

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

Date: *February 6, 2024*

Call to Order *6:02pm*

Members present: *26 members, no guests*

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: *New members that joined during January & February*

- 1. Jim & Judy Hazlett*
- 2. Glenn Dolph*
- 3. Roger & Lillian Buckles*

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

February birthdays:

- 1. Diane Wallace,*
- 2. Virgil Miller,*
- 3. Mary Mazzei,*
- 4. Jess Perez,*
- 5. Karen Wolfe,*
- 6. Angelo Mazzei*

Approval of Minutes:

Motion to approve last month's minutes for January 9th.

Motion made by: Larry Young

Seconded by: Liz Zaninovich

Members Vote: *All approved, motion passes without modification.*

Board of Directors Reports:

President: *Danny Ellison, asked for a volunteer to be the COB liaison for the 2024 Cruizin-4-Charity monthly meeting from 6pm to 7pm on the fourth Tuesday each month at 14901 Sunnybank Ave. Tony Castiglione's home. Terry Romanoff volunteered.*

Vice President: *Chris Espitia, no report*

Treasurer: *Kim Miller, reported on the clubs two bank accounts and provided copies of both accounts for members to review. The records are also posted on the COB website Member Only page. Must obtain a password to login.*

Secretary: *Donna Ellison, reported that the board of directors conducted two electronic meetings during the month of January for 3 new members.*

1-10-24, Motion made by Kim Miller to approve membership for Jim Hazlett and his wife Judy.

Motion seconded by Virgil Miller

All members voted yes with no objections.

1-18-24, Motion made by Linday Stacey to approve membership for Glenn Dolf.

Motion seconded by Kim Miller

All members voted Yes with no objection

Newsletter: *Adrian Medina, no report*

Events: *Liz Zaninovich, reported on past events since our last meeting and talked about future events but nothing confirmed yet Will be updating as they develop.*

Talked about the upcoming Valentine dinner at the new Frugatti's restaurant

Reminded everyone of the monthly Corvettes and Coffee breakfast at Riverlakes clubhouse on Wednesday 21st.

Public Relations: *Diane Wallace, talked about the B.C. Scholarship program. Reminded everyone to bring their baskets of donated items for Gamblers Classic to the next general meeting in March. Mitch Townsend will have his trailer at the meeting for collection.*

Aso advised Three Way Cheverolet has become a titanium sponsor by donating \$2000 cash. Talked about Salty's being the first titanium sponsor and mention other sponsors that support our club.

Membership: *Linda Stacey, not present but provided information the club now has a total of 110 members.*

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. We now have a total of 340 registered attendees bringing 187 Corvettes. Explained some oversite with counting the registered attendees from 330 to 340 and had to make arrangements with the Riverside Hotel for seating. Discussed the sign-up sheets for the various positions for the workers, the need for breaking up the convoy on the fun run as the vast majority of attendees have signed up to participate.

Open Forum

Larry Young asked if our club was still a member of the National Corvette Museum. It was explained that it was not and had been discontinued a few years ago. He mentioned he thought the club should rejoin. Don Allen, being a representative of the museum, gave a brief overview of belonging as a member.

Next Meeting date: *March 12th.*

Board meeting: *March 4th*

Adjourned Meeting *7:11pm*

Recorded by Secretary: *Donna Ellison*