

Moses Lake Classic Car Club

MLCCC General Meeting Minutes

Date: February 8th, 2024

Members in Attendance: 30 (Thirty)

Intersection of Grins and Giggles:

Dave opened the pre-meeting with a Candy Quiz with winners getting the candy that related to their answers to the quiz. It was a big hit and members would like to see more of that type of entertainment.

Winners: Gerald McClain, Amy McClain, Bill Andersen, Brett Boehm, Ann Edwards, Judy Kent (2), Marci Ostenberg, Janet Isaak and Jackie Chmela

Meeting called to order: 7:19 PM/PST (Bob's Restaurant, Moses Lake, WA)

By President: Dave Robins "Thank you for being here tonight." (Decorations by: Tisha Wischmeier and Candace Jackson which was Valentine themed.)

This is our sixth (6th) General Meeting of MLCCC's Fiscal Accounting year. (2023-2024)

"So, I hereby Declare Let the fun begin."

Tonight was the annual candy contest. Brett Boehm asked for restaurant employees of Bob's diner to assist him in judging. Dave read the list of dessert entries. Once Brett and team completed judging then the dessert table was open for members to partake. Yummy!!

Remember 50/50 raffle tickets are always for sale on meeting nights and help us replenish the MLCCC funds.

Pledge of Allegiance: (The American Flag – Stars & Stripes)

Welcome Guests & Returning Members:

Dave announced Paul and Linda Koverman are new long-distance members from Yakima. They have a 1949 Ford. Brian Neilsen is also a new member with an El Camino.

Secretary's Report: Dave asked if the January 2024 minutes be read aloud or approved by unanimous vote by those present. A motion to accept minutes as reported on the MLCCC website was proposed by Judy Kent, seconded by Ann Edwards, and approved by all present. (**Note:** For members who cannot access MLCCC website Paul Boehm or Vicki Green will snail mail upon request.) Vicki is the custodian of MLCCC's "SIGN-UP LIST" for table decorations for the general MLCCC meetings each month. Our next meeting will be March 14th and Jim and Diana Workman have decorations for that month. The list for 2024 is now complete. Thanks to all who signed up.

Treasurer's Report: (Bob Kent)

The current checking account balance as of February 1, 2024, is **\$8,536.78**. Bob has an insurance bill of around \$500 to pay for the year.

Paul and/or Bob still have the \$30 Club Logo license plate plaques available and MLCCC ballcaps available for \$20 each.

Webmaster's Report: (Paul Boehm)

Paul reported that he has been updating the website for car shows that are coming up. Paul posted the latest membership list, but the list is hidden from public access. If you need help locating let Paul know. Paul has business cards available if you want any. The business cards are a \$1 a sheet which contains ten cards per sheet. You might want to stock up for cruising season since it will begin soon. If you want your car displayed on the business card, please provide a picture to Paul before you place your order. Paul is still printing name badges if anyone wants.

Paul has a new tab for memorabilia sales. It has who to contact for purchase and the items for sale.

Paul is still looking for help with the website. The email address is info@moseslakeclassiccarrclub.com.

Acknowledgements: (For Month of February)

Birthdays: Harvey Erickson and Nancy Boehm

Clay Crook donated \$2 to the cause since he said neither he nor Karen could remember their anniversary! Ha! Ha!

Rear View Flashbacks: (Clay & Karen Crook)

Karen explained what the Duck Award is for the benefit of new members. If you are going to or from a club sanctioned event and your car breaks down, then the Duck rides with you to all events until the next club member breaks down. You cannot alter the Duck in any way. There is also a packet of information that goes along with the Duck showing how many times each member has had possession of the Duck through the years. Charlie Green is presently in possession of the Duck because his Challenger blew a hose coming from the Quincy AG Days car show in September. Charlie proudly displayed The Duck during the Moses Lake AG Parade, December 1, 2023. Yes, he played fair per rules of custody.

Karen explained that she is in possession of a large tub of historical documents and Dave will request that she locate certain items to see what was happening back in the day on the day of our present meeting. Who was in office in February of 1974, etc.? The first dash plaque was introduced in 1976. The club had a car show for Model As and 35 attended from all around Washington state. The club fed them before they left. Memories of places that the club met, enhanced car shows, poker walk, cornhole tournaments, etc.

