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PRESIDENT'S MESSAGE

Well, here we are in the last month of one of NCCA's biggest and busiest years. All I can say is that the group of people who worked all year at every event deserve a big "Thank You." We have quite a few things going on this month. On December 4th is our Christmas Party at the Royal Inn in Oakland.

One of the most important NCCA meetings is 12-7-71 at 8:00 p.m. at the General Motors Training Center in San Leandro. This will be the nomination and election of new officers for '72. Remember, if you would like an office, be sure to be nominated at the meeting. The proposed slate which is layed out by the Nominating Committee is just to be sure we have a qualified person running for each office.

Our November Championship Slalom "Watkins Glen" I think was one of the best events this year. I think Milt as chairman, Jerry and Dave as co-chairmen deserve a big "Well Done."

Remember our New Year's Eve Party at the Lockwoods' and the New Year's Day Brunch at the Trethans'.

Have a Happy Holiday Season!

GARY CARLEN

UNCLE MILTIE'S NOTES

Well, as most of you already know, NCCA has hosted the last NCSCC Championship Autocross for this year, "Watkins Glen." We ran a total of 250 cars, of which 8 were fun runs (sloopyheads). Over all, the event went very smoothly, other than the usual---a timing cord breaking loose, a couple of cars deciding to stop running while on course, and the many questions asked at Registration about the event. And, oh yeah, the two guys who wanted to register as a couple?? And the question, "Are you giving TTOD for ladies, too?" But, other than that, from the cool to the ridiculous, everything went off well. Of course, that's just my opinion as chairman. We'll see how the views cards are opinioned. I would like to thank my two co-chairmen, Jerry Lockwood and Dave Pygeorge for their cooperation and especially all the members who worked the event. I would also like to thank Ray Blow and Bob Paterson of Camino Corvettes for filling in for Ken Altman, who had an eye infection and was unable to work all day, and Jack Trasmith, whose wife was ill. Thanks, also, to Jack Frost. Thanks, Guys! Thanks, NCCA!

COMING EVENTS: February 6, 1972 will be an NCSCC Championship Autocross hosted by Continentals entitled "Spring Festival Autocross." It will be held at the Alameda County Fairgrounds in Pleasanton. Entry Fee: \$3.50/person, \$6.00/couple. The registration and Tech will be from 8:00 a.m. to 3:30 p.m. All contestants must be on the pre-grid 20 minutes after the start of their run group:

- 1st Group-9:00--11:00-----LP, JF, OS, GS, IS, JS, NI, GP
- 2nd Group-11:00--1:00-----AF, X, KS, , Q, BS, LS, DS, KP
- 3rd Group-1:00--3:00-----DF, MS, CS, HS, LP, BF, CF
- 4th Group-3:00--5:00-----ES, FS, HP, MP, EP, FP, NS

RESULTS: NCCA's WATKINS GLEN, November 21, 1971

Congratulations to Gary Carlen for winning the Second Place in the Top Ten Overall (driving a Cobra!!!)

CLASS A/P: 1. Gary Carlen	1:06.72	CLASS X: 8. Ashley Boesch	1:18.71
7. Manny Pretti	1:12.35		
8. Dave Pygeorge	1:18.58	CLASS B/S: 8. John Mah	1:31.24
CLASS B/P: 1. Roger Kraus	1:08.69	CLASS H/S: 1. Bob Kerr	1:10.70
3. Hank Lopez	1:10.08	4. Ron Christensen	1:12.06
8. Milt River (3)	1:14.49	CLASS M/S: 1. Judy Kerr	1:13.16
CLASS C/P: 7. Dave Dickson	1:17.83	TTOD OVERALL: Fred Moller	1:06.06
CLASS F: 3. Larry Wong	1:16.22	(Brandex)	
CLASS Q: 7. Jim Clott	1:15.58	TTOD STOCK: Jim Wagner	1:08.05
11. Helen Clott (1)	1:19.31	(Corvette)	

Hey, Gang, have a Cool Yule and a Frantic First!!

