



Beyond the Glass

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From the President's Desk:

We started off the year with a couple meetings to start planning activities. We held a CRCC Officer Transition meeting on January 10 th . We held our January monthly club meeting on January 17 th . We also held the first CRCC Charity Car Show meeting on January 24 th .

CRCC Valentine's Day Flowers

We have been asked to help with flower delivery for Hy-Vee Wilson Avenue this year. This was a fun time delivering flowers to folks and seeing smiles on

their faces. This is also a fund raising activity for the club charitable donations (Honor Flight). We have a few club members that volunteered to help this year. Given the low response on the participation, we may reconsider participation for next year.

CRCC 2019 Cruise Activities

If any club member has an idea for a club cruise event, please contact John Stutzman and share your thoughts. John began organizing the activities for this year as Social Director. Keep passing along ideas for John to consider for this year.

CRCC Website and Facebook

Please take a look at the Cedar Rapids Corvette Club website and Facebook page for updated pictures and planned activities. Larry continues to receive and post updates to the website. The recent updates keep us up to date on member activities. Thanks to Larry for keeping the club website current with pictures and notations. We have also added the club activities to the FB page under "events".

See you at the February 21st meeting.

Stay warm and be safe out there.

Geof

President

Cedar Rapids Corvette Club

Regards,

Geof

President

February Birthdays

1 John Stutzman

6 Gary Thompson

7 Jan Airy

11 Bob Bales

Darrell Hatchel

12 John Watertor

20 Gary Fike

22 Barb Colby

Please provide Dave Fellmet and I with any Agenda Items for the meeting this week.

Thanks,
Geof

**Cedar Rapids Corvette Club Meeting Agenda
February 21, 2019**

6:55... Last call for 50/50. Welcome everyone! My name is Geof Knoerzer and I would like to call to order the February meeting of the CRCC.

1. Do we have any guests or new member candidates tonight? Car? Color? New members will need to see Garland Groom (registration.), Bob Bowen (email), Sue Rudd (club photo)

2. Trustees, please take a count of the attendance.

3. Good and Wellness: New arrivals... cars, grandkids. Retirement? Any notable trips?

Wellness...

February Birthdays...

(Read any mail if applicable)

* A General Reminder: When called upon to make a motion or second a motion, we will state our name loudly to help the President identify you and help the Secretary to record your name in the minutes.

5. Does anyone have any corrections or additions to the minutes of the January meeting as reported by Secretary Lori and published in the February Newsletter edition of Messages and Minutes?

Do I have a motion to approve the January minutes? -- Second ? -- all in favor

6. Secretary's report: (Madeline Watertor)

7. Treasurer's report: (Larry Bushaw) motion to accept? -- Second ? -- all in favor

- Membership report

8. Webmaster report: (Larry Bushaw)

9. Vice President's report: (Dave Fellmet)
10. Governor's report: (Garland Groom)
11. Competition Director's report: (Mike Finley)
12. Social Director's report: (John Stutzman)
 - 2019 planned club activities.
13. Homecoming Director's report: (Tracy Rudd)

14. Historian's report: (Sue Rudd)
15. E-mail Messenger: (Bob Bowen)
16. Trustees report: Attendance (Jim McLaughlin, Dennis Primrose, Diane Bowen)
17. Old business...
 - Car show update. Sponsors, raffle, registration, silent auction, etc. Meeting minutes available for a summary of activities.
 - West Region Banquet plans
 - Scholarships
 - Convention

18. New business...

19. 50/50 Drawing this month.....
20. The next meeting is scheduled for March 21, 2019 at Pat McGrath Chevyland.
21. Is there a Motion for Adjournment? ...Second? ...All in favor

Vice President Dave Fellmet's report

As far as any report from me, I have been working on radio/TV station contacts for public service announcements for the Cruising the Ave. Car Show. At present I have about 30 stations in the CR , Dubuque and Quad Cities areas to increase exposure of the show to areas further out. I will start contacting them soon so they have time ahead of the event to prepare spots if they are willing.

Dave
VP CRCC

Cedar Rapids Corvette Club

Charity Car Show Meeting

Meeting Agenda

January 24, 2019 □ 5:30 pm

Dinner □ 6:00 pm Meeting

Godfather's Pizza

Those in attendance: Geof Knoerzer, Marie Kann, Diane Bowen, Bob Bowen, Randy Sander, Dave Fellmet, Darrell Hatchel, Dick Butschi, Lori Brendes, and Chris Thompson

Sponsor (Major and Trophy) plan and activities □

Major - "Thank you" certificate for 2018 major sponsors – Bernie is working on this

Plan to communicate to sponsors for 2019

Trophy sponsors □ - shared list of past sponsors. Will need to see how many are still on for this year.

How many shirts will we order this year? 175 for registrations and 5 each for the major sponsors was used last year. We will use the same numbers again this year. □

How many major sponsors should we budget for this year? We have two already (McGrath and MTM). Plan on a total of 5 or 7 □ □.

Fliers

We will be adding a third mustang class and drop the motorized special interest group.

On the flier we will ask participants to bring canned goods for the church's food pantry.

Publication

Publication and news alerts – Dave Fellmet will be working on this
Notify TV and Publications of the car show

Check with Tidbits, the Penney Saver, KMRY and KOXZ 105.7 radio stations.

Registration and Parking

We discussed sending out electronic registration forms to those with emails and mail forms to those without email.

Trailer setup – we are going to separate pre registered and day of show registration to speed up the process.

Parking lot set up – Chris will update the parking maps. We can give each participant a handout of information about our show and on the back side a map of the parking lot and where other things located.

