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A Message from our President: Sherry Chandler



I hope everyone survived all the wind and rain. After traveling to Arizona and this last weekend to Las Vegas, that sunshine is so nice I believe I am ready for it.

Thanks to Tom for taking over the last meeting and doing a great job! I was so excited to hear we had 5 guests at the meeting, I have been getting emails from guests wanting information about our group, so I have been inviting them to our meetings and out for pizza after. So glad they came.

Keep handing out your WVCA cards and talking to Corvette owners.(I have more cards if you need some)

The activities committee has done a great job of getting a good list of fun runs and places to go, let's all try to participate in as many as we can, it's always a good time, remember the more the merrier!

Before you know it our 3rd annual Corvette show will be here, so we need to start getting items for the raffle prizes. So please keep this in mind when you go places, ask those friends that owe you a favor. We do need full participation of our club members, we had a good turn out last year I know we can top it!!! Sherry



hanks to Lee and Dave Walery, our trophy case at Walery's is now sporting the latest in LED lighting! While Lee Hart was at Walery's Pizza hanging a photo of Ken and Vikki's new C7 Stingray, Dave Walery was working on trying to replace a burned out bulb in one of the lights in the WVCA trophy case. Dave asked Lee to take a look and help him decide

what could be done change the lights to a type that would not get so hot and wouldn't burn out so often. There are burn marks on the wood under the

lights. Lee suggested that the lights could be replaced with LEDs. Dave paid \$80 for the new lights; Buzz, and Sally helped Lee install them. The old lights were state-of-the art when installed. These replacement LED lights use 1/5 the power and do not get hot enough to cause problems.



Glass Sass is published monthly; the deadline for submitting articles is the 15th of the month. Club meetings are held on the 1st Thursday of the month at 6:30 PM at Capitol Auto Group, our sponsor. The address is 2855 Maple Ave NE, Salem, Oregon 97301. We welcome all Corvette enthusiasts and prospective members at any of our meetings. Visit our website for more current information regarding our Club activities and events:

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Willamette Valley Corvette Association March Meeting Minutes Thursday, March 6th, 2014

Meeting called to order at 6:30 PM by Vice-President Tom Paddock.

Welcome Guests: 7! Mike Murphy 2007 3LT,

Terry & Mick Roach 1976 Stingray, John Wellin 2008 Jet Stream Blue,

Wayne Wellin 1998, Neil White 1986.

Number of members present: 25

March Birthdays: Della Edwards 2, John Edwards 3, Darroll Morehouse 5, Rhonda Havercroft 11, Shelly Campbell 24

Treasurer's Report Submitted by Ceritha Willeford:

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Amount in checking	\$3,808.86	\$3,371.77
Amount in savings	\$3,207.83	\$3,207.85
Petty cash	<u>\$11.00</u>	_\$11.00
Total	\$7,027.67	\$6,590.62

February Expenditures: \$487.09 February Income: \$30

Reports from Committees:

<u>Membership Committee</u> Ron Willeford reported that an anonymous survey had gone out in the mail to get feedback from members. The results will be compiled and shared with the board and membership.

Unfinished Business:

<u>Motion</u> to accept the February minutes as published was put forth by Lucky King, seconded by Roger Burgess and passed without opposition.

<u>Motion</u> to accept the February treasurer's reports was put forth by Lucky King, seconded by Ken Arck and passed without opposition.

<u>Motion</u> to add the Mt. Hood Railroad trip on 4/12/14 the 2014 Sanctioned WVCA Events (attached) was put forth by Buzz Blogg, seconded by Ken Arck and passed without opposition.

<u>Motion</u> to accept the 2013/2014 Proposed Budget (attached) was put forth by Margie Castro, seconded by Buzz Blogg and passed without opposition. Steve Tuttle mentioned that our membership dues cover just the basic budget and our fundraisers cover anything extra. The Cruise-In in July needs to be supported and attended by all of our membership in order to make it a success.

<u>Motion</u> to accept the by-laws revision (attached) that changes the way we count points at meetings was put forth by Margie Castro, seconded by Joe Castro and passed without opposition.

New Business: It was decided to separate our new name tag design from the logo update committee in order to expedite the process. The current wood grain design is no longer available for current member replacements or new members initial order. Shelly Campbell will order some blank sticker name tags for use in the interim. The name tag committee will have a proposal to put forth at the April meeting.

Announcements:

Past Activities:

Valentine's Day Brunch – Feb. 16, 11 am at Eola Hill Winery. The Edwards hosted this event which had excellent food, as usual. Many members from Mt. Hood joined us.

February Jacket Night – Feb. 19, 6:30pm at Sausage Factory in Mt. Angel. The Kreger's hosted this event and we had a great turnout. The food was great and it was a fun drive.

FutureActivities Scheduled: McMinnville Wine Festival (Castro)—Mar. 7, meet at W Salem Roth's at 3:15 leave at 3:30.

- March Jacket Night (Arck) Mar. 19, 6:30pm at McMenamins in Wilsonville. Meet at Harbor Freight at 5:45pm leave at 6:00.
- Mt. Hood Railroad (Blogg) Apr. 13, Information to follow.

<u>New Cars:</u> Ken Arck finally took possession of his 2014 C7! He got a ride to Port Falls, Idaho and drove home. It is a gorgeous Laguna blue with the tint coat. He also got the 7-speed, Z51 package and magnetic ride. Joe Castro got his new 2008 C6, in yellow (of course).

<u>Tech Time:</u> Terry Fine mentioned that C5's have a problem with steering wheels locking. There have been multiple recalls on this. He located a vendor, Compliance Parts LLC in Malibu CA, who offers a kit to fix this for \$40. He used it himself and said their tech support was very helpful.

<u>Trivia:</u> Tom Paddock offered a prize to whoever could answer the following questions. What is the first year that the big block was offered and what size was it. Terry Roach knew the answer – 1965 and 396 ci. He won a WVCA coffee mug filled with candy.

<u>Drawing:</u> \$101 was earned. \$47 to the club, Pat Manrubia drew Wayne Wellin's name for \$27, and Mick Roach drew Kerry Hudson's name for \$27. Adjourn at 7:25

Respectfully submitted by Shelly Campbell - 03/09/2014

Fri Mar 14 @12:00PM - 05:00PM PORTLAND ROADSTER SHOW Sat Mar 15 @12:00PM - 05:00PM PORTLAND ROADSTER SHOW Wed Mar 16 @12:00PM - 05:00PM WVCA General Membership Meeting Sat Apr 12 @ 8:00AM - 05:00PM WVCA General Membership Meeting Sat Apr 12 @ 8:00AM - 05:00PM MT HOOD RAILROAD RIDE/PARTY Wed Apr 16 @ 8:00AM - 05:00PM EASTER BRUNCH&DRIVE Thu May 01 @ 6:30PM - WVCA General Membership Meeting Sat May 01 @ 6:30PM - COYALTY DAYS IN NEWPORT- CANCELED Sun May 10 @ 8:00AM - 05:00PM Sat May 10 @ 8:00AM - 05:00PM Sat May 10 @ 8:00AM - 05:00PM Sat May 10 @ 8:00AM - 05:00PM Pendleton Car Club show/meet Sat May 10 @ 8:00AM - 05:00PM Sat May 10 @ 8:00AM - 05:00PM Portland Transmission show Road Knights Jim Dandy Cruise in-
