



# LIV Meeting Minutes

## June 2, 2016

Meeting opened at 7:30pm with the Pledge of Allegiance to the Flag.

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### OPENING COMMENTS FOR CURRENT BUSINESS

Steve welcomed everyone to the meeting.

He also reminded the group that flyers for upcoming shows and the event calendar are available at the BOD table.

Bill Bergersen who owns a 2005, Ray Bottiglieri who owns a 1981, Victor Pandolfi who owns a 1997 and a 2014 and Diane Steele who owns a 1966 sting ray and a 2010 Grand Sport corvette were introduced as new members for this month. Thanks to John and Mary for their efforts to bring and set up refreshments for each meeting. Thanks to Rich Fingerhut for his continual work in gathering information and updating the LIV website.

Craig Brooks collected for the 50/50 during the meeting.

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### OFFICER'S REPORTS

President - Steve Daidone - current agenda to be discussed in detail.

Vice President – Mike Comparetto – Mike was not in attendance due to being on vacation in Florida.

In his absence Steve reviewed the current status for this year's July 10<sup>th</sup> BFCU SHOW. Mike is chairing the show with continued assistance and support from Joe Greco and other club members. More and more vendors and sponsors are being added to participate in the show. Contributions are progressing. Vendor contributions go to the Last Hope charity. Steve asked the members to inform Mike and any of the other BOD members if there are any new vendors/sponsors that may want to participate in the event. Steve requested everyone to consider volunteering for event assignments. Help is required for all positions including vendor and car parking, judging, garbage patrol, merchandise, tabulating judging results and the overall coordinating of all activities.

Merchandise update – No update for the month.

Treasurer – Tony Sorrentino had arrived late to the meeting due to a family commitment. Steve briefly reviewed the current financial status for the month of May period. The opening May 1<sup>st</sup> balance was \$11,848. Cash deposits from membership fees, 50/50, and petty cash less current monthly expenses brought the new monthly ending balance to \$12,464.

Membership Secretary – Louis Trohatos announced that the current membership for the club is at 82 members for this month. The following birthdays were announced:

Richard Klein	June 2
Craig Brooks	June 5
Andrew Athanas	June 15
Louis Trohatos	May 16
Ray Botiglieri	June 15
Billy Lomnicki	June 17
Michael Steele	Jun 26
Richard Fingerhut	June 27

General Secretary – Tony Savino – the reading of the minutes for the May meeting was waived.

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## NEW BUSINESS

- 1) Everyone was asked and acknowledged that they were receiving emails. The response was positive.
- 2) A plan for the 2016 holiday party is being developed to achieve the best cost, good food, efficient service and appropriate space accommodations. La Piazza in Merrick is being seriously considered. It is anticipated that a plan will be accomplished by the June/2016 period.
- 3) Steve informed the membership that he was made aware that Rich Klein is seriously ill. He will follow up with more details when they become available.
- 4) Steve reminded members that everyone who is interested in utilizing the magazines at the magazine table, that they are available.

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## PROPOSED EVENTS FOR 2016

- 1) January 9<sup>th</sup> (Saturday) – La Famiglia Restaurant
- 2) February 21<sup>st</sup> (Saturday) – Valentine's Day Brunch at Giorgio's Restaurant
- 3) February 27<sup>th</sup> (Saturday) Atlantic City Classic Cars Auction and Car Show
- 4) April 10<sup>th</sup> (Sunday) - American Racing Header/JTM tech session
- 5) April 17<sup>th</sup> (Sunday) - Long Island Detailers event in Farmingdale
- 6) May 1<sup>st</sup> (Sunday) – LI Metro NCRS Spring Meet
- 7) May 14<sup>th</sup> (Saturday) – Newsday Field of Dreams
- 8) May 15<sup>th</sup> (Sunday) – LI GTO Club Car-BQ Show
- 9) Paul's Rods & Restoration – Tech Session (date to be determined)
- 10) R&R Seats – Tech session (date to be determined)

- 11) Trip to Callaway in Connecticut. Possible June date.
- 12) June 25<sup>th</sup> (Saturday) – Barrett Jackson in Connecticut at the Mohegan Sun in Uncasville, CT. Attendance was to be in collaboration with the LICOA bus, however due to there not being enough members from both clubs to attend, the bus was cancelled. Minimal interest.
- 13) June 26<sup>th</sup> (Sunday) – Morgan Park Display
- 14) July 10<sup>th</sup> (Sunday) - BPCU (LIV Event) Show (July 17<sup>th</sup> rain date)
- 15) August 7<sup>th</sup> (Sunday) – LI Vettes Picnic at Wantagh Park. There will be a \$10 fee. Suffolk County residents will be reimbursed by the club.
- 16) Fishing trip – summertime period. Captree being considered. Asking for volunteers.
- 17) Photo shoot at Jones Beach. There is no approval from the Town of Brookhaven however other possible beaches being considered include Venetian Shores, Cedar Beach, Overlook Beach, Tanners Park. More details to follow. Date to be determined. Phil Kostas will coordinate if an event can be arranged.
- 18) Riverhead Raceway – Rich Fingerhut to chair and determine availability. Possible schedule date on August 13<sup>th</sup> – Elvis night at \$30 per person.
- 19) August 25<sup>th</sup> – 28<sup>th</sup> (Sunday) – Corvettes at Carlisle PA, LIV club event
- 20) September 18<sup>th</sup> (Sunday) - Cruise for a Cure at Sears parking lot in Hicksville
- 21) September 24<sup>th</sup> – 25<sup>th</sup> (Saturday/Sunday) - 2016 Mangano Vette Show at Eisenhower Park – LIV to offer to be a sponsor, LIV cruise to show to be organized
- 22) November 6<sup>th</sup> (Sunday) – North Fork Wine Cruise
- 23) Long Island Poor House Route 112, Port Jefferson Station - being considered, date to be determined.
- 24) 2016 Holiday Dinner – La Piazza in Merrick is seriously being considered. Date to be determined.

Steve also reminded everyone about visiting Captree on Sunday mornings. It's a fun event.

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TECH TIPS – Steve suggested a method to remove rust using white vinegar and water. The 50/50 was collected by Craig Brooks for this month's meeting. \$65 was collected for the winner, who was A. Guasto. Approximately 50 people were in attendance for this month's meeting.

#### Next Meeting:

July 7, 2016 at the Bethpage Public Library starting at 7:30pm.  
Meeting adjourned 9:00pm

Tony Savino  
General Secretary