MILT RIVER

NORTHERN CALIFORNIA CORVETTE ASSOCIATION
GENERAL MEETING MINUTES--NOVEMBER 2, 1971

The meeting was called to order by President Gary Carlen at 8:15 p.m. There were 31 members and guests present. Gary Carlen reminded members present that the dues for the coming year are now due and they will be delinquent January 1, 1972. Gary asked for corrections or additions to the minutes printed in the Kaleidoscope for the month of October. There were none and the minutes were then approved as printed.

TREASURER'S REPORT: Rod Baker reported that approximately 7 members have not paid for the NCCA jackets they ordered. These jackets should be paid for by the next meeting. Decals and patches were ordered and received. The Membership Director has them for interested persons.

ACTIVITIES: Milt River reported on the up-coming autocrosses as follows:
November 7--Triumph Travelers at the Ford Plant, Milpitas. Milt read off run groups and times. November 21--Championship at Pleasanton hosted by NCCA. Milt read off names of persons in charge of the work crews for that date. These persons will be contacting NCCA members for help with this autocross. Jerry Lockwood and Dave Pygeorge will be co-chairmen for this event. Milt then read off the place standing and team place standings for the past autocrosses.

MEMBERSHIP: Hank Lopez gave Steve Gavello his code and NCCA club shirt. Hank reminded members that the NCCA dues are now payable.

SOCIAL: Sharon Trethan reported on the club's socials for the next 2 months.
November 13, NCCA BOWLING NITE at MDL's Bowl in Alameda with pizza at the Pizza Factory in Alameda. Bowling will cost \$2.10 per person for 3 games and free shoes. Flyers were past out and sent to members. November 21, pizza & Beer after our autocross.
December 4, Christmas Dinner and Party at the Royal Inn in Oakland. The cost is \$6.75 per person for Prime Rib, and \$5.25 per person for Filet of Sole. Sharon asked for donations. December 31, New Year's Eve Party at the Lockwoods'. January 1, New Year's Day Brunch will be held at the Trethans'. January 8, Installation Dinner at Francesco's.

PUBLICATIONS: Milt River reported November 22 as the Kaleidoscope deadline as Gail was absent at this meeting.

PUBLIC RELATIONS: Nancy Lockwood reported that all Kaleidoscopes were sent to people on her P.R. list.

WSCC & NCSCC REPORT: Milt River reported that Jerry Lockwood won the Napa Concour trophy. First place trophies went to Jerry Lockwood in Trailered Show, Milt River in Trailered Competition, and Dave Dickson in a new class, Street Unprepared. NCCA's Roger Kraus won the Top Time of Day trophy at the autocross on October 31 at the Ryder St. Pier in Vallejo. Dave Schwafel was absent so Ron Trethan gave an explanation of the views cards and the Speed Events Committee.

NCCA NOMINATING COMMITTEE REPORT: Jerry Lockwood, Committee Chairman, read off the names of persons nominated by the Committee as follows:

President: Jerry Lockwood	Social: Samantha O'Brien
Vice-Pres: Dave Pygeorge	Publications: Jim Pasha
Secretary: LaVonne Carlston	Public Relations: Milt River
Treasurer: John Mah	Board Member At Large: Gary Carlen
Membership: Dave Dickson	

Nominations will be open from the floor
at the December meeting.

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GENERAL MEETING MINUTES (Continued)
November 2, 1971

OLD BUSINESS: Dues for NCCA & WSCC are now payable. Gary Carlen reported that Bill Macia from the Hyatt House passed away and a card was sent to his family.

NEW BUSINESS: There was No new business.

Announcements: Pat Brecht has his Corvette for sale. Drawings for Pizza & Beer were held. Ken Altman made a motion that the meeting be adjourned. Jerry Lockwood seconded the motion. The meeting was adjourned at 9:15 p.m.