Karen says she will begin work on the historical tub and will place it in binders by years for all to enjoy.

Unfinished Business: (Dave Robins)

Dave met with the Columbia Basin Herald, and they agreed to correct the article that came out about our donation to the food bank. They did a respectable job of presenting our community involvement in the newspaper as requested, so we are well known for our community support.

There is an upcoming invitation to preview the kitchen project (we helped fund this project) that is now complete at Youth Dynamics. The invitation is for February 15th at 11 a.m. so plan to attend if possible.

Door Prize Drawings: (Judy Kent)

Judy presented a Maverick model car to long time member Harvey Erickson.

Winners Drawn: Woody Jacobsen – BBQ Towel
 Gordie Edwards – Blanket.
 Jim Workman – Antique car book.
 Dennis Jackson – Vega model car.
 Brian Nielsen – Ford maverick model car.

New Business: (Dave Robins)

Dave Robins and Tisha Wischmeier introduced the memorabilia that the club now has for sale. Tisha was taking orders at the meeting but will not place them with the vendor until February 22nd. Contact Tisha or Candace Jackson if you wish to place an order. There are mugs, hats, and shirts available. You can choose from a multitude of colors for your shirts. This is a fundraiser for MLCCC. Payment must be made before the order is placed. Cash or check only. The club will not hold inventory at this time. Once the order comes in Tisha or Candace will notify you and you can decide how you want to receive, delivery or you pick up.

For the Good of the Cause: Candy Contest Winners

1. Judy Kent – Chocolate mousse sugar cookie.
2. Marci Ostenberg - Graham cracker toffee bars.
3. Diana Workman – Sweet & salty pretzel bars.

Events Committee Report: (Dennis Jackson/Larrie Chmela/Jim Workman)

Dave reminded members about the 50th anniversary and promoting it to the Moses Lake community as well as surrounding areas. Dave was also asking for ideas from club members as well. Notify Dennis Jackson or Larrie Chmela if you have suggestions or ideas.

Dennis says the first car show will be Othello Sandhill Crane festival in March so watch the website for the exact date. The board is discussing our involvement in Springfest 2024 if any. Dennis reminded members about the hotel reservation block for the Vintiques show in Yakima in Aug.

Reminder that some members meet at Bob's Diner on Friday nights around 5 p.m. for fellowship and tall tales, weather permitting.

Winner of 50/50 Ticket Drawing: (Judy Kent)

Bill Anderson -- \$48 this month.

February Car of the Month: – Virgil Redwine, 1933 Ford

Meeting Reminder: March 14th, 2024 -----**Next General Membership Meeting**

Bob's Restaurant – Moses Lake, WA (No host dining 6:00 PM/PST, Business 7:00 PM/PST)

Meeting Adjourned:

Dave accepted a motion to adjourn from Annie Edwards and a second from Andy Ostenberg to adjourn the meeting ... all were in favor.

Dave closed with “Good Night – Safe Cruising – Help Someone when you can.” Happy 2024.

Adjourned at 8:21 PM/PST.

Feb 2024 Car of the month

**Virgil & Tera Redwine - 1933 Ford Coupe**

One of Virgil's dreams when he retired from farming was to have his own classic car. In 2022 He began searching the internet and found Stacy of Red Neck Street Rods in Huron SD. After multiple telephone calls Virgil and his wife Tera found themselves driving back to South Dakota to meet Stacy in person and see his shop and a few of his hot rods. Virgil was very impressed with the quality of workmanship and he and Stacy made an agreement to build him a 1933 Ford. Virgil's 33 has a 383 Small Block Stroker, 4-speed Automatic with overdrive, Crager Wheels and Diamond plated custom seats and door panels. 4 Barrel Edelbrock carburetor, suicide doors with Vintage Air. The 33 is still under the final stages of construction and they are very excited to be heading back to SD in Early in April to pick up the finished Car. Over the summer we look forward to going to a few car shows and look forward to meeting fellow car enthusiasts, and enjoying retirement with his dream car.