
RIVER CITY



CORVETTES

of Sacramento, California

JANUARY 2014 NEWSLETTER

PERFORMANCE CHEVROLET on Madison Avenue is our proud club sponsor.

Business Meetings start at 7 pm on the first Thursday of each month at the Dante Club. No food will be served at the meeting, but there are nice restaurants close to the Dante Club. Next meeting is February 6, 2014.

President John Klunder's Message

Here we are in the new year with the 2013 holiday season behind us...and what a holiday season it was! Carol K, Bonnie B & Val's annual ladies Christmas luncheon was a big success with participants saying that it was the best yet! Then there was the Christmas party with more than 110 members and guests having a great time celebrating with their friends.

At our first meeting of 2014 we started the distribution of our Club event calendars provided by our great sponsor, Performance Chevrolet. They will be available again at the February meeting, but those who do not pick them up at that meeting will have to go to the dealership to get yours.

Speaking of the calendars, you will notice that on May 17th we will be having our annual fundraiser LUAU. With that in mind, I want to recognize and thank Kelly Barrington, Rosie Bjornsen, Bonnie Bradt, Mary Lou Carlisle, Kathy Greene, Brenda Mounce, Mary Powell, Justine Sanchuck, Bess Turrell, and Nancy Whitmire for stuffing and mailing the first two hundred of around four hundred donation requests. We want to make this the best raffle ever and this has been a great start!

We have a lot of stuff planned for 2014 already and other things that you haven't thought about yet which will provide us with plenty of opportunities to get out and drive our great American sports cars!

Drive safely!

John Klunder, President

Vice President Tom Mason's Message (not present at meeting)

RCCS Business Meeting Minutes (January 2, 2014)

The meeting was called to order at 7:00 by John Klunder.

The December minutes were approved as written and agreed to by a majority of the group present.

Treasurer's report was given by Don Williams and recognized by the membership. Glen Carlisle will be taking over as treasurer for Don from today on.

Rosie:

Rosie introduced first time visitors Gary and Cheryl Duncan; they have a 2014 silver C-7.

She announced 8 January birthdays and also thanked Bob & Roberta Hinchman for bringing in cake and cookies.

John:

Just a reminder that the Luau is in May which is really not that far away. He has compiled a list of at least 400 potential donors for which they doing mail-outs. Next month letters will be available for you to take to businesses to request donations.

John - Past Events:

December 12th-Ladies Christmas Luncheon by Carol & Val. They had 41 ladies for this event. There was a cookie exchange, and they had lots of fun. Bonnie Bradt did a wonderful job with running a lot of the games.

December 14th-Christmas Dinner Dance by John Klunder-112 members attended and enjoyed the dinner & dancing.

December 19th/20th-Christmas for Kids by Terrie-Thank you – everyone is awesome and very much appreciated for the donations and the help. Special thanks to the Petries. Yates business served as a collection center and collected a lot of donations. They also received \$5000 from Performance Chevrolet. It ended up taking 5 days to serve 328 kids.

Future events:

January 25th- Bunco by the Sathres – Bunco will be at the Rancho Cordova Elks Club. If you have a card table they can use for the night let Joyce or Patti know. Please bring your nametags, but do **not** bring your own alcohol (you must purchase from the Elks Club bar). They only need maybe 8-10 people to bring dessert but have only had a few people sign up so far; if you are interested please get in touch with Joyce or Patti. Mail money to Joyce & Chuck if you have not paid already.

February 8th- Monster Golf & Hooters by John Klunder – This is indoor miniature golf with monsters in day glow colors and black lights. There will be a shotgun start at about 11:30 so plan to be there at 11:15. Afterwards everyone will meet at Hooter's in Rancho Cordova. (Yes, women are welcome!) Cost about \$8 for golf.

Added events:

February 22nd Mystery Trip by Marj & Val - This will be an evening event starting at 4pm which will be limited to 40 people – 6 spots remain. Entertainment will be your participation. Where to meet will be announced at the next meeting. If you would like to guess the location of this run, they will be dropping hints. 1st hint is "trees & bristles". Submit 1 guess per person by 2/5 to Dennis/Marj Kocher and the winner will get a gift. Bring an appetizer and alcohol to share.

February 25th-Movie Night by Bette Mastro- movies, then Brookfield's. More info at next meeting.

March 15th-Mystery Run by Rudy Antonucci; (note: Rudy not at tonight's meeting)

March 21st-Daffodil Hill by Mason/DeCaro-could depend on weather.

March 22nd-Spring Fling Dinner/Dance by John – 1st party of the year. Buffet for dinner, then dance.

President John reminded members to order their name tags from John/Carol Klunder, Shirts from Jim Bjornsen and Hats from Tom Doherty.

Motion to adjourn the meeting was made by Jim Bartylla and seconded by Jim Bjornsen.

Respectfully submitted by Karen Vasile, Secretary

Thanks to Raffle Donors: the Mounces, Brunellis, Harris's, Hinchmans, Klunders, Greenes and Terrie and Jerry.

Happy February Birthdays to: Celeste Antonucci 2/28; Bill Cassidy 2/8, Gino Lavagnino. Bob Schneider 2/10, Donna Schultz 2/11 and Barbara Stelter 2/27.

Thank you to our Phone Tree People... they are: Patti Herberger (phone tree manager), Rosie Bjornsen, Sue Byler, Patty Doherty, Marty Farnetti, Kathy Greene, Roberta Hinchman, Lisa McNatt,

Charity & Gary Smith, LaRee Brunelli, Marge Sutter and Chuck Sanchuk. These people really help us coordinate our events!!

A SPECIAL NOTE to support our fellow members that have businesses selling goods and/or services; Check our web site www.rivercitycorvettes.org for a list of those members and their businesses; they'll appreciate it!!

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Birthday Cake	Rotating	Rotating	Rotating

SAFETY NOTICE: We have nice cars in our club and some of us like to drive very fast, but it's very important to put SAFETY FIRST!!! If you are not comfortable going fast, especially on a club run, please stay within your speed comfort zone. Stay toward the back of the pack, or volunteer to run with a slower group, if possible. It's better to show up at the next

location a little late, than to drive faster than
you feel safe!