Minutes JBCCC Meeting October 7, 2026

Meeting was called to order at 7:00 PM by Larry followed by the Pledge of Allegiance. 12 members were present. Judy gave the Treasurer's Report. Motion to accept the Treasurer Report was made by Harry Lewis, 2nd by Joe Barone. All were in favor, motion carried.

Treasurer's Report	**Balance Aug 31**	$ 13,168.71
	Total Deposits Sept	$ 608.00
	Expenses Sept	$ 631.11
	August balance	$ 13,145.60

Secretary's Report: Minutes from the September 2026 meeting were read by JoAnn Motion to accept the secretary's report was made by: Joe Curran, 2nd by Harry Lewis. All were in favor, motion carried.

As of October 7, 2026 we have 183 members. 164 members are paid and 19 members unpaid

Webmaster Report:

Debby reported all birthdays and emails are up to date. Minutes are on the web site. Debby gave Larry and JoAnn a list of members without access to information due to their emails not currently working in order to prepare for the Christmas party. Our last cruise is October 9th and the kitchen will be open at 3:30. The fire house is having their breakfast on Sunday, October 11th. CCTI Car Show and Open house is on Wednesday October 14. Lehighton Halloween parade is Saturday October 17th at 4 and Jim Thorpe Halloween parade is Saturday, October 24th at 2. We are registered for both. There will be a Veteran's Day parade on November 8th in Weatherly.

Lansford Alive got cancelled due to weather. Based on the events that followed regarding the Lansford Alive show, and the way it was handled, it was a Club decision to no longer participate in that event going forward.

Mrs. Bush's car cruise was great. Debby won the Chili cook off. It was a nice show and a nice venue. The proceeds of the cruise was donated to the West End Food Pantry. There were 10 chili pots to choose from. Larry spoke to Carrie about our Club attendance and asked if she would add to their flyer "Featuring the Jukebox Cruisers Car Club". She agreed to this and sent Larry a proof for next year's flyer with our Club name in bold print near the top of the flyer.

Steve is not here tonight but he is coming along. He was at Becky's car show and won a prize. There were 297 cars at Becky's. There was a Times News reporter at his car and wanted to do a story on him since he was a veteran and his car. We are waiting for the story to come out.

Howard is doing much better. Larry said he looked pretty good.

Debbie Curran is also doing much better. It was a very serious operation and she is improving daily and has a very long road ahead of her but she is very optimistic. Joe thanked everyone.

Things are going very well at the Firehouse. The Christmas party date is locked in thanks to Pat Rogers. We also have the menu locked in since we are keeping it the same as last year.
The Christmas party invitations are made up. The date is December 9, 2026. A sample was shown at the meeting. The invitation will be sent to members in good standing in an email blast

after the non-paid members are removed. Everything remains the same as far as the Pollyanna, and pet donations.

The Cruise Schedule is made up for next year based on the discussion at the last meeting. There are slight changes in order to avoid conflicts with other events. It will be sent to the printer shortly and printed in a bright neon color as previous schedules. The cruises are all set on Fridays. It was suggested to change the start time to 4:00 for the September cruise due to it getting dark earlier.

Larry spoke with Trey at length on the new web site. Larry told Trey to begin morphing the information from the existing web site to the new web site. Larry has a meeting set up with Trey for the week of October 19th. They will both be on a computer to finalize certain areas. Larry asked Trey to let him know when we are required to pay for the site and a payment to him. It was a very positive conversation. Larry told Trey he would like to have it up and running by the end of the year. Larry spoke to Trey about setting up a response email something like "info@jukeboxcruisers.org so then it would to that email and Larry can respond from that email instead of his personal email. It is more professional and polished. Trey said he can do that. JoAnne asked if the email addresses that do not work on the current web site will work on the new one. Trey will ultimately take over the web site. Larry and Debby will decide what needs to go on the new web site, it will be sent to Trey to upload to the new web site.

Larry said his goal is to have Zoom up and running by the end of the year. He wants to start next year with a bang.

We will work on the By-Laws by year-end. It will be re-vamped and policies that no longer apply will be removed.

We did very well at West Penn Archery Club. We got very good exposure.

Blocker's car show will be discussed in January. We will do a show as a place holder and it will be a prelude to their 80th anniversary show.

Butch Crooker won the September Fire House Best of Cruise metal plaque with his 1957 Chevy Belair.

We asked for any extra or unwanted door prizes from members to be donated back to the Club or if any member just wants to donate a door prize to the Club, feel free to do so. Larry will put out a separate email with this request. Larry stated this is a temporary stop gap since Steve is incapacitated at this time. Larry feels the Club is solvent enough to purchase the door prizes. He would also like to raise the value of the door prizes. Joe Barone suggested that maybe we have a grand door prize of car washes, detailing or something of that nature.

Since it is October, we have to do nominations of new officers. The existing officers stated they would like to stay in place. Joe Curran made a motion to keep the same slate of officers for next year, seconded by Harry Lewis, all were in favor, motion carried. Larry thanked everyone for their trust and confidence in the current board and promised to continue in that manner. Per the By-Laws, Larry closed the nominations. The Club will vote next month.

JoAnne asked Larry if he contacted any of the non-paid members yet because before we can send out the Christmas party invitation, we have to remove those names so they do not get an invitation in error. We would like to send the invitations out by October 30th. The cut-off to

respond will be November 30th.

New Members

Bertram & Karen Berk
Kunkletown, PA
Sponsored by Steve Berger

Motion was made by Harry Lewis to accept new members, seconded by Joe Curran, all were in favor, motion carried.

Sal LoPresti suggested at the last meeting to increase the donation to the Fire house so Judy suggested we add $500 to the Firehouse for this year. Frank Mertz made the motion to donate the additional $500 to the Fire house this year, seconded by Harry Louis and Joe Barone, all were in favor, (subject to good behavior), motion carried. Judy will give him the check at the last cruise.

Pat has all the details for decorations for the Christmas party. Maureen showed us a sample of the centerpiece for the tables. Her son is making them.

Dave Kost also suggested we send an additional $1,000 to Family Promise and Shepherd House. He is not here so it will be tabled until next month. We will need about $5000 through the end of the year so we are in a good position to increase the donations.

We will order some new Jukebox Cruisers gray hoodies to sell at the Christmas party.

With there being no further business Joe Curran made a motion to adjourn, seconded by Harry Lewis and Joe Barone, all were in favor, motion carried. Meeting closed at 8:30 PM