Respectfully submitted,
NANCY LOCKWOOD, Acting Secretary

In accordance with Article III, Section B of the NCCA By-Laws, an application for membership has been received from:

Bill Marconi
310 Winslow, #E
Redwood City, 94063
(415) 364-2336
'65 White Vette
375 H.D.

Bill is employed by Kliklok Corp. in Redwood City, where he's been there for five years. He's been autocrossing and Tecati Racing for 4 years, and he used to Drag Race in San Diego, where he lived until moving up here in 1965. Bill says he found out about NCCA "from everybody", and would like to become a member because he likes the events and people, and has "to stick with the car." NCCA members will recognize Bill's car as being onced owned by Ron Christensen. Welcome to NCCA, Bill.

NOMINATING COMMITTEE RESULTS

President: Jerry Lockwood
Vice-Pres: Dave Pygeorge
Secretary: LaVonne Carlston
Treasurer: John Mah
Membership Director: Dave Dickson
Social Director: Samantha O'Brien
Public Relations Director: Milt Fiver
Publications Director: Jim Pasha
Board Member At Large: Gary Carlen

The job of the Nominating Committee is to make sure there is a member to run for each and every office in the Northern California Corvette Association. These people are picked for their active interest in the club and its affairs, and their willingness to spend a lot of time working for the club. Talk to these people and make up your own mind as to the kind of job they will do for the club. Nominations are open from the floor at the December meeting, and remember, you can't criticize if you don't exercise your right to vote for the person of your choice. Support your club and attend the December meeting and VOTE.

JERRY LOCKWOOD, Chairman

THE SOCIALIST

Our Bowling Nite on November 13th was a lot of fun. We had 29 people attending. After bowling we went to the Pizza Factory in Alameda for pizza, beer and ice cream. Our next social will be the Christmas Dinner on December 4th at the Royal Inn in Oakland. Prime Rib: \$6.75 and Filet of Sole: \$5.25. Price includes tax and tip. Dinner includes tossed green salad, potato, vegetable, french bread and butter, coffee or tea, and dessert. Mail your checks to me and make checks payable to NCCA. Deadline for reservations is December 1st.

The New Year's Eve Party will be at the home of Jerry and Nancy Lockwood. BYOB and mix and, girls, please bring dips and chips. The New Year's Day Brunch will be at the Trethans' home. Please R.S.V.P. after 6:00 p.m. at 846-7717. January 8th, 1972, will be the Installation Dinner at Francesco's in Oakland. More details later.

SHARON TRETHAN

Let's Toast the December Birthdays!

COSMIC CORVETTES

Here's to the girl I love--
I wish that she were nigh;
If drinking beer would bring her here,
I'd drink the damn place dry.

SAGITTARIUS: Nov.23--Dec.21
COLOR: Donnybrooke Green
LUCKY DAY: Thursday
LUCKY NUMBER: 9

Happy Birthday To:

Ash Boesch, Jim Clott, Bob Kerr,
Walt Reader, Jim Wiegner, and Ron Wilson



You are born with an inherent restlessness, and simply cannot sit down or stand still. You have a complete disregard for conventionality. You possess a passionate love of animals, and will halt traffic to play Good Samaritan to an injured dog or cat. You are attracted to danger, and, in fact, go out of your way to find it, as you fear nothing. You are frank, but completely unaware of the effect your blunt honesty has on the recipient's feelings. You were born to drive a Corvette, preferably in racing. Driving is a challenge to you, one which you can conquer with extreme ease. In your Donnybrooke Green (what else!) Corvette, find a race on a Thursday: you can't lose!

Thank you, thank you, thank you to Milt River for the loan of his "click-click", Ron Christensen for his advice, Jim Pasha for a throw-out bearing and the loan of a pilot shaft, Nancy Lockwood for her patience, and most of all Jerry Lockwood for assembling the whole thing. Hey look gang--my clutch works!

SAMANTHA O'BRIEN

FOR SALE

Side exhaust & header manifold with Holley carburetor.
Light weight clutch, & pressure plate & fly wheel.
Contact Hank Lopez at 828-2427.

