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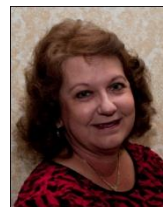
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**GREATER DAYTON CORVETTE CLUB (GDCC)**  
**Minutes – October 17, 2012**

President Freddie Haugh called the meeting to order at 7:15 p.m. Forty-two members were present.

**ANNOUNCEMENTS/GUESTS**

- The Club welcomed John and Connie Hagstrom owners of a 2009 Atomic Orange and Lou and Sonja Veta owners of 1966 Ermine White Stingray.
- Freddie thanked Sharon Pennell for handling the arrangements for the Route 66 Festival in Springfield, Illinois. A good time was had by all.

**SECRETARY'S REPORT**

- Mike Jones moved the minutes from the September meeting be accepted as written. Seconded by Kitty Moorhead.

**TREASURER'S REPORT**

- Herb Smith provided the complete report.

**VICE PRESIDENT'S REPORT**

- Freddie called for the following committee reports:

**SOCIAL**

- Judy Smith (reporting for Sharon Pennell) provided information on the following events:
  - October 21: Color tour hosted by the Restoration Station. There will be a free lunch but donations are accepted that benefit a charity. A driver meeting is at 1:00 p.m. and the tour begins at 2:00 p.m.
  - October 23: Giovanni's Fall Italian Dinner. Cost is \$51.50 per person.
  - October 27: Marsha and Kent Woolery are hosting the dinner out to Red Brick Tavern. Meet at 5:45 p.m. at Enon Park. Dinner reservations are at 6:30 p.m.
  - November 10: GDCC 50<sup>th</sup> anniversary banquet will begin at 6:00 p.m. Rooms at the Wyndham Garden Dayton South (formerly Holiday Inn) are \$89.00. Call them directly at 434-8030 if you plan to stay. The banquet will cost \$50.00 per couple, \$25.00 for single.
    - Debby Vanscoy said that she has received a response from 12 former members who are excited about attending the banquet.
    - If anyone has any club pictures, e-mail them to Connie Shank. She is putting together a DVD that will run throughout the banquet.
    - Debby requested additional money for banquet costs. Debby motioned that \$1,000.00 be approved. Seconded by Judy Smith. Motion carried.
    - Carol Tavener stated that she is having a difficult time in obtaining door prizes from businesses. Jerry Schlatter

suggested showing a copy of the invitation to businesses. Freddie suggested contacting businesses in person rather than e-mail.

- December: At this time there is no one to host a Christmas party. If you would like to host a party, send an e-mail to Sharon Pennell NLT Friday, October 19. If no one volunteers to have a Christmas party, Sharon will pick a restaurant to have dinner.

## MEMBERSHIP

- Carol Tavener reported that as of tonight we have 111 members
- She sent a get well card to Steve Smith.
- Carol said that the race at Mid-Ohio was really exciting especially with Boris winning the race. Thanks to Bob and Sachiko Thomas who posted the race on YouTube.

## PUBLIC RELATIONS

- No report.

## EDITOR/WEBMASTER

- Mike asked if anyone paid attention to the newsletter cover. Thanks to Debby Vanscoy for designing the "Fiberglas-Flashes" cover depicting GDCC's 50<sup>th</sup> year.

## NATIONAL CORVETTE MUSEUM (NCM) AMBASSADOR

- Jerry Schlatter said that when he receives information from the NCM he forwards to Mike for further dissemination.
- NCM is planning their Corvette caravan the last week of August 2014.

## PRESIDENT'S REPORT:

- Freddie stated that the Hope for the Warriors cruise-in on October 7 was not very well attended because of the 46 degree weather and drizzle. City Barbecue was able to raise \$328.84 and an additional \$225.00 was raised by GDCC. Freddie received a thank you card from Hope for the Warriors organization for the Club's hard work and key role in enhancing the warrior's quality of life.
- Freddie received a thank you card from Butch and Sandy Hanson for the flowers and cards they received in the passing of Butch's Mother and for the Club's friendship.

## OLD BUSINESS

- Carol Tavener said that if anyone would like a picture of themselves with their car for the point of contact list, to send the information to her or Bob Sledge. Suspense date for submitting the data is the end of the year.

## **NEW BUSINESS**

- Freddie reminded the Club that nominations for officers will occur at the November meeting.
- Freddie talked about her experience at High Point, North Carolina. She met a former Marine, 28 years old Todd Nicely, who has no arms or legs, but does have prosthetics. He told her that he does not feel sorry for himself. He is a recipient of a specially built home sponsored by The Tunnel to Towers and the Gary Sinise Foundation that support "Building for America's Bravest". The organization builds homes for disabled veterans. To date the organization has built 44 homes. Plans are to build more homes at a cost of \$500,000, but more money is needed.

