



CSS GENERAL MEETING MINUTES

October 3, 2023

Officers present: Tony Schavone, Tom Horton, Sherry Anderson

Board Members present: Donna Stewart, Laura Schavone, Ann Meeuwenberg, Ed Norris

Unknown number of members present.

A quorum was declared by Tom Horton.

Tony Schavone informed of his progress. He is doing very well and happy to be out of the hospital. Tony then led the members in the pledge of Allegiance. Although Tony was present, he asked Tom to run the meeting.

Tom called the meeting to order at 7:00pm.

Donna Stewart presented a new member, Steve Knight.

Donna then spoke to us about this being Breast Cancer Awareness month and the importance of getting mammograms.

Lisa Hopkins made a motion to waive the reading of the previous month's minutes. It was seconded by Tony Manchaca and a unanimous vote approved it.

Membership Secretary, Sherry Anderson, reported that we have 83 current members.

Treasurer, Tom Horton, gave the bank balance and explained how a budget is determined.

Pam DeForrest explained about the bricks we order from the Corvette Museum for deceased members. Because Tony is a member of the Museum, we receive the bricks for \$125.00 instead of \$150.00. Donna stated that the family has the option for a brick or flowers.

There was a discussion about the Club's storage site. The rent has increased by 9% in 2022 and 23% this year. It was suggested that we look for alternate locations.

Care and Kindness, Jean Pence, introduced this month's birthdays and anniversaries.

Joe Orrico, NCCC Governor, was absent.

Webmaster, Douglas Mariani, was absent.

Debbie Ruby, Newsletter Editor, was absent. Check out the newsletter on our website. Please email pictures to Rubypics@aol.com. There is no cost to put an ad in the newsletter, so if you have something to sell, please let her know.

Donna reported on the Fresno Club event in Reno. Phil and Sherry won 3rd place in their class, Eric and Debbie won 2nd in their class and Bud and Dawnette won 1st place in their class. Ron Kennedy won the Poker Run and members won many raffle prizes. A great time was had by all.

Pam talked about the upcoming Patriots & Paws Chili Cook Off. Bill is entering his chili. She also talked about the upcoming Cars for Cancer at the OC Fairgrounds.

Sherry announced that Pam won 1st place in her class at the Patriots & Paws Car Show.

Tony M, reported on the Hacienda Golf Course event.

Ed Norris mentioned events at Santa Maria Inn and Vaporfield Blast.

Tom asked everyone to consider running for office. Nominations are in November and Elections are in December.

Ann Meeuwenberg gave a report on the Banquet. We have the Garden Grove Elks Club reserved for January 20, 2024. 6pm to 7pm for social and drinks. 7pm to 8:30pm for dinner, that will be Italian theme. There is a stage and dance floor and we will have our own parking lot.

Kieth Huff was mentioned for Social Director or Vice President. He mentioned that he had What's App for communication, when email was not appropriate.

There were three \$15.00 winners for the Raffle.

Dinner raffle was won by Bill DeForrest.

Jean and Ken Pence won the Clean Car Award.

Yummy goodies were provided by Pam DeForrest and Sarah Cheek. Pam asked everyone to take home leftovers.

Meeting was adjourned at 8:05pm.

Respectfully submitted by,
Sherry Anderson
Membership, Acting Recording Secretary