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The FSCC Meeting was held Wednesday January 7, 2009 at the Smyrna Diner in Smyrna, DE. President Bruce Ballard called the meeting to order at 7:30 pm.

Reading and Approval of Minutes.

Motioned by Walter Ruebeck and approved unanimously.



Established 1970
www.firststatecorvetteclub.org

WELCOME

New Member
Michael and Aleta Kane
of Dover, DE
1978 White Coupe

President: President Bruce Ballard announced there would be an executive meeting on Wednesday January 21st at the Noble Eagle at 6pm. Any member interested is welcome to attend. Please let Bruce know if you plan to attend by Jan 17th so he can give the restaurant a head count. He also wanted to thank those who donated items to be sent to Regina Scotts' troop in Iraq. As soon as we get the mailing address for the packages, he and Marianne Callahan will get the items boxed up and sent.

Vice President: Terry Lamb announced that next months meeting will be at **TGI Fridays in Dover**. This is at the corner of Route 13 and Loockerman Street.

Secretary: No report

Treasurer: Submitted by Marianne Callahan.

Beginning Balance
Deposits
Withdrawals

Ending Balance _____

A motion was made by Walt Ruebeck to approve the treasurers report and passed unanimously.

Membership: Newest member is Michael Kane of Eisenhower Drive in Dover. Michael's wife is Aleta and they own a 1978 White Coupe. Motion was made by Dick Kisner, seconded by Carole Ann Kisner to accept this new member. Passed unanimously. Congratulations and welcome to the club.

Corresponding Secretary: Sissy wanted to welcome Brian Kisner to the meeting. As you all know by now, Brian and his work vehicle had a serious accident and the scar on his nose hardly shows. Glad to see him out and doing well. ALSO welcome to Gary Thurlow, who had been sick for quite a while and unable to attend meeting. Also looking good and glad to see him at the meeting too.

Publicity: Jowana wanted to mention all the publicity shots recently in the Dover Post and the State News. Toys for Tots, Ronald MacDonald Breakfast, Hot Air Balloon & Skyline Drive Trip, and a picture of Terri Gregoretti, our Member of the Year. Jowana also had a letter from the Good Feet people, thanking us for the shoes donated at Christmas time.

NCM Ambassador: No Report but Check out the website for raffles, contests, and other information. www.corvettemuseum.com

Parade Chairman: Marianne mentioned the Christmas parade and reported there are no

parades scheduled until March, the St. Patrick's Day parades.

Past Events & Old Business:

Car Flags: We are selling them to club members for \$10 each. See Bruce.

Upcoming Events & New Business

Jan 25th – Sunday – Lets go Bowling

FSCC will host a bowling party at the Brunswick Doverama Lanes on South Governors Ave in Dover. Next to Rodney Village. We have 4 lanes from 3 pm to 5 pm. For \$10 – each person will get 2 games, shoe rental and unlimited pizza and soda. Thanks to Terri and G Gregoretti for setting up this event. Sign up sheet went around at the meeting. If interested in going, contact Terri to sign up at 697-9594

February 7th – Saturday – “Sweet Dreams” – a Patsy Cline Tribute at the Schwartz Theater in Dover. Donna purchased 16 tickets at a group/senior discount price of \$24.30 each. We are SOLD OUT thanks to Sissy and Patsy Cline Fans that bought the last 4 tickets.

May 1,2,3 – Apple Blossom Festival:

Chatty and Sharon Reed are creating a Gettysburg Cruise that will leave Dover at noon on Friday May 1st. There are 20 rooms blocked off at the Holiday Inn Express in Gettysburg at a rate of \$80 per night plus tax under the name of the First State Corvette Club. You must book your room by April 1, 2009. Saturday will be all day showing Corvettes at the Apple Blossom Festival and Sunday will be tour of the Gettysburg Battleground that was the turning point of the American Civil War. Chatty and Sharon are going to Gettysburg before the next meeting, so we will be

getting more and more information at the February Meeting.

June 6, 2009 – FSCC Car Show - Chairman Brian Kisner reported that due to the problems with Boscov's, as a business, we have decided to move the annual car show to Legislative Mall in Dover. The club has had the car shows there in the past and the setting is good since there are trees for cover from the sun. The committee has contacted the City of Dover and the highway department and secured the site for the car show. The committee will have a meeting on Wednesday Jan 14 at the Patterson-Schwartz offices at the Greentree Shopping Center at 6pm. Anyone with ideas and/or wanting to help with the car show is welcome to attend.

Sept. 3,4,5,6 – NCM Anniversary Cruise to Bowling Green: Carole Kisner has almost finished the plans for this trip and will report at the February meeting.

Club Jackets: The question about club jackets was put off until the Executive Meeting.

Scholarship Darlene Hurley wanted to thank all those who helped get the scholarship information in the mail and looks forward to seeing all the submissions when she returns from FLORIDA.

Thank You Letter: Marianne read a letter from the Delaware Breast Cancer Coalition thanking the club for the donation of a page in the horse racing program on the night of all Female Drivers at Dover Downs. Several of the club members attended and had their picture taken with the winner of that race.

Thank You Letter: Carole Ann Kisner read a letter from the Make-A-Wish Foundation thanking the club for the \$2000 donation. This was our fund raiser last year and the club's sales for this were fantastic.

**Motion made by Walter Ruebeck
to adjourn the meeting.**

**Meeting Adjourned at 7:53 PM
Respectfully Submitted,
Donna Ballard
FSCC Secretary**

**50/50 Won by
Pat Callahan**

**Trivia Won by
Paul & Nancy Heine**

NEXT MEETING

Wednesday February 4th, 2009

TGI Fridays

Route 13 and Lookerman Street
Dover, DE

Dinner 6:00 Meeting 7:30

February Birthdays

2/2	Rosemary Baltrush
2/2	John Gula
2/3	Sam Cammisa
2/9	Jim Keller
2/13	Scott Weber
2/26	Art Mantichak
2/27	Dave Zerba

Attendance for Jan 7th

Charlie Angione
Bruce and Donna Ballard
Patrick and Marianne Callahan
Sissy and Sam Cammisa
G and Terri Gregoretti
Joe Grioli
Paul and Nancy Heine
Darlene Hurley
Brian Kisner and Dawn Deahn
Dick and Carole Ann Kisner
Terry and Jowana Lamb
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Club Items for Sale:

Anyone wanting to advertise a Corvette item for sale – contact FSCC Secretary to have the notice appear here.

To order shirts with the club logo or to purchase club patches - contact Terri Gregoretti at (302) 697-9594

For Club Car Flags – Contact Bruce Ballard (302) 670-0500
Flags are \$10 each