



Beyond the Glass

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March 2020 Newsletter

Cedar Rapids Corvette Club

From the President's Desk

March Birthdays

2	Marti Maccani
5	Carol Gilbert
12	Brian Pospichal
18	Dan Colby
21	Mikayla Bowen
22	Gary Cummings
23	Elizabeth Kurth
24	Jim Schneider
27	Dick Butschi

Welcome to the March edition of our club newsletter. The Spring weather is going to be here before we know it. The last two weekends certainly have been nice as I got the Corvette out and took it for a drive.



Now that you have had Jan. and Feb. to look at all the catalogs for new accessories and parts it is time to get them ordered. In several more weeks it will be time to shine up the Corvettes and get them in top running condition.

Thank you to the people that delivered flowers for HyVee. Money made will go into the Honor Flight Fund. HyVee was certainly happy that we helped them out and I am sure the veterans will be happy when they get their plaques.

March Anniversaries

3	Garlan & Sharon Groom
2 4	John & Napat Stutzman
2 6	Pat & Cindy McElliott

Thanks to Janice for setting up our monthly dinner out at the Lighthouse Inn and also don't forget about our March monthly dinner out on March 10th at Sally's On Broadway.

CORVETTE "Wave Rules"

Corvette owners, who wave at fellow Corvette owners when they pass on the road, show a mark of recognition that you are among the elite group of intelligent people who are driving America's True Sports Car.

There is no excuse for not waving at your fellow Corvette owner.

There isn't any rule about who waves first. This is simple, if you see another Corvette, Wave! Any type of wave is okay.

A late wave is better than no wave.

March 19, 2020 meeting agenda.

Welcome and vote in potential new members.

Good & Wellness.

Secretary's report and review and approve the previous meeting's secretary's report.

Treasurer's report and review and approve the financial report.

Officer's report.

Committee report.

Years of membership.

Old business.

New business

Car talk: Rusty Carter from SweattShine Auto Detailing

50/50 drawing

Adjourn

The next meeting will be April 16, 2020

Dennis Primrose

President, Cedar Rapids Corvette Club

If your name isn't listed above please let me know so I can get your name on the list.

Meeting – February 20, 2020

Meeting started at 7pm and was called to order by President Dennis Primrose.

Dennis asked if any new guests were present. No new guests were present.

Good and Wellness

Dennis asked if there was anything for good and wellness. No one had anything to report.

January Birthdays and Anniversaries

Dennis announced all the birthdays and anniversaries for the month.

Presidents Report

Dennis received an email from a place in Winona, Minnesota about Vintage Classic Cars. He will send out more info on this as dates get closer. Dates are May 1-2nd, Aug. 28-29, and Oct 23-24th.

Dennis received a Thank You card from Geoffrey Knoerzer for the memorial gift that was sent to him for the death of his mother.

Dennis received a letter from Brain Injury Alliance regarding their annual Recognition at Mercy Medical Center on Tuesday, March 24th. CRCC will be recognized as a contributor.

Dennis received an email from Malinda Finley about showing our Corvettes at Granger House in Marion. Malinda talked about this. They want the club to do a show and shine in their lot. Dennis will call their contact person to get more information.

Dennis brought up about being contacted from Cedar Hills Community Church to participate in their fundraising campaign. It was discussed what the club wanted to do as far as donating to them. It was decided not to do anything as this would set precedence for all churches in our community. It was discussed that a letter should be sent to the church to explain our reason for declining. Dennis to send letter.

Secretary's Report

Annette Grant reported that a Sympathy Card was sent to Kirk Draper along with a check for a memorial gift for his father's death. A motion was made by Brian Richardson to approve the January Minutes and was seconded by Malinda Finley.

Treasurers Report

Larry Bushaw let everyone know that the Federal and State taxes for the club were filed. Larry Bushaw presented the club's financial report. A motion was made by Chris Thompson to approve the financial report as presented. John Watertor seconded the motion.

Vice President Report

Roger Thompson reported on the 50/50 drawing. Half of the amount collected tonight will go to the Honor Flight Fund and the other half to someone at the end of the meeting.

Governors Report

Diane Bowen was filling in for Garland Groom. Said there was nothing much to talk about. Other than Hawkeye Downs – It is on the schedule but still trying to work on contacting someone there.

Trustees Report

Terry Primrose reported there were 40 members in attendance. Diane talked about the National and West Region Scholarships. The National Scholarship is \$1000 and the deadline to get it in is May 1st. The West Region Scholarship is \$500. Once this scholarship form is approved it will be on the website. The deadline for this scholarship is August 1st. These scholarships are for children and grandchildren of club members. Scholarship forms and information can be found on the NCCC website. Once there click on Scholarships.

Social Director

Janice was absent so Diane reported for her. The next cruise meal is March 10th. Check the website for all the details and to sign up.

Bob's Report, by Diane Bowen

Bob reported that if you are having problems with emails to let him know. Bob wants members to check to see if they are getting the emails.

Historian Report

Malinda reported she has nothing.

Home Coming Report

Tracy Rudd is in Florida, so nothing to report at this meeting.

Webmaster Report

Larry Bushaw reported that stuff keeps rolling in. Still need pictures of cars.

Car Committee Report

John Schindler said there will be a signup sheet for the Car Show starting in March.

Dennis Primrose thanked all those members who helped deliver flowers for Hy-Vee for Valentine's Day.

Chris Thompson had anniversary badges to hand out. Found out those who were to receive them were not there. All badges were for all the snowbirds! Chris said he is going to have to try again in a month or so when they will be back to Iowa.

Old Business

Larry Armbrecht thanked people for taking the time to come and visit him while he was in the hospital.

New Business

Mike Finley and Dave Fellmet talked about the driving school they went to. It was called Ron Fellows Corvette Driving School. They showed a video of their experiences there. Talked about it and what all it has to offer. Mentioned they had a country club that you could join and a Resort.

The 50/50 was drawn for. The winner was Linda Thompson.

Adjourned

The meeting was motioned to be adjourned by Carol Cummings and seconded by Felicia Richardson. Adjourned at 8:10pm

The next CRCC monthly meeting will be Thursday, March 19, 2020 at 7:00pm at Pat McGrath Chevylnd.

Respectfully submitted by Secretary, Annette Grant