



Simi Valley Corvettes

MINUTES OF MEETING Tuesday, November 19, 2019

Meeting called to order @ 7:30 pm by Steve C, President. Thank you for coming out! Please silence cell phones.

Count **51** members present

Opening Message Steve C welcome back to Randy P, members applauded his return. C8 is Motor Trend Car of the Year! Chevrolet placed a full page ad in the Wall Street Journal about C8 being the car of the year,

Bake Sale, thank you to Elena A for baking. Cathy S will bake December 3, 2019. Need sign ups please!

[Please sign-up for 2019. Funds can be designated to assist the general fund to help the club pay for various activities or to the club charity fund.](#)

Approval of Minutes from Last Meeting: Cheryl S. Moved to approve: **Sherrie N**, Seconded by **Toni T**. Minutes approved.

Treasurer, Bryan P accepting dues, and Holiday Party \$75 payments. Installation Brunch \$25 payments are being accepted as well. Paid members are eligible to vote for the new board.

Guest & Member Recognition: Steve R no guests tonight. He asked Debbie Callaway about her club membership. She told us she joined to be with Jerry H, her dad. Little did she know she would catch the Corvette 'bug' and did. She now has a 2015 White Z51 with 8600 miles she bought Saturday from a Simi Valley resident. You rock, Debbie. Congratulations!

Club Business Steve C member dues are now overdue, mail them to Bryan P. Steve R, upcoming elections with nominating committee making phone calls to encourage members to run for the Board. Karen P and PJ O are the nominating committee members. They will be contacting members for their willingness to run and serve on the Board. Steve C mentioned that the new Board should have an easy year with all the things accomplished this year; 35th Anniversary Tshirts and Jackets, new banners, Rydell to continue as sponsor, increasing dues. The focus needs to be on more runs; day runs and overnight or extended runs. He mentioned a couple scheduled for next year, the Installation Brunch and Cambria run. Steve F read the list of events that occurred this year and stated he is in need of YOUR PICTURES to include in the Installation Brunch celebration slide show. Get those pictures to Steve! Make sure to tell him what event they were from when sending. Ira G donated two posters of C8 convertibles to sell for charity, \$5 each; Elena A and Brett R bought them. Steve C asked members to get donated items for Holiday Party, getting gift certificates, possibly, from Rydell. The items will be sold/raffled to support the charities. Marcia Z there will be a great band, surprise, and lots of fun planned for the Holiday Party, so if you have not signed up, please do so! Cheryl S, no specific NCM news. Members talked about start up of tours of the Corvette factory, when will that occur? Consensus is it will be April Bash time frame. Steve C mentioned his bet with John V, Santa Clarita, to see which club will have more attendees at Motor 4 Toys December 1, 2029. He intends to win, so come out everyone to show Simi Valley Corvettes is the most involved and display your Corvettes. There may be an area roped off for Corvette parking.

Share the News Liz P talked about the Avila Valley Farm run. Went to SLO to the Apple Farm for lunch first, then to the farm for pies, shopping, petting the animals. Lots of fun. A beautiful day for a great drive in Corvettes. Barry L talked about Diminished Value on the Corvette after an accident. He is working with a person to conduct appraisal to avoid loss when selling vehicle later. Process is to adjust responsibility to party causing damage for a settlement. He will keep us posted on how this turns out. Peter A said he acquired insurance with Haggerty since his car is over ten years old and you declare an agreed upon value. His cost is \$300 full coverage. If you have an older car, you can insure new car as well. NCM and Grundy have these types of policies as well. Marilyn B has a friend creating a trip on new ship to Antarctica in 2021, if interested. 80 passengers. Randy P said how grateful he was for cards, phone calls, prayers for his recovery. It has been a long process and he said he could not have done it without Carolyn and club support. Xrays show healing is good and by mid December he may be able to put weight on foot. Bob S found stylus at Halloween party, it was Sherrie's. Frank C talked about Plastic Fantastic run. Stay at Humphreys again and figuring out places to go for lunch/dinner, etc. Lisa T mentioned place in walking distance of hotel, hotel is another option if a concert not booked same day. Frank C mentioned the Edwards Air Force Base tour again next December. Requisite is to stay for the Tree Lighting Ceremony. Other clubs to be approached to join us.

