

Northstar Chevelle Club June 23, 2010 Meeting Minutes

On Wednesday evening, June 23, 2010 the meeting of the Northstar Chevelle Club was held at Davanni's in Eden Prairie, MN.

The meeting was called to order @ 7:05 by club president Bryan Flatter. Bryan recognized the group and asked if any others were known to be attending, Dave was on his way. Including Dave, there were 8 attendees.

The next item was old business. The low turnout was mentioned again, with suggestion being made to move farther north since all but one member present, plus several other regular attendees, would be coming from farther north. It was decided, and agreed by all in attendance, that the meeting location should change. Several locations were suggested, and Fuddrucker's off 394 and Louisiana was chosen for it's easily accessible location as well as being friendly to car clubs since they host an event every 2nd Sunday of the month. Bryan said he would check availability and schedule space there for the next meeting.

Bryan opened discussion about the upcoming North St Paul cruise that will feature the club that night. Details about parking and club responsibilities were read from the History Cruiser's website, and then discussed. The next topic was the upcoming Car Craft show on July 17-19. There was some concern brought about regarding securing our past location. Last month, the club was notified that our usual space near Giggle's Campfire might not be available. Bryan read excerpts from an email he received since that time saying there was an offering from another club to share that space so we could continue to be a prominent feature on the main cruise circuit. Alternate spaces were discussed including a previous spot we had used near the grandstands or possibly even in the open center parking space between the 2 main stretches of the cruising roads. Club Member Craig has volunteered to secure our space the Thursday before the show and will be reporting back as to our location at that time. When known, that location will be posted on the website.

Next discussion was regarding the club calendar planning. Bryan said he had gathered some cards from businesses at Back to the '50s, and would continue to do so at Car Craft. He presented a partial list of potential advertisers. Advertising fees were discussed, and Bryan proposed \$50 for website advertising and \$25 for calendar advertising.

Bryan reported the club checking account balance to be approximately \$3300 based on last month's balance and the only expense being the website.

Last order of business was a short discussion of a cruise in August. Bryan mentioned that Unique Auto Sales in Mankato had showed interest in being a destination for a club cruise. Bryan suggested a route meeting at Mystic lake, then going down hwy 13 south to 99 west to St Peter, then south on 22 into Mankato, The return trip would go east into Fairbault and up either hwy 61 or Cty 3 through Rosemount. John D suggested someone driving the route prior to find any road construction or other hazards that would come about.

At 8:55, Bryan asked about any other business. Hearing none, the meeting was adjourned.