

MIDWEST EARLY CORVETTE CLUB



Dedicated to the maintenance, preservation, and restoration of Corvettes 1953 to present.

Show and Shine, Cruise and Dine

Minutes from the General Membership Meeting October 12, 2021



Danna Grinnell

Call to Order

Doyle Eicher called for any additional nominations for officers/directors and no one came forward. He called the meeting to order at 6:30. There were 51 members in attendance.

The following officers were present: President Doyle Eicher, Vice President Mark Naslund, Treasurer Steve Bronner, Governor Shelly Miller, Webmaster Mike McCarron, Activities Committee Nancy Bronner and JoAnne Garber, Ambassador Harlan Kittrell, Newsletter Editor Sandy Eicher, Ombudsman Terry Foster and Secretary Danna Grinnell.

Welcome, Introductions, and Announcements

The Pledge of Allegiance was recited.

Doyle Eicher recognized the October birthdays (Diane Andersen, Steve Bronner, Chuck Garber, Jeanette Gillis, Ron Hughbanks, Steve Meisenbach, and Butch Noordam) and anniversaries (Jim and Laura Barker, Doyle and Sandy Eicher, John and Cheryl Headley, Don and Jeanne Peers).

Thoughts and Prayers were sent to Steve Meisenbach, Tom Gilmore, and John Archer.

Upcoming Officer/Board Meeting

The next officers/board meeting will be held on October 26th at 6:30 p.m.

Upcoming Membership Meeting

The upcoming membership meeting will be held on November 9th at 6:30 p.m. at the Pizza Ranch.

Action Items

Approval of the September General Membership Meeting Minutes

A motion to approve the September general meeting minutes was made by Bob Groenjes and seconded by JC Stokes. It was approved unanimously.

Nominations for MECC officers/directors for 2022

President- Mark Naslund

Vice President- Ron Luster

Governor- Shelly Miller

Treasurer- Steve Bronner

Secretary- Danna Grinnell

Webmaster- Mike McCarron

Ambassador- Harlen Kittrell

Ombudsman- Terry Foster

Newsletter- Nancy Bronner

Activities- Nancy Bronner and Jo Anne Garber

A motion to approve the nominations was made by Joyce Luster and seconded by JC Stokes. It was approved unanimously.

Budget for 2022

Members were given a chance to review the proposed budget. No changes were suggested. A motion was made by Sandy Eicher to approve the budget and seconded by Bob Redmond. It passed unanimously.

Report from Officers

Treasurer- Steve Bronner reported that there is \$15,809.45 in our account.

Governor- Shelly Miller shared information about membership renewal.

Ambassador- Harlen Kittrell (and Mark Naslund) discussed how to order photos. Harlen spoke about his plans to represent the club at the upcoming Ambassador's meeting and the plan that is being formulated for a club trip to the museum.

Webmaster- Mike McCarron stated that everything is up to date.

Newsletter Editor- Sandy Eicher reminded everyone that the last quarter newsletter was emailed.

Ombudsman- Terry Foster had nothing to report.

Activities

Bob Redmond- Last minute details about the cruise to Galena were discussed.

Bill Englesman- Gave a recap about the Sid Dillion Show which was held on Oct. 2nd. He said that 16 cars participated and there was a lot of food and a little misting rain.

Nancy Bronner- Delighted the crowd with information about the Christmas Party! It will be held at Cascio's on December 11, 2021. (5-6p.m. will be happy hour, 6-7p.m. will be dinner) The present game will be played after dinner! So, it is time to start thinking about finding a gift for \$25 that the crowd will want to fight over! She added that flyers will be going out soon with all the details!

President Eicher- discussed being contacted by the Dream Weaver Foundation about hosting a show for residents at Life Care of Elkhorn. Nancy Bronner and Phyllis Foster volunteered to

organize it.

Ron Gillis- club apparel - new ideas are being worked on and Center Trophy has our logo and can make things for anyone.

Old Business

Scholarships- President Eicher initiated discussion about providing a couple of scholarships to automotive students at Milford College and Metropolitan Community College. A motion was made by Bob Groenjes to provide one \$500 scholarship to each of the two colleges and the motion was seconded by Bob Grinnell. It was approved.

Pizza Ranch- Mark Naslund is working on renewing the Pizza Ranch for next year.

Pins- Lynn Groenjes made a suggestion to have 50th anniversary hat pins made.

Drawings

Name tag dinner - winner was JoAnne Garber

Raffle winner - \$98 went to Darrin Dietrich

Motion to adjourn was made by JC Stokes and seconded by Bill Englesman.