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MEMBERSHIP REPORT

Anthony Vierra - 1984 928S

New Members

Terry Duvall- 2009 911 Carrera Cabriolet

Nanet Jacobs- 2008 911 Turbo

Transfers

No transfers

Anniversaries

Name	Years in Yos	Expires
W Kuhn	38 years	2/29/20
Charlie Mauch	4 years	2/29/20
Larry Alvarez	2 years	2/29/20
Phil Harris	2 years	2/29/20
Todd Hicks	1 year	2/29/20
Michael Miller	22 years	3/31/20
Mark Lange	22 years	3/31/20
Michael Bloed	13 years	3/31/20
Randy Hahn	6 years	3/31/20
George Hatfield	4 years	3/31/20
Anthony Vierra	3 years	3/31/20
Patrick Oehlsen	2 years	3/31/20
Robert Langlie	2 years	3/31/20

Members	159
Affiliate Members	89
Junior Members	7
Total	248



MEETING NOTES

Jim Mazza - 2013 911 Carrera

Please note that these meeting minutes may reflect events that have since been postponed or cancelled due to COVID-19. Visit the website yos.pca.org for latest event information.

Call to Order

- 7:03 PM by President Sturkie
- Location- Migliore Motorwerks, Lathrop. Attendees- President Brian Sturkie, Past President Chuck Pierce, Treasurer Larry Inman, Webmaster Don Chaisson, Membership Chair Anthony Vierra, Secretary Jim Mazza and Member-at-Large George Hatfield.

Board Reports

- Welcome/ Call to Order: Brian Called meeting to order
 - Approval of Minutes: February 2020 Minutes approved; motion Don, second Larry
- **Treasure Report:** Larry submitted the previous statements with an ending balance of \$8,846.11.
- **Membership Report:** Anthony presented report – 157 Primary members; 88 Affiliate members with a loss of 2 members and a renewal of 5 members. There was a discussion or photo usage and invitation “Nice Car” postcards to encourage membership.
- **Webmaster Report:** Don indicated his intention to access additional help in improving the website by working with his son-in-law. Additionally, website up for judging and Don has been asked to be a judge of other PCA websites.

New Business

- Past President Chuck Pierce addressed the board with concerns that led to his and Jennifer’s decision to “step back” for a time. As in the past, many members expressed their gratitude for the service and dedication Chuck and Jennifer exhibited throughout their tenure.

President’s Report:

- o Discussed the overall impact of the Coronavirus (Ongoing throughout the discussion of new business)
- o Discussed the annual teleconference for Presidents
- o Updated parade information: 918 Entrants thus far and indicated there has been no event status change
- o National continues to grow with an impressive annual growth rate of 4.3%

- o Elaborated on reasons for joining PCA
Panorama Magazine
Tech Assistance

☒ Regional News and Events Reporting

- Secretary Search: Motion for Jim Mazza to assume Secretary Position (Open Positions) from Don Chaisson and second from Anthony Vierra; approved
- Board Meeting Location: The Oakdale Country Club is available on Wednesday nights and was considered and rejected given the distance some members would be required to drive. The Migliore Motorwerks, Lathrop, is available to the board until August and it was decided the location would be used until then and a different location would be determined in the future.
- Member Dinner Update: This event was a tremendous success and only cost the club approximately \$300.

Event Updates

- Pop Up Fresno Drive: Although no one present attended the event, from all indications it was a success in large part because of the drive and the Armenian restaurant.
- Spa Event: This event still is scheduled and there are a few openings.
- Diablo Drive: Anthony discussed the Diablo drive and sounded an optimistic tone as it relates to the drive. After some discussion it was determined that lunch will be held at the original site: Boundary Oak Golf Course. This event is full.
- Cooking School: This event is still on the schedule with a few spots left.
- Parade: This event is still on the schedule and open for attendance (contact PCA or Chuck Pierce)
- Anthony's Jewelry Store: Anthony Vierra opened a jewelry store on the Miracle Mile in Stockton and suggested we have a drive and meet there on Saturday evening in the near future.
- June – December Events: Jim Mazza discussed the Santa Cruz trip for October 9 -11. The dates will be finalized post Yosemite trip and awaiting confirmation from Canepa in Scotts Valley.
- Porsche Golf Circle: We are waiting on the availability of the corporate jet?

Adjournment:

- Brian thanked everyone for their dedication to the club and for attending the meeting – Meeting Adjourned at 8:59 PM.

 <h2>Porsche Club of America Zone 7</h2>	
<h3>Autocross</h3> <p> March 7 – Instructor School April 5 – Thunderhill (SVR) April 25 – Marina (LPR) April 26 – Marina (GGR) July 18 – Alameda (GGR) September 26 – Marina (LPR) September 27 – Marina (GGR) October 10 – Thunderhill (SVR) October 11 – Thunderhill (RR) (tentative) </p>	<h3>Concours</h3> <p> March 15 - Judges School and Prep -- Livermore April 26 -- Livermore (DR) May 17 -- Fremont (LPR) June 7 – Rocklin (SVR) July 19 – Carmel Valley (MBR) August 2 – Reno (SNR) August 23 – Redwood City (GGR) September 20 -- Petaluma (RR) </p>
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