



CORVETTES
WESTERN AUSTRALIA
CAR CLUB (INC)

CORVETTES OF WA INC - GENERAL MEETING
TUESDAY 21ST JANUARY 2020
Meeting Commenced at 7.33 pm

PRESENT: Attendance (30) and apologies as per attached list

WELCOME NEW MEMBERS:

David & Melissa Alder 2010 Black
Warren Lacey 1987 Blue

WELCOME VISITORS:

Paul Evans 1969 C3

PRESIDENTS REPORT:

The President thanked members for attending; Greg and Frank for organising and cooking the BBQ; the Committee for their time and effort; Andy Weatherburn for hoist day, and for organizing January and February Wednesday drives.

The President requested members send in photos and brief details for a broader representation of members' cars on the website, as there are only 8 cars there now. Richard also mentioned WA's concessional scheme for 30-year-old modified cars and bikes expected to be in place by the second half of 2020. See www.transport.wa.gov.au/concessionalforclassics

MINUTES OF PREVIOUS MEETING – accepted:

Moved: Greg Walker
Seconded: Ron Flood

Business Arising: President advised that he has informed the state Corvette Club Presidents that CoWA will not be part of Corvettes Australia Inc. as per CoWA membership show of hands last General Meeting, 19th November 2019.

The Vice President has been monitoring our Facebook site, and reported minimal entries needed screening.

FINANCE REPORT – Accepted

Moved: Keith Patching
Seconded: Graeme Long

The Club's latest Term Deposit has matured and rolled over for a further term.

MEMBERSHIP: Kevin reported current membership at 99.

WEBSITE: Richard W reported website up to date and functioning well.

MAGAZINE: Andy P. apologies, unable to attend due to medical circumstances.

SOCIAL: Lois reported events posted up to July on the website calendar. The Social Committee is working on details of Christmas in July. Members were reminded of the

pizza night coming up Sunday 21st March at Keith and Andreas'. Details by email in due course.

- A list was signed by 18 members who intend to attend The Shannons' Classic Car Show at Ascot on 8 March 2020. The Club needs more Corvettes to represent us. If you did not sign the list please contact Ron at ronanddawn1@bigpond.com or phone 0429 347 014.
- April 19th is the annual Curtin Radio Classic Car Show. Vice President Matt Alexander is organising our attendance. Some of our cars may not be back from the National Convention. If you are in town, your car's attendance would be appreciated. Contact Matt at mattshandi@yahoo.com.au
- The Club has received an invitation to display a few 60's era cars at the Australian Petroleum & Production Association (APPEA) on Monday, May 18th. Richard G. will be organizing this event.

CMC: Ron advised nothing to report.

INCOMING CORRESPONDENCE:

Christmas Card from Prostate Cancer Foundation of WA; NSW Corvette magazine December; Chev Car Club magazine November & December; advertising materials.

GENERAL BUSINESS:

Members reported badges coming apart. Please let the President know if anyone else has had this problem.

It was suggested that the Club consider donating to victims of the fires in Australia. Following considerable discussion, the major points and suggestions noted were:

1. Donate to the Red Cross to avoid fraudulent donation sites
2. \$500m already donated nationally to victims
3. Many funds are limited as to what donations can be spent on
4. Identify specific victims/ family
5. Fund wildlife – Kangaroo Island
6. Donate to a Corvette Club victim
7. Contact South Australia Corvette Club
8. Present CoWA's donation at the National Convention in South Australia

A motion was proposed to donate an amount of \$500, and to contact the SA Corvette Club to determine a suitable recipient. The motion was not seconded.

A further motion to donate \$2000 was seconded. The motion passed by majority (4 votes against). The Treasurer advised the Club has sufficient funds in the current account to make a second donation this financial year. The President will do further research and contact the South Australian Corvette Club to see if there are any Corvette Club victims. Prior to any action being taken beyond research, the membership will be further consulted.

Don H. advised that the Vintage Car Club of WA is able and authorised to do first time licencing of vehicles, and that not all DOT centre employees are aware of this.

Meeting closed at 8.33pm

Door prize winners: Greg W. and Mick K.