



Century Toppers Rod & Custom Car Club

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

Attendance: 28 members present
1 Guest --Talou Hart of B.C.A.A.
President Bill Campbell absent
Bob Bentham ran the meeting

Bob introduced guest speaker **Talou Hart** a **B.C.A.A.** Insurance Advisor to the membership`

Talou Hart gave close to a twenty minute presentation about the B.C.A.A. program and what it has to offer, and the benefits of the road side assistance program.

Here are some of the highlights.

The plus membership will give you up to 160 km free towing to the closest repair shop. Also will tow to ferry and from ferry to home but will not cover tow truck and driver or ferry cost, that is policy holders responsibility.

B.C.A.A. has an affiliation with Totem Towing along with mainland tow companies, overseas and U.S. connections.

BCAA also has its own ramp trucks.

Also has a free Safe ride home feature (only once a year.)

Premier card offers free 2 day car rental once a year, also offers \$100.00 coverage for locksmith.

If you are not a member when you have a problem, you can call them and join up, you will automatically be signed up as a plus member when you do this and they will then honour your claim.

Cost's Basic \$ 75.00
Plus \$ 110.00
Premier \$ 145.00

If you are not a member and wish to sign up give Talou Hart a call at 250-704-1753

.Secretary' report

The February Minutes were distributed by email with one error and one omission reported.

Error: Ad cost's are \$200.00 for the smaller rotating add And \$300.00 for the larger main page ad of which there is only one per year.

Omission Shop tour at 443 Squadron Pat Bay on Friday the 17th.

Motion to accept the January minutes as distributed made by **Ken Black,**
Seconded by Loyd Houston none opposed **Carried.**

Treasurers report:.

Loyd gave the treasures report

Income for this month was from membership dues, most members are paid up.
James Robinson is maintaining the master list for members

Bank Deposit of \$1090.00 for a account total of \$5657.32

Februarys 50/50 total was \$54.00 with the winners share being \$27.00 won By **Mike Roy** who graciously donated \$7.50 back to the club.

Greater Victoria Festival Society was issued a check for \$75.00 for May Day Parade fees.

Club Liability Insurance of \$760.00 paid to **Mardon Insurance,** giving the club a balance of \$4897.32 plus cash float of \$21.50 for a total of \$4918.42

Executive Agreed to refund Ollie Hodges \$100.00 for Xmas tickets

James Robinson was reimbursed \$21.26 for club name tags. Thanks James

Motion for: Mike Roy
Seconded by: Gord Strongman
None opposed **Carried**

Old Business:

Dinner/Dance :

The annual **Dinner/Dance** has been booked at the Colwood Golf Course for the **8th Dec. 2017** by **Gord Strongman**.

WEB SITE:

James Robinson

James told the members that the web site has been fairly active and is looking to add more links and is hoping to have the first feature car segment up soon with one of **John Fleury's** cars.

Bob mentioned that **Electro shine** And **Your Friend With A Truck Movers** (Lyll Atkinson) have renewed their website sponsorship for another year.

James asked members if they know of any companies that might be interested in placing an ad on the site to pass them along to him.

Penticton trip:

Bob talked about the free registration package that the Penticton show organizers had send to the club, complete with pancake breakfast and 2 event tee shirts.

Bob had made a suggestion that as a thank you to President **Bill Campbell** for all the work he has done for the club, that the club reimburse Bill's entry to him by selling the registration package to a member that may be going but has not signed up yet.

Garage Tour: Pat Bay

James reminded members of the upcoming Tour at 443 squadron at Pat Bay on Friday the 17th at 2:15 pm.

James was looking to get around 25 members for this event. James had to have participant list in by noon the next day.

James required the name of the members that would be attending members as he had to supply 443 Squadron with names, addresses and phone numbers by Wednesday the 17th for the Security requirement because this was a military base that we were attending.

Mike Roy suggested that for the ones that were interested that they meet at the Spitfire Restaurant for lunch at 1:00.

Sign Pad Tour :

Russ Etherington informed members that there was no new info on a date for the Sign Pad tour.

Club Dinner :

Bob reminded members of the upcoming dinner at **1550 restaurant on Cedar Hill X Roads** at **5:30** the **26th of March** (Sunday)

Victoria Day Parade :

Bob informed the members that the club was registered for this year's event, and was looking for ideas for this year's theme. In past years it has been "saving them from the Crusher" but was looking for ideas to change it up for this year.

One Theme idea was to use the slogan Hot Rodding through the Centuries, because it is the clubs theme and Canada's 150 birthda 1867 to 2017, also the clubs 60th anniversary.

There was a suggestion that a buck board or buggy be placed on the flatdeck followed by John Fleury's Lamborghini

The idea seems to have support from the members in attendance.

Lyall Atkinson suggested that the club contact the Pough family as they have a collection of early Buggies

If anyone has a theme idea for the Parade, please pass it along to the executive.

Club will be looking for 12 to 14 participants at the next meeting.

Modified Collector Car Program :

Bob informed the members that the new Modified collector program will start 30th of March 2017 and will include cars up to 1974 from the previous 1958.

You will now be able to register a replica vehicle to the year of car that it represents. This will apply to vehicles that were manufacture up to 1942.

If you do not have all the supporting paper work for parts used in the build, you will have to fill out form MV1484 Missing Signatures declaration.

Bob Kelly of S.V.A.B.C. will be sending out an email of notification when the new program starts.

Break :

50/50 draw resulted in a total of \$ **75.00** being collected and the winner was **Loyd Houston** for \$**37.50**. **Loyd** donated \$**7.50** of it back to the club.

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

New Business :

Bob mentioned to the members that the club insurance policy is paid up for this year. **Bob** then gave a review of the policy.

There was a general discussion on what the policy covers. Legal bills most likely would be covered.

If there was a incident where someone was injured by a moving vehicle at the event it would be that vehicles **I.C.B.C.** insurance policy that would be first coverage, not the clubs.

Executive was going to look into a commercial policy to see if it was even required.

S.V.A.B.C.

Bob Talked about the benefits of this organization and what it does for the car hobby and that the club join this organization to show its support.

The annual dues are \$50.00 for club membership and \$5.00 for each individual member that would like to sign up.

The dues cover the basic expenses **SVA B.C.** as all executive and reps. are volunteers.

There was a Motion by **Ken Black** for the club to join the S.V.A. B.C.
Seconded by **James Robinson**

None Opposed --- Carried.

Torque Masters :

Bob mentioned that our Executive and the **Torque Masters** executive will get together to talk over this years plans.

Garage tour :

Mike Roy is looking for garage tour Ideas, so if anyone has something in mind, pass it along to him.

Rock & Roll For Little Souls:.

Marlon Ball: Club rep.

Les Pickell: Part of show organization committee

Nothing new to report. Waiting for show organizers to give time table for show loading.

Buy & Sell :

James Read off a list of items that **Eddy Dyke's** has for sale

1 Club jacket circa 1988 when the club re formed, gold and like new-size 52

1 club bumper plaque in aluminum

1 Red and Black club windbreaker-size 2XL

1 Red and black club golf shirt-size 2-3XL

2 Deuce days dress shirts from 2004 and 2007- size 3XL

And a original print of first club car show at western speedway

Looking to sell entire package for \$100.00- call Eddy if interested at 250-743-4779

Long Distance messages:

Don Wilson (on holidays) and **Rod Mac Arthur** from **Nova Scotia** said hello.

Motion for Adjournment by Ken Black

Seconded by Mike Roy

Carried

Next Meeting: April 19th 2017 @ 7:30 at the Victorian Seniors Residents

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