



CSS GENERAL MEETING MINUTES
August 6th, 2019

Officers present: Tony Schavone, Wayne Heard, Pam DeForrest, Monica Valparaiso, Douglas Mariani

Board Members present: Laura Schavone, Sal Cruz, Gary Maleski, Donna Stewart, Brian Valparaiso, John Spurr

45 Members Present

Ron DeBartolomeis led the members in the Pledge of Allegiance.

A quorum was declared to be present by Secretary Pam DeForrest.

President Tony Schavone called the meeting to order at 7:00pm.

Tony gave info on the last Mecum auction and the auction of Richard Petty's 1967 Corvette. It went for \$1,700,000.00 and they really wanted another million. Dominic from the Lake Elsinore Storms gave us two more dates to go down. The 17th or 24th of this month. Not enough people were interested in going at this HOT weather.

Donna Stewart reported on our guests tonight. Steve Prescott from Whittier. He has a C-5 for his wife and a 1968. Joel and Diane Chesler. He is a former member from about 20 years ago. He has a 2006 and a 2019 ZR1 arrow Package. Both signed up for club tonight. Rod Gonzales was a late arrival and is from Hacienda Heights. He met Tony Schavone at a car show.

Pam DeForrest made a motion to waive the reading of last month's minutes, the motion was seconded, the vote taken and the motion passed. Nothing else to report.

Treasurer Monica Valparaiso gave report on current cash balance. \$52.00 towards picnic was paid. Connell paid their sponsorship donation and have received more entries for car show. Had photo or brick from museum for Ellis Chee.

Vice-President Wayne Heard announced the August birthdays and anniversaries. John Spurr played the harmonica. Wayne also reported on the upcoming events. They are listed in our newsletter.

Brian Valparaiso had a signup sheet for all those who want to attend the Marconi Auto Museum this Sunday. Meeting at Coco's to caravan there.

Laura Schavone gave information on having our banquet at the Highway 39 venue. They wanted \$2900.00 and that did not include everything that we wanted. She is looking into the Phoenix club, but might not be able to get it on our Jan. 18th date. She is working on alternate dates. Judy Spurr and Monica Valparaiso have offered to help her out with all the planning.

Marsha Gallavan had nothing to report. Donna Stewart reported that Kevin Presser has either broken or sprained his wrist. Laura Schavone thanked everyone for all the support when she was ill and in the hospital.

Will Grohmann thanked Ed Sherlock for bringing in pull tabs.

Douglas Mariani asked if anyone was interested in helping him out as co-owner of the CSS group e-mail with Yahoo.

Richard Cheek had nothing to report.

Brian Valparaiso had a list of all car show events to give out flyers. He sent around a signup sheet so that we don't have multiple people trying to do this. Needs \$25.00 gift cards and sign up for goodies for bags. Monica Valparaiso went to the storage unit and found that we have plenty of tissues and pencils. Maybe team up to buy stuff. Brian was in contact with a band that wanted to play but the club as a whole decided to stick with Tom our DJ. Laura Schavone had a signup sheet for work detail and if you needed a new shirt.

DJ from Connell Chevrolet came buy and dropped off some wheel center caps in black for the C-7s. We had a small action and they sold for \$60.00 to Ralph and Christy Webb.

Clean car award went to Brian and Monica Valparaiso for their new 1965 Green Corvette Coupe.

Dave MacDonough reported on the Super Shoots shooting once a month. Everyone is invited even if you do not shoot. It's always the last Saturday of the month. Lunch after.

Ralph Webb wanted to give the club some information on some seat covers that he bought for his 2019 Grand Sport. The stitching was starting to unravel which is supposedly quite common and he found a company here in Costa Mesa called WET OKELE. They will customize them. They will install them for free if you local. They cost about \$400.00 for 2 covers.

Karen DeBartolomeis stood up to thank Pam and Bill DeForrest for offering their home for the 60th Anniversary picnic. It was a great success. Pam thanked her and thanked everyone who came and all that helped out with all the easy ups food and cake.

Pam DeForrest reported on the problems she was having with the Yahoo e-mail group that no longer recognized her e-mail address. Douglas Mariani is working with her to try and resolve.

Goodies were provided by Judy Spurr and Monica Valparaiso. They had a great summer vacation theme and everything looked and tasted yummie!

The dinner raffle was won by Sue Rosen.

Donna Stewart reported on the C-8 event at Connell Chevrolet last Thursday and Friday. They sold 90 new Corvettes in 28 minutes.

President Tony Schavone let everyone know that he and Laura will not be at the September meeting. They are going to a meet at the museum in Bowling Green. The plant is going to let 250 people in for the 25th Anniversary at \$500.00 each! Secretary Pam DeForrest will also not be at the September meeting. Vice President Wayne Heard will step in for Tony and no one wanted to do the meeting minutes for Pam!

Raffle money winners where: Judy Spurr, John Spurr, Tony Schavone, Richard Cheek and Sarah Cheek.

Meeting was adjourned at 8:20pm.

Respectfully Submitted,

Pam DeForrest, Secretary