

## MCCPA GENERAL MEETING MARCH 17<sup>th</sup>, 2016 at GIANT MEETING ROOM, CAMP HILL, PA

Present: Charles Boyd, Max Remington, Paul Bellis, Erin Boyd, Bill & Millie Schiel, Christopher & Jennifer Gamber, Laura Gregorits, Terry Weidemann, Mike Cole, Michael & Denise Clissold, Joe Heath, Dale & Carlene Warner, Cheryl Shearer, Barry & Cathy Klunk, Sean Weaver, Doug & Jane Zarker, Diane & Dennis Snyder, Randy Jones, Joe & Kayla Cressler, Bill Fenwick, John Garner, Kienan Perry.

President Charles Boyd called the meeting to order at 7:05 p.m., led all present in The Pledge of Allegiance, began "round table" introductions and welcomed new attendees. He noted that the February Monthly Meeting Minutes are posted on the website and asked for a motion to accept. John Garner motioned and Denise Clissold seconded. Erin Boyd then gave the Treasurer's report, referring all to the hard copies which were passed out to all, noting that there were two expenditures, payment for the club P.O. Box, and payment for the tent and tables for Ford Nationals. Total Club Funds are \$2,648.78. Diane Snyder motioned that Treasurer's Report be accepted and Joe Cressler seconded. Erin reported that Membership was at 204 and a hard copy of updated Roster was available to all. Charlie reported that in light of Membership Report the club continues to grow and the new season is almost upon us. He also noted that the John Clor signed book that the club purchased at the Ford Preview at Philly Auto Show was available for all to see along with the Recognition Plaque with attendees picture. The club's first cruise to Performance Motors and then to Antietam Battlefield is April 9<sup>th</sup>.

Under Old Business, Charlie will be working and unable to attend Spring Thaw Show in Westminster, Md on April 10<sup>th</sup> so we are in need of someone to be an event coordinator. Bill Schiel volunteered to assist the event coordinator. Charlie asked volunteers to get in touch with him, Erin, or Bill. National Mustang Day weekend events on April 16<sup>th</sup> Coal Mine Tour in Ashland, Pa. will offer a steam engine ride and the coal mine tour. Erin has sent out an email with meeting place and times, we will cruise up on back roads. There were brochures available from the facility for all to take. There is also a gift shop and snack bar on site. We will head to Kauffman's BBQ after, take note they accept cash or check only. To reserve a ride on steam train get in touch with Barb Bloom. On April 17<sup>th</sup> will be the Grumpy's Cruise which will include Roadside America, America on Wheels, and Cabella's. Dale Warner has taken the lead on the cruise, he suggested everyone use walkie talkies, this was agreed upon. Dale will send more info out. The next event was NMRA at Maple Gove. The club needs minimum 15 people each day, Saturday and Sunday, to assist with the car show. To enter for free members must report before 7 a.m. which is why are looking into motels in the area. Paul Bellis is working on the motel issue, possibly Holiday Inn or Days Inn, Mike Cole mentioned the Comfort Inn used for Covered Bridge, and recommended we call to get special rates. Erin reported that club member Jim Godwin knows someone who will be drag racing and that members will be able to go into this driver's pit. Charlie capped the discussion by emphasizing that this is an important event for MCCPA and a good showing is important. Ford Nationals at Carlisle was next, the club has 53 pre-registered and we need 22 more to totally offset the price of the large tent we have paid for. The cut off date is April 25<sup>th</sup>. Cathy Klunk asked that members sign up for supplying food stuff, and asked Erin to explain the new Point System to the new members present, which she

did concisely. Barry Klunk suggested we get John Clor's attention by having Cheryl Shearer create a Mustang II for the Barn Find motif. General announcement was made that there is one room open for Mustang Week at a cost of \$296/person (2). Everyone was reminded that the \$15 Membership renewal rate is good until 4-15-16, and then becomes \$25.

New Business began with Erin reporting that member Rich Gentile is suggesting MCCPA run a Classic Car & Bike Show in Lancaster on 7-31-16. The event has a tie in to a Music Festival. This will take place the Sunday after Knoebels. It was decided that members did not have enough information to make a commitment at this time so Erin will try to get more info from Rich. The next subject was the July 4<sup>th</sup> Meet and Greet and where to hold it. Jen Gamber suggested a park in Grantville, Carlene Warner suggested Little Buffalo, and Diane Snyder offered to hold it at the Snyder's house which we did two years ago. Diane emphasized that they have more parking space with the pool totally removed. A concern with any parks is the date of July 4<sup>th</sup> and what if anything would be available. Discussion to continue. Cathy Klunk asked where April meeting would be held and it was announced that monthly meetings will continue to be held at Giant in Camp Hill. It was announced that CVCCC has a cruise in at Carlisle Country Market on April 23<sup>rd</sup>. It will be added to the events list. Also, on June 18<sup>th</sup> there is a show in Columbia, Pa. Thunder on The River held on the same day a BCMCC Haldeman Show in Kutztown. We are looking for an event lead for Columbia, contact Bill. Please refer to separate handout Cruises/Shows/Other Events for a complete listing.

Mike Cole thanked Dennis & Diane Snyder for their Covered Bridge Cruise album which celebrated Mike's efforts in organizing and conducting this great event for the club. It covered many years of the event in photos and was a fitting tribute to Mike's efforts.

Meeting was adjourned at 8:35 p.m. by President Charlie Boyd.

Respectfully submitted by Bill Schiel/ MCCPA Secretary