

**HIGH SIERRA CORVETTES**  
**General Meeting Minutes**  
**Thursday, November 16, 2017 (@ Las Katarinas)**

Meeting was called to order at 5:48pm by President Tom Boyes. The meeting was attended by 41 members and two guests.

**Membership Director's Report**

**Tom**

Introduce new guests

Suzie

Suzie introduced Mike and Rita Toomey as her guests for the evening. Mike and Rita have a 1999 Black with tan interior convertible Corvette. All the members wholeheartedly welcomed the Toomey's to our meeting.

**Birthdays:** Suzie Bradanini (Nov 4), Brian Barrington (Nov 5), Karin Opel (Nov 5), Ray Shepherd (Nov 6), Cheryl Wallington (Nov 7), Keith Hartwig (Nov 7), Sandie Lake (Nov 10), Anthony Halby (Nov 22)

**Anniversaries:** Jay & Nita Jacobsen (Nov 9), Bill & Judy Rutzler (Nov 12)

We all sang "Happy Birthday" with the the help from our harmonica expert, Geoff Girvin.

**Sunshine Report:** Suzie extended warm wishes to Carol Puphal following her cataract surgery. Everyone was so glad to "SEE" her at the meeting knowing she is doing well!

**Treasurer's Report**

**Nita**

Nita provided a review of the Treasurer's report. A detailed copy of the report is available upon request. She explained that the Halloween expenses will be reflected in next month's report.

Additionally, Nita thanked everyone for participating in a fun Halloween event at her home.

**Correspondence**

**Nita**

No correspondence was reported for this month.

**Social Activities/Committee Reports**

**Becky**

Completed:

**Delta King Mystery Dinner - Oct 21st**

**Tom**

Tom announced he is submitting applications for a new co-pilot. He playfully stated that Becky was "fired" from the job. The members applauded Tom and Becky for a great event.

**Halloween Party – Oct 28<sup>th</sup>, Nita & Jay Jacobsen's Home**

**Suzie/Nita/Geoff**

Suzie thanked all members who participated in the Halloween party, especially to the BBQers and those who dressed in costumes. Stella was mentioned for her amazingly outrageous costume. Good job, Stella! Suzie extended a big thank you to Jay and Nita for the use of their home.

**Veteran's Day Celebration – November 11<sup>th</sup>**

**Becky**

Becky gave a summary of the Veteran's Day Celebration on behalf of Cap who was unable to make the meeting. She mentioned how heartwarming it was to see our veterans from WWII, Korea, Vietnam and Iraq. She also described the ceremony as focusing on our women veterans. Cap was the Master of Ceremony with music provided by the Grass Valley Men's Choir along with a duet who sang "Hallelujah". Becky encouraged members to attend next year.

Upcoming:

**Off Broadstreet – Dec 2**

**Linda**

Linda informed the members that she has twenty-five (25) seats reserved with only four (4) seats remaining for the December 2 "Heartland Holiday" performance. The show starts at 8:15pm. Those attending the show will meet at Bistro 221 in Nevada City at 5:00pm for dinner.

**Christmas Party Update - Dec 12**

**Chris**

Chris reminded members that the holiday party is scheduled for December 12 and the deadline to submit reservations is November 30. The party will be held at the Lake Wildwood Clubhouse. Chris will send out a reminder email prior to Thanksgiving. Bruce also reminded members who are attending the party to bring canned goods for the food drive.

**Studio Movie Grill**

**Tom**

Tom has been speaking with the general manager at the Studio Grill to obtain group tickets for the Orient Express. Group tickets for twenty (20) or more are \$8.25 each. He has up to November 21 to purchase tickets. At this date, he has not been able to finalize the purchase. More information will follow via email.

**Cool April Nights – Apr 2018**

**Becky**

Becky suggested that members obtain hotel reservations soon if planning to attend Cool April Nights in Redding, CA. Anthony has reserved a room at the Hampton Inn for \$130.00 per night, if others are interested.

**Rogue River Corvette Club Annual BBQ, Azalea, OR – May 12, 2018**

**Jay**

Jay informed the members that the Oregon Corvette Club has invited us to join them in their annual BBQ on May 12. He mentioned that Azalea, Oregon is located about 1.5 hours above Medford. More information will be provided as we approach this date.

