

CHAUTAUQUA COUNTY



CORVETTE CLUB

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President's Message

The message this month will focus on getting elections for our club back on track from the extensions used during the pandemic period. Most of you are aware of the clubs Board of Directors/Officers terms being extended during this time. However, all BOD members agreed to continue their terms until such time we could properly address the election cycles. On our last BOD meeting on 9-13-21 some of this was discussed, but it was not formally voted on by the membership as required in our By-Laws. The following is part of the minutes of that meeting that relates to the BOD elections. It was suggested and approved by the BOD at the meeting to adjust the terms for the Officers (President, Vice President, Treasurer and Secretary) by staggering them instead of having them all expire at the same time. With that in mind the following changes were approved by the BOD's, the Vice President and Treasurer in the same year with President and Secretary terms to be held the following year. Each pair of officers would be for a three-year term. The current By-Laws states that these terms are for a **two-year period and all officers' terms expired at the same time**. By staggering these four positions, we believe that it provides a more uniform election process and makes finding board members much easier. The Directorships will each remain a three-year term and elections will continue to be for one directorship position each year. The Directorship expiring this year is that of Ted Okerlund. At the November meeting we should have the names of three BOD members interested in supporting the club in these areas for the next three years. These positions are as follows, a Vice President and Treasurer and one Directorship. As noted, all these positions are for a three-year term. Below you will find an updated BOD election cycle for your review.

Officers.

President, Gary Baldensperger, now a three-year term ending in 2023

Vice President, Greg Paterniti, now a three-term ending in 2022

Treasurer, Andrea McLean, now a three-term ending in 2022

Co-Secretaries, Diane Paterniti and Robin Brown, now a three-year term ending 2023

NOTE: The change to a three-year term for all Officers, as approved by the BOD, will be voted on at the November meeting as required by the current BY-Laws.

Directors.

Ted Okerlund, a three-year term ending in 2022

Pat Deering, a three-year term ending in 2023

Diane Paterniti, a three-term ending in 2024

NOTE: Andy has sent out a notice for this year's Christmas Party for Friday December 16th at the Landmark Restaurant in Jamestown, NY. More details will follow, but mark this date down.

A reminder that our November meeting is on Thursday the 17th at 6:00 pm at the Lakewood Rod & Gun Club in Lakewood, NY. Remember to bring your name tags and if you would like to join other club members for dinner, prior to the meeting, let one of our corvette club members who is, also, a Lakewood Rod & Gun Club members know that you would like to have dinner prior to our meeting so they can get you in as their guest. Dinners start at 4:30 pm and they do not accept credit cards so plan accordingly.

Finally, Sandy and I would like to wish all the members and their families a very Blessed and Happy Thanksgiving.

Gary

Meeting Minutes Chautauqua County Corvette Club

Lakewood Rod and Gun Club

October 20, 2022

President, Gary Baldensperger called the meeting to order at 6:05 pm. 18 members and 1 guest attended.

Diane Paterniti, along with other members who attended, gave a brief overview of the Fall trip to the Upper Peninsula of Michigan. Five cars and 9 members made the 7 day trip. The weather was overcast and cool, but they had a great time!

Gary mentioned that it is getting too late in the season to plan any other cruises. Vic and Jane Anderson recently traveled to Benezette, PA to see the elk....no elk, but lots of Fall leaves!

Old Business: At a past meeting, the idea of purchasing identical colored club shirts was brought up. It was decided not to pursue this any further.

Gary is working on a change to our by-laws.

Director and Officer term expiration dates were discussed. Vice President, Secretary and Ted Okerlund's terms will expire in December, 2022; President and Treasurer will expire in December, 2023. Gene is researching the year Pat Deering's term expires.

Andy McLean discussed dates for the Christmas Party. The Landmark was booked on our original date choice of Saturday, December 3rd. Out of 3 other possibilities, we decided on Friday, December 16 for our Christmas Party in the Landmark banquet room.

New Business: Nominations for Officer and Directors need to be submitted to Gary prior to or at the November 17th meeting so voting can take place at the December 16th meeting.

Motion to adjourn by Robin, seconded by Greg, at 6:35 pm.

Respectfully submitted,

Diane Paterniti

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EVENTS

Nov 17- Thursday, Club meeting @ Rod & Gun

Dec 16 -Friday Christmas party at Landmark
Restaurant Jamestown, NY

BIRTHDAYS

Dee Trethewey - Coppla November 13

Ginny Sweet November 17

ANNIVERSARYS

Bill & pat Locke November 14

Vic & Jane Anderson November 27

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