50/50 Drawing won by Bob Thomas: \$45.00.

Tom Christian motioned that the meeting adjourn; seconded by Bob Haugh.

Respectively submitted,

Theresa Kopa



# Coming Attractions

## Things to do, places to be

### January

16 *Giovanni's* Monthly Meeting

### February

5 *Haugh's* Super Bowl Party  
20 *Giovanni's* Monthly Meeting  
18 *TBA* Valentine Dinner  
26 *Shank's* Daytona 500 Party

### March

17&18 *Lima* Swap Meet  
21 *Giovanni's* Monthly Meeting  
24 *Mr Lee's* Dinner Out (Pennell)

### April

1 *Bud's* Corvette Swap & Sell  
14 *Bear Creek* Bryant, IN (Haugh)  
18 *Giovanni's* Monthly Meeting

### May

5 *Liedertafal* 50s/60s Party (Shank)  
12 *St. Mary's* Bud's Cruise In  
16 *Giovanni's* Monthly Meeting  
18-19 *Lexington* Spring Fling (Pennell)

### June

8 & 9 *Cumberland* The Wilds  
20 *Giovanni's* Monthly Meeting  
29 *National* Drive your Corvette to Work Day

### July

4 *Centerville* Americana Parade  
*Hodge's* Cook Out/Pool Party  
14 *McElroy's* Cook Out  
15 *Lancaster* Corvette Gathering IX  
18 *Giovanni's* Monthly Meeting

### August

4-5 *Blissfield, MI* Dinner/Mystery Train  
11 *Damon's* Wilmington (Haugh)  
15 *Giovanni's* Monthly Meeting  
25 *Indian Lake* Dinner Out (Tavener)  
24-26 *Carlisle, PA* Corvettes at Carlisle

### September

3 *Kettering* Holiday at Home  
14-16 *Effingham, IL* Mid America FunFest  
19 *Giovanni's* Monthly Meeting  
21-23 *Springfield, IL* Route 66 Festival

### October

5-6 *Gatlinburg* VetteFest  
6 *Mid Ohio* Boris Race Day  
7 *City BBQ* Cruise-In  
17 *Giovanni's* Monthly Meeting  
21 *Color Tour* Restoration Station  
27 *Red Brick Tav* Dinner Out

### November

6 *Polling Place* **Go Vote!**  
10 *Wyndham* Annual Banquet  
21 *Giovanni's* Monthly Meeting

### December

?? ?? Christmas Party  
19 *Giovanni's* Monthly Meeting  
31 *Tipp Legion?* New Year's Eve

**37 MPH** - The automobile speed below which most insects bounce off the windshield and above which they splatter on it.

# GDCC 50<sup>th</sup> YEAR ANNIVERSARY BANQUET

November 10, 2012

6:00 PM

Wyndham Garden South

31 Prestige Plaza Drive

Miamisburg, Oh 45342

937-434-8030

*\$25 per person/\$50 per couple*

- DJ/Prizes/Meal Stations/Memorabilia
- Rooms: \$89 8 held until 10/20/2012
- Formal to Semi-Formal Dress
- Please donate items for door prizes
- Please consider donating a nice, large item for a silent auction
- Send or mail payment to Herbie Smith no later than November 1!



# Coming Attractions

## Something to Celebrate

### *Birthdays*

#### November

- 5 Rob DeLorenzo  
Russell Hodge
- 7 Anita Stephens
- 11 Betty Kangas
- 12 Ed Jones
- 15 Sachiko Thomas  
Dean Tavener
- 17 Steve Moorhead
- 19 Michael Foy
- 20 Richard McIlvain
- 21 Rick Queener
- 27 Paul Cisco
- 28 Sue Smith

#### December

- 3 Judie Gilmore
- 6 Debbie Speidel
- 12 Sharon Pennell  
David Zomes
- 16 Jill First
- 28 Pat Ritz
- 29 Boris Tirpack

### *Anniversaries*

#### November

- 11 Tom & Star Brooks  
Jim & Pat Ritz

#### December

- 15 Steve & Sue Smith
- 28 Thomas & Doris Murph
- 30 Bob & Carol Miller

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#### Monthly Meeting

We meet the third Wednesday of each month at 7PM, at Giovanni's, 215 W. Main St., Fairborn. All visitors are welcome.