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Next Meeting Tuesday, August 2nd

Cedar Valley Street Rods – June Meeting Minutes

June 12th, 2022, Meeting in Durgin Pavillion at Camp Courageous

Dave Swenka called the meeting to order at 4:22 PM.

Members Present: Roger Hindman, Whitey & Shirley Hermansen, Terry & Joyce Dolezal, Larry Hampton & Mary Markmann, Dave & Joanne Swenka, Butch Slocum & Lynn Montour, Dick & Deb Wilkinson, Rance & Liz Schlenker, LeRoy & Toni Ague, Virgil Dietz & Rose Lockhart, Dave & Lois Bailey, Craig & Lynn Emrich, Dave Marsden & Sharon Davis, Richard Mishler & Sherri Wilcox, Bill & Sandi Weeks, Duane & Terri Cox, Aaron Franck, Charlie Becker, Craig Titler & Janeen Fink and Bill & Terri Nekvinda

Guests: Mike Mefford, Gabriel Cox, Chuck & Becky Melchert

Dave Swenka brought the meeting to order at 4:22 PM. Joyce Dolezal made a motion to approve the April 3rd minutes as written, seconded by Bill Weeks. Roger Hindman gave the Treasurer's report.

OLD BUSINESS:

Dave Swenka thanked the following:

- Charlie Becker for use of the Durgin Pavillion.
- Joyce Dolezal, Mary Markmann & Sharon Davis for shopping for the door prizes given away at the banquet.
- The CVSR Board for setting up for the meeting and banquet.
- Rich Mishler for providing the pictures on the monitors.
- The Corvette Club and Camp Courageous staff for all the help given at setup before & during Cruisin' for Camp Courageous.
- Sharon Davis for her work in setting up the banquet and also for sending thank you notes to appropriate helpers.
- Nick Marsden, TJ Dolezal and Caleb Hampton for their help with parking at Cruisin'.

Charlie Becker thanked Cedar Valley Street Rods for their association with Camp Courageous for 35 years.

Whitey Hermansen thanked the advertisers in our newsletter, and also the Camp Courageous Planning Committee consisting of Becky Melchert, Sharon Davis, Larry Hampton, Dave & Della Schmuecker, Terry Dolezal, Terri Cox, Roger Hindman and Whitey Hermansen.

Terry Dolezal reported on the April 18 thru 21st trip to **Indiana** where four couples visited the Studebaker Museum, the RV Hall of Fame, the Duesenberg Museum, the National Car & Truck Museum and shopping and dinner in Shipshewanna, Indiana. We all enjoyed seeing a mini shopping mall filled with horse & buggies instead of cars and one buggy pulling a cart with two sheep. Thanks to Terry and Larry for planning this fun trip.

- Larry Hampton reported on the **Cruz to Ruh's** on June 8th. Eighteen members left Cedar Rapids with a rainy start, which soon turned into a beautiful day. Dave shot off his canon with gunpowder that Larry had previously given him. After leaving Daves shop, some shopped in Valley Junction and some visited a local brewery. Thanks to Larry for planning a fun outing. Larry is considering inviting Dave and his friends here next year for a change.
- Thank you to Dave and Lois Bailey for working on behalf of CVSR at **Wurst Fest** in Amana and also for providing coffee at the meeting.

NEW BUSINESS:

- Dave Bailey and Joyce Dolezal have been keeping the CVSR Facebook site updated. They encourage every member to sign into the site.
- Dave Swenka gave an update on the CVSR website., He has added flyers for Cruisin' and Drag City. Under the Classified header he added a page for current vendors, sponsors and upgraded direct links with logos for Camp Courageous, Yogi's and Speedway Motors. He added calendar updates for future events with dates. He's still looking for your car photos. Send car pictures to david.swenka@gmail.com in jpeg format. Thank you Dave & also to his son Scott for the extra work to make these changes..
- Terry Dolezal reported on **upcoming events:**
Oktoberfest will be held **September 30 and October 1 and 2**. Sharon will be asking for volunteers to help, probably serving beer or wine.
 Three groups will be leaving to attend **Back to the Fifties** in St. Paul, MN between **June 15 – 17**. The Viet Museum won't be open, so they won't be stopping there as originally planned.
Good Guys car show in Des Moines is **July 4th weekend**.
 Saturday, **July 9th, Pella Car Show**.
 The **Clear Lake Cruise** will be **August 5 & 6**. Butch Slocum is coordinating. Terry Dolezal is planning a cruise to the **East Dubuque Cruise In**, with a stop for **lunch** on the way sometime in **August**.
 Larry Hampton passed a sign up sheet for **Drag City** on **August 7**. **Volunteers** to work are appreciated. He still needs help at the front gate & registration.
- Becky Melchert gave a report on Cruisin' for Camp Courageous, with 268 pre-registered cars and 371 cars on the grounds and 440 total paid cars for a **record breaking year**. Thanks to all who helped.
- Dave Swenka advised members to contact Kelly Zbanek at Coonrod Embroidery with any orders and check with her whether you have any items to pick up.
- Camp Courageous Committee members gave the following thank yous':
 Terry Dolezal to the front gate volunteers.
 Whitey Hermansen & Roger Hindman to the parking volunteers.
 Sharon Davis to the registration and information booth volunteers.
 Sharon also passed along a thank you from Della Schmuecker to the silent auction volunteers.

Buy, Sell or Trade:

Aaron Franck has a '49 Ford Sedan for sale.

Rance Schlenker has several pre 1939 headlights and lenses, many makes & models. Also, a rust-free 1940 Ford frame, fits 1935-1940, \$1,200 and a 1935 Ford cowl and firewall, \$50. Call 319-848-4484

Larry Hampton has an engine SBC 350 4-bolt main, Offenhauser intake with tri-power bolted to 350 tranny. \$3,500

Next meeting will be **Tuesday evening, August 2nd**. Roger Hindman will preside.

Dick Wilkinson made a motion to adjourn at 5:04 PM, seconded by Toni Ague.

After the meeting we enjoyed a delicious meal by Darrell's Catering and drawings for fabulous door prizes.

Respectfully submitted,

Mary Markmann
Newsletter Editor



Our Camp Courageous Committee. Missing in this photo are Dave & Della Schmuecker



Many members attended our June meeting & Banquet



Beautiful architecture & cars at the Deussenberg Museum!



Terry, Joyce, Dave & Sharon decided to take a ride along the beautiful streets in the museum!



Watch out! Girl's Road Trip!



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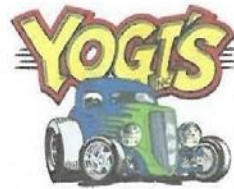


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