



# Beyond the Glass

Established 1963

November 2019 Newsletter

Cedar Rapids Corvette Club

## November Birthdays

2	Mike Williams
5	Evonne Wurst
15	Pat Blake
19	Lyle Knutson
21	Kirk Draper
	Francis Lebeda
	Garland Groom
23	Kathy
26	Willenborg
27	Orville Brown

## December Birthdays

1	Doug Blake
4	Marcia Machacek
5	Andrew Bowen
10	Dan McMurrin
	Dave Pawlus
12	Paul Steier
13	Jack Gilmour
	Jon Gilbert
	Kirk Hoepfner
14	Dianna Knutson
	Rob Bowen
16	Dean McCall
17	Steve Luense
20	Larry Bushaw
27	Bob Parrish
29	Joan Dolezal

## From the President's Desk

Welcome to the November edition of our club newsletter. Weather in October.....SNOW!!!!

### CRCC Homecoming Parades

The parades for this year are complete. A few rain-outs but a good time had by all.

### CRCC Cruise Night

November 13: The CRCC evening dinner out will be at Lebowski's Bar and Grill, 925 Robins Square Drive, Robins, Iowa. We will be ordering from the menu at 5:30 PM. No caravan for this evening. John needs an RSVP no later than November 7<sup>th</sup>.

### CRCC Christmas Party

There will be no meeting in December and our December club activity is the Christmas Party. The event will be at the Indian Creek Country Club. ***Please see the calendar event on the club website for the details and the registration form.***

### CRCC Bylaws

The Trustees have met on updating our club Bylaws and we sent an email with the proposed changes. The changes for the election process will be presented at the November meeting for membership voting.

### CRCC Officer Elections

Nominations will be accepted for the elected positions in the club at the November meeting. A number of positions will be open for any member to consider.

### CRCC Elections

We will be using a hosted election website for our club elections this year. We sent out a "CRCC Test Election Ballot" on October 23<sup>rd</sup> to all members that have provided Larry with an email address. The ballots will be sent using the Election Buddy email system to all members.

**Please make sure you have [invitations@mail.electionbuddy.com](mailto:invitations@mail.electionbuddy.com) in your contacts to receive the email (and to avoid sending the email to spam).**

Continue to check the club website for planned activities and updates.

See you at the November 21<sup>st</sup> meeting.

Geof  
Geoffrey Knoerzer  
President



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Minutes Meeting October 17, 2019  
Madeline Watertor Secretary

The meeting was called to order by President Geoff at 7:00 PM. There were 78 people in attendance.

Secretary reported she will make sure members, names are spelled correctly. John Stutzman's name was misspelled. Secretary forgot to mention in the minutes that Bernie and the company will be donating Plaques for the last Honor Flight of 2019.

Donation checks were presented the CRCC's four charities. The charities were Catherine Mccauley Center, Clothe A Child, Eastern Iowa Brain Injury, and Miracles In Motion.

There were some guests present at the meeting. Guests present were Tom Otto, and Emmitt Carmichel. Tom owns a 2008 Gray Convertible and Emmitt owns a Black Z-6 pk CZ. Both guests were voted in as CRCC members.

President Geoff read the list of members celebrating birthdays during the month of October.

President Geoff asked if there were any additions or corrections to the minutes of the September Meeting. The only additions or corrections were the ones mentioned by the secretary at the beginning of these minutes. President Geoff called for a motion to approve the minutes as corrected. A motion was made by Paul Hildebrand and was seconded by Melinda Finley to approve the corrected minutes. The motion was passed.

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 made by John Dolphin and was seconded by Tracy Rudd to approve the financial report. The motion was passed.

Web Master Larry Bushaw reported the is not much on the Web this time of the year, just the Halloween and Christmas Party.

President Geoff read thank you notes received from travelers on the Honor Flight.

John Watertor reported on an article in the Gazette about Jim McLaughlin's accident.

Vice President Dave Fellmet was in charge of the 50/50/ Drawing.

Governor Garland Groom reported Dues are due. A late fee of \$5.00 will be charged if they are not paid on time.

Social Director John Stutzman reported there were 8 people at Speedey's Go Kart track. John Watertor took home the fastest lap time for the group. There was a

cruise in October to the Matchstick Museum. Lunch was at Spanky's in Gladbrook Iowa. The Ice Cream stop was at Tooties's in Vinton. The annual Halloween Party was on October 19th. There were 70 people on the Leaf Run. The November Tuesday Dinner will be at Lebowski's Bar and Grill in Robins on 11/13. RSVP by 11/7. The annual Christmas Party will be at the Indian Creek Country Club on December 14, 2019. Cost is \$30.00 per person.

Homecoming Director Tracy Rudd thanked those who participated in the Homecoming events this Fall.

Historian Sue Rudd is taking pictures of new members.

E-Mail Messenger Bob Bowen reported members should keep him up to date with their e-mail address. Voting for 2020 officers will be done by electronic balloting.

The 2018 Ballots will be destroyed.

If members needs shirts, see Al Willenborg.

There was an auction for the 55 year Banner. Sue Rudd won the Banner for \$270.00

Vice President Dave Fellmet was the winner of the 50/50 Drawing.

President Geoff read the list of Car Show sponsors for 2019.

President Geoff called a motion to adjourn the meeting. A motion was made by John Van Heusen and was seconded by Terry Primrose. The meeting was adjourned at 8:10 PM. The next meeting will be on November 21, 2019.

Cedar Rapids Corvette Club Meeting Agenda

November 21, 2019

7:00 Welcome! My name is Geof Knoerzer and I would like to call to order the November meeting of the Cedar Rapids Corvette Club.

Do we have any guests or new member candidates tonight? Car? Color?

New members will need to see Garland Groom/Larry Bushaw (registration and dues), Bob Bowen (email), Sue Rudd (club photo), Al Willenborg (club shirts, items)

Good and Wellness: New arrivals

New cars

Grandkids

Retirement?

Any notable trips?

Wellness...

Birthdays

Correspondence 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.

Does anyone have any corrections or additions to the minutes of the October meeting as reported by Secretary Madeline Watertor and published in the November Newsletter edition of Messages and Minutes?

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

Secretary's report: (Madeline Watertor)

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

Webmaster report: (Larry Bushaw)

Vice President's report: (Dave Fellmet)

Governor's report: (Garland Groom)

Social Director's report: (John Stutzman)

- Planned club activities.

Homecoming Director's report: (Tracy Rudd)

- Homecoming Parades are complete

Historian's report: (Sue Rudd)

Email Messenger report: (Bob Bowen)

Trustees report: (Jim McLaughlin, Dennis Primrose, Diane Bowen)

- Attendance

- Nominations for office

- Bylaws – vote on the updates

Old business...

- Name plate distribution – Chris Thompson

New business...

50/50 Drawing results this month.....

The next meeting is scheduled for January 16, 2020 at Pat McGrath Chevyland. There is no meeting in December.

Please note: Members meet after the meeting for a "Social Hour". Folks gather at either Papa Juan's on Center Point or Emil's Hideaway by Home Depot.

Is there a Motion for Adjournment? ...Second? ...All in favor