

Simi Valley Corvettes

MINUTES OF MEETING TUESDAY, January 21, 2020

Meeting called to order @ 7:30 by Cheryl Santor

58 members & quests present

Bake Sale. Thank you to Cheryl & Louie Santor; Next meeting: Lisa Thorsen

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

<u>Approval of Minutes from Last Meeting</u> – Lois Friedman, Secretary: Motion to accept minutes as made by Sherrie Nichols, 2nd by Elena Acosta and accepted by members present. [only Mr. Friedman abstained, as always...it's good to be back!]

<u>Guest & Member Recognition</u> – Bob Silverman, Vice President.

We Welcome New Members:

Sheryl Rogers, Steve Kahle's significant other. Sheryl has been hanging out with us for a while now she's officially one of us!

John-Michael Lee, of Thousand Oaks who owns 2 Vettes: a White 1985 C4 and a Yellow 2006.

Guests: Anne Stangl;

Steve & Ruth Sacks (friends of but not related to Steve & Lyn Sacks), from Thousand Oaks own a 1974-C3.

<u>Treasurer's report</u> – <u>Patrick Newburn, Treasurer</u>. Extended a big Thank you to Bryan Piterman for his hard work over the last 2 years. Actually, E-board members went to the bank today to be officially signed onto our bank accounts, so Patrick has just started handling the clubs account. All is well.

E-Board plans to meet next week to set up the budget for the year.

<u>National Corvette Museum</u> – Cheryl Santor, Ambassador NCM has opened the registration for the annual Michelin NCM Bash that will be held April 25-27, 2019 in Bowling Green, KY (see NCM website for details https://www.corvetteblogger.com/2019/01/02/registration-for-the-corvette-museums-michelin-ncm-bash-is-now-open/

<u>Rydell Chevrolet</u> – Steve Cowan: Steve will be accompanying Vern & Dottie Allen to Rydell to get a order C8. [wowee!]. Also Steve Friedman has requested Rydell source 2 Suburbans for his company.

Cheryl noted that she has heard, because of the delay in production of the C8, that GM may consider imposing a fine for dealers who charge above the MSRP.

<u>Presentation</u> – **Steve Friedman.** Steve presented a 4 minute web video of the C8R on the track at Daytona. Cheryl announced the drivers who will be driving the new C8's at Daytona.

Past Runs:

2020 SVC New Board Installation Brunch. 66 attended. 30 prizes were given out in a doorprize raffle. It was a nice event

<u>Charity Report:</u> Cheryl asked Marilyn McMahon & Karen Piorek to contact For the Troops and Spay & Neuter Clinic respectively to come to the 2nd meeting in February for presentation of checks. Cheryl also ask members to prepare information about club choices for charity for 2020.

Upcoming Runs and New Business

January 25th Valley Relics & Bear Pit BBQ: Skip & Marilyn Bolnick. Meet at 10:45 AM at the Simi Valley Town Center by Corner Bakery. We will are dining at 11:30 am at Bear Pit BBQ in Mission Hills then head to the Valley Relics Museum near Van Nuys Airport [see details at the end of the minutes under run details]

February 7-9th **Cambria Rest & Relaxation**: Liz & Dale Pitman. If there are any questions on activities, contact Liz. Participants should have all reservationd & monies into Liz & Dale by now. Some last minute payments were collected by Dale at the meeting.

February 15th **Chicago Pasta House**: Rich Bongeorno. More details forthcoming as we get closer as we caravan to Moreno Valley to enjoy delicious Italian cuisine. [We do love to eat!]

February 23rd Bowling & Dinner: Cathy & Bob Silverman. Meet at Bowling at at 3:45 pm, bowl 3 – 5 pm. Fees for bowling \$16 includes shoe rentals, gratuities and a soft drink.

Dinner following at about 5:15 at the Dug Out on Madera and Cochran in Simi.

May 16th-17th -Plastic Fantastic Update – Frank Ceruti. Register for show online. Lunch Saturday on the way to San Diego to be arranged in reservations of parties of 8 at Pacifica Del Mar. Hotel at Humphries Half Moon Inn arranged by Chris Savas. Saturday Dinner currently under discussion, somewhere close by so there aren't parking issues. Right now Fidler's Green, about \$35 pp or Humphries' Banquet about \$55 pp is being considered. Frank handed out colored photos of dining options at Humphries.

Also, car cleaning services will be available at the hotel parking lot by the same guy as last year.

Updates on the Edward's AFB run to be presented by Frank after Plastic Fantastic is set and done.

Car Shows: Brett Robinson_April 19th – Royal High School Car Show. Royal High School, Simi Valley. 9:00 AM – 3:00 PM. Contact Ashley Rotellini, ASB Account Clerk, for details 805-306-4875; ext 2737

Share the News:

2/22 Gala for For the Troops at the Reagan Library. Donations can be given to Marilyn McMahon.

So Cal Car Cover has moved to Simi per John Vega of Santa Clarita Vettes. (address is 1650 Voyager Ave unit B, Simi Valley, CA 93063

Skip Bolnick announced that **Louie & Cheryl Santor** were mentioned in America's Sports Car Magazine (NCM) as being members for 10 years

Lois Friedman, secretary announced she has current membership cards available. Also, that tonight was the last night to pay for **Ladies on the Town** outing to Huntington Library on Feb 8th., organized by **Nancy Lee & Peggy Reid**. I will collect money and make sure Nancy gets it. Also, there is a sign up sheet if ladies are interested in joining the sub-group for members.

Update on Carl Tripp: Cheryl received an email from **Toni** saying Carl is doing better and is having his Blood Pressure meds evaluated and adjusted.

Louie Santor shared that he & Cheryl took Level 2 training on the track at Spring Mountain and did quite well. They are signed up to drive a C8 at the track for April. \$799 for registration. The opportunity to drive the C8 is not at Spring Mountain but at the Bowling Green Motorsport Park Track across from the Corvette museum. Here is the link: https://motorsportspark.org/

[https://www.springmountainmotorsports.com/]

<u>Car Shows: Brett Robinson</u> No news on car shows at the moment except that Royal High School has scheduled their annual car show for 4/19. A Run Sheet has been created for club sign ups. (see run details below).

Closing:

Name Tag: \$20 Randy Rahm. Next Meeting, back to \$10

50/50: \$47 each <u>F. William Parker</u> and Ed True.

(Reminder to bring small bills to buy tickets. The girls don't always have change to break a \$20 or larger bills.

Next Meeting Tuesday, February 4th, 2020

Respectfully Submitted, Lois Friedman, Secretary.

General Information

Simi Valley Corvettes is sponsored by Rydell Chevrolet; 18600 Devonshire St #1309, Northridge, CA 91324 (866) 802-5628

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

<u>BVI embroidery (Savi) at 2513 Tapo Street 1, Tel #805-522-9071</u>. Get the Simi Valley Corvette Logo on your t-shirts, jackets, hats, etc.

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.

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Humphries Half Moon Inn; 2303 Shelter Island Dr, San Diego, CA 92106 619-224-3411; reservation details to follow. Lunch Sunday at Seaport Village: **Harbor House Restaurant**; 831 W Harbor Dr, San Diego, CA 92101. 619-232-1141.