

**HIGH SIERRA CORVETTES HSCC**  
**General Meeting Minutes**  
**April 21, 2022**  
**Margarita's**

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**Call meeting to order and introduce new members or guests**  
**Scott**

**Purdy,**

Meeting was called to order at 6:00 pm by President Scott Purdy. The meeting was attended by 37 members and one guest; Linda Mulay was accompanied by her friend Pete.

**Sunshine Report:**

**Mulay, Linda**

Linda reported the following birthdays and anniversaries for April :

**Birthdays:**

Jim Booth (Apr 3), Valerie Hudelson (Apr 10), Rick Utermoehlen (Apr 12), Monica Perkins (Apr 19)

**Anniversaries:**

Rick & Cheryl Zahn (Apr 19), Jim & Karen Aumond (Apr 21), David & Debbie Franklin (Apr 29)

Other: Jennifer Durrett's mother passed away this morning after a long illness. Sandie Lake looks great but tires easily.

**Treasurer's Report**

**Durrett, Jennifer**

Jennifer was not at the meeting so Debbie Franklin reported the bank financials for April 2022. A detailed copy of the Treasurer's report is available upon request.

**Social Activities/Committee Reports**

**Franklin, David**

Anniversary Committee met at the Franklins April 19<sup>th</sup>, discussion included in Old Business.

**Past Events:**

**Upcoming Events:**

TBD - Movie Grill, "Thor" if enough interest

Boyes, T.

April 25- Willo Run

Emmons,

P.

24 spots available, 19 confirmed. Will meet at the winery, then drive to the Willo Restaurant for dinner (Please back in). The Willo asks that members pay in cash. Look for a reminder from Paul.

May - Sierra Nevada Brewery

Boyes, B.

This event may need to be postponed until the fall when OSHA hopefully opens up restrictions on tours. At the moment, because beverages are "imbibed" on premises, tours are restricted to 10 people at a time, twice a day only which makes scheduling a challenge

May 21 - Penn Valley Rodeo Parade

Wallington, C.

Saturday, May 21 will be the Penn Valley Rodeo parade. All who participate in the parade will receive one free ticket/car to the rodeo. All Corvettes will be parked in a special (free) location. Staging should begin at 1:30 at the same area as last year, with cars lined up

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according to production year. An email will be sent to all who signed up for the event giving detailed instructions.

May 30 - Summer Kickoff  
More information to follow.

Beckwith, J.

June 4 - Outdoor Movie Night "Hatari" with John Wayne Franklin, D.  
Expect another fun evening at the Franklin compound with easy corvette parking. Pot luck, and plenty of fresh popcorn. Be sure to bring a chair, jacket and/or blanket. Flyer coming soon.

June 11- Alleghany Run Johnson, S.  
A driver's meeting begins at the Grass Valley *Cars and Coffee* at Daily Donuts, but Steve will be there early at 8am to find parking; a Farmer's Market in the nearby JC Penney parking lot can keep you busy until the meeting. Leave at 10:30. Travel down Hwy 20 to Brown's Vly and Marysville Road through Oregon House, Dobbins, over the Bullards Bar Dam then connect with Hwy 49. Ridge Road then takes you to Alleghany. Casey's Place opens at 11:30. Look for more details soon!

June TBD-Dash n' Dine!

Wallington, C.

### Racing Committee Report

Suzuki, Gary

*If you are interested in learning about the different racing groups and their schedules, check these websites out:*

Check the WSCC site for this year's racing schedule: [wsc.net](http://wsc.net)

Check on Hooked on Driving for their schedule: [www.hookedondriving.com](http://www.hookedondriving.com)

Check Northern California Racing Club (NCRC): [www.ncracing.org](http://www.ncracing.org)

Gary reminded us the Monterey Grand Prix will be held on April 30 through May 1. View the website for further information. Thunder Hill will host a track day on May 5 for a 3-mile drive and May 6 for a 5-mile drive on the track. Corvettes will be allowed on the track for this event once registered sponsored by Abel Chevrolet.

### Old Business

15<sup>th</sup> Anniversary Trip - Morro Bay

Boyes, B.

So far 60 members/32 cars are signed up to attend our Anniversary trip, the largest member turnout to date! One third of the hotel will house our members for the anniversary celebration. Becky needs to confirm the head count in order to release the remaining rooms back to the hotel soon. Dinner the first night will be at the hotel; Rick Utermohlen has arranged a private dining room for our second evening at the *Great American Seafood Company*. He will get menu options for us to preselect from, such as 1 pasta/1 beef/ 3 seafood choices; please remember that this is a seafood restaurant. The Hearst Castle tour is a go! Becky is arranging a private tour for Wednesday, HSCC is on their "group calendar", but the date cannot be confirmed until 90 days out. It is also hoped that we will be able to drive up to Hearst Castle for parking. Pricing for the third (last) night Sunset Cruise will happen sometime in May, and Becky has talked a lot to increase the amount of members able to attend up to 60+ guest plus crew (62 signed up so far). A wine tour is in the planning phase.

