



# Simi Valley Corvettes

MINUTES OF MEETING Tuesday, December 18, 2018

**Meeting called to order @ 7:30pm by Randy R, President.**

Count: 40 members present.

**Trivia Questions:** Randy told a seasonal joke about snowpeople. Trivia questions were based on Country Music stars lives and happenings. Steve R, VP seemed to know the most of the answers.

**Opening Message:** The nominations are complete, the slate of candidates are: For President, Steve C and Bob S are running. The remaining board members are returning without opposing candidates.

Members in good standing (dues paid) can vote for new board, January 8, 2019. If you are not in attendance at the meeting you can send your votes to at least two (2) of the board members so your vote will be counted. Ballot to be sent to members with minutes in case you can't make next meeting.

**Bake Sale,** Cheryl S, thank you! Marilyn M is baking January 8<sup>th</sup>. [\[Please sign-up for 2018. Funds can be designated to assist the general fund to help the club pay for various activities or to the club charity fund.\]](#)

**Approval of Minutes from Last Meeting: Cheryl S, Secretary:** Moved to approve: Sherrie N. Seconded by Marilyn B. Minutes approved.

**Treasurer, Bryan P:** Bryan mentioned he is still taking membership and Installation Brunch payments, so please pay.

**Guest & Member Recognition: Steve R, VP** announced Elisa Rojas joined the club. Steve presented Jim B with his two year pin, congrats!

**Club Business-** Cheryl S informed club Steve J is compiling pictures for the Installation Brunch, so please send him pictures you have taken during the year at events. Randy R showed Savi the jacket example from Santa Clarita club and she is concerned with layered design. Cheryl S will go and talk with her about jackets. Other 35<sup>th</sup> Anniversary event ideas are welcome, we have the whole year to celebrate.

Discussed Banner and type, Cheryl will ask Savi if they do banners and check on other sources. Possibly put SV Chevrolet Logo on banner.

**Simi Valley Chevrolet Dealership Update:** Dash M, no update this meeting. Committee sign up sheet after discussing Involvement with car dealer as mutual efforts.

**Car Shows Update:** No car show notices, but anyone interested can check on website.

**Upcoming and Past Runs** Frank C provided details on plans for Plastic Fantastic, May 18-19, 2019 a few stops at places and a Trivia/Scavenger hunt planned. Bob S provided information on hotel Humphreys to stay at, 15 rooms available. Rand R mentioned Murphys, CA run to be scheduled in fall.

**Holiday Party** Judy talked about the fun had by all and she was sorry the numbers were down as several people were sick. Charity committee, Joanna R, thanked those that brought wine donations for raffle, earned \$345 for charity.

**Rest & Relaxation Run** Feb 8-10 Cambria Pines Hotel. Reservation information sent out. Sign up sheet.

**Share the News:** Steve F talked about GMs friends and family discounts if looking for new car. There is a 20% discount on accessories, including tires. He can assist with authorization code if needed. Marilyn M mentioned she is at the Chamber of Commerce meeting each week representing For The Troops where Simi Valley Chevrolet is there. She will ask them if there is anything we can do to enhance the relationship between the club and dealer.

**Who the Heck are You?** Randy asked candidates for President to talk about selves. **Bob S** grew up in the valley, he talked about his family's business, being in Vietnam, buying a Red Road Runner and joining first car club and Cruisin' Van Nuys Blvd. His blind date with Cathy in '71, after three dates engaged and in '72 getting married. Cathy raised son Brandon. They owned an aquarium service, worked at Baskin Robbins family business and had a fish store. 2006 bought first Corvette, has been in club 12 years, President for three years and held other offices.

**Steve C** grew up in Culver City and did not know about the valley until the 405 was completed. Hamilton High school, his almadater was the local drag strip. Parents moved to the valley, he went to CSUN until drafted and went in Marines. Worked at dad's clothing store in Marina Del Rey. When cruisin' Van Nuys Blvd, saw Sheila with girlfriends in convertible Mustang. He jumped in car from motorcycle into Sheila's lap. Went on date using a GTO that had to be towed home from date after being hit from behind. They married. He had a 1960 Corvette and wedding album has pictures of Vette with them. Worked in manufacturing and traveled most of his career. Sheila raised kids. Worked in other retail Varne of France, Big Dog. Second Corvette in '08-'09, now new one. Has driven motorcycles as well.

