

UNAPPROVED
Monthly General Membership Meeting
Sept. 10, 2015 – Topsy Turtle, Avoca , PA

Joe Lazzaro, President of the Corvette Club of Northeastern Pennsylvania called the September 10, 2015 general membership meeting to order at 8:15 p.m. All officers were present.

SECRETARY'S REPORT: The reading of the minutes from the August general meeting was waved. The motion was made by Ron Gitkos and seconded by Lanny Scott.

TREASURER'S REPORT: Carol Reese
M&T Beginning Balance: xxx
Income: xx
Expenses: xx
Balance in M & T checking account \$xxx
PNC xxx
Total of all accounts: xxx
Bert Occulto motioned to accept the treasurer's report, seconded by Sue Nerbecki.

BILLS AGAINST THE CLUB:

Joe Lazzaro presented a bill in the amount of \$xxx for the catering of the summer party, done by Bert Occulto. Jim Cockerill motioned to pay the bills, seconded by Sue Nerbecki.

DUES REPORT: Joe Lazzaro reported that the bill notices were passed out tonight to all members who were present and the rest will be mailed. Tina Gittleman will be taking over the collection of the dues. Mail your dues to her (her address appears in the upper left corner of your dues notice). Joe thanked Linda Rittenhouse for all her work taking care of the dues in the past.

MEMBERSHIP REPORT: Alan Reese introduced Wayne Krause, from Tunkhannock, who was voted into the club last month.

GOVERNOR'S REPORT: Joe Lazzaro will miss the next Governor's meeting due to our calendar meeting. There are no official results for the convention, but people from our club who went were disappointed.

CHARITY: Tina Gittleman announced that we will be collecting Toys for Tots -- please bring in by the Nov. General meeting, if possible. If you have a Charity that you would like to have the Charity Committee consider for a donation, please see Tina for a Charity form. The forms can also be found on line. Rings tabs are being collected and may be given to any committee member.

PROPERTY REPORT: Joe Lazzaro --all accounted for.

WEB SITE:

Joe Lazzaro – The web site is currently up to date.
There is a video clip on the web site that is from the GM Milford testing grounds.
Pictures from the summer party will be posted soon.
MaryAnn and Jack O'hars have the corvette of the month.

CORVETTE CORNER: Jon Valentine shared information that the 2015 ZO6 beat out everything but the "Million \$ Car" at the Virginia International Raceway. He also shared his thrill in getting to ride around Watkins Glen Race Track in an F type Jag. The ZO6 mid engine is coming out. The 1,000,000th Corvette restoration is done (this is one of the cars that was destroyed in the cave in at the museum.

COMMITTEE REPORTS:

Aug. 30 Summer Party Joe Lazzaro, 14 cars 28 members. Expenses for food (30 people) \$734. Carlisle was on your own.

UPCOMING EVENTS:

September 12 Knobels -- Alan Reese. Meet at KMart, Blackman Plaza 11am. He has reserved a table in Pavilion T. Alan won't be going if it rains.

Sept. 19 Casino Night Mike Margeotes. Call Mike to let him know if you are going (579.242.6502) Bring food to share. We will look into going up together.

Sept. 26 Calendar Meeting Carol and Alan Resse's house, 2:00pm. Pizza, drinks and ice cream. Bring your own alcohol. Motion to pay for expenses made by Lanny Scott and seconded by Carol Reese.

October 2-4 Weekend Away Mike Margeotes. Waters Edge Ocean Resort, Wildwood. \$85/ night. Call 609.522.9440 and mention the Club to make reservations. Details on our Web Site.

Oct. 17 Keystone Parade Alan Reese. Meet Keyser Oak Shopping Center at 9:30 am. Complementary lunch and parking will be reviewed for this year.

October 18 Sunday Ride Pat and Jim Cockerill. Barley Creek Brewery Tour, lunch and a ride up to Big Pocono State Park. Leaving 11:30 am *sharp* from 4 Points Sheraton, Meadow Ave., Scranton. (RT81, exit 184) there is a lot on the right side of the hotel where we will meet. We have planned a 1:30pm private tour of the Brewery, with everyone touring receiving a souvenir glass. There will be complementary taste testing. We will order lunch off the menu and then take a drive up Camel Back Mountain to Big Pocono State Park. We will return via Suscan Rd. Into Dupont.

October 24 Halloween Party Tina Gittleman. 6:30 at the "Haunted Farm House" (across from Novitsky's Garage on Layton Road. Costumes are optional (prizes will be awarded). BYOB. Fun, games, prizes and food. Bring your Corvette Chair and Blanket). Members \$5, non Members \$10. Make reservations with Tina at 570.254.6932 (Home), or 570.677.5798 (cell), email tinavette2001@comcast.net.

OLD BUSINESS: Joe Lazzaro is waiting for new catalogs so new Club jackets can be ordered for those that are interested.

NEW BUSINESS:

Mike Reiher is going to set up and run a FaceBook page for the club.

2015-16 Board Members:

Joe Lazzaro, Tina Gittleman, Barb McCracken, Lanny Scott, Jay Demerer, Carol Reese, Rob Nerbecki, Mickie Scubelek, George Rittenhouse, Jim Cockerill, Pat Cockerill and Sandy Fumanti.

GOOD OF THE CLUB:

Joe Lazzaro stated that more people need to do more within the Club and become more involved.

Tuesday September 22 -- Board Meeting, Perkins Restaurant. Dinner 6, meeting at 7:00.

Thursday, October 8, General Meeting at Perkins, Pittston. 6pm dinner, 8pm meeting.

The Board meetings will continue at Perkins and Joe will check on the possibility of having future General Meetings at Topsy Turtle.

A reminder that Club Merchandise is available for sale: duffle bags (black only) \$20; Thermos' \$15; hats \$12; coolers \$15; coasters \$2.50 each or 6 for \$10; blankets \$20, and patches \$2. Chairs are sold out.

50/50: \$xx collected Bark McCracken won \$xx with \$xx directed to the Charity Fund.

The meeting adjourned at 8:49p.m. on a motion by Barb McCracken; seconded by Mary Ann Abbott.