

Long Island Vettes, Ltd.

Membership Meeting
September 16th, 2013

Meeting begun: 7:36 PM

Board Members in attendance:

Lou Coccoaro – President
Ted Kalolekas – Vice President
Douglas Brooks – Treasurer
Carol Kalolekas – Membership Secretary
Louis Trohatos – General Secretary
Art Donnelly – Events Committee
Philip Kostis – Events Committee
Mark Tulley – Judging Coordinator
Rich Fingerhut - Webmaster/Historian

Board Members not in attendance:

Joe Opatovsky – Events Committee

Members in attendance: 22

New Members: 0

Guests in attendance: 0

Pledge of Allegiance recited

50/50

Tony Zappia sold; raised \$50
Marty Fingerhut 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

Ted has shirts for sale (white; \$15, xxl \$18)

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Past Events & Activities

1. **August 11th** (due to July 28th rain postponement) – Annual Picnic at the home of the Roscoes in Coram; Lou, Al, and Georgette discussed. We had perfect weather, the food was great, and everyone had a great time.
2. **August 22nd-25th** – Corvettes at Carlisle (Chairperson - Art); Saturday night dinner at the Rustic Tavern; Art and Bill H. generously split the cost of the snacks from proceeds of their sales. Lou mentioned that the club's spots have been reserved for next year.
3. **September 8th** – 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-LICRUZ or info@licruizinforacure.com for more information. Lou manned an AutoQuip Sales Inc. display. Mark Tulley mentioned there were over 600 cars.

Officers' Reports

President's Report

- The Kalolekas and Brooks both celebrated their 40th year wedding anniversaries.

Vice President's Report

- Possible bowling night in Babylon or Woodmere (Ted and Doug investigating); Lou and Ted discussed bowling packages that include two hours of free bowling and food (pizza or heros).

Treasurer's Report – Doug Brooks

\$2,085.93 Opening Balance *

\$2,502.44 Ending Balance *

* - Pending reconciliation of bank account.

Membership Secretary's Report – Carol Kalolekas

- September Birthdays: Phil Kostis, Robert Koff, Richard Boodman, and Harry Fedoryk.

Judging Coordinator's Report – Mark Tulley

- None at this time

Webmaster/Historian – Rich Fingerhut

- None at this time

2013 Election Activities

Per election rules, nominations were submitted in writing, anonymously, from members in attendance. Below are the nominees and the positions they have agreed to run for (crossed out are positions nominated for but declined):

Ted Kalolekas - President, ~~Vice President~~

Craig Brooks - Vice President, ~~General Secretary~~

~~Greg Piccone – Vice President~~

Doug Brooks - Treasurer

Carol Kalolekas - Membership Secretary, ~~President~~

Louis Trohatos - Membership Secretary, ~~General Secretary~~

~~Bob Cabana – General Secretary~~ (Not in attendance - contacted by Louis T. afterwards.)

Elections are to take place at the November meeting

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Upcoming Events & Activities

1. **October 20th** – Road Rally - Ted Kalolekas, Doug Brooks, and Rich F. are chairing a time/mileage/accuracy road rally (with one checkpoint), in eastern Long Island, ending at a restaurant; entry fee \$20; special food deal at restaurant: \$12 per person (cash) for a choice from five menu items (cash bar available also).
2. **November 3rd** – 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
3. **January 4th, 2014** (7:30 PM) – Post-holiday party (Mark and Doug investigating); Domenico's at 3270 Hempstead Turnpike, Levittown, NY 11756; Party Menu No. 1: \$35 per person for table appetizers, and choice from two salads and six entrees, followed by coffee or tea, and cake; unlimited sodas included (cash bar available, also).
4. **February 16th, 2014** – Valentine's Day Brunch at Giorgio's at Fox Hill; 100 Fox Hill Dr, Calverton, NY 11933 (Phil and Carol to chair); \$32 per person.
5. **July 20th, 2014**– Vanderbilt Show (Art to chair).

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 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. **July 13th - September 1st** – 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).
3. **September 22nd** (8 AM - 4 PM) – New York Autofest - 3rd Annual Hicksville Co#4 Fire Department Car Show & BBQ Cook-off in Cantiague Park in Hicksville (email co4cookoff@optonline.net for more info).
4. **October 5th-6th** – Metro LI Judging School (Vintage Automotive Restorations, Hicksville, NY) and Judged Meet (Wehrmann Engineering, Hauppauge, NY).
5. **October 12th** (12 PM - 12 AM) – Rat Rod Rockabilly Car Show by Bethpage Central Park Kiwanis at Bethpage LIRR parking lot on Stewart Avenue; live bands, food, drinks, games, prizes; \$10 donation (under 12 free); call 646-750-4951 for more info.
6. **October 13th** (9 AM - 5 PM) – New York Autofest - A car show at Sachem East High School in Farmingville, to benefit the Sachem Arrows Marching Band (www.nyautofest.com).

Miscellaneous

1. Mark T. mentioned that Chris Mazzilli, Metro-LI NCRS member, owns the Gotham Comedy Club in NYC (208 West 23rd Street between Seventh and Eighth Avenues in Chelsea), and if we are interested, we could arrange for a social outing there.

Open Discussion

Nothing to report

Next regular meeting: October 7th, 2013

Motion to adjourn: 8:52 PM