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**Next Meeting & Banquet Sunday, June 12th  
Durgin Pavilion, Camp Courageous**

# **Cedar Valley Street Rods – April Meeting Minutes**

## **April 3rd, 2022, Meeting at Hupp Electric, Marion, IA**

Terry Dolezal called the meeting to order at 1:05 PM.

Members Present: Roger Hindman, Whitey & Shirley Hermansen, Terry & Joyce Dolezal, Larry Hampton, Dave Swenka, Butch Slocum & Lynn Montour, Virgil Dietz & Rose Lockhart, Dave & Lois Bailey, Mary Markmann, Craig & Lynn Emrich, Sharon Davis, Bruce Cross & Ellen Becker, Richard Mishler & Sherri Wilcox, Bill Weeks, Duane & Terri Cox, Brad Johnson, Aaron Franck, Dave & Della Schmuecker, Don Mahan, Craig Titler and Dave Marsden.

Guest: Kelly Zbanek

Joyce Dolezal made a motion to approve the February 6th minutes and seconded by Lynn Montour and were approved as written. Roger Hindman gave the Treasurer's report.

### **OLD BUSINESS:**

- Larry Hampton gave an update on Drag City. He reported he will be contacting members to volunteer for work shifts on August 7th. He has flyers available to hand out and stated the cost for the track is higher.
- Terry reported that eighteen members attended the Club Night out to Dinner at Zeppelin's. The March day out cruise to the John Deere and Grout Museums had fifteen members in attendance. Thanks to Terry & Joyce for planning this fun outing.
- Ken & Sandy Smith planned a trip on April 1<sup>st</sup> & 2<sup>nd</sup>, to the Speedway Museum in Lincoln and World of Wheels in Omaha. A pleasant surprise for the men was a swap meet at Speedway Saturday AM.
- Whitey Hermansen proposed an update to the by-laws to change yearly dues being due by the February meeting date rather than the 1<sup>st</sup> of the month. Dave Bailey made a motion to change the by-laws, seconded by Bill Weeks. The proposal passed by a show of hands.
- Dave Swenka gave an update of the CVSR website., He adjusted the website colors for easier viewing and updated the newsletter format. The event calendar has also been updated. If you have any pictures to share on the website, send them to Dave in a pdf format.

- Sharon Davis updated members on Camp Courageous progress. She reported that 500 t-shirts were donated. She stated that 100 cars have been registered so far. She said they still need items for both the silent and live auctions. She urged all members to ask for donations for both auctions. **Volunteers are needed for set-up on Saturday, May 14<sup>th</sup> at 9 AM.** Terri Cox reported that ten vendors have signed up and she would like to double that number. Della Schmuecker needs volunteers to watch the silent auction tables and all members should be there at 12:45 to help with the auction. Whitey Hermansen and Roger Hindman stated they have parking volunteers covered. A big thank you goes to Bruce Cross's daughter, who donated 400 bug soothers for the goody bags. Terry urged all club members register their cars for the event & will get a free t-shirt. Registration forms were available at the meeting. Sharon also asked that **all bakery items for that day, be store-bought.**
- Sharon reported we have a new member, as Earl Sigwarth rejoined. Mefford Auto is a new advertiser.
- Mary Markmann gave an update on the new Rodettes logo. She showed the proposed logo and said many club women have purchased matching shirts to be worn with the new logo. Any clothing you buy or already have, can be embellished with the new logo. She advised that only the **original club logo** be worn to any club sponsored events such as **Camp Courageous and Drag City**, or when volunteering at events such as Oktoberfest in Amana. Larry Hampton made a motion to accept the new Rodettes logo, seconded by Bill Weeks. Motion passed.
- Dave Bailey and Joyce Dolezal gave an update on the CVSR Facebook page. If members would like something posted there, contact Joyce or Dave. Two people have expressed an interest in joining the club after viewing the FB page.
- Joyce Dolezal and Mary Markmann are planning a Rodettes trip to the Fall Diddley Craft Show in Belvidere, IL on October 8<sup>th</sup>.

### **NEW BUSINESS:**

- Sharon Davis announced that our **Annual Club Banquet** will be on Sunday, June 12<sup>th</sup> at the Durgin Pavilion at Camp Courageous. Cost for members is \$10 per person and advertisers will be invited to attend. Darrell's will be catering and Sharon, Joyce & Mary will be shopping for centerpieces to be given away again. A sign-up sheet was sent around. If you weren't at the meeting to sign up, you can call **Sharon at (319) 573-4298. June 4<sup>th</sup> is the deadline to sign up and have your money in for the banquet.** Thank you to Camp Courageous for use of their pavilion and to Sharon for setting the banquet up.
- Lynn Emrich reported she saw a story on the news about Charlie Becker's son, who went to Ukraine with medical equipment and food. He received a well-deserved free flight.
- We are happy to report that Dave Marsden joined our club during the meeting.

