

# Timber Cruisers Car Club Meeting

## May 9<sup>th</sup>

### Attendees

Mike & Corliss Howard	Dave & Tana McClay	Alan & Paula Fong
Jerry & Cindy Foster	John & Virginia Lackey	Mel & Sue Towne
Deb Rife	Ed & Dixie Lund	Steve & Karen Edmonds
Richard & Debby Comstock	Steve Oliver	Gary & Jan Koegler
Loyd Hoke	John & Deb Howard	Daniel Arroyo
Don & Christine McLean	Arlan & Mary Ann Miesner	Jim & Sally Coxen

### Call to Order

President, Richard Comstock, called the meeting to order at 6:00 pm.

### Minutes

Virginia moved and Deb Rife seconded that the meeting minutes from the April 11<sup>th</sup> meeting be approved as mailed. The motion passed.

### Financial Report

Treasurer, Paula Fong, reported that the club has a bank balance of \$7531.40.

### Old Business

Richard said that there are several members who have not paid. We will be dropping those members from our membership roster if they do not pay. He passed around a list of those who have not paid, asking for members to contact them to determine if they intend to pay.

Richard shared that four of our cars went to Stanfield. He said that it was actually a gathering, and not a car show with trophies. It was reported that there were seventy-two cars there. He also reported that we had twenty people attend the burger cruise to North Powder. Jim added that Vicky, the owner of the restaurant, was pleased that we were there. Highly successful!

Debby passed around the current membership list for members to update their information. She asked if members would like to have the updated list emailed to them, and it was decided this would be helpful.

## **New Business**

Jim announced that our next burger cruise outing will be to the Cove Drive In on Saturday, May 13<sup>th</sup>. We will meet at the Walmart parking lot and leave there at 11:30. Jim said that there will be two weeks between this and the next burger cruise.

Jim shared that the Dam Cruise will be Sunday, May 21<sup>st</sup>. He said that we need to bring our own food and a chair, meet at Gangloff Park to leave at 10:00 am and drive to McNary Dam Spillway Park.

Richard said the Elgin Car Show will be on June 17<sup>th</sup> and the Waitsburg Car Show on May 20<sup>th</sup>. He said that he will continue to forward updated lists as he receives them from the Hermiston Car Club.

## **Car Show**

Arlan said that he has taken car show posters to our sponsors, Main Street, the Chamber and Joe Beans. He passed around the rest of the posters for others to post. He will get 10 – 15 more if any member needs them. He also passed around a sign-up sheet for members' help at our car show.

Arlan also has information for the following car shows:

Ione – July 4<sup>th</sup>

Echo – May 27<sup>th</sup>

Joseph – August 25 & 26

Enterprise – August 19 – 20

He said we need our members to participate in these car shows.

Mary Ann said that she has talked with a person from Hampton Inn who may be able to give us a good deal on rooms for next year's car show. Arlan added that he has not heard back from Best Western about reduced rates for this year. He's told them that we may have to change our car show to just one day if room rates remain so high.

Cindy said that our Friday night dinner at Riverside Park will be catered by Island City Market this year. They will serve sandwiches and salad, iced tea and water.

Tana reported that the t-shirts are currently being made.

Arlan said we have just under 40 car show registrations so far.

Arlan then shared the horror story of a wheel falling off his Bel Air due to loose lug nuts. He urged everyone to check their lug nuts!!

## **Shop Talk**

The topic tonight is exterior and interior car care. Deb Rife said she has a ceramic coating on her car which she likes a lot. Richard uses Maguire's 105 and 205 buffing compound and sealant. He said that the buffing will take out most of the scratches in the clear coat. Jim Coxen could testify to that! Richard also uses Aluminum Nevr Dull on the aluminum and Hot Shine for the tires that makes them look flat black. Daniel added that the wet look on tires can cause cracking. Jim said he uses a Harley product to clean the headers.

Don asked about using California Dusters, and Daniel said that they scratch.

## **Adjourn**

There being no further business, Richard adjourned the meeting at 7:40.

**Our next meeting will be June 13<sup>th</sup> at Cock n Bull Restaurant. Dinner at 5:00 and meeting at 6:00.**