Set up the parking for show members and guests/visitors

Computer setup and testing (John D. and Geof)

Raffle prizes for 2019

Grand prize: Possibly a trip to Galena with gifts from Galena
business

Second prize: Romance package

Third prize: \$100 gift card

50/50 raffle

Silent Auction

Marie is collecting items but not in town the day of show

Garage Sale

We will continue to have a garage sale table. Contact Bob Lillibridge
and Harvey Miller to work the table.

Vendors

Coordinate and map out the areas for vendors along the sidewalk

Invite 4-8 vendors (including sponsors)

Food

Ask CHCC if they would like to provide the meals for the event

Kids Activities

Andrew Bowen will run activities for the kids

Hello Dave

Sending the transition minutes and the club meeting minutes your way.

Madeline Watertor

Cedar Rapids Corvette Club

Officer's Transition Meeting

January 10, 2019

Madeline Watertor, Secretary

The officer's transition meeting for 2019 took place at Godfather's Pizza on January 10, 2019.

Present at the meeting were: President Geoff Knoerzer, Vice President David Fellmet, Secretary Madeline Watertor,
Treasurer Larry Bushaw,

Social Director John Stutzman, Competition Mike Finley, Former Trustee Brian Richardson, Trustee Dennis Primrose, Bob Bowen and Trustee Diane Bowen.

The meeting began at 6:00 PM.

President Geof Knoerzer discussed several things with members present. Sending election ballots by mail to members that don't have a computer.

The amount of shirts ordered for the Car Show.

Try to get club activities more organized.

The dollars for the trailer are now in the club account. Get more visibility for the club.

Members of the club will be delivering flowers for Valentines Day on Wednesday February 13th, and Thursday February 14. The flowers will come from Hy Vee.

Any changes to the club by-laws and standing rules will be done in November.

Madeline Watertor suggested raising the Memorial Donations for member's family deaths as stated by the club. Member Donations will remain the same.

Diane Bowen suggested the club avoid stating amounts of money donated to charities should not be listed in club reports, or the club history.

The meeting was adjourned at 6:49 PM.

Cedar Rapids Corvette Club

Meeting Minutes January 17, 2019

Madeline Watertor Secretary

The meeting was called to order by President Geof Knoerzer at 7:00 PM. There were 42 members present at the meeting.

Guests present were Ron and Cindy Davis and Janice Bowers. Bob and Pam Parish rejoined CRCC. Ron and Cindy own a 1957 Chevy Bel Air and Janice owns a 1993 Corvette and a 2015 Camaro.

Good and Wellness

Garland Groom had back surgery.

President Geof Knoerzer read the Birthday and Anniversary List. Members sang Happy Birthday.

We are disappointed that Sue Rudd was not at the meeting.

President Geof will be putting members' birthdays in the club newsletter.

President Geof called for a motion to approve the November Meeting Minutes. The motion was approved by Harvey Miller and was seconded by Malinda Finley.
The motion was approved.

Vice President David Felmet thanked members for electing him and will try to do his best for the club.

Secretary Madeline Watertor reported she sent a Get Well Card to Garland Groom for his back surgery and to Terry Kocher. Terry is in a care facility.

President Geof read many letters from charities.

Treasurer Larry Bushaw presented the club's financial report. President Geoff called for a motion to approve the financial report as presented. A motion was approved by Karla McMurrin and was seconded by Paul Hildebrand.

Webmaster Larry Bushaw reported the club website is very busy.

The Governor's Report was given by Diane Bowen in place of Governor Garland Groom. Diane reported the 2019 convention will be from July 7th through July 12th in Denver Colorado. Scholarships applications can be online on February 1st. West Region scholarship applications are due August 1st and National Scholarship applications are due June 1st. The West Region Banquet will be on April 6th at Echo Valley Country Club in Des Moines Iowa.

Competition Director Mike Finley reported CRCC will have 14 sanctioned events this year.

Social Director John thanked Diane Bowen for setting up the January Tuesday Dinner at Sally's in Springville. The February Tuesday Dinner will be on February 12th at Bourbon Creek Steak House at 6:00. Depending on the number of members attending this event we can either order off the menu or have a buffet. John reported on several upcoming events for the club. The Chicago Show February 9th-18th 2019, The delivery of flowers for the Wilson Ave Hy-Vee on Wednesday February 13, and Thursday February 14th 2019, Cruisin' for Camp Courageous on Sunday May 19th. Other social plans have not been scheduled yet.

Homecoming Director Tracy Rudd and Historian Sue Rudd were not present at the meeting. No reports were given by either of them.

E-Mail Messenger Bob Bowen reported members should keep him up to date on their email address, so they can be informed of all club information.

Trustee Dennis Primrose asked if the 2019 Officer Election Ballots could be destroyed. A motion was made by Harvey Miller and seconded by Chris Thompson for the ballots to be destroyed. The ballots will be destroyed.

Diane Bowen reported she had been talking to various people wondering what CRCC does with all the monies it received for the club. Diane suggested that CRCC should not publish amounts of money it receives. The money received are Donations.

President Geof reported there would be a Car Show meeting at Godfather's Pizza on Thursday January 24th. President Geof reported what takes place every year the club has election of officers. Geof proposed that the club try to have the election process done electronically. Discussion followed, there will be more information coming in the future.

The 50/50 Drawing was won by Lori Brendes.

The next meeting will be on February 21, 2019.

President Geof called for a motion to adjourned the meeting. A motion was made by Marie Kann and seconded by Lori Brendes. The meeting was adjourned at 8:15 PM.