

PLAYGROUND CORVETTE CLUB MINUTES

7 March 2024

The meeting was called to order by Mark Gunn at 7 pm (1900) at Pedros Tacos & Tequila Bar (315 Mary Esther Blvd).

1. Welcome everyone! Welcome to our new members, Don and Sherry Schak. Don is a former member and we are happy he and Sherry rejoined the club. Welcome back!
2. Treasurer's Report presented by Peggy Misleh.
3. NCM Ambassador Report: Feb/Mar reports can be found on our Website (<https://www.playgroundcorvetteclub.com>).
April 25-27: 27th Annual Michelin Bash at the NCM.
Aug 29-31: 30th Anniversary & Corvette Caravan. Lots of activities at and around the NCM. PCC looking to join the caravan for part of the journey, maybe go as far as Talladega. More information to come.
Remember to give the NCM a shot at providing car insurance. If you call, don't forget to let them know you are from PCC.
4. Mark reminded everyone that PCC is a 501(c)3 charity. Anyone wishing to make charitable donations throughout the year, please consider giving to Playground Corvette Club. Your tax-deductible donation will be distributed to the charities we sponsor at the end of each year. Thanks to those who have donated and continue to donate!
This is our club business model going forward. With support from the membership we can enjoy our Corvette rides, get together and not get bogged down with show planning. We can revisit sponsoring shows if membership has interest.
5. Special Raffle for club members: Framed Corvette Poster with authentic signature of Zora Arkus Duntov. Eddie donated the poster and Corevette Fever Magazine featuring Zora. Raffle tickets will be available at March, April and May club meetings.
6. Wreaths Across America. Eddie is going to reach out to find information about this organization and see if we can help support the effort at Barrancas National Cemetery in December.

OLD BUSINESS:

1. **The Cruisin for Kids Car Show:** Optimist Club of Jackson, Marianna, FL was postponed due to weather. New date is April 13th.
2. NCM Ambassador renewal due. Discussed whether to continue to pay for this or not? Eddie volunteered to pay the \$250 dues this year and membership can decide if there is value in this position prior to next year's renewal. Thanks, Eddie.
3. If your car photo isn't on the PCC website/or if you want to submit an updated photo, please forward a JPEG of your car to Bob Bates.
rbates1951@gmail.com

4. Club shirts are available at Impact Custom Clothing (850-244-4606; 206 Stokes Ave NW, Unit 1B, FWB). Impact Custom Clothing has the Allan Turner logo – for those who want to order a shirt with the Allen Turner logo on the sleeve. Impact Custom Clothing turns around orders in approx. 1-2 weeks.
5. To see photos from recent club events, cruise on over to our website: <https://www.playgroundcorvetteclub.com>

CLUB EVENTS:

1. **22-23 March: Burning Up the Beaches.** Destin Commons. Registration on our website. This is a club event.
2. **20 April:** Club drive to visit the USS Alabama Battleship with dinner at Felix's to follow. Meet at Blue Angels rest stop on I10 at 1100.
3. **20 April:** Spanish Trail Car Show, Crestview on Main Street
4. **29 April:** Exotic Auto Show, The Palms of Destin Resort
5. **25 May:** Talladega track event Vettes4Vets. You can drive your car on the track. More info to come.
6. Club ride to National Corvette Museum after Labor Day, TBD.
7. Club tailgate at Fort Pickens to watch the Blue Angels, date TBD.
8. Club ride to Wahoo Baseball game in Pensacola, date TBD.

Door Prizes:

1. 50/50: Cathie – won \$25 and donated back to the club. Thanks Cathie!
2. Motion to adjourn by Cathie
Motion 2nd by Mike

The meeting was presided by Mark Gunn; Meeting adjourned at 1930; Submitted by Karen Payne, Secretary