

# Simi Valley Corvettes

## MINUTES OF MEETING Tuesday, December 17, 2019

Meeting called to order @ 7:30 pm by Steve C, President. Thank you for coming out! Please silence cell phones. Count 40 members present

<u>Opening Message</u> Steve C, we had a wonderful Hoiday Party. A big thank you and appreciation goes to Allen & Marcia Z for all the planning and arranging of the party. The band was excellent. The raffle gifts were great and we raised \$512 for our charities. Thank you to Liz & Dale P for arranging the wine donations from their friend, very generous. The centerpieces were phenomenal, thank you to Judy S and Annabelle G for making them. It was good to see familiar faces and some we don't see as often attend the party. Some new members attended as well. A great way to end the year.

Steve C talked about the accomplishments for the year; 35<sup>th</sup> Anniversary with TShirts and Jackets to commemorate as well as the 4<sup>th</sup> of July Party/Anniversary celebration. New banner and pull up banner to use at events. Great participation at the Cops and Cars, Supercar Sunday and Motor 4 Toys. Plastic Fantastic brought us the Most Participation Trophy. Thank you to all for your participation and support! Need to update Tshirt for club.

Bake Sale, thank you to Lisa T for baking. Judy S will bake January 7, 2019. Need sign ups please! Tonights sale raised \$41 for our charities.

<u>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.</u>]

<u>Approval of Minutes from Last Meeting: Cheryl S.</u> Moved to approve: **Sherrie N,** Seconded by **Linda R.** Minutes approved.

ActingTreasurer, Bob S Accepting payment for the Installation Brunch and dues that have not been paid. If you are paying Dues or Installation Brunch and were not at the meeting, please mail payments to Bryan P, Treasurer *immediately.* We need a number count for the brunch to tell the hotel.

Guest & Member Recognition: Steve R no guests tonight. Nominations are closed for the Board election. No other nominees came forward. The candidates for the board are: Patrick N – Treasurer, Lois F – Secretary, Bob S – Vice President, and Cheryl S – President. Election is held the first meeting in January and the Installation of the new board occurs at the Installation Brunch. The nominating committee will count ballots at the election meeting. An email ballot will be sent after the first of the year for those who will not be able to make the meeting January 7, 2020. Club Business, Steve C more Holiday Party thank yous to Joanna R, Kathy T, Cathy S and Chery M for selling tickets at the party for the raffles and centerpieces. Steve C and Steve R visited Rydell and brought holiday donuts to everyone working there. They really appreciated the gesture. They talked about not obtaining any new members from the sale of Corvettes at Rydell. Ideas to put out a nice Welcome letter, brochure and information that they are now a member of the club with the purchase of their Corvette to be placed in the owners manual for the vehicle. Rydell does not give out paper work when purchasing a vehicle. Documentation is scanned and put on a thumb drive and presented to the new owner(s). Therefore, placing the club information in the manual is a good suggestion they can provide. Cheryl S explained the NCM representative Amy Hardin was unable to come to the Holiday Party and attend our meeting tonight as she took ill the day before she was to fly to California. She will reschedule for the first guarter of 2020. Lois F brought up the Facebook page for members suggested by Debbie C. Friend her and she will include you in the Facebook for SVC. Also brought up need to have social media to promote club to the public in the form of Instagram. Lois to work on setting Instagram up to post photos. Cheryl S brought up that the website needs to be revised and modernized to excite visitors to join the club. Lisa T talked about looking at our club on website and how it was difficult to maneuver, so she came to a meeting to find out about us. Our membership is down and would like to see younger members join as well. Skip & Marilyn B plan a day run to Valley Relics with lunch at Bear Pit BBQ on January 25,2020. Sign up sheet available. Steve C mentioned Cambria run in February. He suggested a Day Run each month for the year as a minimum. Also plan some overnight runs, possibly up the coast if Highway 1 is open. Bob S talked about events at Nethercutt Museum, Silent Movies, concerts. Interest shown, he will determine dates. Bowling to be scheduled again. Frank C planning Plastic Fantastic again, Humphreys to honor same prices. Edwards Air Force Base run as well.

<u>Share the News</u> Steve R told us their son, John, was promoted to Colonel. Now he is becoming the Assistant Director of Weather for the Pentagon, the second highest position in his field. Congratulations!

<u>Car Shows Update</u> Brett R not present tonight. No updates. Car show news is posted on the website and the standard cruise nights are ongoing.

### **Upcoming Events / Runs & Past Runs**:

<u>Installation Brunch January 12, 2020 Grand Vista Hotel</u> Board. Please sign up as number count needed, we are at 55 need 70. Cost is \$25, subsidized by club. Great brunch.

<u>January 25, 2020 Valley Relics visit</u> Lunch at Bear Pit BBQ before going to Valley Relics. Meet at 11 am to drive to lunch, both are in Van Nuys. Skip & Marilyn leaders. Sign up sheet available.

**February 7-9, 2020 Rest & Relaxation Run to Cambria** Liz & Dale P leaders. Register at Cambria Pines Lodge now for the weekend. Winery tour, lunch and dinner plans to be discussed. Lots of fun planned for the weekend. Sign up sheet available.

Name Tag: Nametag drawing \$10 – Alan F, winner.

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

50/50 \$23 each . Winners: Marilyn D, and Kathy T, 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 8:15 pm.

Next meeting: January 7, 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
  - o 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.
  - o 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.
- 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** 

Installation Brunch January 12, 2020 Grand Vista Hotel	Board	Sign up sheet available. Install new board and review past fun runs. \$25 per person.
Valley Relics visit and lunch Bear Pit BBQ Day Run January 25, 2020	Skip & Marilyn B	Sign up sheet available. Meet at 11 am for lunch and visit after.
February 7-9, 2020 Rest & Relaxation Run to Cambria	Liz & Dale P	Sign up sheet available. Make reservations now at Cambria Pines Lodge. Lots of fun planned.

# **Upcoming Car Shows**

For information about upcoming car shows, contact Brett R or visit **SVC website** <a href="http://www.simivalleycorvettes.com/?page\_id=118">http://www.simivalleycorvettes.com/?page\_id=118</a>