

NICC Club Meeting Minutes
October 5, 2008

1) **President**, Harry Pointon called the meeting to order at 7:00PM with 37 members and one guest.

2) **Introduction of Officers:**

3) **Introduction of Guests:** Paul Brown from Rockton, IL has a 99 black coupe. He joined the club at the meeting.

4) September meeting minutes were approved as printed in the newsletter.

5) **Monthly Reports**

Social Director

Ann Green thanked everyone for putting on the Progressive Dinner and Janet Pfeiffer for stepping in Ann's place to help organize it. And especially thanked the Riefs, Bennetts, and Logans for donating the food and everything that went along with hosting the courses. None of them would take any money, and said to consider it a donation to the club.

Phil Anders and Catherine Cryer are working on the Fall Run, which will be on the **25th of October to Shullsburg, WI**. We will meet at Panera Bread in Machesney Park at 8:30AM and will depart at 9:00AM sharp. Please contact Ann, Catherine or Phil if you plan on attending.

Janet is planning on "A Long Winter Party" on Saturday the 24th of January; there will be a cash bar, appetizers, buffet and desert. This will be held at the 4 Season Hotel in Freeport, IL. The cost is \$23.00 per person and everyone is asked to bring an item for the "Weird Gift Exchange".

Raffle Prizes- Corvette Clock, Embroidered Fleece blanket and the Mystery Box.

Membership

Bruce Mayer advised our membership is at 169. We gained another new member, Joseph Saxton from Rockford, and has a 2003 Yellow convertible. We welcome him to NICC. Bruce also reminded members that the renewals for 2009 have been mailed. They need to be turned back in by October 15, 2008 to avoid the \$10.00 late fee.

As you see more corvettes out, either pass out the pamphlets to them or leave the pamphlets on their car. And remember to include your name and phone number so they may contact you for information on the club.

Governor

Arnie Bailey advised that with membership renewals, make sure and watch your packet from NCCC to make sure you in fact have your NCCC membership card. There will not be any pins in the renewal packet. The Envelope says from "Goodyear", don't throw it away. He advised the National Convention for next year would be held in Colorado Springs from the 8th – 14th of August, 2009.

Treasurer

Dale Samuelson handed out the Financial Report from September 7th-October 5th.

Parade Director Tony Kieffer advised there were 16 cars for the Stillman Valley Days parade. He thanked everyone for all the cars that showed up at all the parades this summer.

Editor

Richard Swihart advised the he is trying to get the Northwest Quarterly article approved for use in the NICC newsletter and NCCC Blue Bars Magazine.

Parliamentarian

Dennis Mathews advised that we are re-incorporated and the Board has approved the new Constitution and By-laws.

Sergeant-at-arms:

Phil Anders –gave a run down along with Catherine of the fall run plans.

Public Relations

Brick Logan –Nothing to report.

Quartermaster

No report as Wendy Bennett was not in attendance.

Webmaster

No report as Joan Thomas was not in attendance.

NCM Ambassador

Steven Green advised he is still working on the 2009 Caravan to the museum. And to make sure and check the website www.corvettecaravan.com and you may find Bowling Green hotel information at www.visitbgky.com/caravan

6) Old Business:

Harry thanked everyone again for all the effort put into the Progressive Dinner on the 13th of September. And for the great club support for the Stillman Valley Fall Festival parade on the 28th of September along with all the parades this summer.

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7) New Business:

See Social Directors report above regarding Fall Run on the 25th of October.

All officer positions are available; some have stated they will stay another year if necessary. If you have any interest in any officer/director position for 2009 please let Harry know.

The next board meeting is on Sunday the 26th of October at 5:00PM at Thunder Bay.

Perryville cleanup---Kris & Brick Logan have agreed to help set up the cleanup on Saturday the 1st of November at 9:00AM. The more hands we get to help the quicker it will go.

08) New Cars--- None

10) Raffle Winners

Arnie Bailey-Corvette Clock, Harry Pointon- mystery box, which had a cooler with a six pack in it.

11) Attendance Drawing

Ollie Borner, not present. So the drawing will be \$80 at the next meeting.

The next club monthly meeting will be Nov. 2nd 5PM Social Hour & 6PM meeting. PLEASE NOTE TIME CHANGE!!!

Meeting adjourned at 8:00 PM

Submitted by Michele Kling