

April 2009 CVCC Membership Meeting Minutes

President Bob Bowen **called the meeting to order**, and asked for a moment of silence.

Motion to **accept the March minutes** made by Brian Demnicki, and seconded by Jim Staver.

Governor's Report given by Jack Priestner. Jack reviewed upcoming events to be held in the East Region. Jack has NCCC 50th Anniversary pins available for \$3.00, for anyone interested.

Motion made by Dave Walter to accept the Governor's Report. Seconded by Dave Deer.

Treasurer's Report given by Gary Miller. Motion to accept made by Sally Walter. Seconded by Paul Ezzo.

No New Members readings this month.

Cruisers and Waxers report given by George Andreas. George mentioned the Judging School which will be held in May at the Hare's residence.

Speed Events- no events to report.

Old Business:

- **Doc Hollidays:** Gary Wolf reported that 51 people attended this event which was organized by his "best friend" (wife, Jackie). Service was very good and everyone had a great time.
- **April 18-19 Pocono Driving School:** Dave Walter reports this event is not yet filled up. He encourages anyone who might be interested to fill out the application. There have been enough registrations to break even, and not lose money. Anyone interested in working should contact Mike Ludt. Jack Priestner added that "tech" will be held at the Ramada on Friday evening from 5-8pm, and Saturday morning at the track. He could use help getting all of the cars through this process. Anyone coming to the track, even if just to watch, should tell the people at the gate that they are there to work at the corvette event.
- **April 25th Awards Banquet:** Bill Grove reports this event will be held at the Elks as usual. Anyone who has signed up needs to get their money to Bill asap. He also reminded everyone that instead of door prizes, this year all attendees are encouraged to bring donations for our troops. Larry Kiser will be sure they get to the troops. Approved list of items needed were in the March newsletter and on the website.
- **April 26th Spring Carlisle:** Brian Demnicki reported that The Cumberland Valley Classics will be hosting a "cruise-in". This will be open to any make, model or year car. Use gate 3. Gate opens at 7am. Must be present by noon to participate. There will be 50/50, prizes for the top 10 cars, etc. Cost is \$5 for 1 driver, \$10 for a carload. Proceeds to benefit the Todd Baird Lyndsey Foundation (FBLA)
- **May 2nd Young Eagle Fly-In:** Bob Bowen reports that we will be participating in this event again, at the New Cumberland Airport, for kids and adults with special needs. Pilots offer their time, fuel and planes to give free rides to the participants. We offer rides in our corvettes, as do some other car clubs, fire trucks, police vehicles, etc. Be at the airport by 10:00am. If interested in breakfast before the event, meet at the Bob Evans off the Limekiln exit around 8:30. We are usually at the airport until about 2:00. We will be presenting our donation check to Spina Bifida at this event. We collected approximately \$450 through parades and homecomings this year to donate. Bill Grove made a motion to donate \$500. Seconded by Ron Hamilton.
- **May 7th New Member's Meeting:** Come early (6:45) to the monthly membership meeting this month, and people will be available to explain all of the various types of events we offer. Find out more about what CVCC has to offer.