- **Upcoming events**
- **Local Thursday cruise nights** start on April 7. First one is at Palo.
- Larry Hampton and Terry Dolezal are planning a **4-day trip to Indiana** on Monday, April 18<sup>th</sup> to visit local car and RV museums. RSVP by April 8<sup>th</sup>. They have a block of rooms reserved and a 24-hour cancellation notice is required.
- **April 29<sup>th</sup> & 30 Torque Fest** on the Dubuque Fairgrounds.
- **Monticello Swap Meet**, Sunday May 1.
- **Central City Swap Meet**, Saturday, May 7. CVSR has two tables inside Building 12. Setup on Friday.
- **Camp Courageous**, May 14 & 15.
- June 8<sup>th</sup>, **Cruz to Ruh's**. Larry is coordinating.
- June 12<sup>th</sup>, **meeting** (Dave Swenka presiding) and **Banquet**.
- **Back to the 50's**, June 16-19. Bruce asked if anyone had room in their car to take extra canopies to accommodate the larger group attending this year. Several members volunteered. Larry has rooms reserved. The motel has all indoor parking.
- Saturday, July 9<sup>th</sup>, **Pella Car Show**.
- August 5<sup>th</sup> & 6<sup>th</sup>. **Clear Lake Cruise**, Butch has arranged for rooms.

**Buy, Sell or Trade:**

Joyce Dolezal has a '38 Chevy frame for sale.

Aaron Franck has a '49 Ford Sedan for sale. He said it runs.

Duane Cox has a '48 Pontiac for sale.

Virgil Dietz has an 8.8 Trac Lock set, 8.8 5 Lug Axel & parts.

Bruce Cross says there is a guy in Atkins with Ford rear ends. Call Bruce.

Kelly Zbanek from Coonrod's Embroidery attended the meeting and was available after to take orders. Thank you, Kelly!

Everyone brought delicious desserts to share before, during and after the meeting.

Lois Bailey made a motion to adjourn at 2:10 PM, seconded by Joyce Dolezal.

Respectfully submitted,

Mary Markmann  
Newsletter Editor



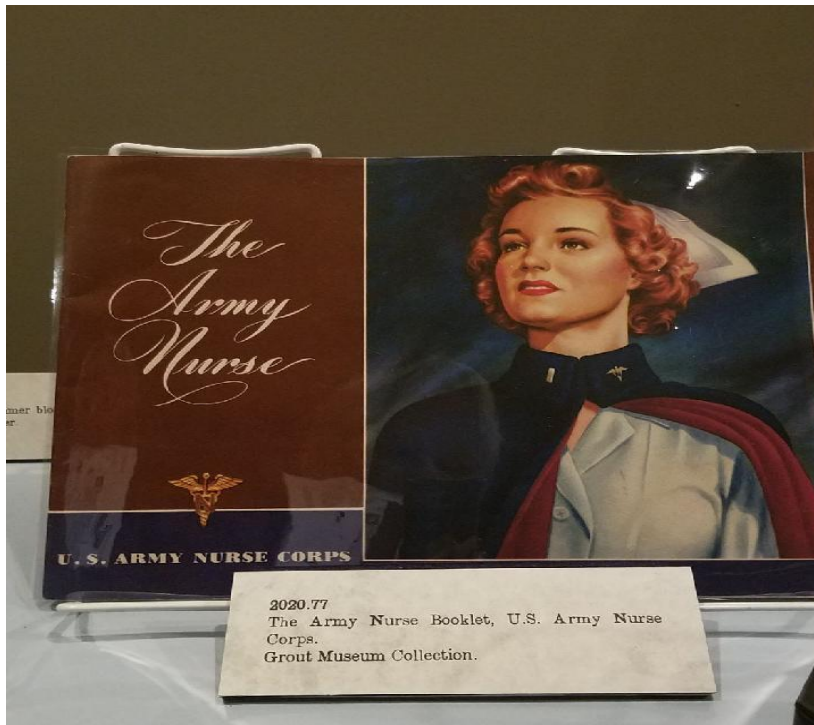
**Lynn tries her hand at plowing like they did in the old days at John Deere Museum, Waterloo. Below is a group picture with our tour guide at the museum.**







**The Grout Museum had some beautiful signs & art.**





**Joyce enjoyed the huge lunch box collection at Speedway.**





**Display showing race cars in their actual shops.**





**Bill & Sandi are ready to take a speedy ride!**



**One of the guys favorite cars at World of Wheels in Omaha. The girls had a great time shopping instead!**



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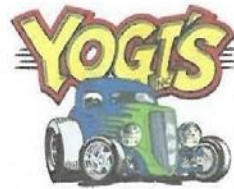
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