Car Shows Update Brett R talked about the upcoming LA Car Show, costs and dates. Cheryl S mentioned C8 will be on display. Cruise nights – Burger Express, Valley Bob’s Big Boy every Friday night. Western Bagel every Sunday. Motor 4 Toys (\$15 unwrapped toy for entrance) Pierce College Sunday December 1, 2019. Also Long Beach@Veteran’s Stadium is Dec 1st. More on website.

Upcoming Events / Runs & Past Runs : Avial Valley Farms, beautiful weather for a fall run and great drive.

December 1, 2019 Motor 4 Toys Supercar Sunday bring unwrapped toy \$15 value to car show at Pierce College 7-10 am. Dustin from Lavaggio to block off parking and John V, Santa Clarita club to meet with SVC. Which car club will have the most attendees???

Holiday Party December 14, 2019 Posada Royale Hotel Madera Road, Simi Valley Allan & Marcia Z leaders. \$75 per person. Great Band, surprises, dancing and fun. Sign up sheet available. Members obtain raffle prize donations from businesses to support charities.

Installation Brunch January 12, 2020 Grand Vista Hotel Board. Please sign up as 70 number count needed. \$25 per person for a great brunch!

Name Tag: Nametag drawing \$80 – Louie S, winner.

The drawing will be **\$10** next time.

50/50 \$ 37 each . Winners: Marilyn M, and Loretta G, were winners.

[\(Reminder to bring small bills to buy tickets. Staff has no change to break a \\$20 or larger bills.\)](#)

The meeting was adjourned at 8:25 pm.

Next meeting: **December 3, 2019 7:30 pm.**

Respectfully Submitted by:

Cheryl S - Secretary

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Run Details

Meet up places for runs:

These are the locations that our club will generally meet up to caravan.

In Simi Valley:

- **The Corner Bakery** at the Simi Valley Town Center. 1555 Simi Town Center Way, SV, 93065. (805) 306-1892.
- **Jamba Juice**, Simi Valley Town Center. 1555 Simi Town Center Way, SV, 93065
 - 805.584.9880 Located on the east end of the mall, near the Macy's Men & Home store.
- **Harley's Simi Valley Bowl**, 5255 Cochran Street SV, 93063.
- Located just south of the 118 Freeway at the corner of Stearns & Cochran.
- **In San Fernando Valley:**
- **Porter Ranch Park & Ride Lot.** 118 Freeway at Porter Ranch Exit. As you exit the freeway, turn south and the lot is on the west side of the street.
- **Porter Ranch Starbucks.** Porter Ranch Town Center, 19759 Rinaldi Street, Porter Ranch CA 91326 818.363.3384. Located at eastern center of the shopping center by the Ralphs.
- **Jack in the Box.** 11216 Tampa Avenue, Northridge, CA 91326; (818) 368-9941.
 - At the corner of Tampa Avenue and Rinaldi Street
- **McDonald's**, 11840 Balboa Blvd, Granada Hills, CA 91344(818) 360-8859. About ½ mile north of the 118 freeway.
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- **Run participants are encouraged to print the Emergency Contact Form at the end of this document (page 6) and keep it in their glove compartment or console.**

Need your favorite t-shirt, jacket or hat emblazoned with our fabulous Simi Valley Corvette Logo? See Savi at:

BVI embroidery (Savi) at 2513 Tapo Street 1, Tel #805-522-9071.

Get the Simi Valley Corvette Logo on your t-shirts, jackets, hats, etc.

Upcoming Run Details

Motor 4 Toys Supercar Sunday December 1, 2019 Pierce College 6am meet to drive at McDonalds near college	Club	Sign up sheet. Bring \$15 unwrapped toy to donate. Meet with Santa Clarita club, Dustin from Lavaggio to block parking for Corvettes.
Holiday Party December 14, 2019 Posada Royale Hotel Simi Valley	Allen & Marcia Z	Sign up sheet available next meeting. Lots of entertainment planned for Holiday Party. \$75 per person.
Installation Brunch January 12, 2020 Grand Vista Hotel	Board	Sign up sheet available. Install new board and review past fun runs.

Upcoming Car Shows

For information about upcoming car shows, contact Brett R or visit SVC website http://www.simivalleycorvettes.com/?page_id=118