# MINUTES OF THE NATIONAL PARK CORVETTE CLUB MEETING March 24, 2022

A general meeting of the National Park Corvette Club (NPCC) was held on Thursday, March

24, 2022 at Smokin-in-Style BBQ Restaurant, 2278 Albert Pike Road Hot Springs, AR. . The meeting was called to order at 6:32 p.m. by President John Grant.

There were 35 in attendance, 33 members and 2 guests. There were 15 member Corvettes displayed in the parking lot. The following officers were in attendance: John Grant, President; Robert Louton, Board member . Not in attendance was Randy Lewis, Board member; Lori Lewis, Secretary, Rodney Davis; VP, Shelby Hignight, Board member, and Barbara Barnes; treasurer. The minutes were recorded by member Donna Grant.

### **OLD BUSINESS**

John reviewed how the club was formed. He pointed out that one of the many benefits of forming the NPCC as an LLC, is that members are covered by insurance during Club events, as well as being approved by GM/EMI to use the Corvette name and use the Corvette's cross flags in our logo. .

John reintroduced members Brian and Kathy Fisher who have a black 2017 coupe and a red 2003 convertible. John also had Wayne and Kelly Thomason talk about their newly purchased 2006 monterey red convertible that had only 7700 miles on it. There were 2 guests in attendance. Chris Cooper, guest of Brian and Kathy Fisher. Chris owns a 1995 polo green stick shift coupe. Guest of Bill and Jo Hoak was Kevin Hoak.

John also reminded the membership that Allen Tillery offers a sponsor's discount of 10% for parts and service to NPCC members. John said to get the discount they should see Robert Louton, service manager of Allen Tillery and NPCC member.

Minutes from the meeting held on January 27, 2022 were previously emailed to members, as well as located on the web site (<a href="www.hsnpcc.org">www.hsnpcc.org</a>). A motion was made to suspend the reading of the minutes by Mike Bridges and seconded by Mickey McGuire . **Motion unanimously approved**. The February 24, 2022 meeting was cancelled due to inclement weather.

John Grant informed the membership that the treasurer, Barbara Barnes, was taking a leave of absence and that Donna Grant would be preparing the financial reports until Barbara's return. John explained that Donna had previously held both the secretary and treasurer positions. Donna reported that the beginning balance of the NPCC was \$3,673.30; total deposits since the last meeting of \$152.00 ;total expenses \$489.16.; ending balance \$3,336.14. A motion was made by Mickey McGuire to approve the Financial Report. Motion was seconded by Mike Bridges. **Motion approved.** 

## **Corvette Corner**

Mike Bridges talked about the halting of production of the C-8 Corvette due to shortage of parts. Mike also talked about fan relay problems that could be aided by Blue Driver OBD2 scanner for models 1996 and up. They can be installed at the dealership.

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## **UP Coming Club Events**

John passed out a 2022 calendar with dates of all club events. He also passed out several flyers of some of the events.

Saturday, March 26<sup>th</sup> is a cruise to the Howard County museum and lunch at Popa Poblanos.

Saturday, April 16<sup>th</sup> Cars and Coffee in Little Rock

Saturday, April 23<sup>rd</sup> Spring cruise to Star City and lunch at the Village Steakhouse and BBQ

Thursday, April 28<sup>th</sup> NPCC Meeting

Saturday, April 30<sup>th</sup> (In case of rain on April 23<sup>rd</sup> (Spring cruise to Star City)

Saturday, May 7<sup>th</sup> Amity Trade Day Car show

Saturday, May 14th Hot Springs Cruisers Car Show

Friday, May 20th-Sunday May 22nd Branson Cruise with 2 shows

Thursday, May 26<sup>th</sup> NPCC Meeting

Saturday, May 28<sup>th</sup> Cars and Coffee at Lake Point Church, Hot Springs

Saturday, June 4th Oaklawn Methodist Church Car Show

Saturday, June 18th Cars and Coffee Little Rock

Thursday, June 23<sup>rd</sup> NPCC Meeting

Saturday, June 25<sup>th</sup> Cars and Coffee Lake Point Church Hot Springs

Saturday, July 2<sup>nd</sup> Stand Up America Car Show in Nashville, AR

Monday, July 4<sup>th</sup> NPCC Celebration at VP Rodney Davis' house

Saturday, July 16<sup>th</sup> Cars and Coffee in Little Rock

Thursday, July 28<sup>th</sup> NPCC Meeting

Saturday, July 30<sup>th</sup> Cars and Coffee Lak Point Church Hot Springs

Saturday, August 6<sup>th</sup> Cruise to Oark led by board member, Shelby Hignight

Saturday, August 20<sup>th</sup> Cars and Coffee Little Rock

Thursday, August 25<sup>th</sup> NPCC Meeting

Friday, August 26<sup>th</sup>- Sunday, August 28<sup>th</sup> End of Summer Corvette Show Rogers, AR

Saturday, September 10<sup>th</sup> Pack the Park Car Show Nashville, AR

Saturday, September 17<sup>th</sup> Cruise to Mike's Place Conway, AR led by Shelby Hignight

Thursday, September 22<sup>nd</sup> NPCC Meeting

Saturday, September 24<sup>th</sup> Cars and Coffee Lake Point Church Hot Springs

Saturday, September 30th-October 2nd Eureka Springs Corvette Show (A non-Club event)

Saturday, October 15<sup>th</sup> Cars and Coffee Little Rock

Friday, October 21st-Sunday, October 23 Hot Springs Corvette weekend (Car Show Sat.10/22)

Thursday, October 27<sup>th</sup> NPCC Meeting (The last meeting of 2022)

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## **Up Coming Club Events Continued**

Saturday, October 29<sup>th</sup> Gurdon Forest Festival Car show Friday, November 4th-Sunday, November 6<sup>th</sup> Fall Branson Cruise (Details at a later date) Saturday, November 12<sup>th</sup> Fall Cruise to Mt. Magazine (The last club event of 2022) Saturday, November 19<sup>th</sup> nd coffee Little Rock

#### **New Business**

No one had any new business to discuss

### **Door Prizes**

- 1) Corvette 3-D Emblem made and donated by Steve Allen was won by Linda Wrisley
- 2) \$10 Outback Steak House Gift card was won by Mike Bridges
- 3) \$30 Outback Steak House Gift card was won by Kevin Hoak, brother of Bill Hoak
- 4) \$30 Outback Steak House Gift card was won by Kathy Fisher
- 5) \$30 Outback Gift card was won by Pat McGuire
- 6) \$30 Outback Steak House Gift card was won by Brian Fisher

The next meeting will be Thursday, April 28th, at Smokin-in-Style BBQ restaurant 2278 Albert Pike Road, Hot Springs, AR. 6 pm to eat and meeting will begin at 6:30 pm.

Come to the meeting earlier if you would like to show your car and visit with other members.

A motion to adjourn the meeting was made by Bill Hoak and seconded by Robert Louton.

Meeting was adjourned at 7:30 p.m.

Minutes respectfully submitted by Donna Grant, Member.