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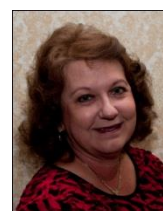
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GREATER DAYTON CORVETTE CLUB (GDCC)
Minutes – March 19, 2014

President Freddie Haugh called the meeting to order at 7:10 p.m. Twenty-eight members were present.

ANNOUNCEMENTS/GUESTS

- The following guests attended:
 - Rob Lake, owner of a 2008 Black Convertible
 - Gail Geeding owner of a 1996 Red Convertible and her husband, Jim
 - Skip Sawmiller, owner of a 2011 Red Coupe
- Freddie welcomed Don and Sharon Pennell who rejoined the Club.
- She thanked Tom Brooks and Gary Stiens for planning the March 15 trip to Garst Museum and the dinner at Bistro Off Broadway in Greenville.
- Today is the last chance to order the book “Corvette Stingray” at half the price of \$20.00.
- Freddie is meeting with the manager of City Barbecue at 2:30 p.m., Thursday, March 20 to discuss the June 22 cruise-in. If anyone would like to attend this meeting with her, plan to meet her there. Each member is asked to obtain a donation or bring something that will be used as door prizes. The cruise-in will occur 11:00 a.m. – 4:00 p.m. and proceeds from food purchases will benefit Hope for the Warriors.

SECRETARY’S REPORT

- Mike Jones moved the minutes from the February meeting be accepted as written. Seconded by Pat Frymyer.

TREASURER’S REPORT

- Herbie Smith provided the report.

VICE PRESIDENT’S REPORT

- Dave First called for the following committee reports:

SOCIAL

- No report.
- Other Activities:
 - May 10: Bud’s Cruise-In. More information to follow.
 - June 22: City Barbecue Cruise-In, Beavercreek, 11:00 a.m. – 4:00 p.m.
 - August 1: Dayton Dragons game with GDCC show of cars.
 - August 26-30: Fifth National Corvette Museum Caravan (NCM). For more information go to NCM website or vettscaravan2014.com
 - November 1: GDCC Banquet. Location to be determined.

MEMBERSHIP:

- Freddie reported for Carol Tavener that we have 96 members.

PUBLIC RELATIONS

- Tom Brooks stated that we have 69 friends on Facebook. At this moment 31% are women and 69% are men. Contacts include those in the U.S. as well as Turkey, Australia, and Albania. Members, who haven't done so, should friend GDCC on Facebook. Bob Sledge is assisting with the maintenance of our Facebook.
- If you have any pictures from GDCC activities such as the recent trip to the Annie Oakley/Garst Museum, send to Tom or Bob.

EDITOR/ WEBMASTER

- Mike Jones had no report.
- Mike indicated that the Commander of the V.F.W. in Huber Heights has invited GDCC members for a Kentucky Derby party. Club members would be allowed to bring in food for the event. Mike will send out an e-mail to query club members for interest in attending.

NATIONAL CORVETTE MUSEUM (NCM) AMBASSADOR

- No report.

PRESIDENT'S REPORT:

- Freddie received a thank you note from Jay's mother for the flowers sent to her while in the hospital.

OLD BUSINESS

- GDCC was invited by the Fort Thomas Corvette Club last Tuesday evening to hear guest speaker, Gary Cockriel from the NCM at McCluskey Chevrolet. Five members and a guest attended. Mr. Cockriel talked about the sink hole and said that before the race track was blacktopped, twelve sink holes were discovered.
Mr. Cockriel said that NCM belongs to us and encouraged Corvette owners to become a member. NCM survives on donations, sales, raffles, and other events. Freddie has applications if someone would like to join.
- The banquet is scheduled for November 1. Carol Tavener checked out Hope Hotel, Terri Kopa checked out Beaver Creek Golf Club, and Freddie checked out two places at Wright State. The Beaver Creek Golf Club and Wright State are on the pricy side. Prices at Hope Hotel appear to be the most reasonable. If anyone knows of any other place, let Freddie know or check it out and let her know the outcome.
- A club cruise in 2015 is in the process of being planned. A travel agent is working with Celebrity Cruise Lines for the western Caribbean. More information to follow as it becomes available.
- Tom Brooks said all who went to Buds on March 8 had a good time. In fact, lunch was on Tom Hendricks.

New Business

- Freddie received an invitation and two tickets from Fisher House to attend their 11th Annual “All American Evening” at the Air Force Museum on April 26. Tickets are \$80.00 per person, \$30.00 of which is tax deductible. She also has raffle tickets for a quilt which are \$5.00 each or 6 for \$25.00.
- Freddie received an invitation from Tom at Keen Parts, 6048 State Route 128, Cleves OH, to attend Keen Parts Open House. The open house is June 25, 2014 from 4:00 – 8:00 p.m. They will have food, door prizes, and special discounts on parts and merchandise. If you would like to attend, RSVP to info@keenparts.com or call them at (800) 757-Keen.

50/50 drawing won by Harold McKeehan: \$35.00

Mike Jones moved the meeting adjourn; seconded by Jerry McElroy.
Meeting adjourned.

Respectively submitted,
Terri Kopa



Coming Attractions

2014		THINGS TO DO, PLACES TO BE					
MARCH					AUG		
19		MONTHLY MEETING			1	<i>Dayton</i>	Dragon's C
		Annie Oakley Tour and Dinner			9		Ft. Thoma:
					20		MONTHLY
APRIL					26-30		National C
16		MONTHLY MEETING					
24-26	<i>Bowling Green</i>	NCM Bash			SEPT		
					1	<i>Kettering</i>	Holiday at
MAY					17		MONTHLY
3	TBD	Kentucky Derby Party			18-21	<i>Effingham, IL</i>	Mid-Amer
10	<i>Celina</i>	Bud's Corvette Gathering			26-28	<i>Springfield, IL</i>	Route 66 F
21		MONTHLY MEETING					
					OCT		
JUNE					3-5	<i>Gatlinburg</i>	VetteFest
5-7	<i>Wisconsin Dells</i>	Corvette Adventures			15		MONTHLY
18		MONTHLY MEETING			18	<i>Springboro</i>	Color Tour
	TBD	Cook-Out???					
22	<i>Beavercreek</i>	City BBQ Cruise-In			NOV		
25		Keen Part's Open House Cruise-In			1		GDCC Ban
28	<i>National</i>	Drive your Vette to work day			6-8	<i>NCM</i>	Vets N' Ve
					19		MONTHLY
JULY							
4	<i>Centerville</i>	40th Americana Parade			DEC		
		Pool Party After			17		MONTHLY
13	<i>Lancaster</i>	Vette Gathering			31	<i>Tipp Legion</i>	New Year'
16		MONTHLY MEETING					



Coming Attractions

Something to Celebrate *Birthdays*

April

- 10 Lori McIlvain
- 14 Sherri Cox
- 15 David Manges
- 23 Jim Bernecker
- 24 John Kangas
- 29 Larry Kopa

May

- 5 Barbara Cole
- 23 Tom Murph
- 24 Sandy Hanson



Anniversaries

April

- 22 Bob & Anita Stephens
- 24 Dean & Carol Tavener
- 30 Tom & Jan Christian

May

- 14 Michael & Darla Foy
- 22 Scott & Barbara Etherington
- 29 Greg & Gloria Hurwitz
- 30 Cleon Wingard & Gretchen Esch
- 31 Ron & Michele Bauer
Butch & Sandy Hanson

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Monthly Meeting

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