

October 2015

Crankshaft Journal

The News Letter of the Central Fraser Valley Chapter
of the Vintage Car Club of Canada



Keith Jackman Inducted into 2015

Greater Vancouver Motorsport Pioneers Society

Oct 7th 2015 General Meeting
VCCC –Central Fraser Valley Chapter

Rick Unger Call to Order at 7: 35..... Welcome all and thanks for coming out this evening to our October general meeting.

Are there any guests this evening? Welcome John Rosstrom

Any new cars acquired recently or does anyone wish to share a progress report on their project none

Entertainment/guest speakers: coordinator Ron Eyben introduced Mr. George Hoffman who made a presentation on his summer attending steam shows.

Minutes of the Sept 2nd 2015 general meeting circulated in the Crankshaft Journal – Any errors or omissions? Motion to accept/ Mike Mcvay /S/ Earl Smith.

Treasurer's Report- Dorothy Field Read

Correspondence:

- letter sent to VCCC Treasurer with \$2K cheque returning May Tour seed money
- numerous emails/notes/suggestions from chapter members regarding ideas on what could be done with our current financial surplus; I would like to thank those who gave thought and provided feedback; It has been decided that for now we would subsidize the Christmas party for paid up members as well as fund a summer barbeque. We will look at other ideas as they arise.
- request from National President Del Holbrook circulated by Earl via email on ideas for discussion at the upcoming Governor's meeting;
- thank you letter from Audrey and Gord Stebanuk for support of BC Vintage Truck Museum fundraiser (read letter); Audrey wishes to thank everyone who helped out and it was a great success.

Membership and name tag draw: Ron and Pat Morris /96 members name tag winner Steve Paul.

Re and Re draw- Al and Cindy Ganske./ winner Dianne Hanson \$ 69.

Webmaster report: Richard Heyman continues to make updates and enhancements to Chapter website. Thanks for your efforts Richard; wish to speak?

Director's meeting report: held last Wednesday

- a decision was made and passed unanimously by the directors in attendance to proceed cautiously with spending of surplus funds at this time due to past experience and uncertain costs/revenues in the future. We thank all of you who provided ideas and they will be kept on file for future discussions as required. The challenge of proceeding with some of the initiatives is the need for more volunteers to administer, as well as movement from our chapter's developed philosophy as a "social club" and the VCCC constitution.

Two initiatives which were approved by the executive were subsidizing the adult and children's Christmas party and to fully fund a summer BBQ every year into the foreseeable future.

-Governor's meeting – Fraser and Dorothy have offered to attend the upcoming Governor's meeting as an alternate to governor Susan Shull who is away. Big thank you!! Fraser wish to speak? Read request from Del Holbrook. Fraser will bring up cost saving measures focusing on the roster and newsletter.

Also clarification of 2nd Governor in VCCC Bylaws./ we get 1 govenor for every 100 members or part thereof, associate members not included and we have about 25

-Country Car Show – John J. looking for replacement to train for 2017

-2016 Executive elections next meeting; looking for Treasure, Secretary?, Directors at Large, etc. John Jackman chair nominating committee.

Other Old/New Business: none

Activities:

Jeanette : Red Racer Brewery Tour and dinner Oct 25th, Plans in place for Christmas partys Dec 12th Bradner Hall booked and Fraser & Dorothy will organize.

Other activities planned for. Giggledam theatre November 12th, December 9th center pieces for Christmas party at Jeanette's

Sunshine Person Report- Jean Clingwall John Decker doing much better at home recovering from heart surgery

Diane Hansen cancer free so great news all around.

Good of the Org.

Recognition of the work done by member Keith Jackman on behalf of the hobby (to follow).

-Ladies Breakfast, men's coffee at Clingwall's Oct 21st

Birthdays? Jeanette W.

Miller Time? Frank Nicolette polked fun at political candidates

Next Meeting Wednesday Nov 4th here at Agrec Gallery.

Adjourn: m Terry Johnson/s Jeanette Wright/c

Internet

Richard Heyman is doing a great job with our website. To access it go to the bar on top of the internet page and type in www.vccc.com , which should bring up the Vintage Car **Club of Canada website, then click on Chapters A-M and then onto Central Fraser** Valley. Work your way through the different headings. If you have something you would like to contribute or would like to see on the site, please contact Richard Heyman at richard.heyman@ufv.ca

Check the website, Richard updates it frequently, Otter Co-Op, May Tour pictures and Vintage Truck Fundraiser are on the site.

Interesting Auto Web Sites

Harrison Auto Events List	www.autoeventlist.com
Special Vehicle Association of BC	www.sva.bc.ca/
Vintage Car Club of Canada	www.vccc.com
Carnut Events list	www.carnut.ca/carevents.html

Good & Welfare

To read about Keith Jackman's award go to " GVMPS awards" and follow it through. I found the pictures very interesting, old motorcycle racers, Digney Speedway, and Drag Racing on Abbotsford Airstrip in 1956. Click on" Awards" and all the inductee's names will appear, double click a name and their accomplishments will appear. If you go to the pictures it will take you back thru local Motorsport history. If you have been in the car club world for any length of time you will know people on this site. Very Interesting..

