



HELLGATE CORVETTE CLUB NEWSLETTER

January 3, 2019

**The next meeting will be February 7, 2019
Karl Tyler Chevrolet and Cadillac, 7:00 pm**

Minutes from the January 3, 2019 Meeting

Call to Order: 7:00 PM at Karl Tyler's Chevrolet.

Members Present: Don Matlock, Ron Beck, Duane & Shirley Shinn, Steve & Deidre Slagle, Norm & Cathy Smyers, Joe Moran, Larry Jones, Paul Coonan.

Meeting Minutes/Newsletter: Don asked if everyone had read the minutes of the December 6, 2018 meeting and if there were any questions and/or corrections; being none, Steve moved to accept the minutes as submitted; Norm seconded; minutes were approved.

Financial Report: Larry distributed copies of the Income & Expense Statement covering income, expenses and balance up to 12/31/18. He noted monthly expenses of the third quarter drawing (\$50.00) and PO Box rent (\$82.00) as well as income from membership dues (\$265.00). Ron moved to accept the financial report; Steve seconded; motion approved.

Correspondence: Larry had an application for a credit card for the club, which we rejected. He also had a general thank you for past support and donation solicitation from Missoula Youth Homes.

New Business:

Quarterly Drawings: Don asked for the 4th quarter (2018) drawing. Claudia Kux was the winner. Duane suggested that we revisit the topic of members needing to be present either at meetings or events to participate in the drawings. He asked what the percentage of non-present winners was. No specific number was offered. Deidre suggested that because our chapter is sponsoring Big Sky this year, we need to save money for expenses. Discussion followed. Deidre made a motion that we suspend the quarterly drawings for 2019 due to our sponsorship of Big Sky. Shirley then suggested we think about the policy and eligibility issue. Discussion followed. Don tabled the motion until the February meeting.

Charity Donations: Someone asked about the recipient history of the Club's annual charity donation and which organization was up for this year. The 2018 recipient was the Hospice Foundation, but no one could recall the order of the previous recipients. Deidre emailed Linda, who got back to us with the cycle of recipients. This year's recipient will be Emma's House. Paul noted that there's an annual

car show at Mildener Motors and that perhaps it would be a good idea to plan our donation to coincide with that car show. Discussion to continue.

Norm moved to adjourn; Ron seconded; adjourned at 8:35 pm

Next Meeting: Thursday, February 7, 7:00 pm, at Karl Tyler.

Respectfully Submitted,
Cathy Smyers (co-secretary)

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Thanks to Karl Tyler Chevrolet and Cadillac for your continuing support. We appreciate you!