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The Ozaukee Corvette Club meets the 2nd Wednesday of the month unless an alternate date is published.

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Member News:

Sunshine Committee (New OCC Committee this year!!!):

Hi, Sally Post here... Just want to let everyone know that I have volunteered to chair the "Sunshine Committee". <u>I will need help from everyone with this</u>. If you know of someone who is down and out or just needs cheering up please let me know so I can get something out to them. You can e-mail me at <u>post.sally@gmail.com</u> or call me at 262--421-8930.

During the month of January I sent a card to Sara at Silk Screens Specialties recognizing the death of her father. Even though she is not a member of OCC she is important to our club and advertises in our newsletter. I also sent a card to Gary Bush who had knee surgery and is recuperating nicely.

New Members (Nov/Dec 2020), Welcome!

Welcome Jana Prentniets (Gary Bush) and Kay Sauter (Ken Sauter).

Member Anniversaries:

- 2/12 Dave and Nancy Burkhardt
- 2/15 Al and Nancy Neville
- 3/18 Pat and Ann Murray
- 4/1 Rich Witkowski and Jim Nowlen
- 4/2 Gary Bush and Jana Prentniets

Member Birthdays:

- 2/4 Nancy Burkhardt, Sally Post
- 2/11 Brian Mayer
- 2/17 Dan Schmitz
- 2/21 Fred Kellbach
- 3/2 Doreen Lettau
- 3/5 Jim Nowlen
- 3/10 Janet Griesmeyer
- 3/19 Gary Bush
- 3/21 Patrick Ponath
- 4/1 Rich Witkowski
- 4/3 Allen Heckendorf
- 4/13 Peter Kolbach
- 4/14 Pat Murray
- 4/17 Beth Acterberg
- 4/26 Bee Heckendorf, Ken Seidl, David Spurgeon
- 4/27 Nancy Gilmore
- 4/28 Ken Sauter

Upcoming Calendar of Events 2021 (See web site calendar for latest information)

April 7, 2021 7:00pm; OCC Board Meeting. Call in meeting please sign up on OCC Website. April 10, 2021 8:00am; Adopt-a-Highway. Please sign up on OCC Website. April 24, 2021; OCC Road Trip #1 (RainDate 4/25). Please sign up on OCC Website. May 15, 2021: OCC Road Trip #2 (R.D. 5/16); Please sign up on OCC Website. Jun 10 - 12, 2021; Corvette Adventures; Chula Vista - Wisc Dells June 19, 2021; OCC Road Trip #3 (R.D. 6/20); Please sign up on OCC Website. July 10, 2021 8:00am; Adopt-a-Highway. Please sign up on OCC Website. July 17, 2021; OCC Road Trip #4 (R.D. 7/18). Please sign up on OCC Website. July 17, 2021: Port Fish Day; Please sign up on OCC Website August 22, 2021: OCC Road Trip #5 (R.D. 8/21). Please sign up on OCC Website. Sept 10 - 12, 2021; Fall Corvette Adventures. Sept 18, 2021; OCC Road Trip #6 (R.D. 9/19). Please sign up on OCC Website. October 2, 2021 8:00am; Adopt-a-Highway. Please sign up on OCC Website. October 9, 2021; OCC Road Trip #7 (R.D. 9/10). Please sign up on OCC Website. January 2022; Return of OCC Holiday Party (we hope)!!!! FEB 2021 NOTE: We've just begun to lay out this year....









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Editorial:

I am delighted to recognize that while life has not "returned to normal" clearly we are making progress towards our pandemic. Bruce has set out seven drives so far and Ron has set the calendar for Adopt-a-Highway. AAH is one way our club gives back. It can be an enjoyable time; especially on those times we are able and decide to meet for breakfast/brunch afterwards. Especially if you're new in the club, if you can spare a Saturday morning you'll get to meet others.

Not only are we delighted about our stellar membership renewal rate; but most of our advertisers have stayed with us as well. I'll make one "in memorium" as one of our advertisers; Bella Caffe' was unable to survive the pandemic. I want to encourage you to look into our advertisers if they offer a service you need. I have had the pleasure of trading with most of them and find them really great businesses.

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Tech Tip:

Thanks Ron Giese for this Tech Tip, removing the spare tire from a C4 Corvette: <u>https://youtu.be/YCnBZFI8i3U</u>



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OZAUKEE CORVETTE CLUB

BOARD (GENERAL MEMBERSHIP) MEETING MINUTES February 17, 2021

MEMBERS ATTENDINGS

- Officers and Board Members: Pat Murray, Ron Giese, Bruce Post, Rich Witkowski, Jim Nowlen, Gregg Goetz
- General Members: Ann Murray, Sally Post, Gene Niels, Ron Delveaux, Jan Hobler, Mark Hobler, Gary Bush

CALL TO ORDER: Pat M @ 7:02pm. Phone only (no video) meeting on conference bridge.

TREASURER'S REPORT: All bill are current with adequate funds.

SECRETARY REPORT/REVIEW AND ACCEPTANCE OF PRIOR MEETING MINUTES: December minutes were reviewed and approved.

MEMBERSHIP REPORT: 68 members have renewed out of the 71 from 2020; a stellar result! The club is significantly ahead in membership than we were a year ago.

ADVERTISING REPORT: All but two advertisers renewed. Two remain although we've heard nothing from either. They are Crystal Auto Body (Ron) and Ray's Auto Body (Brian Mayer). As Brian has no email address I am unable to forward him any materials.

WEBSITE REPORT: Pat made an update to our website that includes clearer information on joining OCC including a barcode one can use with a smartphone to download the application.

OLD BUSINESS:

- PO Box. Rich checked with USPO and they will not refund any part of box rental to apply to a smaller box. Our renewal of the box occurs late March so Rich will switch us then to a smaller and less expensive PO Box. Details on that at our next board meeting.
- Sally has organized the Sunshine Committee and is ready to send out cards/flowers as is appropriate when any OCC members fall ill. More in the Jan/Feb 2021 newsletter.

NEW BUSINESS:

- Bruce has placed on the club calendar a number of drives starting this spring through fall. This is a tentative list with details to be filled in over the next several weeks. It is not necessarily all that will happen.
- Ron queried board about how we should treat the couple of members who did not renew; do we charge full
 new member fee or renewal fee IF they decide to rejoin? We decided that former members from 2020 can
 return at any point in 2021 if they pay the full renewal fee. There will be no prorated fee for returning
 members. Former members from prior years will be treated as new members.
- We discussed the club position on Chili Cook-off and feel it can only be a super spreader event. Of course, we're not even certain Delafield Brewhaus would even allow such an event but bottom line, OCC would not participate if it is held.

OTHER:

Next OCC Board Meeting will be on April 7, 2021 at 7pm via phone (1-732-434-3919). (Aside, we are delighted to hear of more and more of our members are able to get vaccinated for Covid19.).

ADJOURNMENT: The meeting was adjourned at 7:29pm

Submitted By: Jim Nowlen, Secretary; February 18, 2021







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Classifieds:

<u>Windjammer for a C-5</u>. This attaches to the top of the windshield with a temporary clamp that can be easily be attached or removed. This was donated by one of our members since he now owns a C-7. As it did not sell at the Chili Cookoff, the club is selling it here. The money we receive for this will go to a charity. Windjammer retails for \$215.00, the club is asking \$100.00 <u>or best offer</u>. Please contact Ron Giese 262-628-3721.

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