**Corvette Caravan 2019**

**Becky**

More information will be provided as we approach 2019

**Racing Committee Report**

**Tom**

*If you are interested in learning about the different racing groups and their schedules, check these websites out:*

**Check the WSCC site for this year's racing schedule:** [www.wscw.ws](http://www.wscw.ws)

**Check on Hooked on Driving for their schedule:** [www.hookedondriving.com](http://www.hookedondriving.com)

**Check No. Calif. Racing Club:** [www.ncracing.org](http://www.ncracing.org)

**Old Business**

**Tom**

New Meeting location

Tom

Tom stated that Penny's restaurant is no longer a potential meeting location since this restaurant is now serving dinner from Tuesday through Saturday. Lumberjacks was an alternative. The Old Apple Alley was also a possibility. Tom asked for a show of hands a out making Las Katarina's our permanent meeting location and the majority approved.

**New Business**

**Tom**

At this point there is no new business to discuss.

**Planning meeting**

**Becky**

Becky would like to have a Dash and Dine each month. Becky stated that Cap has a source in Sacramento for the Spring or Fall to tour the CHP training facility that includes the driving demonstrations. More information will be provided in January. Becky distributed a Schedule of Events for 2018 to discuss potential venues for each month. The following is a summary of this discussion.

*January*

1. Becky mentioned that a White Elephant Party will be held at the January meeting at Las Katarinas. The White Elephant will take place after the meeting which will begin at 5:30 with dinner before as usual.
2. Dave Garber stated that he would like to organize a Dash and Dine to Almond Valley near Woodland for a luncheon. Dave will provide more information.
3. Also, Steve Bluestein planned to organize a trip to Alcatraz but he discovered tours were stopped two years ago so this event will not take place.

#### *February*

1. Dave and Sue will sponsor a Super Bowl Party with the old movie, Heidi, as the main event and Polar Bear swimming in the pool. The game will be presented outside on a black and white TV...just kidding! :)
2. Anthony and Charlene will organize a run to Peg's Glorified Eggs in Roseville. All will meet at Kmart. More information to follow.

#### *March*

1. Nita may elect to organize a talent show. More information will be provided.
2. Tom and Becky will organize a Dash and Dine for this month.

#### *April*

1. Cool April Nights will be the run for April. Obtain your reservations as soon as possible.
2. Bruce and Carol will organize an ice cream social as their Dash and Dine for this month.

#### *May*

1. The ladies Tea and Men's luncheon will be held this month. Anthony requested that the tea and luncheon are scheduled for the same day.
2. The trip to the Rogue River will be held May 12. No need for a Dash and Dine this month since this trip is schedule

#### *June*

1. Jennifer Durrett and Sharon Beckwith will each put together a separate Dash and Dine for June. One may be a mystery D&D!

#### *July*

The members agreed to scrap the July 4<sup>th</sup> parade.

1. Dave and Sue would like to have a "Pool and Go-carts" party at their home in July.
2. Anthony and Charlene would like to look into a run to the Chase Water Winery. More information to follow.
3. We will check with the Reifel's as to whether they plan to host another Lake Wildwood 4<sup>th</sup> of July fireworks party.

#### *August*

1. Hot August Nights in Reno is targeted for August.
2. Dave suggested the Silver Dollar Saloon and Marysville Racetrack or a trip to Auburn for the Fast Friday side car races. More information to follow for these potential events.
3. Our club picnic will be held in August. Ray and Cathy Shephard have offered their home again for August 18 or the club may elect to have the picnic at Western Gateway in Penn Valley. More information to follow.

#### *September*

1. Anthony Halby suggested renting three (3) houseboats on Lake Englebright as a potential fun event.
2. In mid-September, Anthony would like to organize a "progressive" all day event to include breakfast, lunch, dinner and dessert. Yummy! More information to follow.

#### *October*

1. Jay and Nita will sponsor another Halloween party but the party will be divided into two (2) weekends; one weekend for the Pumpkin Chunkin and the other weekend for the costume party. More information will follow as time passes.

2. Ron will organize a Carmel Getaway with the help from Chris and Al. Time and details to be provided at a later date.

#### *November*

1. Steve and Bruce will sponsor a trip to Murphy's for the "Day of the Dead" weekend on November 2 and 3. Twenty-five (25) rooms have been reserve for \$168.54 per night. The plan will be to arrive on Friday and stay to Sunday (2 nights stay).

#### *December*

1. Our club Christmas party will be organized. More information to be provided as time passes.

#### **Reminders**

Save your pull-tabs & hotel items, send Jay your photos & check the WSCC web calendar – [www.wscs.ws](http://www.wscs.ws)

#### **Adjourn meeting**

Meeting was adjourned by President Tom at 7:50pm

#### **Raffle**

The 50/50 raffle was held. Total amount raised was \$126.00. The winner was Jeff Dissing and he received \$63.00. The remaining balance will be added to the raffle account.

Meeting minutes respectfully submitted by Chris Megenity, Secretary, HSCC

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#### **Did You Know?**

**1973 was the last year for the Corvette split bumper!**

**Happy Thanksgiving!!!**