

The November 2019 monthly meeting of the Central New York Region of the Sports Car Club of America was called to order at 7:04 PM, Wednesday, November 13, 2019, at the American Legion in Liverpool, NY by Regional Executive Ed Leubner. Twenty-three people were in attendance.

Ed Leubner made a motion to accept the minutes of the October meeting. The motion was seconded by Chris Whaley and approved by unanimous voice vote.

Regional Executive's Report
R.E Ed Leubner.

A National ballot post card was sent out for the By-laws updates and Area Director elections. The ballot return date has changed to November 22nd 2019.

SCCA uses track rabbit for online event registration. We have had conversations about using them and finding if this venue makes sense.

Don't forget...We are always looking for articles to publish in the Snarling Newsletter.

Assistant Regional Executive's Report
A.R.E. Mark Bizzozero. Mark has a new autocross car. It's a 1999 Miata.

Treasurer's Report
Treasurer Jay Cartini: Jay reported October is traditionally a poor month due to low income from events. The down payment to Dinosaur BBQ has been paid.

Secretary's Report
Secretary Chris Whaley: My candidacy paperwork was misplaced by National in-regards to the Area 10 Director position. Thus, Chuck Dobbs Jr will be our Area 10 representative for the next 3 yrs. I will give it a try again when Chucks first term runs out.

Activities Report
Activities Chair Chris Murphy: Chris said the year-end banquet is being held at Dinosaur BBQ, January 26th 2020, 5 pm to 8 pm. We will have the BBQ trifecta again... Come join us and enjoy the talk and food. The cost stays the same as last year. It is not cost effective to add appetizers. We will hold presale tickets until January 15th.

Solo Report
Solo Chair Scott Newton. Scott was absent so no report.

Rally Cross Report
Rally Cross Chair Billy Meade. Billy Meade reported the two-day event was an amazing course. 16 people for Saturday with the farthest coming from Boston. With heavy rain during the night only 5 people stayed, the rain made the track very messy... It was called due to weather.

Flagging and Communications Report

Flagging & Communications Chair Mick Levy. Mick reported that this year's run offs the most amazing that he has ever seen.

Road Rally Report

Road Rally Chair Frank Beyer. Frank reported that the Finger Lakes Region will have a beginner's event that starts at 3:31 this Saturday, November 16th 2019 in Ontario. Their winter series starts the first week of January this season with the 1st in January.

Club Racing Report

Club Racing Chair Dave Cardillo. Dave was absent. No Report.

Membership Report

Membership Chair Andrew Beyer. Andrew reported that we have 184 current members. We have lost a few, so we will call them to see what happened.

R.E Ed Leubner reported membership anniversaries.

- Bob Baechle 54 yrs
- John D'Addario 14 yrs
- Billy Meade 1 yrs

Old Business

LC Motorsports still needs to supply graphics and payment. Burdick still needs to supply their logo as well.

Last month we discussed putting a Track day (DE) event together. National would have to conduct a safety review of Pine view by Fred Brinkel the Executive Steward, northeast division.

We are looking for new walkie talkies for the Solo group.

New Business

Rex Franklin made a motion to nominate / elect the current sitting slate of Officers for another term. The motion was seconded and approved by unanimous voice vote.

CNY Ice Racing is rebranding its program to be time trail based and looking to offer events for the CNY SCCA club. They are developing the rules to follow some Rally Cross / solo rules.

The 50/50 raffle was not held.

At 8:15 PM a motion was made by Rex Franklin to adjourn the meeting. The motion was passed unanimously.

Our next regular meeting will be held Wednesday, December, 11th, 2019 at the American Legion in Liverpool, NY at 7:00 pm

Respectfully submitted by Chris Whaley