



# Simi Valley Corvettes

MINUTES OF MEETING TUESDAY OCTOBER 18, 2022

**Meeting called to order:** At 7:30pm, Skip started the meeting and welcomed everyone.

Thanks to Jin f. for providing cookies. Tonight's cookie sales netted \$31.00 Proceeds from bake sales go to help fund our charities.

Count **30** members present at the Senior Center and 0 members on Zoom.

**Approval of Minutes from Last Meeting: Linda R., Secretary:**

Motion from the floor to accept the minutes as corrected was made by Cheryl S., seconded by Challis C. and accepted by members present. Continued thanks to Cathy and Bob S. for selling raffle tickets each meeting. These proceeds also fund our charities.

**Member Recognition & Celebrations, Introduction of Guests and New Members:** Liz P. was absent from the meeting but Bob S. introduced 2 new couples who joined the club. Mihran and Suzanne Sarkissian have a 2003 Roadster 50<sup>th</sup> Anniversary Red (9BSS482.) The second couple is Scott Richardson and Ellen Anderson. They have a 2022 C8 Gray Matrix Coupe.

**Treasurer's Report, Gregg B Treasurer:** \$26,253.58 is the cash balance. There is \$2,627.63 in the charity account. Badge money netted \$80.00 Lastly, Pledges/Invoices for 2023 membership were sent out and many members paid at this meeting. Final paid memberships count to be announced at a later date.

**Club Business :**

**Rydell Chevrolet - Skip:** No news from the agency at this time.

**Charity News:** There was a reminder that the Holiday Party will have a basket auction again so please start thinking about a basket that can be made for the auction.

National Corvette Museum – Cheryl is in charge of auctioning the corvette quilt which was made by Maxine H. and she used only corvette tees. The item is now the prize of a raffle. Cheryl is selling tickets for \$5.00 apiece or \$20.00 for 6 tickets.

**Club Website – Patrick N:** No news at this time.

**Past Events:**

Oct, 8: The visit to "For the Troops HQ" was fun. Lunch followed at Reds Restaurant. Thanks to the leads, Bob and Cathy s.

Oct. 15: Aerospace Valley Air Show – Edwards AF Base. 12 cars participated in the run. There was a spectacular show by the Thunderbirds. Thanks to the lead, Patrick N.

## Upcoming Events and New Events:

Oct. 29 (Sat): Halloween party at home of Eric & Thelma L. Dinner will be catered by a taco truck. \$25 per ticket. (the club's board will host the event.) Party to start at 4:30pm and dinner will be 4:30 – 6:30pm. Pumpkin contest for most pretty and most scary. Costumes are fun and if no costume, **consider buying a crazy hat to wear. 8 helpers are needed for setup and tear down.**

Oct 30 (Sun): Lois F. synagogue is having a “scavenger hunt” consisting of photos taken at Simi Valley sites. To know the photo destination, one must decipher a riddle or description.

Nov. 12 (Sat): “Holiday Pie Run” with lunch at Avila Beach. Lunch followed by a trip to Avila Farms to purchase pies, treats or just hang out. (Leads: Dale / Liz P)

Nov. 19 (Sat): “Almost Turkey Day” brunch at Adobe Cantina in Agoura. Lunch @ 11am. (Leads: Dale / Liz P)

Dec. 4 (Sun): “Tired of leftovers” lunch run to Bob's Big Boy in Burbank. Possibly, the morning will begin at Pierce College for the “Motors for Toys” event (Bring an unwrapped toy) and then the trip to Bobs Big Boy in Burbank. (Leads: Dale/Liz P)

Dec. 10 (Sat): Holiday party at Grand Vista Hotel, delicious buffet dinner with wine (\$50 per member and \$75 per guest). Cocktails will begin @ 5pm and dinner is scheduled or 6pm. Dancing to a live band, amazing gift baskets to be silently auctioned for our charities and a first time Casino Night that boasts of fun and prizes. No-host bar. (Leads: Judy S. & Annabelle G.) Also, a Corvette Quilt raffle by Cheryl. **Tickets to Holiday party must be bought by 11/15/22.**

Dec. 11 (Sun): Tour of Simi Valley Holiday Lights. Evening to begin with dinner at Reds Restaurant. Tour of lighted homes to follow and finish with cookies, coffee & hot chocolate at home of Steve & Joanna R. (Leads: Liz P / Joanna R.)

