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# June/July 2014

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# Ralph & Diana Cernera 19th Anniversay



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# **Appointed Positions**

**Next Meeting:** 

August 7, 2014

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Meeting Schedule: First Thursday of each month,

except when otherwise noted.

Location: Discovery Bay Yacht Club

Board Meeting 6:30 PM

General Meeting 7:30 PM

All members are urged to attend the meetings and guests are always welcome!

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June was our last general meeting until August due to the upcoming Convention in Medford. The weather looks like it will be great. For those who might want to sign up for convention, I am told that there is still time. For those who are going, make sure that your reservations are correct. When we called the hotel they informed us that a lot of guests were scheduled to check out on the  $10^{th}$  or  $11^{th}$ . If you are going on attending the banquet you will need to check out on Saturday the  $12^{th}$ . Here is a copy of the schedule posted on the WSCC Web site.



## GENERAL SCHEDULE OF EVENTS: (subject to change) JULY 6 - 11, 2014

	Sunday July 6th	Monday July 7th	Tuesday July 8th	Wednesday July 9th	Thursday July 10	Friday July 11th	Saturday July 12
AM	Registration	Park & Show	Auto-X Wine Drive	Whitewater Jetboats or Jetboats & Lunch	Golf	- Poker Run	Drive Home Safely
PM					Drags		
EVE	Meet & Greet	Hospitality Competition	Bowling	вво	(Open)	Banquet	

Thanks go to everyone who attended the co-event with the Yacht Club (Karen Mann's "Pour Mann's Cruise to Stockton"). From what I heard everyone had a great time. Also my thanks again go out to the great team of members who put on the Corvette Club sponsored dinner at the Yacht Club. What a great success.

Our 25<sup>th</sup> Anniversary Party is just around the corner (scheduled for August 2<sup>nd</sup>). I know Neva and her team will need lots of help setting up and cleaning up so let's support them to make this a huge success. Information is currently posted on our Web site. I personally want to thank the founders and long term members for their support to our club. They have helped make it what it is today. I also want to thank Bob and Sue Anderson for graciously allowing the anniversary party to be at their home. Thank you Bob and Sue.

Please remember that there is no meeting in July. Our next regular meeting will be August 7th. Also scheduled for August is the caravan back to Bowling Green, Kentucky for the NCM anniversary. For those making the trip, please take pictures to share with the club. We wish everyone a safe journey and a fun trip.

The by-laws review committee will be meeting this month to look at the proposed changes and we will be sending out a copy of these to all members for approval sometime in July.

As always, I would like to hear from any club member as to how you think we are doing as a board, or what we as a club should be accomplishing or participating in over the next year. Only with your input can we make the club better. I will ensure that any and all inputs are taken to the board for discussion and personally get back to you with an answer. Please email me any of your inputs, issues, questions, or concerns.

Live, Laugh, and Drive safe ... Make friends and have fun. See you around the curve Rich Allen

# **Secretary Steve**

#### Minutes for June, 2014 General Membership Meeting

President, Rich Allen called the meeting to order at 7:37 PM.

Guests included Karen and Scott Mann (Discovery Bay Yacht Club) and prospective new members Dick and Susan Jolly from Brentwood.

## A Moment of Silence Was Observed for Bev, who is one of the founders

Thanked Laura for an outstanding newsletter once again.

Officers not present – Laura. Members present – 48

Karen Scott Mann discussed the upcoming Pour Mann's Cruise with the membership.

Several of us plan to attend, either by boat or Corvette. Rich thanked those who helped

# With the Yacht Club Dinner. Consensus Items:

Minutes from May were moved, seconded, and approved. As was the financial report from May

#### **Board Member Reports:**

<u>Secretary (Steve Gilpin)</u> – no comments, other than the attendance sheet.

<u>Treasurer (Brian Enbom</u>) – financials were presented, we seem to be okay as long as we don't get carried away with unbudgeted spending.

Vice President and Membership (Mark Zupan) – Mark introduced the new guests the Jollys

**Events (Neva Burdick)** – see report in newsletter of upcoming events.

**WSCC Representative (Lee Brant)** – see report in newsletter for WSCC.

<u>Quartermaster (Diana Cernera</u>) – brochure is available. Also discussed having T-shirts made for 25<sup>th</sup> anniversary bash. Members will preorder T-shirts.

Webmaster (Ralph Cernera) – new email addresses available for board members.

