

Beyond the Glass

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September 2021 Newsletter

Cedar Rapids Corvette Club

From the President's Desk

September Birthdays

5	Diane Peters
	Jay Cooney
	Carol Knapp
7	Del Winter
10	Marv Peters
11	Kim Buckingham
12	Chris Bauer
15	Harold Wurst
17	Kim Bowen
	Steve Dolezal
19	Pat Schneider
	Richard Rozinek
20	Janice Otto
21	Roger Thompson
23	Chris Thompson
24	Naparat Stutzman
	Geof Knoerzer
27	Felicia Richardson
30	Dave Bauer

September Anniversaries

4	Thom & Karen Ash John & Pam Van Heukelom
6	Steve & Joan Dolezal
9	Gary & Carol Cummings
17	Orlyn & Kathy Brunssen

If your name isn't listed above please let me know so I can get your name on the list.

Welcome to the September edition of our club newsletter. With the start of school Homecoming parades, we need to have as many people as possible to sign up for the parades.

With only a couple of months left to enjoy cruising in our corvettes, I hope everyone is getting out and enjoying some cruising around the state of Iowa and the United States.

Looking forward to some new adventures from our Social Director Angie Duckworth. Sounds like she has some very interesting ideas.

September 21, 2021 is the first Eastern Iowa Honor Flight. There are two more flights in October. If we are allowed to come to the airport when they return let's have a great turnout from CRCC members to welcome them back. Due to covid-19 we will have to monitor their website and see what is allowed.

Thanks to Harold Wurst for arranging our August cruise and dinner out at the Circle C Saloon in La Motte, Iowa.

There will be a special vote at the September meeting on giving money to our four charities. I hope we have a good turnout for this meeting.

Reminder that the September meeting is being held at Pat McGrath Chevyland. Social time is 6:00 pm and meeting starts at 6:30 pm.

September 16, 2021 meeting agenda.

Welcome and vote in potential new members.

Good & Wellness.

Secretary report, review and approve the previous meeting's secretary report.

Treasurer report, review and approve the financial report.

Officers reports.

Committee report.

Old business. (Vote on proposal for donating extra money for charities.)

New business

50/50 drawing

Adjourn

The next meeting will be October 21, 2021

Dennis Primrose

President

Cedar Rapids Corvette Club

Cedar Rapids Corvette Club Meeting Minutes August 19th, 2021

President, Dennis Primrose called the meeting to order at 7:00 PM at Pat McGrath Chevyland. There were 47 members present.

Good and Wellness

President, Dennis Primrose read the August birthdays and anniversaries.

Approval of Secretaries Report-

President, Dennis Primrose asked if there were any corrections or additions to the Secretaries report from the July 15th meeting. President, Dennis Primrose called for a motion to approve the minutes. A motion was made by Felicia Richardson and seconded by Paul Hildebrand. The motion passed.

Secretaries Report Sue Rudd-

- A sympathy card was sent to Larry and Marjory Bushaw for the passing of Larry's cousin.
- A get well card was sent to Jim Jandik a CCI member.

Treasurer's Report-

- President, Dennis Primrose reported that copies of the financial report were handed out for the membership to review. Dennis read through the report.

Approval of Treasurer's report-

- President, Dennis Primrose asked for corrections or additions to the financial report. President, Dennis Primrose called for a motion to approve the Treasurers's report. A motion was made by John Watertor and seconded by Mike Finley. The motion passed.

Webmaster Report Andrew Bowen-

 Bob Bowen told members to send any additions for our website to to him to pass along to Webmaster, Andrew Bowen.

Vice President Report Keith Huebner-

- No report

Governor Report Garland Groom-

- No report
- Social Director report-
- Harold Wurst reminded membership of August 21st Cruise to La Motte, Iowa to the Circle C Saloon and where to meet and time the group would leave.
 - Thanks Harold for planning this event.
- Social Director, Angie Duckworth shared with membership of some of her upcoming plans for social activities and encouraged the members to get with her of any suggestions. She told of planning 2 Fall Leaf runs and will ask for votes of which the membership prefers. Angie is also working on a September Dinner cruise.

Homecoming Director Tracy Rudd-

- Homecoming Director, Tracy Rudd shared he would be adding Alburnett when he receives their contract. He also shared he had openings for a couple that have been listed for several weeks.

