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CDCC Meeting Minutes for November 4, 2010

(Minutes taken by Donna French – November Secretary)

Welcome to New Members / Guests:

The meeting was called to order at 7:42 PM by President Phil Trifaro who welcomed 18 members. There were no guests present. A special welcome was extended to Dave and Cathy Leininger and their daughter, Kim. Dave has been a member since 1977 and shared some stories of CDCC's start. He also has all the CDCC newsletters and will copy some old ones and share them with us.

October 2010 Meeting Minutes:

The October meeting minutes were accepted as published. The approval was motioned by Jean Mink and seconded by Felicia Trifaro.

Treasurer's Report:

Bill McChesney reported on our treasury amounts and bills paid. Motion to accept the treasurer's report was made by Pete Battaglia and seconded by Bob Adler. The treasurer's report was accepted as presented.

Old Business:

Ten of us cruised to Bob Adler's Antique Autos on Route 43 in Stephentown, NY on Saturday, October 30, 2010. We toured Bob's huge collection of antique vehicles, watched as he gave a demo on painting a car door, saw his current projects, and had a nice indoor picnic. We thank Bob for his hospitality!

Charlie French and Phil Trifaro reviewed the new format for our June 26, 2011 car show. Charlie also circulated the first draft of the new flier. The next Car Show Committee meeting has been scheduled for Tuesday, November 16, at 6 PM at the diner. Over the next few months, the car show committee will be finalizing many show details – flier, dash plaques, trophy sizes, etc. Contact Charlie French, Phil Trifaro, or Bill Schroeder if you have ideas, suggestions, concerns, etc. about these changes. (phone numbers and e-mail addresses later in this newsletter)

Donna French reminded the club that our bylaws state that we need to vote on the recommended dues increase mentioned at last month's meeting. We voted unanimously to increase a single membership to \$20 and a family membership to \$30. The increase will begin with the 2011-2012 dues.

Club officers, plus co-chairmen of the car show and newsletter committees agreed to forgo reimbursement for club dues for the time being. Donna French just reminded the membership that the bylaws state mention this reimbursement but those officers and chairmen voted to forgo it at a recent E-Board meeting.

Phil Trifaro reported on plans for a CRUISE TO SARATOGA SPRINGS on SATURDAY NOVEMBER 13, 2010. The club will be visiting the Saratoga Auto museum at 10 AM, having lunch at Golden Corral, and then stopping at Olde Saratoga Brewing Co. for a tour and beer tasting. Those cruising together will meet at the

Route 7/Northway Mobile station at 9:30 AM or meet at the Auto Museum at 10 AM. An e-mail reminder was sent to all with details, as the event date is so soon.

New Business:

Plans are finalized for our annual CHRISTMAS PARTY at the ELKS. It will be held on SATURDAY DECEMBER 11, 2010, \$12 for members and \$22 for non-members (wine, beer, and soda paid by the club). Hors d'oeuvres and cocktails start after 6:15 PM, dinner at 7 PM (beef, chicken, or fish), followed by dancing to Ron Cremisio and his band. If you did not sign up at the meeting and plan to attend – CONTACT JEAN MINK BY DECEMBER 2 at 869-7784 or AJmink@nycap.rr.com with # attending and dinner choices. REMINDER: With the Christmas party at the beginning of December, THERE WILL BE NO REGULAR DECEMBER MEETING.

Committee Reports:

Goodwill (Bill McChesney):

Bill reported on donations in memory of Bev Hines' son to the St. Peter's Foundation for the Poor and in memory of Pete Battaglia's brother to St. Peter's Hospice. \$100 was donated to the club from a friend of Pete's (a non-member) in honor of his brother.

Car Show (Phil Trifaro / Charlie French):

(See Car Show discussion in the Old Business section) The Car Show Committee will meet at the Route 7 Diner, Latham at 6 PM on Tuesday, November 16, 2010 to discuss next year's show and changes to its format. Contact Charlie, Phil, Bill S. or any car show committee member with your input on these changes.

Newsletter (Jeff and Donna Bazicki):

Not present, however, Jeff recently had computer problems and some members may have received their newsletter copy from the Frenches. Hopefully, this newsletter will be received by all without any problems.

