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MINUTES OF October 14, 2026 C.S.R.A. MEETING

Sargent of arms: Johnny Chop
Secretaries report: Read and accepted
Treasurers report: Tom gave detailed report on Aug and Sept's income and expenses
Club House inside: Tv up and running. Repairs done in Mens' room.
Club House outside: Looking Good, need help moving some debris out back
Donations: $ 500 cap for new shirts for the NSRA Safety crew
CNN: Was a good night brought in some income
Bingo: Friday 16 th 6:30 pm
Awards banquet: November 28th need a head count by next meeting
Cars and Coffee: Oct 18 th
Poker Run: 10:30
Wrap up: OCT 25th
Fried Dough Nite: Oct 23 rd 6 PM
Website: Running good
Social Media: Up and running
Newsletter: Need content
Member Obligations: List of members not making commitments will be posted
Club apparel: Everything is in, needs to be sorted
Up coming events: Junk in the trunk Nov 1st
New Business: 60 th Anniv need to form a committee
Swap & Sell: Jerry V 50 " tv $500
Board Meeting: Oct 21st
50/50 Winners: Gloria Veronese and Steve Domorod

November Birthdays and Events

Jeanne Lathrop – 1st
Lise Couture – 2nd
Paul Cote – 3rd
Steve Borelli – 9th
Daun Luce – 10th
Gerri Wilkos – 13th
Cathy Hall – 13th
Hans Schwers – 19th
Adreionna Brown – 20th
Todd Cummings – 20th

Events

Junk in the Trunk – 1st
Cars and Coffee – 15th
Bingo – 6:00 pm on the 6th and 20th
Banquet – 28th

THE PREZ SEZ



Hi Everyone,

Our last big event for the season - the Wrap Up - was another great time! The weather was excellent, with no rain in sight. An added bonus about this event is our club's Toys for Tots collection. One attendee donated a brand new bike. Two guys donated money to buy some toys, which my wife will be purchasing. All the toys collected will be given to the US Marines at our banquet in November.

At the Wrap up Laura and I were able to drive our new car, a Gold Deuce Three Window. Our Deuce Coupe has been a complete ground up build that's taken two and a half years so far. While it is not completely finished, being able to now drive the car makes all the work worth the effort. Having it at our Wrap Up shows to those attending from outside our club that CSRA members are still busy building some great rides.

Another car built by a club member came out for the first time at our monthly Cars and Coffee. Steve Borrelli had his Rambler out for the Sunday get together. Steve has been working on his new ride for a while now, also building the car from the ground up. A couple of other members are building cars, so when Spring arrives next year there may be some more surprises for all to see.

Prior to the Wrap Up the Annual Poker Run took place. We visited the New England Motorcycle Museum in Vernon. The ride was great taking the low roads to Vernon from our club house. Amazingly the weather was actually nice as well. With so many rainy Sundays this year we lucked out once again. Thanks to Wayne Rydzy and crew for organizing another great Poker Run! This event continues to help us be a car club using our rides and enjoying the fun it brings.

Also, prior to the Wrap Up on Friday night our club chef Felix worked his magic serving Fried Dough to the large group attending. The finished fried dough was overflowing the large plates. I don't think very many tried eating two of them. A big Thanks to Felix and those who helped in and around the kitchen.

The Annual Awards banquet will be on Saturday November 28th. We are going to Nuzzo Farm located on Route 1 in Branford. Naturally we need a head count so anyone planning on attending are asked to let us know.

Ron

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Please submit news articles and club event photos to: NutmegMotorNews@yahoo.com

ANNOUNCEMENTS

---**CLUB APPAREL…**If there is an article of Ladies Apparel that you think would be a good addition to the Club Apparel Store please bring in a sample for the membership to consider and Dave to order with the club logo.

---**THANK YOU…**From Pat and John Jarish…"Thank you so much for the edible fruit arrangement. It was delicious and very much appreciated."

---**ELECTION BALLOTS**…Election ballots are due by November's meeting. If you did not receive a ballot by mail you can pick one up at the beginning of the meeting. See Rich Libassi.

---**CONGRATULATIONS!**... Jerry Augustine took a 2nd place in his division, (80 yo's), in the Empire State Building Run Up Oct. 6th. 356 out of 1000 applicants were chosen to run from all around the world. They raced from the ground floor to the 86th floor which is 1576 steps and Jerry made it in an impressive 29 min. 51 sec. In the 9 years that he has competed he has placed 2nd-5 times, 3rd-3 times, and 1st-once in his division. **WAY TO GO JERRY!!**



TID BITS FROM PREVIOUS NEWSLETTERS:

Rich Libassi - your "C.S.R.A. Historian" was nice enough to let us borrow all his previous Nutmeg Motor Newsletters. I will be taking bits and pieces from them and sharing them in each month's newsletter. Some things have changed, some remain the same! ~ Laura San Giovanni

2013:

- President: John Jarush
- Vice President: Tom Falconieri
- A representative from the Silver City Quarter Midget Club asked for help to run a car show in July.
- The Board ordered a new Swap Meet Trailer which should arrive in 8 – 10 weeks
- Greg Piesyna wants to have a Garage Night where members and friends can help each other on their projects. He is also starting an Early Risers Breakfast Cruise on the 3rd Sunday of the month. First one is in May.
- Building Chairman Ron San Giovanni reviewed a list of proposed improvements to the Club and grounds. The membership voted to get a new roof, pad for trailer, reseal driveway, crash proof fence in front, PA system, Gazebo or new roof over bocce court.
- We lost Ron D'Amato in April. He will be missed by all.
- Rick Sweezy was the high bidder on the old club trailer.
- We Hear: Somebody who drives a flathead powered belly tank took it for a spin (literally) in Ohio at over 170mph!
- At the annual meeting of the New England Air Museum Pete Bozzo was awarded a "Certificate of Appreciation" for his volunteer service to the museum.
- New Member: Tony Miceli, Rich Adams and Tom Searles. Pat Dagostino and Dick Esposito rejoined.
- Prospective Members: James Pepe and Paul Minore
- At the August meeting Wallingford Mayor William Dickinson was given a donation check for the Wallingford Fuel Bank

C.S.R.A. AWARDS BANQUET

@ Nuzzo's Farm
736 East Main Street
Branford, CT

Saturday November 28th

Doors open at 5:30pm

(No Early Birds Please)

Buffet Style Dinner



Please Bring A New Unwrapped Toy To be donated to the U.S. Marines!

Thank you!!!!