NICC Minutes July 1, 2018 (Approved July 29, 2018)

1. Opening and Call to Order:

The NICC Monthly Membership meeting was called to order by President Leon Gorsch at 7:00 p.m. with 40 members present.

2. List of Officers, Directors, & Committee Chairs:

President: Leon Gorsch Sergeant-at-Arms: Gene Stimart

Governor: Arnie Bailey Editor: Preston Morgan

Secretary: Cindy Starzyk
Treasurer: Doug Billups
Membership: Karin Alfors
Parliamentarian: Doris Hicks
Historian/s: Nancy Bailey &

Social Director: Barb Jackson
Quartermaster: Barb Johnson
Advertising: Jeff Drewelow
Public Relations: Ken Starzyk

Webmaster: Linda Stimert

Carolyn Samuelson

NCM Ambassador: Louise

Gorsch

Sunshine Chair: Doris Hicks

Webmaster: Linda Stimart

Parade Director: Dennis Mathews

- **3.** <u>Introduction of Guests:</u> No guests tonight. New member: Steve Nichols. Steve has a 1971 Vette, white with red interior.
- **4. Opening Comments:** Leon commented that the weather is looking up for club events.
- **5. Minutes:** Leon asked for a motion to review, amend, object to and/or approve the minutes from the June 3rd, 2018 club meeting. The minutes were approved.
- 6. Introduction of Officers, Directors and Chairs; call for reports:

<u>President</u> - Leon Gorsch: No Report. <u>Governor</u> - Arnie Bailey, Absent. <u>Secretary</u> - Cindy Starzyk: No report.

<u>Treasurer</u> - Doug Billups, Absent. Brick Logan: The club's balance is \$17,077. Speed events generate large amounts of revenue for the club. Dale & Carolyn Samuelson and Jack & Janet Wilson volunteer 16 weekends per season for these events.

Membership - Karin Alfors: No Report.

Parliamentarian - Doris Hicks: Doris is still working on job descriptions and bylaws.

Historian - Nancy Bailey & Carolyn Samuelson: No Report.

NCM Ambassador - Louise Gorsch: The National Corvette Museum offers an experience for Corvette owners that encompasses all of the following and more: a VIP Museum tour, a one-year membership, decals, photos in front of the museum, cleaning of your Vette and display of your Vette. The cost is \$500. For more information you can go to the NCM website and select "NCM Experience". Shane Web is the gentleman in charge of this. The National Corvette Caravan is a celebration culminating in Bowling Green, Kentucky at the National Corvette Museum. This event is slated for Labor Day Weekend 2019 and will mark the Museum's 25th Anniversary. For more information go to the Museum website: www.corvettecaravan.com/north-central/.

Sunshine Club Chair - Doris Hicks: No report.

<u>Sergeant-at-arms</u> - **Gene Stimart**: Absent. Fen Hicks filled in for Gene and collected \$4.00 in badge fines.

<u>Editor</u> - Preston Morgan: Submissions for this month's newsletter are due Thursday, July 5th or no later than Saturday, July 7th. Thank you for the summaries of events. Preston is looking for articles that will focus on interests of the women in the club. Don't forget to submit photos for the Photo Contest. Linda Stimart will eventually post contest pictures collectively on the website. The contest will continue to December 31st.

<u>Social Director</u> - Barb Jackson: The Progressive Dinner, Sonic Night and The Autocross Class were great successes and lots of fun. Coming up are: The Rockton Auto Museum/DC Winery Run on July 15th, The Convention on July 20th and The Ladies' Run on July 28th. There are still some spots left for the Freeport Cruise Night which is August 11th and a few members still need to submit their payments. Barb is selling her 2009, cyber grey, convertible Vette with 26.7k miles on it for \$30,000.

Quartermaster - Barb Johnson: No Report.

<u>Advertising</u> - Jeff Drewelow: Please go to businesses that sponsor us and tell them you are members of NICC.

<u>Public Relations</u> - Ken Starzyk: August 18th is the All Chevy Car Show. We will have a DJ and an ice cream truck at that car show. The Road America Run will be on Sunday, August 5th. We will leave Farm & Fleet on Riverside at 5:00 am. Please arrive at 4:45. A hospitality tent with free food next to Corvette Coral is provided by Chevy. August 25th is the Club Picnic at 3:00 in Starzyks' hangar near the Vintage Wings & Wheels Museum.

Webmaster - Linda Stimart, Absent.

<u>Parade Director</u> - Dennis Mathews: The Cherry Valley Parade is this Wednesday, July 4th. We will meet on the west side of Cherry Vale Mall at 11:30. The Parade begins at 1:00.

7. Old Business:

Bylaw Changes – Doris is gathering job descriptions. You may consider revising your own job description if you wish.

Spring Run, June 9th – We had 16 cars for the Spring Run. The Museum in Dixon and Union Dairy were highlights of this run.

Sonic Corvette Night, June 11 – We had 22 cars for this event.

Old Settlers Day Parade, June 16 – We had 16 cars for this parade.

Progressive Dinner, June 23 – There was good weather and great food for this event.

Albany Lions Club Car Show, June 24 – Doug Schiller stated that we had 9 cars for this show. Autocross Training Day, June 30 –11 students participated. Everyone learned a lot and had a very fun time. We should do it again.

8. New Business:

Cherry Valley Parade, July 4th - discussed.

Girls Run, July 28th – Louise asked that if you need a partner for the "Wine, Women & Charge Cards" Run, see or contact her. We have 9 cars signed up. It's suggested that you bring a cooler for potential purchases you may acquire.

Elkhart Lake, August 5 – If you purchase tickets by July 25th you will save money.

Freeport Cruise Night, August 11 – There are reserved spots for more members.

Farm & Fleet Car Show, August 18 – discussed.

Club Picnic, August 25 – discussed.

New Cars – Barb Johnson has a new 2018 Grand Sport, light grey, red interior.

Other? – Jack Wilson Thanks everyone for participating in the Autocross Training Day. Dale asked for volunteers for the Wilmot Speed Event this coming Saturday and Sunday, July 7th and 8th. You will get a free lunch. 9-9:30 is a good arrival time.

- 9. Collection of Fines: \$4.
- **10.** Raffles: 1st winner Bob Rogers. 2nd winner Steve Nichols.
- **11.** <u>Attendance Drawing:</u> \$10 Donna Kohley, not present. Next month the drawing will be \$20.
- **12.** Adjournment: 7:55 pm.

Next Club Monthly Meeting: July 29th, 2018: 6 pm - Social Hour, 7pm – Members' Meeting.

Respectfully submitted, Cindy Starzyk