

The monthly meeting of the Central New York Region of the Sports Car Club of America was called to order at 7:25PM, Wednesday, October, 10 2018 at the American Legion in Liverpool, NY by Regional Executive Ed Leubner. Twelve people were in attendance.

Minutes from the previous meeting have not yet been post to the website, so no motion was made regarding minutes.

Regional Executive's Report

Ed knows of a 1987 Porsche 944 for sale: white over maroon, owner is asking \$10K.

MDR team campaigned one of their Miata's in Calabogie last weekend and not only survived a tornado, but came in 4th in points.

Assistant Regional Executive's Report

No report.

Treasurer's Report

Treasurer Jay Cartini submitted a report (attached to e-mail) showing a September 1st opening balance of \$9,320.88. Monthly income of \$3,566.45 and expenses of \$771.16 resulted in a September 30th closing balance of \$12,116.17. Checks outstanding total \$939.55. Jay also noted that year to date we are up about \$1,000. Expenses and income for the next few months are expected to seasonally be on the low side.

Secretary's Report

Secretary Pro Tem Mark Mangicaro had no report.

Activities Report

No report.

Autocross Report

Autocross Chair Scott Newton reported Pineview events will require a few more course workers than initially anticipated because we need to use more cones than in our original design. Registration needs to be done in the main club house because all attendees are required to sign the track waiver in addition to our waiver. The track owners also like to collect e-mail address from participants. Everyone in attendance at our events, including track employees, needs to sign our waiver and wear our wristband.

Our Pineview membership is good through 2019. Our current agreement of a flat \$750 per event will no longer be offered after 2019. The 2020 rate will be \$500 per event plus \$50 PER CAR. We will need to decide next year if, and how, to continue running events there past 2019.

Scott is looking for suggestions for year-end trophies: 1-3 in class and Top 10 in PAX.

Autocross meetings have concluded for the year. We will pick them up again in either February or March of 2019.

Next year's autocross schedule will likely include 3 Pineview events, 3 Oswego County EVOC events, 2 SeAD events (Saturday and Sunday of the same weekend), and 1-2 out of region event(s). We are looking into possibly get into Hamilton College and/or Rome airbase lots as well.

RallyCross Report

Chris Murphy reported that approximately 6 CNY members attended the national event at Watkins Glen last weekend. Two weeks ago, we had 13 participants at Walczyks' farm. Our next rallycross event is scheduled for October 20th, also at Walczyk's farm.

Road Rally

Rally Chair Frank Beyer reported the course has been planned for November 3rd. Safety check will be next week. There was discussion about moving up the Facebook promotion to start very soon (and end earlier) and also to expand the geographic reach. Mark Mangicaro is going to take care of that. It was also discussed that having the event on Motorsports Reg would help more people see it as well.

Flagging and Communications Report

Mick Levy reported racing at WGI is done for the season.

Membership

R.E. Leubner reported Jon Coffin celebrates his 35th year as a member this month.

Old Business

None

New Business

Dennis made a motion that the SCCA take over TRSS because PCA rules require all drivers be licensed. Mark Bizzozero seconded the motion; it passed by unanimous voice vote. The next TRSS is scheduled for April 28, 2019 in Rome.

Rex will have a slate for elections soon. If you are interested in running for office contact Rex: 315-559-4859.

Mark Mangicaro has room in his newly constructed storage facility near Watkins Glen if anyone is looking for storage off season of their car, boat, or RV. Discounted rates for SCCA members are \$325 for a car, \$12 per foot for a trailer that can be moved to allow others to exit, and \$18 per foot for a large stationary vehicle.

No 50/50 raffle was held this month.

At 8:22PM a motion was made by Rex Franklin to adjourn the meeting; it was seconded by Mike Donofrio and passed unanimously by voice vote.

Our next meeting will be held Wednesday, November 14, 2018 at the American Legion in Liverpool at 7:00PM.

Respectfully submitted by Mark Mangicaro