. The Fiesta Deck can be rented and it includes seats for the games, free hot dogs and burgers and soft drinks. This probably would not be a Corvette event because of parking but a membership event. Wallace will look into possible dates.
- 17. A Santa Rosa cruise to the Route 66 museum will be looked into for a future month.

Meeting was adjourned by Art Lite at 7:34 pm

Respectfully submitted,

Daug Arney
Doug Arney, NMCA Secretary



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### February 19, 2011

Meeting was called to order at 6:00 pm By President Bob Kitts

<u>Visitors</u>: Mark Manning, who just bought his first Corvette, a Black 2007 Coupe, Mark visited our display at the Super Nationals and received the notice of our meeting via email and letter.

<u>Treasures Report:</u> Mike reported the treasury has \$2,253 with some additional deposits to be made.

<u>Why NCCC?</u> Bob Kitts asked our Governor, Steve Hopkins to give a brief report on the benefits of our club being a member of NCCC. Steve spoke of the advantages and passed out a document from the NCCC website.

#### **Reports:**

- 1. Bob Kitts handed out his plans and goals for the club for 2011. Bob stated a former boss of his said goals needed to be one page long and understandable. He passed them along for all members present to read.
- 2. Super Nationals report given by Shane LeMon. The club won the best display by a club and each member in the club that displayed their Corvette won either a first place or a third for their Vette. The display was exceptional and Shane and others handed out many compliments to all those that helped.
- 3. Membership Booklet: Steve Hopkins will be putting together the 2011 membership booklet. If any members that have not been in the booklet in the past has a picture of their Vette and themselves please send to Steve.
- 4. Logo Update: Randy Pisto said that he is still gathering information on the various logos and what the members are looking for. Thus far it is simple, t-shirts, golf type shirts, jackets and denims.

  More will follow in the future.
- 5. Corvette Museum: Bob Kitts talked about whether the club would want to participate in the various activities of the National Corvette Museum. He asked Shane to talk about his experience in receiving his new Corvette in a museum delivery.
- 6. Activities: Shane reported that the trip planned for this Sunday, February 20<sup>th</sup> has been postponed to next Sunday, the 27<sup>th</sup>. Bad weather is predicted and this trip needs good weather. Several other trips were discussed including Santa Rosa Route 66 car museum, trip to Mountaineer, Club photograph, and an Isotopes game for May 22<sup>nd</sup>, Sunday afternoon at 1:35 pm. A show of hands for the Isotopes games was very positive. Shane and Wallace will be working on this event.



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Raffle: \$27.00 went to the winner and 3 display cars donated by Shane Lemon were also given away.

#### Other issues brought up:

- 1. Bob Kitts asked anyone dealing with Dan's Boots and Saddles please thank them for allowing us to use their bales of straw for the Super Nationals
- 2. Ron Scott asked if the club received any money for the stanchions that the club had several years ago. After some discussions it did not appear the club did receive any money for them.
- 3. Art Lite informed the club that he won a new exhaust system from M&B Muffler at the Super Nationals. He said we should hear a significance difference in his Corvette. Bob Kitts then reminded members that supporting these types of vendors will continue their support to events in the future.

Club meeting was adjourned at 7:00 pm with 28 members proceeding to Charlie's Front Door on Menaul for dinner.

Respectfully submitted,

Doug Arney

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