

HIGH SIERRA CORVETTES  
HSCC General Meeting Minutes  
January 18, 2023  
Margarita's, Grass Valley

Meeting called to order at 6:00; 32 members, no guests

David

Franklin

Sunshine Report: (December dates announced at November's meeting)

Linda Mulay

Birthdays: Dave Garber (25), Larry Opel (31)

Anniversaries: No anniversaries for January

Treasurer's Report

Jennifer

Durrett

Beginning

Balance for Dec.2022

\$8422.29

Expenses \$4318.47, Raffle account \$243.00

Ending

Balance \$4265.82

Social Activities/ Past events

Dec 3<sup>rd</sup> 25 Hours of Thunderhill Racing (canceled due to illness/weather)

Beckwith, John

Dec 16<sup>th</sup> (Friday) Holiday Party at *The Ridge* in Auburn

Bluestein, Steve

Steve discussed how the party went, comments overall were positive like the video screen show using HSCC website's photos, and the appetizers (who knew how good risotto was after it was turned into arancini balls!). Entrée items were discussed, and most felt the beef was okay, but some folks got rarer portions and David will talk to the Ridge about consistency. Suggestions for improvement were raising the screen before dancing, more suggestions for dance music. Live music would be preferred, but the BOD had previously discussed this and felt spending an additional \$500 wasn't a good option for 2022 since it would have increased the per person cost by \$25 above the \$75 we paid. Instead of the gift exchange, consider awards for the Worst Sweater. The Ridge has confirmed that if we use a weekday night (\$150), the room rent is much cheaper than a weekend rate (\$1000). 2023 Holiday party is scheduled for Thursday, December 21<sup>st</sup>. \*\*\*Please send your ideas for

our 2023 holiday party to Steve B.

Committee Reports/Upcoming Events

David

Franklin

ByLaw Committee

At the January board meeting, early suggestions for revisions to the current bylaws were discussed and brought to our general meeting. Proposed changes include adding ability to vote by email or in-person at the general meeting, since it was felt that all members deserved to be heard. Regarding dues, adding a description of what dues should generally be used for (deposits in advance of an event, such as our Bodega Bay outing this September, and the annual holiday party, with the deposit to be covered by those attending). It was also discussed of how to handle potential emergency events, for example payment for our general meeting room, or liability insurance should it suddenly become mandatory.

Please review our current Bylaws by following this hyperlink [4th Revision ByLaws](#) . If you have suggestions, or would like to work on the Bylaws committee, please contact David or any other BOD member *soon*. All proposed changes will be shared at the

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February 15<sup>th</sup> general meeting, and members will vote at the March 15<sup>th</sup> general meeting, per the current bylaws.

**Public Service Announcements**

**Cathy Shepherd,**

**Mark Triolo**

**Cathy** discussed the emergency Assistance List she put together to help people find a place to evacuate to. She is adding a few extra questions and confirming your desire to remain on it, so look for her email. In addition, per a January 19<sup>th</sup> email, Cathy also wanted to inform us that there will be a test of the Code Red System of Nevada county this February 1<sup>st</sup> beginning at 10am. Be sure to sign up to receive this test message, and update your information.

**Mark** discussed an overview of a neighborhood radio program for Nevada county to use for disasters when cell phones fail. An email was sent to club members on January 21, 2023.

**Upcoming Events**

**David**

**Franklin**

If you have signed up to lead/co-lead an event, please confirm dates so we can finalize for our members. Here is what we have so far:

**Calendar for 2023**

Jan.	26 <sup>th</sup>	Bowling	Ray
Shepherd			
Feb.	12th	Superbowl Party	John &
Sharon Beckwith			
	23rd	Monte Vista Inn Dash-N-Dine	Dale &
Jennifer Durrett			
Mar.		La Fornaretta Dash-N-Dine	Steve
& Kym Johnson			
April		Delta Run	several co-
leaders			
May		New Clarveaux Winery/Sierra Nevada Brewry ( <i>Overnight</i> )	MJ, Paul, &
Becky			
	20th	Movie Night	David & Debbie
Franklin			
	29 <sup>th</sup>	Summer Kickoff (Memorial Day)	John &
Sharon Beckwith			
June		Alleghany Run	Steve & Kym
Johnson			
		Olde Sacramento Event w/Reno Corvettes?	
July	4 <sup>th</sup>	Parade in Grass Valley	
	4 <sup>th</sup>	Fireworks at Lake Wildwood	Gary &
Bonnie Reifel			
		Sardine Lake	Scott &
Cyndie Purdy			
Aug.	19 <sup>th</sup>	Movie Night	David & Debbie
Franklin			

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Sept 19-22	Bodega Bay	<i>Overnight</i>	David & Debbie
Franklin	30 <sup>th</sup>	Annual Picnic	
Oct. 7-8 <sup>th</sup>	Italian Fest in Reno	<i>Overnight</i>	Bruce &
Carol Puphal			
	Poker Run		Steve & Kym
Johnson		Toys 4 Tots drive	
Shepherd, Cathy			
Nov. 11 <sup>th</sup>	Veteran's Day Ceremony		
Dec 21 <sup>st</sup>	. (Thur) Holiday Party at <i>The Ridge</i> , Auburn		Steve
Bluestein, Chair			

**Closing remarks**

Save your pull-tabs (Becky Boyes), eye glasses/Hearing Aids (Chris Megenity); hotel items, and photos of ALL events and your car please (MJ Emmons [4maryjayne@gmail.com](mailto:4maryjayne@gmail.com)).

**Meeting was adjourned at 6:32**

**David**

**Franklin**

**Thank you Monica** for making a cake, and Steve Bluestein for sharing it with us. Absolutely YUM.

**50/50 Raffle**

**Debbie F & Cyndie**

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We collected a total of \$122 total. January's charity donation of \$61 goes to *Rescue 4 Pets' Sake*. Steve Johnson was the lucky 50/50 winner in the amount of \$61 (Kym, be sure he shares!) November's 50/50 earnings of \$185 were deposited into our Club account. No raffle was held in December, 2022.

Respectfully submitted by Debbie Franklin/Secretary on January 22, 2023.