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**Members must prepay for the restaurants, Hearst Castle Tour, and Sunset Cruise because these businesses require one check from the Club.**

### Emergency Shelter Plan

Shepherd, C.

Cathy announced that currently she has 9 members from Nevada County/3 from Placer County who are signed up for the Emergency Shelter Plan. Sign-up sheets are still available, and she can still be contacted for further information. Maps to follow soon after these are finalized. Cathy also strongly encourages *all* members to print out copies and keep them handy (say, in your car) since you may not be able to return if your home area has been evacuated.

### Annual Picnic

HSCC will again cover the cost of the tri-tip (the tri tip was thoroughly enjoyed at the 2021 picnic), and the cake (Picnic committee can decide on any logo, or select a different main dessert). A committee will need to be formed at a later date. Look for sign-up sheets in August. We also have a Club supply tote so members don't need to purchase basic needs up front, such as plates, tableware, etc.

As always, the Club will follow Nevada County Health Department guidelines.

### New Business

**Purdy, S.** Vice President It is time for a change in the Club's VP, and members are encouraged to nominate members, or put their names up for consideration. Official nominations will occur in June; voting will occur in July and the candidate will then take office in August.

Steve Johnson is one member who expressed an interest in the Vice President position. He previously was in a car club in Washington state, where you were either a "Waxer or a Racer". He is very happy here and that HSCC is not that type of club, where everyone feels welcome. He would encourage as much driving as possible in his role as Vice President, if elected.

### Mexican Train

Before CoVid, we had two Mexican Train groups, which focused on camaraderie. . If interested in starting a new group, contact any Board member and let them know your interest.

### Lake Wildwood Theater Company - "Enchanted April"

Wallington, C.

Don't forget: The dates for this play are April 22, 23, 24, 28, 29 and 30. You can still purchase tickets online through Brown Paper Tickets in April.

### Special Basket Drawings

The quarterly Special Basket drawings are not the same as the 50/50 raffles. The profits from these special baskets go for our club extra expenses, such as our annual picnic, anniversary and holiday parties. The March special basket "profit" was much less than the

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cost of goods that went into the basket itself. Because of this, it was decided that either a 50/50 raffle OR a Special Basket drawing would be held during a meeting, but not both. As a reminder, half of the monies from the 50/50 raffle are saved until a balance reaches \$400.00, then charity names are drawn. The other half goes to a Club member after the meeting has closed.

### Holiday Party update

Franklin, D.

Our annual Holiday Party will be held on Friday, December 16<sup>th</sup> at The Ridge in Auburn. Many people have worked magic behind the scenes to get fantastic prices. Unlike Lake Wildwood's current party room price of \$1000, we will pay \$150, the corkage fee was negotiated from \$15 down to \$10, and Chris Megenity has contacted the Lake Wildwood house band to perform live music for \$500 for the evening! It is too early for pricing on menus, but they hope to have pricing approximately 90 days out. A committee will be formed soon. Thank you Steve Bluestein for finding such a great venue!

### Annual Calendar update

Franklin,

D.

A current calendar with updates will be emailed to members shortly. A copy of this will also be posted on the website by our WebMistress, Mary Jayne Emmons.

### Change of Meeting Day/ RSVP to Margarita's prior to attendance

Purdy, S.

A discussion was held at the request of several members about the possibility of moving our monthly meeting from the third Thursday of the month, to the third Wednesday (same week, just a day earlier). By a show of hands those present voted "yes" to moving the monthly meeting day to Wednesday s. An email will be sent out to all members, and an updated Annual Calendar will also be sent reflecting this change.

### Public Service Announcements

Shepherd, C./

Bluestein, S.

- May 7<sup>th</sup>, from 10:00 to 3:00 PM, the Soroptimist International of Grass Valley and Waste Management will be hosting an E-Waste drop off. Location is the Calvary Bible Church, 11481 State Highway 174.
- May 22<sup>nd</sup> and May 23<sup>rd</sup>- Grass Valley Soroptimist Garden Tour, where Stella Bluestein's garden will be highlighted.
- August 23<sup>rd</sup> Grass Valley car show.

### Closing

Purdy,

S.

### Reminders

- [Sign Attendance Sheet](#)

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- Save your pull-tabs (Becky Boyes), hotel items (Mary Jayne Emmons), eye glasses/ Hearing Aids (Chris Megenity) .Members can check our club website <http://www.highsierracorvettes.org>  
Check the WSCC web calendar for additional information - [wsc.net](http://www.wsc.net)
- Mary Jayne reminds us that the club website has a Classified Section where a photo & cost of your item may be posted, and a link with map to your event can be created.  
She needs pictures too!

### Adjourn meeting

The Meeting was adjourned by President Scott at 6:50 pm.

### 50/50 Raffle

Jeff Dissing won \$45 in this raffle.

Boyes, B.