Website (Kim Adams):

Nothing to report – not present

Membership (Pete Battaglia):

Pete reported that we currently have 48 members. Also, the members at the meeting voted unanimously to raise dues for the 2011-2012 year to \$20 for a single membership and \$30 for a family membership (see Old Business)

By-Laws (Charlie & Donna French):

Nothing new to report – see Old Business.

Publicity (Phil Trifaro):

Nothing new to report.

Elections (Ron Barner):

Nothing to report – not present

Environmental (Bob Adler):

Bob discussed alcohol and additive levels in gasoline and their effects on our classic vehicles' fuel systems. Bob also distributed some restoration magazines from Hemmings.

Club Store (Brenda Powell):

Brenda is making an inventory of all items available for sale in the club's store and also the numbers and sizes of leftover shirts from this year's car show.

Contributions (Charles & Donna French):

Donna reported that our annual holiday donation of \$150 was sent to the Northeast Regional Food Bank.

Activities Coordinator (Ron Barner):

Not present, however, see Old Business for details on our November 13 trip to Saratoga Springs.

Upcoming CDCC Events:

2010 Fall Cruise II → November 13 to Saratoga Auto Museum, lunch, and Olde Saratoga Brewing Co.

2010 Christmas Gala → Dec. 11, 2010 (Contact Jean Mink by Dec. 2 if you are attending!)

2011 Car Show → June 26, 2011

2011 Club Picnic → September 2011 @ Adams' house

Golden Nut Award: – Bob Adler thanked us for the award and it is displayed at his restoration business!

50/50: – \$16.00 went to Frank Rakvica. Good to see Frank again!

Adjournment: – The meeting was adjourned at 9:25 PM; motioned by Jean Mink and seconded by Felicia Trifaro.

Next meeting: is JANUARY 6, 2011 at 7:30PM → Route 7 Diner, Latham, NY with Felicia Trifaro taking over as secretary.

(NO DECEMBER MEETING!!)

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| Polo Shirts | \$11.00 |

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CLUB ACTIVITIES

Car Show **6/27/10**
Colonie Elks

Spring Cruise **7/11/10**
Bennington VT

Summer Picnic **9/12/10**
Frank & Kim Adams's House

Christmas Party **12/12/09**
Colonie Elks

DECEMBER BIRTHDAYS

Debbie Bovino Joanne Chambers

Phil Trifaro 16th

CDCC CLUB STORE INVENTORY

T-Shirts - Blue - \$8.00

Small - 4
Medium - 5
XL - 3
2XL - 1

Polo Shirt - Blue - \$11.00

XL - 2

Sweatshirts - Blue - \$15.00

XL - 3

Hats - Blue - \$5.00

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A new membership list will be printed in next month's newsletter.



CDCC Christmas Party
Saturday, December 11, 2010
Colonie Elks Club, Latham

Cocktails 6:15 PM Dinner at 7:00 PM Music by Ron Cremisio
\$12.00 CDCC Members - \$22.00 Guests

Dinner Choices: Beef, Chicken, or Fish

Beer, wine, and soda will be provided by the Club.

**MAKE YOUR RESERVATIONS AND DINNER SELECTIONS
BY CONTACTING JEAN MINK BY DECEMBER 2, 2010.**

E-mail Jean (AJmink@nycap.rr.com) or call 869-7784 with your
number attending and dinner choices

Another year has almost passed, time to sign up for the CDCC Christmas Party. Please contact Jean Mink.

Next year our car show will look and feel completely different. If you haven't heard CDCC will Not be a judged show in 2011. We are going to invite any car, truck, motorcycle and maybe even a tractor if one shows up. The car show committee is in the works hammering out the details, and if you have any ideas contact Phil or Charlie. We think this is a needed change because with the old format, having a cutoff date we were missing out on the new American Muscle Cars.

As some of you heard, my computer and I were having some trouble. A couple of years ago it was a total crash of the hard drive. Without my wife's help I still don't think there would be a newsletter. Now, somehow my wife and I went to London and were robbed and were asking for money for a flight home, all while as I slept that night here in NY. Needless to say, after MANY, MANY times trying to get a hold of someone at Yahoo they fixed the problem in ten minutes. It's not nice to wake up one morning and find out someone hacked into your computer and changes the password to your email, or whatever else they got into. If anyone would like to send me money so I could go to London it would be a nice vacation, and I've never been there.

Please take note of our club store inventory. If anyone would like to purchase an item please contact Brenda Powell.



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