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October 2023 Minutes



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Club Calendar **[New or Revised]** [To Be Determined]

November 13, 2023 Club Meeting at 7 pm

December 11, 2023 Club Meeting at 7 pm **(Could be Cancelled)**



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President: Jimmy Spence

Vice President: Robert Horner Treasurer: Carl Christiansen

Secretary: Doug Watt Webmaster: Samantha Spence

Membership Chairman: Jimmy Spence Newsletter Editor: Carl Christiansen

Events Coordinator: Earl Groendyke

Minutes from the October 9, 2023 meeting:

Jimmy Spence brought the meeting to order at 7:00 pm. The October meeting was held at the Crosswicks Community House.

6 members and 2 guests were in attendance. Our guests, Craig Kunz, and John Pieczynski are already members of AACA National, and now, both are the newest members of our club. Welcome Craig and John!

September 2023 Meeting Minutes: Secretary Doug Watt read the minutes from the September meeting. Joe Bartzak made a motion to accept the minutes as read and Wayne Lonabaugh seconded the motion.

Treasurer's Report: Treasurer Carl Christiansen was unable to attend the October Meeting. The treasurer's report will be presented at the November meeting.

Old Business

Fall Walnford: The Pre-73 car display on September 17th, organized by Bob Horner, was a huge success. Over 30 cars were on display. The folks at Walnford were happy with the way our display was organized and wants to continue the Club's Pre-War and Pre-73 displays in 2024.

TK's Cruise: Our last 2023 TK cruise in September was well attended. Approximately 60 show cars were on display. Tammy was very pleased with the 2023 cruise night performance and wants the club to plan on its 2024 cruise night program.



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New Business

National and Local Dues Reminder: 2024 membership dues are now being solicited. The easiest way to pay your local dues will be to pay them at the November Meeting. Otherwise, please plan on mailing your dues to Carl Christiansen before the end of 2023.

Scholarship Program: Doug has set-up the 2024 scholarship program with Brookdale and Mercer County Colleges.

During the May club meeting, two motions were passed:

Motion 1: The Club requires a minimum of two scholarship applications in futures years. If fewer than two scholarship applications are received, the club either may accept the application on its merits, or the club may roll the scholarship funds over to the following year's scholarship program.

Motion 2: The scholarship essay topic will be changed to "How does the collector car hobby fit into your future as an automotive technician".

Both motions were presented to, and acknowledged by, Brookdale and Mercer County Colleges to be followed in administering our 2024 scholarship program.

Allentown Harvest Festival: Bob Horner followed-up with our contacts for the Allentown Harvest Festival. Bob confirmed that our club's invitation to display our cars remains intact. We are requested to attend the harvest festival from 10:00 am to 2:00 pm, on October 14th.

Club Discussions: Winter Meeting Hiatus & Pizza Meeting:

The members present at the October meeting entertained 2 discussions, with a club vote scheduled for the November 2023 meeting.

1. Will we have a winter meeting hiatus (December 23 – January 24 – February 24)?
2. Will the club schedule the Pizza Meeting for November 2024?

Joe Bartzak made a motion to adjourn our meeting at 7:48 pm and Wayne Lonabaugh seconded the motion.