



# Simi Valley Corvettes

MINUTES OF MEETING Tuesday, October 2, 2018

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

Count: 48 members present.

**Trivia Questions:** A Fast Fire round of trivia questions were asked and the person who shouted out the answer correctly received a raffle ticket. No time limit, just a set number of questions to answer.

**Opening Message** President, Randy R

**Bake Sale:** Judy S, thank you! Lisa T, signed up for next meeting October 16th. Thank you to Cathy S and Bob S for assisting with rapid fire trivia questions tickets.

[\[Please sign-up for 2018. Funds can be designated to assist the general fund to help the club pay for various activities or to the club charity fund.\]](#)

**Approval of Minutes from Last Meeting: Cheryl S, Secretary:** Moved to approve: Joanna R, Seconded by Michael T. Minutes approved.

**Treasurer, Bryan P:** Bryan informed members that Dues, Halloween Party and Holiday Party payments are being accepted. PLEASE be timely in paying Dues and event fees.

**Guest & Member Recognition: Steve R, VP,** Birthdays, Anniversaries and Club Anniversaries. Special 15 year anniversary for George J, our club ambassador.

**Club Business** Randy thanked Steve R and Bryan P for reserving the room for next years meetings. Final decision is October 17, but Claudia in the office was arranging change of dates for September, so we have the room.

PLEASE NOTE: January Meetings will be on the 2<sup>nd</sup> and 4<sup>th</sup> Tuesdays, due to the New Year's falling on a Tuesday.

September 24, 2019 is the second meeting of that month. Welcome back to Steve C, happy you are back!

Cheryl thanked members for buying TShirts last meeting to support the charities, over \$100 sold. Skip B informed that all Tshirts are being cleared out at \$10 each, caps as well. Bob P has wheels for auction, no one bid higher than previous bid. Congrats Randy R for winning the auction.

**Simi Valley Chevrolet Dealership Update:** Dash M mentioned One Z06 on Simi Valley Chevrolet lot. Black, w/black alum wheels and black interior. Four 1LT Coupes are available, \$60,905 each, black, white, grey and Torch Red.

**Car Shows Update:** Brett R updated club he has given Steve J flyers to post on website. Mentioned Family Fun Oct. 20 at Johnny Carson park. LAPD Cops for Tots, Police Academy Nov. 10, 2019.

**Upcoming Runs SEMA** Oct 30-Nov 2, tickets distributed with lanyards. Other person in party attending will need to secure their own lanyard, they are available at SEMA. Must have lanyard with ticket on neck while attending.

**PCH Run** Oct 21-24, Sunday through Wednesday. Glad Steve C is back to lead the run. Call Randy or Steve if you need to cancel hotel rooms as they are booked and others are still looking. Randy mentioned places to stop for lunch/dinner on route.

**Halloween Party** Oct 27 at Lisa T, home. Randy & Linda R, Steve & Joanna R are on committee to assist with party. Viva La Pasta will be caterer, amount to be \$25 members and \$30 per non-members. BYOB. Desserts brought by attendees.

**Holiday Party** Judy talked about the party. Band to play, come to dance. \$70 per person, non members \$75. Would like everyone to start paying to attend.

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

**Share the News:** Carl T came home Saturday from rehab facility. Glad he is home and doing better. Marilyn B talked about Prescott run, nine cars went, picture in front of City Hall. Kathy T, said Mayor of Prescott chose mylar wrapped Corvette as his choice in show.

Kathy mentioned Saralyn's treatments for the past two days and how positive she is and keeping her spirits up.

Steve C thanked members for cards, visits and well wishes during his recovery.

**Who the Heck are You?** Steve F, provided us a good amount of information about his life. Born in Los Angeles, grew up in San Fernando valley, attending local schools. Interest in slot cars and being on a team, he traveled all over to participate in slot car races. Worked in hobby shops helped fuel love of slot cars. Aviation family, worked at Douglas Aircraft for 13 years. Worked in pit crews for CanAm and other series in racing prior to be drafted. Got into submarines allowing him to stay on west coast. Met wife Lois, through Marilyn D at bowling, married three months later. They have a son, David. Working in aviation in one capacity or another, currently sales, he has traveled to approximately 125 countries. Follows racing, especially Formula 1, has been to Monaco, Le Mans three times, and headed for Road Atlanta for the last Corvette race of the season. Philosophy on life etched when he was kidnapped in Mexico for money and left for dead. Bought his first Corvette after that experience and never looked back. Thanks for sharing, Steve.

**Upcoming Events / Runs :**

**October 21-24, 2018** Highway One Run. Three stops in three days while traveling the beautiful California coast.

**SEMA** - Bob & Cathy S to lead. Oct 30 – Nov 2, Tickets handed out w/lanyards

**Halloween Party** October 27, 2018. Lisa T hosting. Board and volunteers to assist with setup and planning. \$25 per member \$30 non-members

**Holiday Party** December 8, 9<sup>th</sup> Aero Squadron, Van Nuys. 6-12 pm, first hour hosted bar. Band from last time we were at this venue. A Surprise will be at the party. \$70 members, \$75 non-members.

**New Runs:** New Run to Edwards Air Force Base November 30, 2018. Tours of NASA, FAA Trecom, Base all possibilities to be confirmed. Corvettes to be part of HolidayTree Lighting Ceremony on base. Frank C gave detailed information about run, he is now working on the base. Places to eat, possibly in Officers club, but there are other fast food places on base, especially for dinner. This is an ALL DAY RUN, be prepared to leave at 8:30 am and not be home until about 8:30 pm.

**Suggested Runs: Plastic Fantastic 2019** Frank C to lead and plan events. Gave chair to Randy R to see about having it engraved with Simi Valley Corvettes. Has events planned during run.

**Name Tag:** Name tag drawing \$10 winner – Nick M, not present.  
The drawing will be **\$20** next time.

**50/50 \$28** each . Winners: Patrick N and Alan 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 8:36 pm.

**Next meeting: [October 16, 2018 7:30 pm](#)**

**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

<b>October 21-24, 2018 Highway One Run</b>	Steve C & Randy R	Sign up sheet, details for hotels, etc to be forthcoming
<b>October 27, 2018 Halloween Party</b>	Board & Lisa T	Sign up sheet, \$25 per person, catered dinner, desserts by members
<b>SEMA October 30 - November 2, 2018</b>	Jerry and Saralyn H	Cost \$40 must be paid by July 3 <sup>rd</sup> deadline for reservation. Details to come, sign up sheet.
<b>December 8, 2018 Holiday Party</b>	Judy S and Annabelle	Sign up, \$70 members, \$75 non-members
<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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