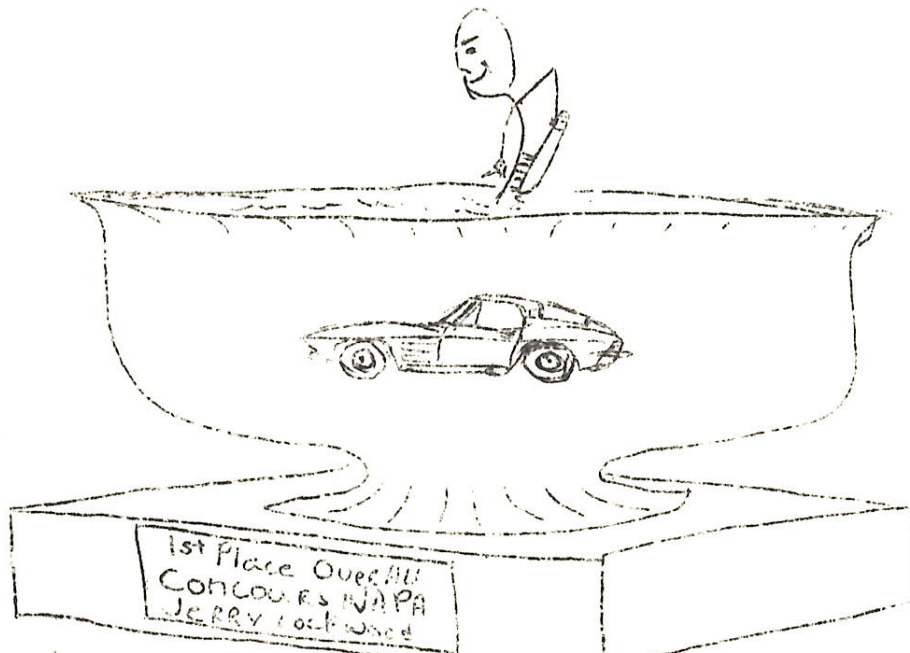
'64 Valiant 4-Door, 6 cylinder, automatic transmission
Good second car. \$550. Contact Gail River at 538-7719.

CHANGE OF ADDRESS

Ash & Sue Boesch
2738 Mohawk Street
Santa Rosa, 95404

HERE'S WHAT'S HAPPENING:

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| DECEMBER 4 | NCCA Christmas Party, Royal Inn, Oakland
Cocktails 7 p.m., Dinner 8 p.m. |
| DECEMBER 7 | NCCA General Meeting, GMEC, 8 p.m. ELECTION NINE |
| DECEMBER 20 | Kalendoscope Deadline |
| DECEMBER 25 | MERRY CHRISTMAS! |
| DECEMBER 31 | NCCA New Year's Eve Party, Toluca Lake, 8 p.m. |



The one cleanup Jerry liked!



MEMBERSHIP DUES ARE DUE FOR 1972

For those of you who wish to remain members in 1972, checks should be made payable to NCCA before December 31, 1971 and mailed to either:

Hank Lopez, Membership Director
6527 Maple Drive
Dublin, Calif. 94566

OR

Rod Baker, Treasurer
1317 Regent Street
Alameda, Calif. 94501

BETTER YET, BRING YOUR DUES MONEY TO THE DECEMBER 7 MEETING

Members \$12.00 Associates \$10.00

Enclosed is my check for \$ _____ for one year's dues in the Northern California Corvette Association.

Signature _____

Address _____

Phone _____

HANK LOPEZ

DON'T FORGET!!!!!!!!!!!!

The deadline for the
Christmas Dinner is
DECEMBER 1st

Mail me along with your
check payable to NCCA
to:

Sharon Trethan
2377 Greenberry Ct.
Pleasanton, 94566

_____ Prime Rib @ \$6.75 ea.

_____ Filet of Sole @ \$5.25

Name _____

