

HIGH SIERRA CORVETTES
HSCC General Meeting Minutes
August 21, 2024
Las Katarinas, Grass Valley

Meeting was called to order by Steve Johnson at 6:00pm, guest Gregory Ingram introduced.

Charity

Accepting our check for \$400 was Gregory Ingram, Anew Day's incoming president. Gregory explained that Anew Days' Mission "is to provide affordable counseling services, support groups, education and training to help people find healing from past hurts, peace in today's struggles, and hope for a better tomorrow ". (anew-day.com/mission) They offer one-on-one counseling with trained lay counselors, asking for a \$5 donation. When they were established in 2006, Nevada County ranked #1 in suicides per capita in California, and now Nevada County is down to #17. Anew Day was sponsored by Cyndie Purdy, who also worked as a trained lay counselor. Thank you Cyndie!

Sunshine Report, read by Steve for Linda Mulay

Birthdays:

Lindsay Mulay (2), Kimberly Ulrich (5), Kim Snowden (6), Dennis DeBerge (14), Merrill Grant (14), Kris Gedney (15), Al Megenity (21), Ruth Galtieri (24), Cyndie Purdy (26), Kathy Triolo (27). Here's to a belated Happy Birthday to Jack Laird (June 22).

Anniversaries:

Dave & Sue Garber (6), Bruce & Carol Puphal (10), Chris Farhina & Nicki Nicolai (25)

Treasurer Report, read by Steve for Jennifer Durrett

Beginning Balance \$5489.45 Available Funds \$3939.45

***Annual Membership is past due September 1st. If you didn't give Debbie Franklin your check tonight, or already sent it to Jennifer, you can check the roster or Jennifer's email from August 1st for her home address. Thank you.

Social Activities/ Past events

Steve

July 31 Sardine Lake Steve Johnson took over for Scott Purdy, who was unable to make the run due to injuring his knee while on vacation. Steve and Kym led the 18 cars along the back roads to Truckee for lunch, bypassing the seriously slow I-80 due to road construction, then more scenic roads up to Sardine Lake for adult beverages, then the resort for HSCC sponsored appetizers and dinner. Good food and stories were shared all around. We look forward to 2025, with Scott hopefully to attend his own run! Thank you again Steve for a comfortable driving pace as I was able to keep up with you and Doug. Those attending included the Johnsons, Leonards, Emmons, Puphals, Beckwiths, Blusteins, Aumonds, Lairds, Megenitys, Franklins, Durrett, Ulrichs, Triolos, Utermoehls, Stahmers, Chuck & Ruth, Dennis, and Linda & Cowboy Pete.

Committee Reports/Upcoming Events Steve for Rick Utermoehlen

Aug 21	Corvette Caravan to Bowling Green, KY	Shepherds
Aug 24	Outdoor Dinner & Movie Fool's Gold	Franklins
Sept 7	Roamin Angels sponsored by Jack Laird who reports that our club isn't needed to help work the event, so it will be their usual \$35 entrance fee per car.	
Sept 14	Annual Picnic at Gateway Park with Kathie U as chair. Look for a Punchbowl "Save The Date"	

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- Sept 19 Mystery Run, led by Julie Suzuki. It will be about an hour with lunch with lunch upon arrival.
- Oct 30 Halloween Costume Party Bluesteins
- Nov 16 Sacramento Museum, Underground Tour. Look for an email from Cathy Shepherd
- Dec 11 Holiday Party at The Ridge in Auburn. Steve B chair. Steve Johnson reminded us of how nice it was for he and Kym to spend the night at the SpringHill Suites in Auburn, which provided a free shuttle to and from last year's event.

2025 possible events: Shasta (Aumonds), and Santa Cruz (Franklins). Time to plan **your** event; there are many folks who can help coordinate with you.

New Officer Induction for 2024-2025 will be postponed until our picnic, Sept 14th. Steve

Keep yourself healthy.

Ruth Galtieri gave us an update on her recent surgery due to breast cancer. She explained that because of her age, she no longer met the guidelines for biannual/annual mammograms. Fortunately, she self-diagnosed herself with a monthly check. She finally got surgery after several delays and multiple tests, and was rewarded for her patience with a relatively pain-free post-op course and good results. She strongly encourages us to follow up on our personal cancer screenings, and be proactive if you feel that something isn't right. Ruth thanked everyone for all of the prayers and best wishes sent her way.

Closing remarks

Steve

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

The meeting was adjourned around 7:10pm by Steve.

50/50 Raffle We sold \$170 in raffle tickets this evening, with \$85 going to our charity, Washington Veterans Memorial. Chuck Rei was our lucky winner of \$85 also. July's raffle proceeds of \$82 went to our club.

Our next Board of Directors meeting is on Tuesday, September 3rd at 0900, at Lumberjacks in Grass Valley. Please contact a Board member if you plan to attend so that we can reserve seating for you.

Please note: We are not having our usual September 18th general meeting at Las Katarinas. Instead, it will be combined with our Annual Picnic on Saturday, Sept 14th, at Western Gateway Park Picnic Area, Penn Valley

Come ready to officially welcome in our 2024-2025 newest BOD members!

Respectfully submitted August 28th, 2024/ Debbie Franklin