John Decker is home from the hospital and on the mend.

Diane Hanson reports she is now cancer free..

Equipment Inventory

Over the years the club has purchased a variety of items like signs, canopies, coffee making equipment and many other things. We, the present executive, do not know what we own or where it is located. This would save us from making duplicate purchases and also, if anyone wanted to borrow something we would know who to talk to. I will attempt to create an equipment list and publish it monthly in the Crankshaft Journal so everyone knows what we own and how to access it. This will take a while to establish and I cannot do it without everyone's help. I will start the list and hopefully you can let me know if you have anything that belongs to the club.

You can contact me at earlsmith@telus.net or 604-864-9849

Gord Taylor	8 Fold up canopies, approx. 30 pink traffic vests, 14 traffic cones, 2 tent canopies, a 4'x4' coroplast with Vintage Car Club emblem, 12 sets magnetic chapter door signs, Road signs for Old Car Sunday, materials for lining park for Old Car Sunday.
Ken Pasaluko	Coffee making equipment
Frank Nicolette	2 PA Systems, picnic & beverage supplies (dishes, cutlery, cups, etc.)
Lois Wilson	Scrapbooks
Terry Johnson or Art Hoock	Photo albums, Rainy Day Book, Club trophies, awards, antique banner, etc
Leroy Clingwall	14 meeting room chairs
Stu Campbell	Valve cover race track
Rick Unger	2 vinyl Club Banners, coroplast VCC emblem, Screen. 50 green & yellow ribbons & pins purchased for the 2015 Tour.
Earl Smith	Laptop computer, left over May Tour Signs
Dorothy Field	Club Financial Records
Ron Eyben	Traffic vests

Tools or Expertise

You Would be Willing to Share

Name	Phone	Tools or Expertise
Bob Ferenczi	604-615-1908	Inspection Camera
Leroy Clingwall	604-859-4537	Engine Hoist, various pullers, (ask me)
Steve Paul	604-857-1011	4 ton engine hoist
Martyn Hough	604-756-3727	Whitworth Tools

Needs & Leads

Wanted

Rick Unger 604-854-3584 Old spark plugs for a Ford Flat head,
(just to keep the dirt out)

For Sale

Ken Pasaluko 604-864-7455 1976 Chev. Nova, 2dr Cabriolet
no rust, 6 cyl., 34500 original miles.. best offer
this is Ken's mothers car.

Ron Eyben 604-850-3726 1999 Wanderer Travel Trailer..\$7500. OBO

Hazel Coupland 604-850-6928 1992 Cadillac Fleetwood Sedan, 4.9 L V8
nice condition, 3rd owner, 98000 km,
\$5000.00 ..OBO

Upcoming Events

Oct 17thGovernor's Meeting in Merritt, Dorothy & Fraser will attend in Sue Schull's
absence.

Oct 25th tour of Red Racer Brewery on 128 th st in Surrey contact Jeanette Wright.

Dec 12th Kid's Christmas Party, Bradner Hall...talk to Jeanette Wright.

Dec 12th Club Christmas Party, Bradner Hall...Dorothy Field has tickets.

Ladies Breakfast

Ladies breakfast meeting will be held on Oct 21st at the Rickys (ABC) Restaurant on Marshall Road at 9:30 am. Any questions call Linda Lamb at 604-857-5018. All club ladies welcome.

Mens Coffee

Men's Coffee will be held on Oct 21st at the home of Jean & Leroy Clingwall with a 9:30 start.

VCCC Regalia available

Bumper Badges	\$15.00	Jacket Crest	\$5.00
Hat Crest.....	\$4.00	Lapel.....	\$4.00
Window Decal.....	\$1.00		
Bumper Badges.....	\$15.00	Bar Badge.....	\$3.00
Key Fob.....	\$3.00	Lapel Pin.....	\$2.00
Four piece Club set.....	\$20.00	Contact Ron or Pat Morris	

2015 Executive Committee

Club President	Rick Unger		
Vice President	Earl Smith		
Secretary	Donna Johnson		
Treasurer	Dorothy Field		
Governor	Susan Shull		
Directors	Leroy Clingwall	Ron Morris	Dave Penner
	Terry Johnson	Don Warren	Al Ganske
		Ian Newby	Tom Weibe
Vintage Car Reporter	Frank Nicolette		
Sunshine Person	Jean Clingwall		
Events and Activities	Leroy Clingwall		
	Jeanette Wright		
Refreshments	Ken Pasaluko		
Computer Liaisons	Richard Heyman		
Internal Communications	Earl Smith		
Country Car Show Chairman	John Jackman		
Membership	Ron & Pat Morris		
Entertainment / Guest Speakers	Ron Eyben		
Rent & Restoration	Cindy & Al Ganske		

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The Club meets on the first Wednesday each month at 7:30 PM in the Gallery Room, Ag-Rec. Building, 32470 Haida Drive, Abbotsford. No Formal meetings July & August. Visitors are welcome