

HIGH SIERRA CORVETTES MEETING MINUTES FOR APRIL 21, 2016

The meeting was called to order by President, Bruce Puphal at 6:31 p.m. There were 45 members and 4 guests in attendance.

MEMBERSHIP DIRECTOR'S REPORT – Suzie Bradanini

Guests did self introductions: Gary & Bonnie Reifel and Jean Bartholf & Ron Smith (her son). Birthdays for April: Sue Waid 4/06, Valerie Hudleson 4/10, Rick Utermoehlen 4/12, Gordon Mulay 4/15, Monica Perkins 4/19. We sang Happy Birthday along with Geoff Girvin's harmonica.

Anniversaries: Rick & Cheryl Zahm 4/19

SUNSHINE REPORT - No report

TREASURER'S REPORT – Nita Jacobsen

Treasurer, Nita Jacobsen gave her report. A detailed copy of the report is available upon request.

CORRESPONDENCE – none

SOCIAL ACTIVITIES / COMMITTEE REPORTS – Hank Bradanini, V.P.

Past Events – Dash & Dine on April 16th, Organizer/ Fernando De la Torre. There were 16 cars on the run to Camptonville, via Hwy 49. They had lunch at Burger Daves. If you weren't able to go, you got to try the Bloody Marys! they're the best, with little burgers that come with the drink.

Upcoming Events

April 23rd – Hare and Hound – Organizer Gary Hill, w/Dave Garber, & Ron Nevis

Gary explained how it works. Us first timers are still confused. The route will be marked with various symbols to let us know if we are going the right direction. We will end up at a restaurant at the end for dinner. We will meet at Kmart before 12:00. Our leave times will be staggered. Cost: \$10 per car which will be the prizes at the end. The prizes are for 1st, 2nd, & 3rd places based on your mileage.

May 14th – Day trip to Plymouth area - Organizer, Hank Bradanini. Meet at Kmart at by 9:00 a.m. Going Hwy 49 and will stop for lunch at Villa Tuscana Bistro. Then to Sutter Creek for a walk about. Those interested continue on 49 to Placerville to the Bozer Winery.

Sunday, May 22nd - Ladies Tea at Sue Waid's Home at 12:30. Potluck: Bring salad, appetizer, or dessert to share. **CONFIRMING: THE DATE IS MAY 22ND.**

Sunday, May 22nd – Men's Run to Thunder Valley Casino for Lunch - Organizer, Anthony Halby. Meet at Kmart at 11:00 a.m.

The Dessert Social – *Has been Rescheduled to May 29th @ 1:00 p.m.*: Location, Geoff & Ginger Girvin's home. There will be a Taco & Root Beer float lunch and cooking demonstration. Bring folding chairs & BYOB. More to follow.

Trip to Ronald McDonald House – June 24th (Fri.) Organizer, Bruce Puphal

Meet at Kmart - Time TBD We will stop at Awful Annie's in Auburn to eat breakfast on the way. Then onto our destination off Hwy 50.

RACING COMMITTEE REPORT - Carol Puphal

Rod Ferreira had more info on the upcoming events from April 29 – May 2nd at Laguna Seca. There are several members who will be going to part of these events. (Rick U., Fernando, & Rod) Can't wait to hear how they do.

Check the WSCC site for this year's racing schedule. www.wscs.ws

WSCC REPORT – Gary Hill

- WSCC will not be having a regular Convention this year but are still talking about a gathering for a weekend. Gary had not heard a report on that info yet.
- There is a meeting set to discuss how convention will work in the future: 1) they plan to use smaller Hotels. 2) It will last 4 days instead of one week. 3) One year it will be up North and the next year down South. Suggested places: Reno, Las Vegas, then Medford, rotating each year.

OLD BUSINESS – Bruce Puphal

Trip to Murphys - Nov. 5 & 6. We will leave in the a.m. (time TBD) So far we have 13 rooms booked out of 16. We can walk around and enjoy the sites while the town celebrates "The Day of the Dead. We will be in a banquet room for our buffet dinner and we'll have our own bar. On Sunday morning we will have breakfast in a room off to the side of their restaurant. We'll order off the regular menu. **Murphy's Hotel Phone # is: 1-800-532-7684..Tell them you are with the HS Corvette Club.**

NEW BUSINESS – Bruce Puphal

- Bruce mentioned the election of the board is coming up and now is the time to think about the ideas of filling one of the positions. Just planting the seed.
- Gary Hill shared that a former member of our club, Joe Meyer had been dealing with serious cancer issues and has past away.
- 12 Club Hats have been ordered – Should have them at the next meeting.
- Ray Shepard mentioned and wanted to know if anyone is interested in the idea of going to the Sacramento Raceway on a Wednesday night to one of the races. The cost is: \$20.

REMINDERS

Save your pull tabs (for Ronald McDonald House) & hotel items (for Women of Worth). Make sure items aren't used.

The meeting was adjourned at 7:25 p.m. by President, Bruce Puphal.

Submitted by: Carol Puphal, Club Secretary

The 50/50 Raffle - Member, Ralph Van Hine won \$70.00 Congratulations Ralph!