**NCM Representative (Dave Gatt**) – see Dave's report in newsletter.

Sunshine (Mary Hodel) – See Sunshine Report

<u>Public Relations (Marilyn Allen)</u> – thank you notes are coming in from our charities as a result of our donations. See more in Marilyn's report.

Member at Large (Nelson Friesen) – nothing to report

Publications (Laura Hardt) - absent

#### **Old Business**

**25<sup>TH</sup> YEAR Club Anniversary** – The celebration will be held at the Anderson's, Saturday, August 2. Neva asked for volunteers to help set up, for ice, and people for cleanup, a sign-up sheet was circulated.

<u>Caravan to Bowling Green Kentucky for the 20<sup>th</sup> anniversary of the Corvette Museum</u> - nothing new to report, contact Mark for further information. Some of the members are going as far as Reno, spending the night, and then returning home.

<u>Bylaws</u> – Bylaws are currently being reviewed by the Bylaws Committee. The current bylaws have been temporarily removed from the website. The Committee will finish their review and update In May, a copy of the bylaws will be provided to all members for approval. This will be done by anonymous ballot. Approval will be by simple majority.

<u>Pour Mann Run</u> –Karen and Scott Mann handed out flyers for the Pour Mann's Wine Cruise, being held Father's Day Weekend, June 13, 14, 15. It will be at the Stockton Public Marina. There will be wine tasting and other activities. Rooms will be available at the University Plaza Hotel; price is \$90-\$100. The yacht club will be going by boat and the Corvette club will be traveling by Corvettes. It should be a fun run.

New Business: No New Business.

Meeting was adjourned at 8:55 PM.

# WSCC EVENTS

June 28, 2014 VVV Onion Peel 32 Auto X at Solano Community College in Fairfield, CA

June 29, 2014 NBCA Auto X at Solano Community College in Fairfield, CA

July 6-11, 2014 WSCC Convention in Medford, OR

July 26, 2014 VVV Onion Peel 33 Auto X at Solano Community College in Fairfield, CA.

July 27, 2014 NBCA Auto X at Solano Community College in Fairfield, CA.

August 2, 2014 Glass Fantastic Car Show

August 2, 2014 SCC Auto X #3 at Crows Landing airfield, CA

August 9, 2014 VVV Onion Peel 34 Auto X at Solano Community College in Fairfield, CA.

August 10, 2014 NBCA Auto X at Solano Community College in Fairfield, CA

August 14-17, 2014 Monterey Historic Races with Maserati as the feature car

August 22-27, 2014 NCM Caravan to Bowling Green, KY

August 23, 2014 SCC Auto X #4 at Marina, CA

August 24, 2014 SCC Auto X #5 at Marina, CA

September 13, 2014 VVV Onion Peel 35 Auto X at Solano Community College in Fairfield, CA.

September 14, 2014 NBCA Auto X at Solano Community College in Fairfield, CA.

September 21, 2014 Corvette Spectacular at Los Altos

September 27, 2014 SCC Auto X #6 at Marina, CA

September 28, 2014 SCC Auto X #7at Marina, CA

October 4, 2014 Wings and Wheels Auto X at Rio Vista Airport



WSCC EVENTS

Happy 40th Anniversary! June 1st Mark & Denise Zupan

Mark and I were married June 1, 1974. Our summer break was about to start as we were interring our senior year of High School. Yes you heard me right, we were still in high school!

We were able to live in our own apartment with the help of my brother who also shared half the rent with us. (Our portion was 82.00 a month).

Sept. 9, 1974 our daughter Amber was born (three months after we wed).

Feb. 15, 1975 Mark had earned enough credits to graduate early. He started working full time to support his new family. The first half of my senior year I attended a program called "Young Mothers" The last half of my senior year I went back to finish at my regular high school.

June 15, 1975 we were both able to attend our high school graduation ceremony as Mark and Denise Zupan.

Our daughter was nine months old and sitting on both of our parents laps when they announced our names for our diplomas.

A lady who was sitting next to our parents at the graduation said out loud; "Oh how cute they are twins" Both of our parents had a good laugh about that.



June 1, 2014; Mark and I celebrated our 40th Wedding Anniversary on a 15-day Princess Cruise to Hawaii / round trip out of San Francisco!





# **EVENTS Neva Burdick**

Happy 4th of July~

Well news has it, that everyone that participated in the Pour Mann's Wine Cruise out & Corvette run had a great time. I personally did not attend this function, but I'm sure it was a success. Thank you, Rich for organizing this event.