Feb. 5 (Sun): Mardi Gras Murder Mystery in Simi Valley Town Center. Show and dinner included. Members may sign up to be actors in the storyline. \$25pp.

Feb. 17-19, 2023 (Fri): Trip to Cambria Pines Lodge for 2 nights. Shopping, possible ride to a winery and/or excursion to Tin City. Rooms available to reserve at this time. (Leads: Dale / Liz P)

May 5-12 2023 (Fri.): Run to see the “Mighty Five” national parks of Utah. 8 night run. Hotels to be determined. 1600 miles round trip. It is suggested that everyone should get a **National Park Pass**. (Leads: Patrick/Traci N. Dale/Liz P.)

July 15, 2023 (Sat): Corvette 70<sup>th</sup> Birthday Bash. Dinner and party at Four Points Sheraton Hotel in Ventura. There will be a “no host” bar, dinner, dancing with DJ. Dress is casual. Possible activities on Sunday. (Leads: Louie/Cheryl S.)

July 19-22, 2023 (Wed): Boise Idaho Vette Fest Car Show. More info TBD Randy R. volunteered to help Phil with his first run. (Lead: Phil A. and Randy R.)

Aug. 22-28, 2024 (tues.): 30<sup>th</sup> Caravan to National Corvette Museum. More info to come. NCM website updates are available.

## **Potential runs or events:**

Potential run to Motion Picture Academy Museum. Patrick N. to check out the tour.

Possible run to "Top Golf" which is a driving range & party venue (Lead: Gregg B.)

**Additional Car Shows: (not official club runs)**

**Ladies on the Town:** a monthly adventure to various sites with lunch to follow. Lead: Marilyn B. Any lady may join the group. Please contact Marilyn B. if you wish to get more information and/or join. The October outing is a trip to Simi Regal Theatre to see the movie "Tickets to Paradise" starring George Clooney and Julia Roberts. Lunch to follow at TGI Fridays. The event is hosted by PJ O, Peggy R and Nancy L.

**Reminders:** Please give the sunshine committee (Nancy L and Flo L) info on any member who is ill, having surgery or has a special event in his/her life. Also, please remember that Cathy S. needs to be notified of any run that a member wants to propose. She keeps the master calendar and she will know if there is already a run or event for the day that is in question.

**Share the News:** No news shared at this meeting.

**Closing:**

**Name Tag drawing:** Lisa R. name called but she was absent, Next meeting the winner to receive \$90.00

**50/50 Charity raffle drawing:** Flo and Sheila each received \$27.00

**Meeting closed by Skip.**

**[Next meeting will be on Tues. November 1, 2022.](#)**

**Meet up places for runs:**

**SIMI VALLEY:**

**The Corner Baker at the Simi Valley Town Center (1555 Simi Town Center Way, SV 93065), (805-306-1892).**

**Jamba Juice at Simi Valley Town Center (1555 Simi Town Center Way, SV, 93065) (805-584-9880) Located at east end of Mall near Macy's Mens Store.**

**Harley's Simi Valley Bowl ( 5255 Cochran St, SV, 93063) Located south of Fwy 118 at corner of Stearns and Cochran.**

**SAN FERNANDO VALLEY:**

Porter Ranch Park & Ride lot: 118 fwy at Porter Ranch exit. As you exit fwy, turn south and the lot is on the west side of the street.

Porter Ranch Starbucks: Porter Ranch Town Center (19759 Rinaldi St., Porter Ranch, 91326) (818-363-3384) Located at eastern center of shopping mall by Ralphs.

Jack in the Box: (11216 Tampa Ave, Northridge 91326) (818-368-9941). At the corner of Tampa Ave. & Rinaldi St.

McDonald's: (11840 Balboa Blvd, Granada Hills, 91344) (818-360-8859). Located ½ mile north of the 118 fwy.

***Respectfully Submitted by:***

***Linda R. – Secretary***

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