

# MINUTES

## VINTAGE CORVETTES OF SOUTHERN CALIFORNIA

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### Announcements

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Kurt opened the meeting by asking if there were any guests or new members in the room. No guests, no new members. Board members missing the meeting today were Barbara Tuers, Steve Conway, Jerry Miller, David Cervelli and Clyde Shaffer.

#### Old Business:

Kurt thanked Spencer for putting together the April Run. Very nice finish to the day, we ended at Frank Sinatra's house. One fun fact about the Sinatra house was he would host John F. Kennedy and Marilyn Monroe in the guest house.

Jerry Miller underwent a medical procedure and is doing well.

Jerry Miller and Jack Bohlman are in Washington DC for the Freedom Run. Bob Stanton is with them as Jack's escort. Jerry took his son with him. This honor is also called the Vietnam Veteran "Honor Flight" Kurt mentioned he had been involved with this program when he was working in Florida.

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### Board Member's Report

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#### New Business

Presidents Report: Kurt Statts, Some members, myself included, went to the Camarillo Cruise night located in Old Town Camarillo. This event happens on the 4th Friday of every month. Kurt said the parking lot was full by 4:00 but that there is additional parking on the street. The VCSC that did attend were able to park together right in front.

Santa Paula has a cruise night on the First Friday of every month. The event starts at 5:00 but if you want a parking spot you should arrive by 3:30.

A variety of car shows are coming up. May 7th, Chilli Cook Off in Thousand Oaks. Cars should arrive around 9:00. Street fair opens at 11:00

June 17th, Saturday, there is a car show in the parking lot of the Calvary Church in Westlake. The show runs from 9:00 to 1:00pm. More information is online.

May 24, The Zimmerman Museum Collection of Cars will have a Corvette show from 10:00am to 2:00 pm

June 10th San Clemente Car Show. Kurt said he received two free tickets and a t-shirt. He will add these items to today's raffle.

Sharon Lederer Celebration of Life is May 20th at 5pm in Newbury Park.

Membership: Barbara Tuers, out of town. No report

Secretary: Sheri Dixon, Email went out with the April 1, minutes. Corrections were made. Kurt called for approval of minutes as corrected. Approved

Treasurer: Loretta L'Oddo, Deposit for the DJ for the holiday party has been paid. Filed with the secretary of state, franchise tax board, and the IRS. Paid \$20.00 for the filing. We only pay in the odd years. Paid our annual insurance premium.

Product Director: Nanci Braunschweiger, not much to report at this time. We can get your own article of clothing embroidered.

Holiday Chairperson: Nanci Braunschweiger, the venue has been booked, music has been booked. Deposit for the DJ is paid. We will see everyone on December 2, 2023

Events Director: David Cervelli, not present at the meeting. Spencer Hoglund talked about today's Poppy Run. Kurt took a head count. Very small group. Spencer will discuss, after the meeting, what route we will take. Dinner will be on our own. June's event is at Santa Anita Racetrack. Spencer asked for a show of hand as to who is going. Kurt counted a very small number.

Webmaster: Paul Pollock, we are looking into making some changes on the ownership of the domain name. More information to follow. Also working on a new feature article.

Museum Ambassador: Clyde Shaffer, not present.

Historian: Jerry Miller, not present. In DC

Sergeant at Arms: Steve Conway, not present. Steve and Loretta have the flu.

Vice President: Spencer Hoglund, Raffle tickets for sale. Please buy more. Upcoming event for June 3rd is Santa Anita Racetrack. We have to pre-order boxes and purchase seats. Seats are \$20.00 David Cervelli sent out an email already. We will send another email out. Please see our facebook page to RSVP or email David. This is a great event, we have done it before.

Raffle brought in \$90.00 Name badge drawing went to Don Matthews (\$35.00) No dinner drawing.

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## Open comments

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Kurt shared some VCSC History, "The Early Years".

1st meeting, 16 Oct '71 at Travel Town in Griffith Park.

Meeting locations: Verdugo Park, Burbank, May '72

Studio City Rec Center, Mar '73

Reseda High School, Jan '77

1st Methodist Church, '80

Past members of notoriety: Noland Adams, author of Corvette Restoration Guide Vol I & II, Roy Braatz, founder of VCSC & SACE, Win Roche our 1st Honorary member.

Club logo adopted, Oct '73 (designed by John Banner)

CLub Jackets with logo patch received, April '74

Club logo decals handed out, Feb '74

1st Day-In-The-Park at the Sepulveda Sports Center, April '74

1st meeting at Paradise Cove, Oct '75 (thanks to owner Harry Kissel)

Long time sustaining members past and present: Bruno's Corvette (19 years) West Valley Service Center (16 years) (thanks to Stew Peterson & Mark Singer) Darold M. Shirwo (9 years)

Club incorporation, May '77

Club Watches, '82

Club pins, July '85

Kurt said he will save the rest of the early years for our Historian Jerry Miller.

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Meeting adjourned 12:44

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**Next Meeting:** June 3rd / Junkyard / **11:00 am** / Santa Anita Racetrack

In an email dated May 9th from Event Coordinator David Cervelli: We plan to go to Santa Anita Racetrack to see some horse racing, then visit Clyde and Colleen Shaffer in Newhall.

Santa Anita's first race is at 1:30 pm

The Shaffers expect us around 5 ish PM

Junkyard to Santa Anita is 50 miles

Santa Anita to the Shaffers 40 miles

Meeting at the Junkyard will start at 11:00am. We will get on the road by noon to get to the race track by 1 ish.

We will start to leave Santa Anita at 4:30 to get to the Shaffers around 5:15

Pizza and drinks (and desert) will be ordered for dinner at the Shaffers.

**PLEASE RSVP** to David Cervelli

Submitted By:

*Sheri Dixon*