

Brazos River Corvette Club Meeting May 4, 2017

The May 4th, 2017 Brazos River Corvette Club meeting was held at Harbor Lakes Country Club.

John Bratta opened the evening with a prayer. Blessings for the club, friendships and the meal were given.

President Terry Varner called the meeting to order at 7:00 PM and welcomed everyone present.

Noble Holbert led the members in The Pledge of Allegiance to the Flag.

Two guest were present tonight. The first guest was Ken Horton with Mission Granbury for Vets. Ken is a disabled Veteran and has been with Mission Granbury for a year. They assist 200 veterans a year, with food, utility bills, clothing, dental and car repair. Ken thanked the group and reminded them Mission Granbury is located behind Grumps.

Chip Mull introduced his guest Colonel Jim Crain.

Reports:

The April minutes by Kim Sheppard are now posted on the website. Bob Brandies made the motion to accept the April minutes, it was seconded by Larry Sharp. All present were in favor and approved the minutes.

Treasurer Pam Sharp read the bank balance of the club. Jim Hill made the motion to accept the April's Treasures report and Larry Sharp seconded it. All present unanimously approved the Treasures report.

Committee Reports:

Events/Cruise

Kelly Fulmer informed the group that the Pecan Plantation Car Show is on the web page. The Hico Steak Cook off is on May 20th. On June 2, 3, and 4 a Vintage Car Race is at the Motor Sport Ranch. It will benefit Race For Kids Cancer. Garrett Waddell will be running his car. May 5, 6, and 7th is the trip to Kerrville, Texas. David and Teresa Batson would like the

group to meet at 8:00 in the Starbucks parking lot. They plan to depart at 8:30 AM. On June 10th a picnic at the Pecan Plantation RV park is being planned by Sandy and Terry Varner. It will begin at 11:00 AM. The meat will be furnished by the club and the members will bring a dish to share.

Newsletter/Car show/,Yahoo Group Manager/Photographer/Historian Jim Hill asked to have articles forwarded to him for the newsletter. The car show is coming along fine and Chip Mull is doing the PR work for it. Chip has a full newspaper page planned in the Hood County Newspaper. It will be free publicity.

Chip Mull came forward and spoke about his ideals for the event. He is thinking of a coin challenge for the vets. The coin would have the BRCC logo. It will have a Huey helicopter with the American stripes. They will cost \$5.00 each. He would like to present the first 100 veterans with coins. The club will have to have a vote on how to pay for them. Chip has spoken with Colonel Jim Crain and a Huey will fit on the South Lawn of the Court House. The fuel will need to be furnished for the Huey. Chip has been able to get 50 Vietnam pins donated to pass out to Veterans.

Member Care:

Pat Waddell not present. She is doing well. Terry Keck had his operation and is home and expecting a full recovery.

NCCC Governor
Neal not present.

Webmaster:

Sandy Varner informed the members that the home page has each year of the club listed. If you click on the year, the events for that year are listed for you to go to.

There are presently 9,700 photos of the club on the web pages.

National Corvette Museum:

Guy had nothing new to report.

Club Merchandise:

Larry Sharp has merchandise in the newsletter.

Old Business:

Nothing new to report.

New Business:

A volunteer is needed to help coordinate the side dishes for the annual June 10th picnic. Kim Sheppard offered to do that.

A volunteer is needed to do the beginning work for the silent auction at the car show.

Open Discussion:

Larry DeYoung reminded everyone of the Field of Flags.

Charity Raffle:

Larry DeYoung sold 50/50 tickets and Tim Jacksy won.

Terry thanked everyone for attending.

Adjourn:

Gary Sheppard made the motion to close the meeting and Larry Sharp seconded it.

The meeting was adjourned at 7:43 PM by President Terry Varner .

Respectfully submitted,
Kimberly Sheppard
Secretary