

**Capitol City Corvette Club**  
**Montgomery, Alabama**

Minutes of the Meeting Tuesday, February 7, 2017

The February meeting convened at 7PM at the Sinclair's East in Montgomery, with 45 people in attendance. Jo Alexander, President, called the meeting to order.

**SECRETARY'S REPORT**

Susan Springall, Secretary, reported that minutes of the last meeting were sent to all members via email. A hard copy of the minutes is available for review.

**MEMBERSHIP REPORT**

Pam Smith, Membership Chairman, announced that, as of January 31, the club now has a total of 83 member families. There have been 25 renewal families as of this date, not including those receiver tonight.

She welcomed one little visitor, granddaughter of Jimmy and Teresa Lewis.

Pam wished "Happy Birthday" to all members with February birthdays: Bob Elmore (2<sup>nd</sup>), Jo Alexander (5<sup>th</sup>), Jessica Echols (7<sup>th</sup>), Carol Wilkerson (9<sup>th</sup>), Ben D'Amico (11<sup>th</sup>), Brett Echols (13<sup>th</sup>), Jamie Jamison (18<sup>th</sup>), Meg Caldwell (20<sup>th</sup>) and KG Jones (28<sup>th</sup>).

Pam reminded everyone that she is taking orders for shirts, jackets, caps, and decals.

Pam announced that Club Memberships (\$36.00) need to be renewed starting February 1<sup>st</sup>.

New car owners are Bob and Brenda Whetstone (2016 Shark Grey Z06), Wade and Carol Turner (2011 Blade Silver w/Titanium interior ZR1), Larry and Kim Ramsey (2016 Daytona Sunrise Orange w/Kalahari Interior Stingray Coupe).

**TREASURER'S REPORT**

Vickie Lavender reported that, as of January 31, the club has \$690.75 in Checking and \$2,491.46 in Savings for a total of \$3,182.21. This report does not reflect a few checks that have not been deposited.

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The club received thank you notes from the Montgomery Food Bank and Salvation Army for donations made last month.

**ACTIVITIES REPORT**

Mark Reese, Racing Event Coordinator, commented on several past and future events.

- February 10<sup>th</sup>- The American Endurance Race at Road Atlanta.
- February 19<sup>th</sup> – Drag Strip fun with continued competition between Mark and Dari.
- Roebing Road (May 4 - 6, 2017) is sold out with a waiting list, but anyone can go on the trip and go to the track to watch, as well as go with the club to the planned activities in Savannah that may include a boat trip. Contact Jo, Brian, or Mark if you want to go. Discounted motel rates are available; see Jo for details.
- March 17 – Road Atlanta “Just Track It”. At lunchtime, for \$20.00, spectators can do “Lunch Laps” and get a feel for track racing. No helmets are required for this event, however approved helmets are required to run normal laps.

Bob Whetstone, Events Coordinator, discussed several upcoming events.

- Prattville Mardi Gras Parade will be February 11<sup>th</sup>. Meet at 12:00 p.m. in front of the Prattville Walmart so we can stay together, as a group, during the line up for the parade. Be sure to give Jo/Pam your order for bags of beads you will need. A minimum of three bags are recommended due to the length of the parade route. Also, let Pam know how many reservations you needed for lunch at Logan’s following the parade.
- A Cruise In is planned for February 25<sup>th</sup> at Jackson Hospital in Montgomery. Details to follow.
- A car show is planned in Union Springs on March 4<sup>th</sup>. Registration includes lunch.

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- Future car shows include: Eastern Shore Show (Fairhope, AL) and Sevierville, TN indoor show (March 17th-19th), Hot Springs, AR (March 20<sup>th</sup>-22<sup>nd</sup>), Roebling Road in Savannah (May 4<sup>th</sup>-6<sup>th</sup>) and an indoor show in Jackson, MS (July 15<sup>th</sup>).
- A flyer was available for the Slidell, LA show (Oct 21). This trip may include a visit to the World War II museum, Audubon Zoo and the Aquarium.
- A concert is planned at Kawliga on June 9-10. Details to follow.
- Potential trips include: Tail of the Dragon, First Friday in Gadsden and the OctoberFest in Cullman (October 12-15).
- Email Jo/Bob with suggestions for other events.

### Ambassador Report

There was no report due to the absence of Jeff Williams, NCM Ambassador.

### Web-site Report

In Roger Lavender's absence, Vickie told the club to check the website for recent updates. Additional pictures have been posted to the website.

### Business

Several points of interest were brought to the attention of the club by Jo and various members.

- Larry Martin, Elections Committee Chairman presented the club with the list of proposed nominations for officers for 2017.

1. President : Jo Alexander
2. Vice President: Wade Turner

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3. Secretary: Michael Thrash
4. Treasurer: Vickie Lavender

- There were no nominations from the floor, and the vote for the proposed slate of officers was unanimous. Jo thanked the committee for their work.
- Ladies Monthly Lunch will be Thursday, February 16<sup>th</sup> at 11:30 at Ixtapa. A list of lunch locations for 2017 was distributed.
- The club will sponsor a project for the year to provide purses and backpacks for the homeless and women's shelters. Bring toiletries and needed items (see Betty for list) to fill bags and backpacks to monthly meetings. Janet will collect and distribute them.
- CCCC will sponsor Newk's Cruise-In in June with a Fourth of July theme. The regular last Saturday of the month schedule will resume for the Newk's Cruise-In in January.
- Relay for Life will be at Wetumpka Middle School Saturday, April 29<sup>th</sup>. Since it is possible Relay for Life will not include a car show this year, donations will be collected at the monthly meeting for Relay for Life.
- This is also the same date for the Selma Cinco de Mayo Cruise-In and Car Show in Valley Grand, and those going to Selma will caravan to the Selma Mall.
- A Calendar of Events for 2017 was distributed.
- Still nothing definite about the Cars and Coffee gathering.
- Prizes for best costume for the Mardi Gras theme went to Kim Ramsey and Brian Newton.

**50/50**

Erik Beasley won \$67.00.

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The meeting was adjourned at 7:45.

Respectfully Submitted, Susan Springall