



The Jaguar Club of Southern Colorado

Minutes of the January 13, 2011 meeting

The meeting was called to order by Larenda Hershey as Acting President Gary Kerkow had to depart early to attend to other obligations.

In attendance were: Dave and Larenda Hershey, Gary and Dee Kerkow, Duncan and Judy Burdick, Jeff and Kelly Lundholm, Carolyn McCaul, Roy and Angela Winton, Bill and ChungHee Snover, Tom and Donna Miller, Budd Butcher, Jim Cox, Keith Winton, Spencer and Kimberly (and daughter) Katalin, Thom Buckley and Don Yowell.

New members in attendance included Jim and Eileen Verhey, Billy Kyles and Al Thaut.

Old business:

Larenda announced that she had determined that if we change our meeting day from Tuesdays to Thursdays we would lose several members to other Thursday engagements. Don moved that we leave the meeting night on Tuesday – Angela W. seconded – carried by member vote.

Larenda turned the meeting over to Jim Verhey with the request for information regarding car museums, collections and events that would be of interest to our Club.

Jim presented a list of ideas for Club events (copy attached) and discussed each item with the Club. He suggested that if we want to get an appointment for a weekend visit (requires 50 visitors) that we might want to get with another club (i.e. the Porsche Club and the British Car Club) and that should provide adequate attendees to qualify for the visit.

Larenda announced that she, Gary and Don would attend the Saint Patrick's Day parade committee meeting on January 27. Clubs are usually allowed to participate on an every other year basis and that we should be able to participate this year. Jim Verhey announced that he would also be attending that meeting on the 27th.

Larenda made an inquiry of Jim (from a request by Gary K.) about a possible location to conduct a Slalom (with RMJC) here in Colorado Springs. Jim said that the Porsche Club uses the World Arena parking lot and that he would work with our Club in obtaining more information on that venue.

Larenda inquired of Spencer K. as to the status of the Pikes Peak Concours d'Elegance trophies. Spencer said that they were delayed but that they should be finished around the end of January. Larenda will notify RMJC of this information.

Thom gave a membership status report. If all present members renew, we'll have 38 members. Renewals are due by 31 January. Thom also stated that anyone buying a Jaguar will get the first year of membership in the Jaguar Club free.

Don announced that he has been researching a name for our Club newsletter and has found that "Through the Windscreen" is not currently being used by any other Jaguar Club listed on the JCNA website. Larenda polled the attendees as to whether they would like to conduct a contest within the Club to find a name or go with "Through the Windscreen". The attendees voted to go with "Through the Windscreen".

Treasurer's Report. Dave reported that the Club currently has \$3553.00 on hand.

Thom displayed the 75th Anniversary Edition of "Jaguar" magazine that has just been released. He presented each attending Club member with a copy.

Don announced that the 2011 Pikes Peak Concours d'Elegance has been sanctioned by Jaguar Clubs of North America.

The meeting was then turned over to discussion of the calendar of events for 2011.

Discussion covered such events as quarterly dinners, overnight events, such as a trip to the Gateway Museum/Resort south of Grand Junction, CO.

Several restaurants such as Marigolds (on Centennial Blvd), Paravicinis (28th & Colorado Avenue), South Side Johnny's, Fargo's, Biaggis, Walters, and Chopsticks were suggested for locations for meeting dinners.

Jim Verhey discussed the fact that the Porsche Club holds monthly dinner meetings and they are very successful and result in a good turnout of members.

Suggestions for demonstrations included Meguier's, SBG and Knowles Trim Shop.

The following preliminary schedule was developed for the winter and spring portion of the Club calendar.

February 15: A demonstration session by Meguiers with Knowles Trim Shop as a backup.

March: Saint Patrick's Day parade is March 12. Participation will be determined following the January 27 meeting with Parade officials. There is also a "New Car" show at the World Arena (Thom will be showing new Jaguars at this show) the same day.

March 15: Club dinner meeting at Marigold's Café and Bakery on Centennial Blvd. The time was set for 6:00 P.M. Don will make arrangements.

April 19. Regular club meeting at the dealership unless another event is scheduled prior to that date.

April 30 will be Spring Cleaning in the Jaguar Colorado Springs wash bay. Megquier's will be invited to provide demonstrations of their products at this event.

RMJC will be holding a Judges School either the 16th or the 23rd of April. Details forthcoming from RMJC.

RMJC will be conducting their Spring Dust-Off around the end of May. They will be holding a second Judges School that month.

May 17: A tour with a Club Pot Luck dinner at ReinCARnation. The meeting will be held in conjunction with this event. The group will meet at ReinCARnation at 6:00 P.M.

June 12 will the RMJC Cerebral Palsy Car show. Details to follow.

July will be the Rocky Mountain Jaguar Club Concours in Palmer Lake. The British Car Show and Highland Games at Highland Ranch will also be in July. Details will be presented in the JCSC Newsletter as they become available.

Spencer K. suggested checking into the Pikes Peak Wax Track Raceway in Black Forest as a fun event for the Club. Thom has information available and details will be in the January issue of "Through the Windscreen". The Club will consider this for an event at the next meeting. Thom suggested meeting at the dealership for light refreshments prior to driving to the Black Forest site.

Eileen Verhey said that if the Club was interested in visiting the Wolf Sanctuary (west of Woodland Park) that scheduling the trip with a full-moon evening would make it extremely interesting. Larenda checked the calendar for full moon dates.

The meeting was adjourned at 8:30 P.M.