

## PLAYGROUND CORVETTE CLUB MINUTES

Dec 6, 2023

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

1. Welcome everyone! Welcome to our guest, Collin Bestor, from the NWFL Daily News.
2. Treasurer's Report presented by Cathie Gunn.
3. NCM Ambassador Report: Nov report can be found on our Website (<https://www.playgroundcorvetteclub.com>). 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.

***Congratulations*** to Mark and Cathie Gunn! They picked up their brand-new Red 2024 Z-51 Corvette on Dec 4<sup>th</sup> at the NCM! Several PCC Members accompanied Mark and Cathie on the road trip to Bowling Green. They took a tour of the Corvette Assembly Plant, as well as the National Corvette Museum. All were present as Mark and Cathie took delivery of their new car from the Nursery.

Mark your calendars for the Labor Day 2024 NCM Caravan. This event happens every 5 years. More info, and route will be shared as it becomes available.

### **OLD BUSINESS:**

1. Thanks to all who participated in the Nov 11 Veterans Day Parade. The parade was soggy but went off without a hitch.
2. Thanks to all who participated in the Hammock Bay Classic Car Show & Shine on Nov 18. A beautiful day and a beautiful venue. Fun for all!
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](mailto: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. **December 8:** Day of Giving! We will meet at Sharing and Caring 104 Bullock Dr, Niceville at 1100. From there we will go to SOCKS. Then to lunch.
2. **December 9:** Destin Christmas Parade. Be in the parking lot of the United Methodist Church (200 Beach Dr) by 0830. Weather is iffy...we'll make a game day decision and let the club know.

3. **January 13:** Induction of Officers dinner at Louisiana Lagniappe at 1800.  
Bring a gift for dirty Santa (\$25 value).

#### **NEW BUSINESS:**

1. Election of 2024 Officers!  
President: *Mark Gunn*  
Vice President: *Eddie Carafa*  
Treasurer: *Peggy Misleh*  
Secretary: *Karen Payne*  
Competition Director: *Greg Hager*  
NCCC: *Pat Maxim*  
NCM Ambassador: *Steve Noble*  
Officer at Large: *Scott Eisenhower*  
Above candidates were unopposed, so a nomination to accept the new officers was made by Steve Payne, 2<sup>nd</sup> by Don Johnson.  
Passed Unanimously.
2. We will be making donations to the following charities in December:
  - a. SOWF \$500 (made electronically)
  - b. SOCKS \$500
  - c. Sharing and Caring \$500
  - d. Destin Christmas Parade: new bike
3. No meeting in January. We will have the induction of officers on Jan 13 at Louisiana Lagniappe.

#### **Door Prizes:**

1. Secret handshake: Steve Noble – won a camelback water bottle and Christmas towels.
2. Door prize: Steve Payne – won microfiber towels and lint roller.
3. 50/50: Mark – won \$42 and donated it back to the club.
4. Motion to adjourn by Mike  
Motion 2<sup>nd</sup> by Steve

The meeting was presided by Bob Bates; Meeting adjourned at 1930; Submitted by Karen Payne, Secretary