

*Long Island Vettes, Ltd.*  
Membership Meeting  
July 1<sup>st</sup>, 2013

**Meeting begun:** 7:30 PM

**Board Members in attendance:**

Lou Coccato – President  
Ted Kalolekas – Vice President  
Douglas Brooks – Treasurer  
Carol Kalolekas – Membership Secretary  
Louis Trohatos – General Secretary  
Art Donnelly – Events Committee  
Joe Opatovsky – Events Committee  
Mark Tulley – Judging Coordinator

**Board Members not in attendance:**

Philip Kostis – Events Committee

**Members in attendance:** 23

**New Members:** 0

**Guests in attendance:** 0

**Pledge of Allegiance recited**

**50/50**

Tony Zappia sold; raised \$55  
Mark Tulley won \$50

**Coffee & Snacks**

Thanks to Al & Georgette Roscoe for providing coffee and snacks.

**Last month's meeting minutes**

A motion was passed to waive the prior month's minutes.

**Merchandise for sale**

None at this time

**Past Events & Activities**

1. **June 9<sup>th</sup>** – Road Rally - Ted Kalolekas and Doug Brooks chaired a time/mileage/accuracy road rally. Winners (top three positions): (1) Bill Hermanek, (2) Tony Zappia, and (3) Tom Larson.

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#### Officers' Reports

##### **President's Report**

- The upcoming Vanderbilt show was discussed. Mark commented that we've handed out hundreds of flyers. We are only having a 50/50 that day (no baskets or other prizes). The Vanderbilt Museum has arranged for a food truck to be available for lunch. Al and Georgette will provide coffee and donuts for the workers and band. Art will have coffee and bagels for sale to entrants and spectators. (Post-meeting note: the Board decided against selling breakfast items so as not to risk losing money given inability to predict attendance.)
- Support the advertisers in the newsletter - let them know you saw their ad there!
- We need more support from members for future events, shows, etc.
- We are continuing to collect non-perishable food items, paper products, as well as other personal need items for the Long Island Cares food bank.

##### **Vice President's Report**

- Ted and Art both described options relating to merchandise (shirts and hats). Mark Tolley modeled an old LIV hat and shirt for demo purposes.
- Possible additional road rally in the Fall - maybe to the East End.
- Possible bowling night in Bay Shore or East Islip. It would likely be a Friday night at 8 PM.

##### **Treasurer's Report – Doug Brooks**

\$857.91	Opening Balance
\$1,174.19	Ending Balance

- Suggested a possible scavenger hunt event where drivers need to follow a route and gather items at set locations along the way.
- Suggested a high-end go-carting experience based on one attended by son Craig recently in Mt. Kisco, NY (Grand Prix New York), which included a buffet, wine and beer for something like \$110 per person.

##### **Membership Secretary's Report – Carol Kalolekas**

- July's Birthday: Vin Anzelone.

##### **Judging Coordinator's Report – Mark Tolley**

- None at this time

#### Upcoming Events & Activities

1. **July 7<sup>th</sup>** – Vanderbilt Show (Lou will try to book the date, with July 21<sup>st</sup> as a back-up, however, the latter interferes with the NCRS National).
2. **July 28<sup>th</sup>** – Annual Picnic at the home of the Roscoes in Coram (Rain Date: August 11<sup>th</sup>) - 10 AM
3. **August 22<sup>nd</sup>-25<sup>th</sup>** – Corvettes at Carlisle (Chairperson - Art; Saturday night dinner at the Rustic Tavern pending)
4. **November 3<sup>rd</sup>** – Laurel Lake Winery Cruise with the Metro LI Chapter, NCRS for the benefit of the Long Island State Veterans Home on the campus of Stony Brook University; Laurel, NY
5. **January 2014** – Post-holiday party (Carol K. volunteered to investigate some options; currently looking at Domenico's at 3270 Hempstead Turnpike, Levittown, NY 11756)

#### Other Non-Club Events

1. **Sunday Morning Meeting Place** – 454 Grill, at 88 Veterans Memorial Highway, Commack, NY 11725 (631) 499-4454, has replaced the Oaktree/Captree beach Sunday morning meeting

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places, which were ravaged by Storm Sandy. (On 454, just east of the Sunken Meadow Parkway, in the King Kullen Plaza, which also contains a Sports Authority.)

2. **June 4<sup>th</sup>** – The NOR'EASTER Band performing at Oyster Bay cruise night, Audrey Avenue, Oyster Bay, NY
3. **June 16<sup>th</sup>** – Fathers Day Car Show to benefit the Nassau County Sheriff Officers Widow's and Childrens Fund, Merrick LIRR Train Station, Merrick, NY
4. **June 24<sup>th</sup>** – Waterfront Car Show in Morgan Park, Glen Cove, NY
5. **July 6<sup>th</sup>** – American Le Mans Northeast Grand Prix Car Corrals 2013, Lime Rock Park, Lakeville, CT
6. **July 13<sup>th</sup> - September 1<sup>st</sup>** – Saturdays & Sundays - The Ward Melville Heritage Organization in Stoney Brook Village will be holding a summer exhibit celebrating Long Island's car and racing heritage. In planning stage as there is nothing on their website yet ([www.wmho.org](http://www.wmho.org)).
7. **July 18<sup>th</sup> - 21<sup>st</sup>** – Road Tour to the NCRS National Convention in Hampton, VA
8. **July 21<sup>st</sup> - 26<sup>th</sup>** – NCRS National Convention in Hampton, VA
9. **August 4<sup>th</sup>** – Classic Car Display at The Arbors Assisted Living Community, Islandia, NY - 11 AM
10. **September 8<sup>th</sup>** – LI Cruizin' For A Cure car show, Hicksville, NY  
(Rods, Customs, Muscle, and Classic Specialty Vehicles, Motorcycles, and Antique Fire Apparatus) to support free Prostate Cancer Testing and Education on Long Island (free PSA screenings will be available at the show). (\$20 car entry fee / \$25 day-of-show) Contact Sandy Kane at 888-LICRUIZ or [info@licruzinforacure.com](mailto:info@licruzinforacure.com) for more information. Mark Tolley will reserve some spaces for us; Lou will man an AutoQuip Sales Inc. display.
11. **October 5<sup>th</sup>-6<sup>th</sup>** – Metro LI Judging School and Judged Meet (Wehrmann Engineering, Hauppauge, NY)

**Miscellaneous**

1. Art Donnelly will have info on available at the Vanderbilt regarding rooms at Hotel Carlisle during Corvettes at Carlisle (# of rooms, price, etc.).
2. Greg Picconi was recently appointed NCRS National 1953-1955 (Judging) Team Leader.

**Open Discussion**

Nothing to report

**Next regular meeting:** August 5<sup>th</sup>, 2013

**Motion to adjourn:** 8:40 PM