

UNAPPROVED

Monthly General Membership Meeting
November 13, 2014 – Perkins Family Restaurant; Pittston Twp., PA

Joe Lazzaro, President of the Corvette Club of Northeastern Pennsylvania called the November general membership meeting to order at 8:09 p.m. All officers were present.

SECRETARY'S REPORT: Pat Cockerill substituting for Jim Cockerill read the October 2014 general membership minutes submitted by Sandy Fumanti, outgoing Club secretary Ray Burroughs motioned to accept the minutes as read as an accurate account of the meeting, seconded by Bert Occulto.

TREASURER'S REPORT: Carol Reese

M&T Beginning Balance: \$xx

Income: \$xx

Expenses: \$xx

Balance in M & T checking account \$xx

PNC \$xx

Total of all accounts: \$xx

Sue Nerbecki motioned to accept the treasurer's report, seconded by Jim Cockerill.

BILLS AGAINST THE CLUB: Joe Lazzaro presented a bill for \$xx for payment of 2015 NCCC dues. Jay Demerer motioned to pay the bills, seconded by Jim Cockerill; passed unopposed.

DUES REPORT: Linda Rittenhouse - All payments have been received and money turned in with the exception of dues still owed by Jim Haberski and Brooks Estadt.

MEMBERSHIP REPORT: Alan Reese – We voted in and welcomed two new members, Carl and Mary Ann Abbott (spouse membership), Tunchannock. They own a red 2000 hard top.

GOVERNOR'S REPORT: Joe Lazzaro – NCCC dues are being mailed by the end of November. The most recent issue of Blue Bars has been mailed (Joe Lazzaro explained, for the benefit of all the new members what the Blue Bars magazine is and how often it is sent to all NCCC members.) The next Governor's meeting is December 6, 2014 with Joe Lazzaro planning to attend.

CHARITY: Sandy Fumanti – (report will be provided to Joe Lazzaro prior to the meeting). A reminder went out that the committee is collecting personal toiletries for the VA in Wilkes-Barre. Please refer to the website for a list of items to donate.

PROPERTY REPOT: Joe Lazzaro – All items are accounted for.

WEB SITE: Joe Lazzaro – The web site will be updated with Halloween pictures. Joe Lazzaro explained to the new members how they can get their bios and cars posted on the site. Alan and Carol Reese have the Corvette car of the month.

CORVETTE CORNER: Jon Valentine was absent. Joe Lazzaro talked about the recent sink hole updates coming from the Corvette Museum. The first car pulled out was a 2009 ZR1 followed by a 1960. Both are to be restored and put on display. A discussion about the not yet released ZO6 followed, including a report that while testing, the first one crashed and how it is being compared to the Dodge Hell Cat.

COMMITTEE REPORTS:

October 12, 2014 Sunday Ride chaired by Mike Margeotes:-- 6 members and 3 cars participated in a ride to Edison New Jersey. Alan Resse reported that the ride was nice, with the old machine shop being of special interest.

October 18, 2014 Keystone College Homecoming Parade chaired by Alan Reese :11 members, 3 guests and 8 cars represented the Club in the 1 mile parade. The complimentary lunch was served on the new baseball field. Parking was an issue and the event was not as well organized as in the past, but still a worthwhile event.

October 25, 2014 Halloween Party chaired by Tina Gittleman: 17 members, 13 guests and 8 cars were in attendance at the Novitski's haunted farm house. Everyone had a good time, with several attendees wearing costumes.

November 8, 2014 Dinner and Comedy Night chaired by Sandy Fumanti: Joe Lazzaro reported that the event was canceled.

UPCOMING EVENTS:

November 22, 2014 Members Party chaired by Tina Gittleman: To date 37 members have signed up for the event to be held at Fiorelli's Catering 1501 Main St. Peckville. The event runs from 6pm-10pm.

OLD BUSINESS: Joe Lazzaro reminded that the election of 2015 officers took place at the October 2014 meeting. The 2015 pocket calendars will go to print and be available at the December General Meeting. Chairs are still needed for 3 Club Nights January, 17, February 21, and March 21) as well as the June 26-28 weekend away. If anyone is interest in chairing any of these events please see Joe Lazzaro or any of the Board Members.

NEW BUSINESS: Joe Lazzaro reported that, as a result of a board discussion, the 2015 Members Dinner will be held Saturday, January 2016. Bids for the event my be submitted by any member and are due by the March 2015 General Meeting.

GOOD OF THE CLUB: Tina Gittleman has old East Region Patches she is giving away for free. Joe Lazzaro announced that anyone interested in purchasing a new club jacket should let him or any Board member know. If there is any interest details on jacket style, logo and cost will be explored and brought back to the club. The next Board meeting will be held Tuesday, December 2, 2014 at Perkins Family Restaurant, Pittston, 6pm dinner, meeting 7pm. The next General Meeting is Thursday, December 11, Perkins Family Restaurant 6pm dinner, meeting 8pm. Joe Lazzaro stated that we may try to hold our meetings at some different venues. A reminder that Club Merchandize is available for sale: duffle bags (black only) \$20; Thermos' \$15; hats \$12; coolers \$15; coasters \$2.50 each or 6 for \$10; blankets \$20, and patches \$2.

50/50: \$xx collected; Sue Nerbecki won \$xx and \$xx was directed to the Charity Fund.

The meeting adjourned at 9:30p.m. on a motion by Bert Occulto; seconded by Ray Burroughs.

Submitted by,
Pat Cockerill