Music City Miata Club, Inc.

Minutes of Monthly Meeting

February 5, 2022

Sportsman’s Grille at Cool Springs

The regular monthly meeting of the Music City Miata Club was held February 5, 2022, at The Sportsman’s Grille at Cool Springs with eighteen members attending.

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Board present:  President David Gauvin, VP & President Elect Devron Steele, Events Coordinator Chuck Wright, Historian Dorothy Gauvin, Membership Coordinator Lou Ann Steel, and Secretary Stephanie Tankersley. Past President Jerry Hammock, Communications Director Denny Rowlett, and Treasurer Paige Hamrick were absent.

President David Gauvin called the meeting to order at 12:30 p.m.

David asked for a motion to approve December’s month's minutes.  Phil Matisak made a motion to approve the minutes of the December meeting as posted on the website.  David Gauvin made the second.  Motion was approved by all.

Door prize drawing winner was Stephanie Tankersley.

Finance:  Paige Hamrick was absent so the January Monthly Financial Report will be reported in the February Minutes.

Membership:  Lou Ann Steel reported that currently we are at 113 paid members. Reminder that renewals are due for 2022.

New Members: We welcome Robert Smith who has a 2021 Red Grand Touring Miata.

Events Coordinator Chuck Wright reported past and future events:

Past Events:

December 10-Christmas tour of the Tennessee Governor’s Mansion was led by Denny and Cheryl Rowlett. As always this is a beautiful event and ended with a delicious lunch at Tupelo Honey Café in Franklin, TN. Several also indulged in some Christmas shopping afterwards in the Cool Springs area.

December 19-Music City Miata Club Christmas Party was held at Maggiano’s. We had about 50 members and the food and entertainment were fabulous.

New Year’s Day 2022-Dragron Rests Potluck and Shooting by Greg Johnson.

Upcoming Events:

February 5- Nashville Cars & Coffee (Cool Springs)/Monthly Members Meeting at Sportsman’s Grille

* Cars & Coffee to be held from 8 - 10 a.m. at the Thoroughbred Cinemas parking lot in Cool Springs.  Please email David Gauvin for him to save spots if you are planning on attending. Monthly Miata meeting will be held immediately afterwards at the Sportsman’s Grille, Franklin, TN.

February 12-Valentine’s Sweetie Run and dinner will be organized by Laura Key again. The dinner will be at The Bull and Thistle Pub in Gainesboro, TN and there is approximately a 30–35 person limit. Please get your RSVP in quickly. David and Dorothy will be leading the group on some back roads prior to dinner. More details will be in the email.

February 13- Annual Super Bowl party hosted by Lois and Phil Matisak. BBQ for lunch.

Additional Trips in the works:

Autocross on Sundays-March 6th is the first event of the MCMC/TRSCCA Autocross Test and Tune.

New Orleans Trip in April.

Cornbread Festival led by The Herndons in April.

National Banana Pudding Festival in April.

Unionville Drag Races led by The Herndons.

June 11-Annal Fish Fry at The Herndon’s house and movie night.

August 4-7-MATG overnight trip.

Another great member’s shooting range day at Greg Johnson’s Dragon’s Rest with some fabulous food in September.

Fall Foliage/Bourbon Trail Overnight trip in October.

Vice President/President Elect:  Devron Steele noted that there was an extra helmet to share for auto crossing to test with to see if you want to autocross.

Communications:  Denny Rowlett was absent.

Historian:  Dorothy Gauvin had nothing to report.

Secretary: Stephanie Tankersley had nothing to report.

Past-President:  Jerry Hammock was absent.

Merchandise: Lois Matisak had nothing to report.

Web Meister Phil Matisak had nothing to report.

New Business:  None

Betty Ann Brewer sent a thank you card to the Club.

Cynthia Halpin had surgery and is having some complications.

David asked for a motion to adjourn. Lois Matisak made the motion; Mike Yarber second; all approved. Meeting was adjourned at 12:50p.m.

Respectfully submitted,

Stephanie Tankersley

Recording Secretary