Tracy also thanked those who have signed up so far. He reminded the membership that he will be needing more to help out and check out the sign up regularly.

Historian Report Malinda Finley-

- No report

E-mail Messenger Report Bob Bowen-

- E-mail messenger, Bob Bowen reminded members to let him know if not receiving emails regularly or if you have any email address changes.

Face Book Director Mike Finley-

No report.

Trustee's Report - Diane Bowen, Jim McLaughlin, Terry Primrose

- The trustee's reported the number in attendance.
- Trustee, Diane Bowen shared again with the membership of Al Willenborg's July 15th, 2021 proposal to add the additional money needed from our general account to get to an even 10,000 amount to divide between our four charities. This was the first announcement. This proposal will remain tabled at the August meeting and be voted on by a secret ballot at the September meeting. This is needed because of our over \$500.00 requirement to be approved by the club in the Standing Rules.

Car Show Committee-

- Al Willenborg reported he will get the \$5,000 from Bob and Marlys Bitterman in the next week or so to add to the Car Show account.
- Al thanked those members who participated in the Wall of Fame at Hawkeye Downs on August 6th, 2021.

Old Business-

- Diane reminded members to not connect the monthly retired breakfast's to the Cedar Rapids Corvette Club. These events aren't considered a club activity.
- Diane Bowen, Kim Buckingham, and Terry Primrose cleaned and organized the club trailer after the Auto Cross Event. A big thanks to these members for their hard work.

New Business -

 Vice President, Keith Huebner reminded members of Vettes on the River in LeClaire, Iowa on August 28th, 2021.

50/50 drawing

- Mike and Angie's daughter, Morgan drew for the 50/50.
- The 50/50 winner was: Larry Bushaw
- Our next meeting is September 16th, 2021 at Pat McGrath Chevyland.
- President, Dennis Primrose called for a motion to adjourn the meeting. A motion was made by John Heukelom and seconded by Bob Bowen. The motion passed. The meeting was adjourned at 7:40 PM.

Respectfully submitted by acting Secretary, Sue Rudd.

From Our Historian

It's September now and as President Bob Bowen reported in 1970 " It's almost the end of another year for CRCC and time to start thinking about next year and what we want to do for our club!! "Great idea Bob!!!

In September of 1970 A questioner was sent for club members to fill out. Some of the questions were to see if the meetings and events were run satisfactorily. What parties and events would you like to see more of ?? The big question .. Would you like to help on a committee ?? Sept 19th there was a fun rally with a party after and the entry fee was \$2.00

In September of 1980 There was a road cruise to Backbone with 12 cars going and one that was picked up in Central City. The club Dubuque had the about the same amount. There was a volley ball match and I'm sorry to report that CRCC lost. Terry Kocker had to use his Corvette as a pick up and piled wood onto his luggage rack. No explaniation was given as to why this happened!! The club was at Backbone for approximately 5 hrs.

In Sept of 1990 Cindi Kocher reported the Lasagna party was a big success. The cost was \$4.00 a person. Larry Nelson cooked 10 pans of Lasagna and after expenses \$59.00 was turned over to the club. Bill Hampton offered the tip of the month If you are going to buy a Fuzzbuster be sure to get one that advertises they will pay for your tickets if you get stopped!! No explaination was given as to why this tip was necessary!!

In September of 2000 Paul Hildebrand reported that a jack had been purchased for the Autocross events. The jack was in the loving care of Larry Armbrecht. Preparation were being made for the annual fall leaf run to be held in Spring Grove, Minnesota on October 14th. Thanks were given to all the members who helped with the highway clean up project, the attending of the Amana Balloon fest and the practice Autocross at Kirkwood College.

In Sept of 2011 CRCC members were asked to judge a corn bag toss tournament in the Amana's. Chris Thompson took charge of the event. It did rain a little but a great time was had by all. Karla Morrow of the Iowa Braille and Sight Saving School reported that there would no longer be any residental students at the school next year. George Letson was the winner of the 50/50 drawing. Terry and Dennis Primrose took the club on a mystery cruise that at ended up at Bobber's grill on Coralville Lake.

In September of 2020 The clean up from the August duracho continued as did the shut downs from the Pandemic.

Have a wonderful September!! Your Historian, Malinda