

The May 2018 monthly meeting of the Central New York Region of the Sports Car Club of America was called to order at 7:27 PM, Wednesday, May 9, 2018 8th at the American Legion in Liverpool, NY by Regional Executive Ed Leubner. Sixteen people were in attendance.

Ed Leubner made a motion to accept the minutes of the April meeting. The motion was seconded by Mick Levy and approved by unanimous voice vote.

Regional Executive's Report

R.E Ed Leubner was pleased to welcome Earl Hurlbut (Area 10 Director) to our May meeting.

Earl is a past R.E from the 1970's.

Please submit your articles for the Snarling Exhaust.

Assistant Regional Executive's Report

A.R.E. Mark Bizzozero July 15th show.

Treasurer's Report

Treasurer Jay Cartini reported we only spent \$98 for the month of April. Revenue was low but will increase as May unfolds. Please see the attached financial report.

Secretary's Report

Secretary Chris Whaley is back in attendance with nothing to report. Thanks for Mark filling in for me while I was MIA.

Activities Report

Activities Chair Chris Murphy was absent, and R.E. Ed Leubner supplied report. Summer Picnic / Car Show is scheduled for August 8th at Arrowhead Lodge. Tentative cost is \$10 per adult.

Autocross Report

Autocross Chair Scott Newton explained that the Autocross software has been updated to allow live timing and possibly will allow credit card sales. The first Autocross reported an accident with a fence at the Oswego County airport. We will be responsible for the cost to repair / replace that section.

RallyCross Report

RallyCross Chair James Quattro was absent. No Report.

Flagging and Communications Report

Mick Levy reported events are running in earnest at WGI.

Road Rally Report

Frank Beyer reported that May 19th an event is being held at Herkimer starting 10:30 with 1st car off about 11:00 am. See details on the Facebook pages.

Club Racing Report

Dave Cardillo was absent. No Report.

Membership Report

Membership Chair Andrew Beyer was not in attendance. R.E Ed Leubner reported membership anniversaries. Tim Riley - 20 yrs; Mark Bizzozero – 16 yrs; The Cartini Ladies – 12 yrs; Connor Hughes – 8 yrs; and Mark Mangicaro - 6 yrs. As of April, we have 174 members.

Old Business

There was a Street Survival event April 29th run by CNY PCA and held at Griffith Air Force base. 12 students with plenty of instruction. In October another event will be held at the same location. It was a well run event, everyone appeared to have a good time.

New Business

Guest Speaker Earl Hurlbut who started out as a CNY member and was our R.E in 1974. He noted a warehouse in Montour Falls holds a large collection of records, photos and regional documentation. Earl introduced his wife Judy.... He explained how Judy earned the trophy wife award. She handed out the champagne during an event in Florida where she spilled champagne all over herself. The rest of the day in the hot Florida sun we smelled of warm bubbly. When Earl retired he wanted to get back into racing but realized that GT racing was too expensive. So, he (with Judy's approval) became a Scrutineer. Then over the years he worked through the ranks to become the Area 10 Director. His goal during this swing of visiting area regions is to identify his potential future replacement. Earl detailed how hard our SCCA president is working to improve the club and its future. Earl made it clear that he is available to speak or help anytime. He can be reached via phone or email anytime.

No 50/50 raffle was held.

At 8:13 PM a motion was made by Jay Cartini to adjourn the meeting. The motion was seconded by Frank Beyer and passed unanimously.

Our next regular meeting will be held Wednesday, June 13th, 2018 at the American Legion in Liverpool, NY starting at 7:00PM.

Respectfully submitted by Chris Whaley.