Next on the calendar is the exciting Corvette Convention Round Up in Medford Oregon, starting July 6-12. This is sure to be lots of fun. Many pictures will be taken, for those of you unable to join us. The 25th Anniversary Celebration planning is under way and is scheduled for August 2, 2014 @ 4:00 p.m.@ the home of Bob & Sue Anderson. If you have not signed up to bring an appetizer or salad, please contact me by email neva.burdick@sbcglobal.net and let me know what delicious food item you will be bringing to share. Be sure to check out the website Calendar, each month for all of different events happening. We are trying very hard to keep it updated and accurate. Looking to host an event?

We have time on the calendar, just for YOU!

## Upcoming Club Runs & Events

July 6th ~ 12, 2014 WSCC Convention in Medford Oregon Registration has begun www.wscconvention.com

August 2, 2014 4:00 pm Discovery Bay Corvette Club 25th Anniversary Celebration ~ Bob & Sue Andersons home~see flyer. Make sure to sign up to bring your favorite appetizer, or salad.



September 24, 2014 Dave Gatt's run to Vision Quest Ranch

September 28, 2014 Jets & Vettes upon the USS Hornet in the Alameda Harbor

Save the Date: October 18th or 25th Cernera's & Walde's Gimmick Rally

Keep the Rubber side down and your foot on the Gas......

Happy Trails.....

Neva Burdick



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August 28 - 30, 2014













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Hi July Corvetters!



**Mary Hodel** 

From the Sunshine corner we had some brief bad vibes going on with Marilyn Allen and Pam Dooley but they are back to normal again and feeling better.

By the time you read this many of us will be enjoying the WSCC convention in Medford, OR. Fun times!

BTW - we saw our second C7 vette at DBYC on 6/20/14. It is torch red with black interior and the performance package. So you may see that car running around town.

See you soon!

Mary Hodel Mhodel32@gmail.com



June Onstad 6/1 Paul DeLeon 6/1 Linda Humbert 6/2

Ron Mize 6/4 Dale Franklin 6/6 Kathy Zickenberg 6/7

Sandy Ramos 6/17 Denise Zupan 6/19 Steve Walde 6/24

**July** 

Bob Anderson 7/6 Lin Brant 7/6 Brian Enbom 7/6

Bernie Realph 7/7 Linda Hernandez 7/14 Rich Dooley 7/15

Le Doty 7/18 Steve Traylor 7/21 Steve Gilpin 7/21

Laura Hardt 7/22 Rich Brunetto 7/29 Charles Marin 7/31

Lowell Onstad 7/31

August Don Ramos 8/5 Dennis Walter 8/8 Danica Harris 8/11
Elly Walter 8/13 Marilyn Allen 8/16 Ralph Cernera 8/18 Arnold Plonczak 8/25
Susan Anderson 8/26



Happy June & July Everyone!

I want to congratulate all graduates on their accomplishments and also hope that all Fathers had a fantastic Father's Day! Also a Big Happy Anniversary to both Mark and Denise Zupan and Ralph and Diana Cernera! Love the pictures! Like I mentioned before, the Discovery Bay Corvette Club has some of the most loving amazing couples!

Sorry I wasn't able to attend the last meeting. I went to my nephew's graduation. It was a very special day and I am so happy I was able to be a part of it. I also wasn't able to attend the Pour Mann's Wine Cruise & Corvette Run because I was at my son college graduation. I'm so proud him! We then celebrated his accomplishment with great food, music and dancing past midnight.

I didn't receive any pictures of the Pour Mann's Wine Cruise & Corvette Run so unfortunately this newsletter does not have any pictures of this event. I'm sure all those who attended had a great time.

I wish everyone a Happy 4th of July and I hope those who are attending the upcoming WSCC Convention in Medford Oregon have a fantastic time. Jerry and I won't be attending this Convention but we are planning on attending the Caravan to Bowling Green Kentucky for the 20th anniversary of the Corvette Museum. I'm looking forward to this great adventure with the love of my life!

I hope you enjoy this June/July newsletter!

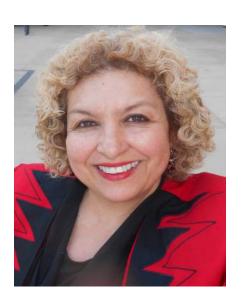
Thank you and see you in August!

Laura Hardt

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