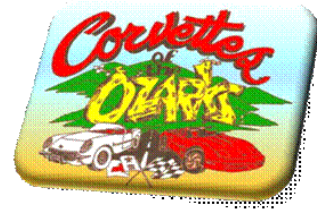




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February 16th, 2017

1. COTO members present:

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| 1 – Dave & Susan Allen | 2 – Dave & Polly Wilson |
| 3 – Larry & Bev Baker | 4 – Tony & Louie Dillon |
| 5 – Ron (Kink) Kulchawick | 6 – Jim & Kay Lisiecki |
| 7 – Jack & Kathy Allison | 8 – Rick & Laurie Leeper |

2. Meeting called to order by the President Dave Allen at 7:00pm.

Dave welcomed everyone to the February COTO meeting. He asked if anyone knew of members that might have any medical issues that the club should be aware of. We were all thankful that no one knew of any issues.

3. COTO's Treasurer's Report:

Polly gave the club's financial report, there were no questions. She then shared a "Thank You" card from the Humane Society thanking the club for the Memorial to them in the name of Nick Trail. It was very well received.

4. COTO's Secretary's Report:

As Betty was not at the meeting, Susie Allen took notes. She had nothing to add to the Secretary's Report.

5. COTO's Vice President Report:

Kink had nothing to report to the club.

6. Old Business:

1. A Discussion was held on the issue of new "T" shirts for the club. The Cotton Company in Mountain Home will be the manufacturer of the shirts. The logo, designed by Kink was the preferred design. According to the Cotton Company a onetime run for producing the shirts is required. They told us that the "Screen/stencil" cannot be saved and is too expensive to make for just a couple of shirts. Therefore, we decided to table this issue until more members are back in town and we can get the maximum number ordered to bring the price down. This will also enable each member to visit the store and order the size and style of shirt they prefer. **I would like to thank Kink for all of the hard work and time spent on this issue. He has made several trips to the Cotton Company to ensure that club members would have all the information before making a purchase. Well done Kink!!!!**

2. The 2017 calendar for monthly cruises is now available. Leader volunteers are needed for August. The leaders are as follows:

April – Dave & Susie
May – Frank & Deb
June – Rick & Laurie
July – Bob & Cindy
August – available
September – Tony & Louie
October – Larry & Bev

It was discussed that overnight, or days other than Sunday can be considered for cruises. It is entirely up to the organizer to come up with the date and destination of the cruise they are responsible for. Let's be creative!!!

3. Dave brought up an interesting tidbit on the club's website. The site had 613 visitors last month, of those the majority were from the following places:

7% - Beijing, China
7% - Holtsville, NY
7% - Mountain View, AR
6% - Kiev, Ukraine
6% - Malvern, AR

It's funny that Mountain Home wasn't there anywhere.

4. Dave asked Larry how many COTO business cards he had left. Larry indicated that he had quite a few and would get them to Dave. No other discussion was held on this issue.

5. The next item was the club name tags that Meg & Randy were looking into. Dave had emailed Meg and they both thought that with the change of the club's logo and a couple of other issues, the name tag issue should be tabled for the time being.

7. New Business:

1. Rick began a discussion on the issue of "Stickers". These stickers would be placed on the car's windshield to indicate that they were members of the Corvettes of the Ozarks. He had tried to find a local manufacturer of the electrostatic type, but was unsuccessful. Rick brought a series of sizes of stickers for everyone to see. After a discussion, the club decided on the 2 ¼ inch design. Rick volunteered to order and pay for 40 stickers. Once produced, I encourage everyone to get one and proudly display it on your Corvette or any other car you have. Any leftover stickers that Rick has will be purchased by the club and kept for sale to new members. An estimated price per sticker was \$4.00. The membership voted overwhelmingly to approve the purchase of the stickers.

2. Dave was contacted by a gentleman in Lakeview, AR who had several articles for a C5 Corvette. He had just purchased a new 2016 and thought that he would rather give these articles away than sell them. The articles are:

- a. Rear Cargo Shade
- b. Solar Shade for Coupes with a transparent top.
- c. Dash Mat/Cover designed for cars with a HUD.

Remember, these articles are free to anyone and are all black in color and in "like new condition". Contact Dave via email at "allen1724@suddenlink.net".

3. The need to pay \$1.00 to the club for not driving your Corvette was discussed. After that discussion, those present voted to remove this rule.

50/50 Drawing:

The winner of this month's 50/50 drawing was Susie Allen. She donated her winnings back to the club. Thanks Susie!

Meeting adjourned at 7:30

**Next meeting is March 16th, 2017
At the Arena Sports Bar, see you there!!!!**