

**Corvettes of Bakersfield**  
**General Membership Meeting Minutes**  
**Salty's Event Center 6720 Schirra Ct.**  
**Bakersfield, Ca 93313**

**Call to Order** 6:05pm

**Members present:** 32 members, 1 guest

**Flag Salute:** Lead by Sgt at Arms Steve Dallons

**Thank you to our Sponsors**

1. Salty's, 2. Valley Strong Bank, 3. Button Willow Raceway.
4. Three-way Chevrolet, 5. Stone Chevrolet, 6. Bakersfield Hyundai,
7. Hall Ambulance, 8. Corvette Mike

**Welcomed:** Guests Glenn Dolph

**Welcomed:** President announced names of new members that joined during November and December.

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| 1. Mark & Kelly Buonauro | 2. Terry & Robyn Tennison |
| 3. Venancio Aguilar      | 4. Jim and Mark Chambers  |

**Birthdays, Anniversaries, Special Occasions:** President read the names of birthdays for this month and last month due to no December meeting.

**December birthdays:**

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| 1. Jan Wright,    | 2. Butch Joslin,    | 3. Michael Rouw, |
| 4. Donna Ellison, | 5. Maryann Flaherty |                  |

**January birthdays:**

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| 1. Greg Brott, | 2. Shirley Sparks, | 3. Mark DeVries, |
| 4. Ed Combs,   | 5. Cathy Frye,     | 6. Pam Taylor    |

**Approval of Minutes:**

**Motion to approve last month's minutes for November 14th.**

**Motion made by:** Denise Hollister

**Seconded by:** Kathy Gallego

*All approved, motion passes without modification.*

## **Board of Directors Reports:**

### **President:**

*Danny Ellison, reported we will not have a board of Directors meeting in Feb, and will have the general membership meeting in lieu of on February 6. This is due to scheduling of Valentine dinner which will be on the date of our regularly scheduled general membership meeting.*

### **Vice President:**

*Chris Espitia, announced he and Don Allen would lead the parking lot duties at Gamblers Classic and needed volunteers*

### **Treasurer:**

*Kim Miller, reported on the clubs two bank accounts, Gave out handouts of both accounts for members to review. To view records visited the club website Member Only page.*

**Secretary:** *Donna Ellison, no report.*

### **Newsletter:**

*Adrian Medina, talked about his recent fall issue of the club newsletter. Asked members to contribute articles to publish*

### **Events:**

*Liz Zaninovich, rReported on upcoming events.*

- 1. Ocean cruise to Ensenada Mexico, January 12-17. Janice Dean assisted by giving a brief overview of the itinerary for the cruise.*
- 2. Fun run to Taft to visit the West Kern Oil Museum followed by lunch at the Willow Ranch restaurant in Buttonwillow on February 3rd.*
- 3. Talked about the upcoming Valentine dinner at Frugatti's restaurant on February 13th. Explained why club could not reserve table for actual Valentines Day on February 14<sup>th</sup>.*
- 4. Reported that the club has booked Salty's banquet hall for the 2024 Christmas party on Friday, December 6<sup>th</sup>.*

**Public Relations:** *Diane Wallace, absent, no report*

**Membership:**

*Linda Stacey, reported the club now has a total of 110 members. Also stated she was seeking donations of lap blankets to be provided to the cancer patients at CBCC treatment center.*

**Webmaster:** *Virgil Miller, no report.*

**Sergeant at Arms:** *Steve Dallons, no report.*

**Old Business:** *None*

**New Business** *None.*

**Special Committees Reports**

*Virgil Miller, chairman of Gamblers Classic, reported on the progress. Discussed the challenge coins to be given away with is each registration at Gambler's Classic. Stated Jeff Salters became a platinum sponsor by purchasing the coins to give away. Using the overhead-viewer he showed a photo of the award trophies being prepared for various winners and talked about the different categories of judging. He emphasized the need for volunteers and provided a sign-up sheet for various duties. Gave the tally of registrations to date.*

**Open Forum:**

*Danny Ellison, reported that the board had conducted electronic meetings during the months of November and December to vote on club business. The minutes of this activity can be reviewed online at the club website. He explained how to search the website and find the minutes for both the board of directors and the general business meeting.*

**Next meeting date:** *February 6th.*

**Board meeting:** *Not scheduled. Electronically if needed*

**Adjourn Meeting** *7:05pm*