

Midwest Early Corvette Club

Nov. 10th, 2024

* meeting was held at Legends Restaurant, 6910 N. 102 Cir., Omaha, NE

President Mark Naslund called the meeting to order at 6:30 p.m. There were 42 members present.

The following officers were present: President Mark Naslund, Vice President Ron Gillis, Treasurer Bill Wichita, Governor Steve Bronner, Activities Committee Nancy Bronner and Jo Anne Garber, Webmaster Mike McCarron (not present), Ambassador Bob Grinnell, Secretary Danna Grinnell, and Ombudsman Terry Foster.

Welcome, Introductions, and Announcements

The Pledge of Allegiance was recited and Veterans were recognized.

President Naslund announced all of the November/December birthdays (Jim Barker, Nancy Bronner, Mark DeLong, Amy Dietrich, Danna Grinnell, Mike Holcomb, Linda Hughbanks, Donna Leonard, Joyce Luster, Norman Misek, Charles Moriarty, Mark Naslund, Chris Naslund, Don Nelson, Dale, Parkening, Jenna Parkening, Don Peer, Larry Proctor, Dave Steiner, Jim Stokes, Bill Wichita, Steve Youngberg) and the November/December anniversaries (Dave and Johnna Eck, Terry and Phyllis Foster, Bob and Lynn Groenjes, Mike and Stephanie Holcomb, Owen and Marilyn Jensen, Chuck and Mickie Lee, Steve and Linda Meisenbach, Mark and Chris Naslund, Jim and Kathy Stokes, Bill and Kathy Wichita)

Thoughts and prayers were sent to Mickie Lee and Ron Luster (broken hip).

The next officers/board meeting will be held in January.

The next membership meeting will be held on **January 14th , 2024 at 6:30 p.m.** at **Zio's Pizza on 132nd and Center**

Action items- approval of the October 2024 minutes

A motion was made by Nancy Bronner and seconded by Max Woods. It was approved.

Report from Officers

Treasurer- Bill Wichita reported that we have a balanced account with \$17,206.92

Paid \$1205.00 in dues

Donations not taken out yet

Governor- Steve Bronner - all NCCC paperwork is done

14 did not renew- more social members looking to join

Ambassador- Bob Grinnell—traveled to the museum for the ambassador’s meeting
Most museum employees have been fired - new younger ones know and care very little about the clubs, museum history etc.

Heading in a new direction —lots of social media and technology

Digital scans are being done of all cars in the museum- very cool but costly

Car photographer, Richard Prine taking photos and documenting cars

—museum not interested in addressing issues ambassadors wanted help with- not answering questions from clubs

-lots of questions about where money has gone

- no longer giving banner awards but ours had an awesome spot
- No answers as to why so many people were fired
- ***no more banners? We will discuss and vote

Webmaster- Mike McCarron -not present

Ombudsman- Terry Foster - nothing to report

Activities- looking for ideas for fun things to do— please submit suggestions

Saturday night dinners are at 5:00 contact Nancy for information

Christmas Party will be held on December 8th in the afternoon at Cascio’s starting at 4:30—more information will be given next month. Start shopping for your gift for the game!

Mackinac Island— a road trip is being planned for June! Watch for more information

Old Business

- Show and Shine at Sid Dillion Oct. 12th
- Good show, 18 cars, lunch, nice turnout, Groenjes won donuts
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- **Mark will do the Blair Show one more year**

- **No Bennington show- we are done and moving on to easier shows**

Club members are encouraged to step up to volunteer to make these shows happen!!!

If you want to help, please speak up now!

New Business

Gateway to the West Show June 7th

Show and shine only

Raffle \$57— winner Terry Foster

Fixed Income Dinner \$10 Suzanne Woods

Motion to adjourn

