



Century Toppers Rod & Custom Car Club

Minutes – regular monthly meeting April -19- 2017
Meeting called to order @ 7:32 pm.

Attendance: 24 members present
1 Guest Pete Barefoot

Bill introduced Ollie Hodges to the members

Ollie gave a farewell speech to the membership thanking everyone for their help and making her time in the club enjoyable. She told the membership that she is moving to Tsawwassen to be with family.

James asked about her car and it is still up for sale. Ollie is hoping to sell it on the mainland.

Guest

Pete Barefoot mentioned that he does not have a car at this time but is looking for a nice clean 67 Nova.

Bob Rivers took this opportunity to pay his membership dues along with dues for **Peter Saegebrecht** and **Larry Willett** with \$140.00 dollars in quarters and a \$10.00 dollar bill.

Secretary's report:

The **March** Minutes were distributed by email with no errors or omission reported.

Motion to accept the March minutes as distributed made by **Brian Pearce**,
Seconded by **Bob Rivers** - none opposed - **Carried.**

Treasurers report:

Loyd Houston gave the treasures report.

A check for \$50.00 dollars was sent to the Specialty Vehicle Association of BC for club membership dues.

The 50/50 of \$37.50 was won by **Loyd Houston** he then donated **\$7.50** back to the club. \$50.00 was taken in on a club shirt sale.

Electro Shine has again renewed their club sponsorship for another year at \$300.00 dollars.

The current Bank Balance stands at **\$5,813.60**

Motion to accept: Les Pickell

Seconded by: Bob Parker

None opposed - **Carried**

Old Business:

Bill Campbell did a review of the March Minutes

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

WEB SITE:

James Robinson talked to **John Fleury** about obtaining photos of his **Ranchero** for the project section in the web site.

He also still requires car photos from some members to complete the roster section. If you don't have a current photo in the roster, please be sure to get one to him as soon as possible so he can update the roster for this year.

James is also updating the current events section of our website.

Penticton trip:

Bill mentioned that he would like to put together a list of who is going and what day they will be travelling on. It appears that most will be traveling on the Thursday, but there are some thinking of going on Wednesday if it's calling for rain on the Thursday.

If you're intending to go to Penticton as part of a group, can you please let Bill Campbell know?

Garage Tour:

Sign Pad Tour: We are confirmed for a garage tour at the Sign Pad, at 7:00 PM on Thursday, June 8th. The Sign Pad is located at 103-2675 Wilfert Road in Colwood.

Modified Collector Car Program :

Bill started a discussion on what was going to be allowed to qualify for modified collector status. Reproduction bodies whether steel or fibreglass do not qualify for modified Collector status, although factory bodies cars can have fibreglass components (fenders, running boards etc).

There was a discussion on drive train replacements motor, brakes, suspensions. The collector program wants to have receipts for all that if they have been added since you bought the vehicle.

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 and have it Notarized

Bob Bentham talked to **Bob Kelly** and a weigh slip for your car is required when filling out your application. Vehicle weight could change especially if doing an engine swap.

Bob mentioned that if you have an inquiry to let him know and he will try to get answers for you.

The objective of the program is to get the cars correctly registered.

Break :

50/50 draw resulted in a total of \$ 64.00 being collected and the winner was **Bob Rivers** for \$32.00. He was paid out in quarters ☺.

A thank you to **Gord Strongman** for supplying tonight's donut donation.

New Business :

Victoria Day Parade :

Bill told the membership of an idea presented to the executive by **Heather & Darrin Leek** - **The Evolution of Motoring**.

Bob Bentham contacted **Bruce Hopkins** and he agreed to loan the club his **Rare 1904 Black horseless carriage** which will ride on the flatdeck. It will be followed by club cars in order of decade of production

There was a discussion on car and truck signage, and how to tie together all the different themes together. **Canada's 150th Birthday, The Evolution of motoring and Hot Rodding through the Centuries and the clubs 60th Anniversary**

James Robinson then showed the members the concept drawing of the car and truck signage and how it will look.

The cars will have decade signs on the spectator side of each car, and the truck will have the club banner along with Canada's 150 banner and The Evolution of Motoring banner, along with a sign acknowledging **Bruce Hopkins** for his contribution of the **1904 Black**.

There was a discussion on if the signage should be on coroplast or banner form. It was decided to go with banner type for ease of storage and the reusable factor.

James explained that this is a onetime only opportunity for the club to but on a first class display and get the club name out there.

Bob Bentham mentioned that **Heather Leek** had suggested that the club get in contact with **Lordco** as they might be interested in helping out with some form of sponsorship

If **Lordco** does come on board they will also have sponsorship signage on the truck. Cost of all the signage will be close to \$1000.00 dollars taxes in.

Side note, I'm happy to announce that since our meeting Lordco has contributed \$500.00 toward the signage on the vehicles, so please support our sponsors.

Cost breakdown or proposed signage:

Door Decals \$370.00
1904 Black Carriage Signage \$60.00
Truck signage \$365.00
All plus taxes.

Bob asked the membership if they are willing to support such a venture. There was strong support from the membership for this Idea.

Brian Pearce Made a Motion - **That the club purchase the Proposed Signage**

Seconded By Bob Parker. None opposed - Carried

Bill mentioned that one of the conditions on the loan of the Black is that it has to stay dry, so if there is rain, an 8 x10 pop up tent will be required to protect it from the weather.

James then passed around a picture of the **Black** for those who have never seen it.

Bob mentioned that there will be a decorating party on the Saturday before the Parade at the Totem Towing Yard on Tennyson St. Volunteers required. Please let Bob know if you are willing to participate.

Bob Bentham is looking for a minimum of one car from each decade. Two would be good, if we have more that would like to participate. If there is more than two in a decade volunteers for some decades, we may have to draw names.

This is the current list of people that would like to participate:

Rain or shine

20's Marlon Ball, Lyall Atkinson

30's Bill Campbell and James Robinson.

40's Bob Parker

50's Russ Etherington, Don Wilson, Joe Hadley

60's Bob Bentham

70's Jamie Campbell – Bill Campbell's son in '70 Chevelle 454 SS

80's Gary Haltner

90's Loyd Houston

2000's Larry Colwell

2017 Grant Breiland

Shine only:

20's

30's Gord Strongman, Darrin Leek

40's

50's

60's Cheri Cooper, Morey Rozon,

2000's Darrin Leak

Other possible to be contacted

Al Breen, Reg Young - Declined , Ken Black, Larry Willett, Pete Saegebrecht

Garage Tour :

Bill reminded members of the upcoming garage tour At **Dave Dyers** on Saturday the 15th. and the brunch at **Jasmine Restaurant** at **10:00 in Colwood. Tour to start at noon.** Direction to Dave Dyers were given out for those who did not want to attend Brunch.

Club Crest :

James Robinson inquired if there would be any interest in doing a club crest to commemorate the clubs 60th anniversary.

Club Jacket :

Bill mentioned that there is nothing to report on this, but hopes to make time soon.

Rock & Roll For Little Souls:

Marlon Ball Club rep.

Les Pickell On show organization committee

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

Buy & Sell :

Don Wilson has a set of 15 in monster truck tires for sale

John Fleury has a new 85 Corvette oil pan for sale

Motion for Adjournment by Mike Roy

Seconded by Bob Rivers

Carried

Next Meeting - May 17th 2017 @ 7:30 at the Victorian Seniors Residents