



## Corvettes of the Ozarks

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### 1. COTO Members Present:

- 1- Kink Kulchawick
- 2- Tommy & Betty Webb
- 3- Tony & Louie Dillon
- 4- Jack & Kathy Allison
- 5- Jim & Kay Lisiecki
- 6- Judi & Ray Neumann
- 7- Bob & Cindy Hegerman
- 8- Dave & Susie Allen
- 9- Frank Midkiff & Deb Mitchell

### 2. Meeting was called to order by the President

- A. Dave began the meeting at 7:00 pm with 17 members present.
- B. Dave welcomed everyone to the meeting and asked if anyone had information concerning members or if anyone was celebrating a birthday or anniversary this month.
  - a. We were informed that Randy and Kathy Collins have sold their home and moved to Louisiana.

### 3. COTO'S Treasurer Report: No Report

### 4. COTO'S Secretary Report:

No Report but an apology for not leaving any Bloody Marys for Susie on the Eureka trip!

## 5. COTO's Vice President Report:

No Report

## 6. Old Business:

- A. The club held its September cruise Sunday the 22<sup>nd</sup>. Frank and Deb led us to the Hawks Nest Restaurant at the Melbourne, AR Country Club. 13 Corvettes participated in a great drive and lunch. Many thanks to Frank & Deb. It was a wonderful day!
- B. This month's cruise will be the last for the year. It's the club's annual trek to Top of the Rock to put on a couple of pounds for the winter. Larry & Bev Baker will lead the cruise. We will meet at the new Harps on the west side of town early enough to leave at 10:00 am. Those that want to meet in Flippin can do so by being alongside the highway in front of Schroder's Tire Company at 10:10 am and join the caravan as we pass by. We were reminded that each car must pay \$10.00 to get on the property. Save the receipt and you can apply the \$10.00 towards your restaurant bill. If you haven't sent Larry your RSVP and plan on attending, please let Dave know now and he will get the information to Larry. The restaurant needs to know how many to expect.
- C. There was a great turnout at the annual Eureka Springs Corvette Rally October 5<sup>th</sup>-7<sup>th</sup> with 8 couples/Corvettes from the club. We enjoyed great company and great weather, at least until Sunday when it rained all the way home. Thanks to everyone who participated with extra thanks to Larry & Bev for arranging the restaurant reservations and the limo rides to and from.
- D. Dave announced that while at the Lakeview Festival, several members stepped up and volunteered for 2020 club officers:

President:	Frank Midkiff
Vice President:	Kay Lisiecki
Treasurer:	Lisa Thompson
Secretary:	Judi Neumann

Officer at Large: Jim Lisiecki

Dave thanked all of the volunteers. A vote will still take place for these positions in November. If anyone else would like to run please let Dave know.

## 7. New Business:

- A. The web site and domain name has been renewed for another year for a total of \$164.87.
- B. The Post Office Box will be due by the end of this month. The cost is \$80.00 for the next year. Dave asked for a show of hands for approval to renew. Everyone was in agreement.
- C. Dave has reserved the Elks Club for the Christmas Party on December 14<sup>th</sup>. He asked if anyone had a suggestion for an alternative location. No one had any other suggestion so the party will stay the same. Dave will contact the Elks and set up a meeting with the cook and decide on a menu and cost. He will present that information at the November meeting.
- D. The Hillbilly Chili Cook-off will be this Saturday, October 19<sup>th</sup> at the Bull Shoals-White River State Park (right outside of Lakeview). We normally attend with a Corvette display. Dave said he and Susie would be there and asked for all to join them at the Jim Gaston's Visitor Center on the Marion County side of the dam at 9:30 am. He anticipated being there from around 10:00 am through 2:00 pm. You don't have to stay the entire time. Dave will send an email Friday night or early Saturday morning if the weather becomes a problem. We normally donate \$100.00 to the events causes. Dave asked for a show of hands for the donation. Everyone was in agreement. Dave asked Cindy if she could deliver the check as she has in the past. She said she would be glad to.
- E. Since we have volunteers for 2020 club officers, Dave mentioned that we needed to start collecting dues. Dues can be paid by cash or check. If you prefer to mail your check, you can do so by mailing to: Corvettes of the Ozarks, Post Office Box 191, Mountain Home, AR 72654. All dues must be paid by end of December or you will be removed from roster.

F. Dave thinks it is time to start a new list for shirts at the Cotton Company. We have a few new members and some may need to replace some “well used” ones. Remember that they have just about every type of shirt in many colors to select from. They will embroider the club logo on shirts that you buy there or bring in. In order to make a “T” shirt print, they need at least 12 shirts on the order to proceed. They can do embroidering on single orders.

## 8. Website Visits:

Website stats for last month: 516 visits.

- 6% - Indianapolis, IN
- 14% - Mountain Home, AR
- 6% - Wilmington, NC
- 5% - Uppsala, Sweden
- 3% - Portland, OR
- 65% - Other

## 9. Open Floor:

Kink wants to take a cruise to West Plains and eat at Bootleggers. Anyone that is interested can contact him and maybe get a cruise set up before the weather gets bad.

We had a discussion about the balance in our account. We talked about maybe making a few more donations next year.

Tommy brought up a thought about the Christmas Party. We could think about everyone paying for their own meal at the party and donating the amount the club normally pays to Christmas Make A Wish. There will be further discussion later about this.

## 50/50 DRAWING

Bob Hegerman won a total of \$23.00  
Congratulations Bob!

Meeting adjourned at 7:34  
Next meeting November 21, 2019  
Hope to see everyone there