



Century Toppers Rod & Custom Car Club

Minutes – regular monthly meeting February -15- 2017
Meeting called to order @ 7:30 pm.

Attendance: 27 members present – thanks for the support!

Bill welcomed new member **Ed Polinsky** to the club.

Ed then took a few minutes to thank the club for its co-operation and help with Deuce Days. **Ed** has been one of the key organizers with Deuce Days for the last 5 events and organizes all the parking crews and criteria. **Ed** talked about his travels, cars that he had, his 37 ford coupe that has been restored for 20 years with only 2000 miles, and his 55 ford Crown Vic that he is currently restoring. **Ed** then offered to assist the club out when ever possible, but not to the degree of his role in Deuce Days as that has burned him out pretty good over the years ☺

Secretary' report

The January Minutes were distributed by email with no errors or omissions reported.

Bill gave a review of the **January** minutes to the membership for the benefit of those that could not make that meeting.

Motion to accept the January minutes as distributed made by **Ken Black**,
Seconded by Brian Pearce - none opposed **Carried.**

Treasurers report:

Loyd gave a review of the clubs **Dinner/Dance** cost and bank Balance as of January

Total cost for Banquet \$ 5972.51

Total cost to club \$ 622.51

Auction generated \$ 1935.00 with two outstanding collections of \$330.00 yet to be made.

The 50/50 raised \$ 564.00, Club share beking \$232.00

Club has a \$4709.82 balance in our account.

Bob gave an Explanation of why the club gave a cash donation this year to the Salvation Army Fund and not gifts like previous years. The Salvation Army said that they could do

more with a cash donation as the teen aged group seems to get left out in most gift donations. The club did get some good P.R. from this and was featured in the Times Colonist with good photo coverage.

Motion for: Bob Rivers

Seconded by: Mike Roy

None opposed **Carried**

Old Business:

There was a review on the Dinner/dance. There was a positive reaction for the location and the menu, the negative was that the auction and door prizes went on too long. There was also a discussion about dropping band and dance portion of the evening.

The location (Colwood Golf Course) to be tentatively booked by **Gord Strongman** for the 8th Dec 2017

WEB SITE:

.**James Robinson** informed the members that the web site has been active and has had a lot of hits. James has updated the site and is going to update member's photo's, info, and car pictures. James also mentioned the he is looking of content for the current project portion of the web site, so if members had photos of a current project he would like them for the site.

James mentioned that Current web site advertisers are happy with the return that they are getting from their advertising . The cost to run the site is \$300.00 per year, So members were asked to let James know of potential companies that might be interested in advertizing on the site.

New Business :

OFF Island Trip (Penticton) June 23rd to 25th

Bill talked about the upcoming Peach City Cruise coming up and that the club had received one free registration package that could be given out at a future date to someone that may want to register for the show. The organizers have also given us a voucher for 4 free pancake breakfasts and 2 event Tee shirts.

Bob talk about the reserve parking at the show and that it was all filled up, but for those that still plan to attend should phone aheada as the organizers might be able to help you out with the V.I.P. parking. . Most of the members that are attending will be parking in section **D** , there are 11 members going at this time.

2017 Event Schedule :

James gave a rundown of this year's event schedule. There was a discussion on a possible go-Kart day at Parksville around Sept. 11th. There are still members that expressed an interest in this

Russ Etherington is still inquiring on a garage tour of Sign Pad for a possible demonstration of a car wrap. Date to be determined.

There was also a discussion on doing a tour of the cable laying ship, to be organized after the Cruise ship season due to the fact that they are normally anchored off shore during this time.

There was also a discussion to see if there would be any interest in a trip to Mission Raceway for a drag race day. It may be worthwhile for the interested individuals to arrange a tour amongst themselves. To be discussed at a later date.

There was a discussion about a second off Island trip or an Up Island trip to either Comox, Campbell River or Sooke. To be discussed at a later date.

Event list to be distributed by email.

Sunday Brunches :

The members were asked, if they had a preference would they prefer to have the Sunday Brunches on Saturdays. After some discussion, it was the general consensus that Sundays still were preferred.

Break:

50/50 draw resulted in a total of \$ **54.00** being collected and the winner was **Mike Roy** for \$**27.00**. **Mike** donated \$**7.00** of it back to the club.

And a thank you to **Mike Roy's** wife **Lynne** for tonight's cookie donation.

Car Show: (Annual Picnic)

Bill talked about the picnic which will be on **July 2nd** this year at **Gyro Park**, the **Poker Run** will start from **Tim Horton's** at the Saanich Plaza at **10:00** and end at Gyro Park at **11:30**. **The show and Shine will run from 11:30 to 4:00**

The club will require Volunteers to help out with the poker run check points, parking, BBQ, and end of the day clean up.

The **BBQ** last year raised \$**400.00** Dollars.

May Day Parade:

The club is registered for the May 22nd Victoria Day parade. We understand the parade will be broadcast by the Global network this year. If you would like to participate let us know.

The club is looking for **8 to 10 participants**. The flatdeck truck will require some decorating. Volunteers requested. This is a fairly light duty position and usually takes about 2 hours the day before the parade.

Club Apparel:

Bill talked about having a club summer style jacket made up, with the objective of making the club more visible at events. There was a discussion on the colours. Keeping in mind that club colours are red, white and black.

Bill has agreed to do a Jacket up and present it to the club at a future date

S.V.A.B.C.:

Bill talked about the new Collector plate program and that there will be new forms out sometime in March. The old forms will no longer be valid

There was also a discussion on the club joining the S.V.A.B.C. to show its support for this organization and what it does for the hobby

Bob will get more information on the subject and report back.

Rock & Roll For Little Souls:.

Marlon gave a brief run down on the members that will be participating in the years Rock and Roll For Little Souls Show. **Darrel Hanson, Brent Blakley, Gary Sangara, Larry Jeannotte, John Fleury** and **Rick Desouto** will be participating on behalf of the club.

Buy & Sell:

Larry Jennotte for sale: A pair of 300lbs coil over springs and Rain Gutters for a Model A

Brian Pearce for sale: 1965 Buick Lasabre 300 cu in

John Fleury for sale: 1972 Corvette 350 complete with M21 trans \$1500.00

Bob Bentham Looking for sound deadening material

Loyd announced to the members that it was Al Breen's Birthday. Happy Birthday Al!

**Motion to Adjourn Ken Black
Seconded by Larry Jennotte
Carried.**

Next Meeting March 15th 2017 -7:30 at the Victorian Seniors Resident