- May 17th **Judging School**: This event will be held at the Hare's residence at 1:00. Bob Bowen explained that we need judges to help out at some of our money making car show events this season. This judging school will be a great learning experience for both people who are willing to help the club judge, and those who want more information on participating in car shows. We need your help. Please consider attending this event.
- May 29th **Yellow Breeches**: Matt Newman again is asking for cars to participate in this event to be held at the Yellow Breeches Educational Center (Old Frankford School, Big Spring School District). This school provides education to neglected or abused boys who need a small group setting to succeed. This is CVCC's 3rd year arranging to have cars at the school for the kids to look at, answer questions, and give rides to. Please consider helping out at this worthwhile event from 9:30-11:30. The school's address is 3967 Enola Rd., Newville, PA 17241. Contact Matt Newman if interested, or if you have any questions.
- May 31st **Gettysburg Rallye**: Karen Priestner reported that this rallye will start from the same location as in the past, which is the parking lot near the Ruby Tuesday's on Route 30, just west of the intersection with Route 15. Tentative registration time will be 9-9:45, with first car out at 10:00. Waiting to finalize an ending location before confirming the start time. Watch the website, newsletter and googlegroup for final information as soon as it is available.
- June 7th **All Fords National @ Carlisle**: Bob Bowen reports we received a request to host an autocross at this event. We will do the timing, and provide workers. This will be a money making event for our club. The club agreed to put on this event.
- July 2nd **Carlisle Summerfaire parade**: Our club will participate in this parade, once again. Judy Ludt has submitted our application and information about the club. We will meet at the Weis Markets at Spring Garden and High Sts. around 6:00. Note, the monthly club meeting will NOT be held on this date.
- July 10th **Picnic Meeting**: This will take the place of the monthly meeting. Everyone is invited to Mike and Elaine Ludt's house for this monthly meeting. Bring a chair and a covered dish. The club will provide the meats and drinks. The meeting will be short, with more time for this to be a social event.
- July 18th **Graham Motors Show**: This will be a double sanctioned event for our club. We will need judges to help. Marlin Ludt will be in charge of this show. More information to follow.
- July 19th **Big Spring High School Autocross**: This will be another double sanctioned event for our club. It may possibly become a triple event, if we agree to use CPCC's extra sanction. We will need a few people to help set up this event, after the Graham show on Saturday evening. We will also need workers to help at this event on Sunday.
- August 15th **Mini Grand Prix**: Carl Strayer is chairing this event, to be held at the Masonic Lodge in Elizabethtown. The organizers pay our club \$1000 to provide workers in the pits and for the corners on the course. We need quite a few volunteers to help work this event. Carl will hold a party at his house the evening before to review the expectations, rules and duties. Please consider helping with this fundraising event.
- Aug 25th **Day at the Track**: Dave Walter reports that Lance Miller from Carlisle Productions has approached him asking if our club would be willing to help put on an event at Summit Point the Tuesday before Corvette's at Carlisle. Discussion was held about the amount of money it will cost CVCC to reserve the track and workers, and event costs. Our

club will also need to provide a small amount of workers to help with the paddock and staging. A motion was made by Dave Walter to go ahead with this event. Seconded by Bill Sangrey. Passed by a voice vote.

- Bob Bowen read a **thank you** card **from Sally Walter**, for the flowers she was sent following her surgery.
- Bill Sangrey gave an update on the **Teen Driving School**. We are looking into partnering with BMW Car Club of America Foundation which has a program called the “Street Survival Program” which has been running since 2002. We would still be responsible for providing the site, food, etc. State Farm has agreed to provide all of the pizza’s that would be needed to feed the participants. We will need to have a lot of help to put this event on. Bill will update us with dates asap.
- Bob Bowen reminded the club that there are 4 more tickets available for free admission to the **Nation Corvette Museum** in Bowling Green. If anyone will be headed down to the NCM, see Bob for tickets.

New Business:

- Bill Grove told the membership about a boy from Shippensburg who has autism. The family is trying to raise money to get this boy a service dog which would alert the family if he was going to have a seizure, and also be trained in search and rescue should he run off. A motion was made by Ron Wolf to donate \$200, seconded by Dave Walter, and passed by a voice vote.
- Mike Strayer announced that if anyone wants to ride along up to Pocono, he will have room to take 2-3 people with him.
- Bill Sangrey asked that everyone look at the mailing labels on their newsletters to be sure of the accuracy of the address. Any changes should be sent to Bill and Joanne Sangrey, who are now taking care of mailing the newsletter. Bud Long is now publishing the newsletter.
- Brian Demnicki announced that the Cumberland Valley Classics Car Club is working on a cruise-in to be held May 2nd from 10-4 at Sutliff Chevrolet in Harrisburg. Everyone is invited to come out and see the new camaro, win door prizes, and have free food.
- Motion made to adjourn the meeting.
- Nametag drawing was Mike Ludt, but he did not have his nametag.
- 50/50 total was \$45 each, won by Dave Deer and Larry Kiser.

Respectfully Submitted by:

Karen Priestner

(substitute secretary for Joan Bower)