**Upcoming Events / Runs :**

**Installation Brunch** after election at the first meeting of 2019 we will have the Installation Brunch on January 13. The new board will be installed at the brunch at the Grand Vista Hotel 11am- 3:00 pm. Review of the past year and the runs that occurred. Come share in the past year's events.

**Suggested Runs: Plastic Fantastic 2019** Frank C to lead and plan events. Has events planned during run. Humphrey's Hotel has 15 rooms blocked for reserving. Information being sent to club.

**Name Tag:** Name tag drawing \$20 – Mike R, winner, not present.  
The drawing will be **\$30** next time.

**50/50 \$23** each . Winners: Frank C and Steve F, were winners

*[\(Reminder to bring small bills to buy tickets. Staff has no change to break a \\$20 or larger bills.\)](#)*

The meeting was adjourned at 8:30 pm.

**Next meeting: January 8, 2018 7:30 pm – due to January 1<sup>st</sup> (a Tuesday) being a holiday. Second meeting will be January 22, 2019.**

**Respectfully Submitted by:**

**Cheryl S - Secretary Simi Valley Corvettes**

## Run Details

### Meet up places for runs:

These are the locations that our club will generally meet up to caravan.

#### In Simi Valley:

- **The Corner Bakery** at the Simi Valley Town Center. 1555 Simi Town Center Way, SV, 93065. (805) 306-1892.
- **Jamba Juice**, Simi Valley Town Center. 1555 Simi Town Center Way, SV, 93065
  - 805.584.9880 Located on the east end of the mall, near the Macy's Men & Home store.
- **Harley's Simi Valley Bowl**, 5255 Cochran Street SV, 93063.
- Located just south of the 118 Freeway at the corner of Stearns & Cochran.
- **In San Fernando Valley:**
- **Porter Ranch Park & Ride Lot**. 118 Freeway at Porter Ranch Exit. As you exit the freeway, turn south and the lot is on the west side of the street.
- **Porter Ranch Starbucks**. Porter Ranch Town Center, 19759 Rinaldi Street, Porter Ranch CA 91326 818.363.3384. Located at eastern center of the shopping center by the Ralphs.
- **Jack in the Box**. 11216 Tampa Avenue, Northridge, CA 91326; (818) 368-9941.
  - At the corner of Tampa Avenue and Rinaldi Street
- **McDonald's**, 11840 Balboa Blvd, Granada Hills, CA 91344(818) 360-8859. About ½ mile north of the 118 freeway.
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- **Run participants are encouraged to print the Emergency Contact Form at the end of this document (page 6) and keep it in their glove compartment or console.**

*Need your favorite t-shirt, jacket or hat emblazoned with our fabulous Simi Valley Corvette Logo? See Savi at:*

**BVI embroidery (Savi) at 2513 Tapo Street 1, Tel #805-522-9071.**

Get the Simi Valley Corvette Logo on your t-shirts, jackets, hats, etc.

## Upcoming Run Details

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| <b>January 13, 2019 Installation Brunch</b>                 | Board            | Grand Vista Hotel 11 am. Install new board elected Jan. 8 <sup>th</sup> . Review past events from the year. |
| <b>May 18-19, 2019 Plastic Fantastic</b>                    | Frank C          | San Diego, large car show. Lisa and Chris looking into hotels to stay. Frank has activities planned.        |
| <b>August 22-31, 2019 Bowling Green Caravan (next year)</b> | Randy P & Russ H | Tony M is leading Western group, taking northern route 6 days to arrive in Bowling Green                    |

## Upcoming Car Shows

For information about upcoming car shows, contact Brett R or visit SVC website [http://www.simivalleycorvettes.com/?page\\_id=118](http://www.simivalleycorvettes.com/?page_id=118)

Simi Valley Wednesday Cruise Nights:

[http://www.socalcarculture.com/Images/CruiseNight\\_Wednesday\\_SimiValley16\\_1.pdf](http://www.socalcarculture.com/Images/CruiseNight_Wednesday_SimiValley16_1.pdf)

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