

## Minutes JBCCC Meeting July 10, 2024

Meeting was called to order at 7:00 PM by Larry followed by the Pledge of Allegiance. 19 members were present. Judy gave the Treasurer's Report. JoAnn's read the minutes from the previous meeting.

<b><u>Treasurer's Report:</u></b>	Previous Balance	\$6953.17
	Income	1576.20
	Expenses	669.01
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	<b>Balance</b>	<b>\$7860.36</b>

Motion to accept the treasurer's report made by:  
Tom Whiteley, 2<sup>nd</sup> by Joe Curran, Sr. & George Kunkel  
All were in favor, motion carried

**Secretary's Report:** Minutes from the June 2024 meeting were read  
Motion to accept the secretary's report made by:  
Joe Curran and 2<sup>nd</sup> by George Kunkel  
All were in favor, motion carried

### **Old Business:**

As of July 10, 2024 we have 156 members. 135 members paid and 21 members are unpaid. Members that have not paid by the end of June are being removed from the list. 99 Membership cards were mailed out after the June Cruise.

Steve mentioned that NAPA in Palmerton donated a bucket of items for our door prizes and asked members to patronize that store and let them know you are from the Jukebox Car Club. He is also working on membership.

Larry will get with Debby to make sure the computer is up to speed to start Zoom meetings.

Dave Curran is continuing to update our Facebook page.

Larry put out an email blast asking people to send pictures if they want their car on a future dash plaque. Joe stated that Dave does a great job with the dash plaques. The Club got 2 responses already. Joe Barone has a list of all cars that have been on a dash plaque since the year it was started. The list dates back many years.

Debby Kunkel brought us up to date on the Club website. She is still working with Tim to continue the transition. We are all very supportive of Debby. She is doing a great job. The minutes disappeared but they are back now. Larry will work with Debby to polish up a few things. The benefit car show being undertaken by us for Larissa is on Cruisefinders.com.

The bank has removed Howard as Treasurer and replaced him with Judy. Judy now has the ability to sign checks for the Club. All changes have been implemented at Mauch Chunk Bank.

The Car Show to benefit Larissa Barachie, scheduled for August 10 with a rain date of August 11 is on track. Dave Kost, Harry Lewis, Dave Curran and Joe Curran updated us on this event and stated that everything is under control and going well. Joe said they will need volunteers the day of the event. She is having surgery on July 25<sup>th</sup> so barring any unforeseen circumstance, Larissa is planning to be at the event with her car. She is very excited about it. An email blast along with the flyer will go out to encourage participation. Joe Barone commended these members for the work they are putting in for this event.

Larry spoke with Dale regarding the Tamaqua Car show featuring our Club. There is a Railway based event on August 24<sup>th</sup>. He will try to coordinate but we may have to select another date or postpone this event until next year.

Larry stated that the June Cruise was a tremendous success. There were 74 cars, the weather was beautiful, we did very well at the gate and with the 50/50. The Firehouse took charge of the food and we were told they made \$960 from the event even without dinners, just as Larry predicted.

Larry spoke with Mark, the new President of the Firehouse, 2 weeks before the June cruise and then again at the Cruise. He did a complete 180. He stated that he wanted to work with the Club to cultivate a good working relationship. Larry said the Marquee needs to be fixed and reinforced how important that is for advertising the Jukebox Cruisers. Larry reminded him that we have a verbal contract in place with a 10-year precedent of working with the Firehouse and holding our cruises there. We have flyers & emails with this venue on them. The two Presidents discussed several ideas of raising money and saving on costs. Whatever is decided must benefit for both the Club and the Firehouse.

The Christmas Party will be considered a separate event and the Club will have to vote on where they want to hold the event. The Firehouse will charge us \$150/hour for the Christmas Party and we will need 4 hours.

Larry spoke to Eileen at the Polk Twp Firehouse. He wants to keep that line of communication open just in case we have to change venues.

The invitation from Pat Rodgers to the Germantown Grove Club on August 31<sup>st</sup> is the start of Labor Day week-end. Everyone opted for the September 7<sup>th</sup> date instead. Larry will discuss with Pat.

### **New Business:**

#### **New Members:**

Nicholas Barnhart – Lehighton, PA  
Sponsored by Judy Turner

Michael & Karen Wimmer – Jim Thorpe, PA  
Sponsored by Steve Berger

Vincent Hunsicker – Lehighton, PA  
Sponsored by Steve Berger

Motion to accept new members was made by Dave Curran, 2<sup>nd</sup> by Tom Whiteley and Harry Lewis. All were in favor, motion carried.

We need to place another T-shirt order. We are very low on short sleeved shirts. Larry will talk to Harry after the meeting.

An email blast was sent out on June 24<sup>th</sup> requesting donations for the victims of the recent fire in Lehighton. We received \$300 so far and the Club will add to that and make a presentation to the families.

Dave Kost asked when we were going to start sending out donations for the year. Larry said we would get a list together at a future meeting and decide to whom and how much will be sent.

Harry Lewis mentioned that he was approached by Matt Boyer regarding an event featuring both the Jukebox Cruisers and the Pharaoh's car clubs. There was some discussion during the meeting and a motion was made by Harry Lewis and seconded by Steve Berger and unanimously passed by the members present not to participate in any event with the Pharaoh's. Harry can tell Matt that the membership voted against it.

Steve announced that we got an award of \$100 at the Palmerton Car Show for Club Participation for the second year in a row.

Nick Barnhart from Lehighton Ford attended the meeting and brought the flyers for the event "Paving Paths to Shelter" on August 17<sup>th</sup>. Our logo is on the flyer. He said they will need help with traffic control. There will be music and Doc will be the DJ. He said they can accommodate 100-150 cars. He left several flyers for the Club to distribute.

Joe Barone mentioned that we should consider having the Club's 25<sup>th</sup> Anniversary party next year at the Grove at Polk Twp Firehouse. Keep it in mind.

We received a letter from Family Promise asking for our donation again this year. They will be on our list of organizations for donations.

Dave Kost stated that CCTI is having an Open House on October 16<sup>th</sup> and asked if the Club would come around 4 PM with their cars to participate prior to the start of the event at 5. It sounds good and there was interest, bearing in mind that it gets dark earlier at that time of year. We will continue to discuss as the date nears.

With there being no further business, A motion was made by Joe Curran to adjourn, 2<sup>nd</sup> by Dave Curran & George Kunkel. All were in favor, motion carried. Meeting closed for business at 8:18 PM