



## **TVCC NEWSLETTER - DECEMBER 2008**

### **IMPORTANT DECEMBER DATES:**

**SUNDAY, DECEMBER 7: TVCC'S CHRISTMAS PARTY AND DINNER**

**Hosts: Henry and Mae Allarie**

**Time: 5:00 p.m. - ?**

**More information following in this newsletter.**

**SATURDAY, DECEMBER 13: SIGGY'S CRUISE NIGHT/TOYS FOR TOTS**

**More info following in this newsletter.**

**THURSDAY, DECEMBER 25: **MERRY CHRISTMAS AND HAPPY HOLIDAYS!****

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### **THE PRESIDENT'S CORNER: *ALPHY'S NOTES***

**BY: Alphy Norman**

First of all, I want to wish everyone a Merry Christmas! With the year coming to an end, it will soon be time for our new officers to take over and for our annual dues to be collected and and to start another year.

Cruise night was a big success and many of our participants were glad to see us back; they said we

were missed for those two months. Mark is our new Cruise Chairman. Thanks, Mark, for taking over this position.

Our club meeting went quite well with lots of discussions. An e-mail was sent out to get opinions from our members on how they felt about the continuance of our club for another year. I had hoped that more members would've shown up to give their decisions in voting for what they thought was best for the club. It was a unanimous decision that we keep the club going, with fewer meetings and more tours planned for the year. My Board and I will sit down and make some decisions and appoint whatever is necessary to help make this a better club and to get more people enthused on attending our events.

We have acceptance for all positions for our offices for 2009. (Please read the Minutes to find out who volunteered for them. A BIG THANK YOU to those who did.)

In our last newsletter, Harvey did an article on the 2008 CHVA National Tour. He had left out a **THANK YOU** to the following people who were the backbone to helping on the tour. They were as follows: Mark and Celestina Norman for their help in carrying supplies, helping to put plaques together, setting up the Registration-Welcome Room, Finale Bankquet Room, and many other things. (He was my muscle!) Also, thanks to Roger Serianni for volunteering to carry all the equipment in his '68 Chevy pick-up; otherwise I may have had to make several trips to the Palm Springs area. And, thanks to Harvey who took over for the other tour leaders, and also to myself, for the many hats I had to wear.

There will be NO MEETING next month (December), due to the holidays and our Christmas Party. Please watch in our next newsletter to see when our Pot Luck kick-off will be; we will keep everyone informed. I hope that many of you were aware of the Christmas Party at the Allarie's this year and will be there. She has asked that we mail checks directly to her in the amount of \$18.00 per person.

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## **VICE PRESIDENT'S REPORT**

**By: Mike Kienitz**

There is not a lot of news to report about coming events for this month because of the holidays. We are looking forward to the party and dinner at the Allarie's on December 7. The deadline for making reservations was November 28 and the price was \$18.00. A notice was sent via e-mail and phone to all members on our roster. However, if you would still like to attend, you may want to e-mail Mae Allarie at allarie@att.net or call her at (760) 731-1160 and see if there are still spots available. It will probably depend on if the food orders have been put in yet or not.

Our participation with the Toys for Tots program will, as usual, take place during our December Siggy's Cruise Night. Please contact Mark Norman or Jim Kelly if you have any questions. We hope to have many toy donations again this year - especially as there are so many more kids whose parents are struggling financially at this time.

As Alphy stated in her column, the future of TVCC was decided at our November meeting. We will continue as a club with some revisions to our format. More details will be announced once the Board has had a chance to meet and organize committees and events. But you can look forward to



<b>In Progress</b>	1969 Chevy P/U	Alvenia Norman
<b>Truck</b>	1966 Chevy Suburban	Jenny Feickert
<b>Pre 40's</b>	1935 Plymouth-coupe	Denise Hume
<b>40's</b>	1940 Ford-coupe	Allen Standon
<b>50's</b>	1956 Chevy 210	James Smith
<b>60's</b>	1962 Ford-Galaxie	Pieter Timmens
<b>70's</b>	None	
<b>80's</b>	1987 Corvette	Roger Serianni
<b>Muscle</b>	1972 Dodge-Challenger	Bill Mucelli
<b>Street Rod</b>	1934 Ford-coupe	John & Babette Stubs
<b>Special Interest</b>	1937 Ford-coupe	Rock Nash
<b>Most Original</b>	1941 Chevy deluxe	Bill Ross
<b>Siggy's Best of Show</b>	1927 Ford-Roadster	Steve Pearse

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## MINUTES OF NOVEMBER MEETING

***Submitted By: Nancy Humphrey***

These are the Minutes of the meeting of the TEMECULA VALLEY CAR CLUB which was held on Tuesday, November 11, 2008 at Carrows Restaurant on Madison Avenue , Murrieta , CA .

Those in attendance were as follows: Alphy Norman, Harvey Williamson, Roger Serianni, Celestina & Mark Norman, Nancy & Dick Benjamin, Mike Kienitz, Carol & Wes Peterson, Nancy & Skip Humphrey, Bill Brown, Andy Zun, Mae & Henry Allarie, and Jim Kelly.

The meeting was called to order by President Alphy Norman at 6:35 p.m. There were no announcements.

Wellness report was given by Jim Kelly regarding his wife, Virginia. She is recovering, but very slowly and is still in a lot of pain. Bill Brown said his wife, Cynthia, is home with a stomach flue, but

he is sure she will be better in a few days.

Secretary Nancy Humphrey asked for a motion to accept last month's minutes. A motion was made, seconded, and accepted as printed in the newsletter.

Treasurer Harvey Williamson, gave the Treasurer's Report and asked for a motion. A motion was made, seconded and accepted as read. Membership is still the same - 38 member families.

Newsletter Editor Betty Kienitz was unable to attend, but Mike mentioned that she had no problems with the newsletter; just try to get anything you want in the next issue to her as soon as possible.

Historian Mark Norman asked for any pictures, and to add the names, dates, and places taken so that he can add them to the scrapbook. Mark said he would purchase throw-away cameras, take pictures and add them to the scrapbook also

Publicity Chairman Skip Humphrey had placed notices in both papers that we were starting Cruise Night up again, and would again have our annual Ray Norman Marines Toys for Tots drive on December 13th.

Cruise Night Chairman, Mark Norman, said the November Cruise Night went well; we had 58 cars, with many very happy that we were back. Raffle prizes and gift cards were a success. Mark also reminded everyone to bring an unwrapped toy for the Annual Ray Norman Marines Toys for Tots Drive .

Vice President Mike Kienitz announced that the Veterans Day Parade in Murrieta went well; we only had three cars in attendance. Mike would like to plan a trip to March Air Force Base and tour the museum. He might be able to get a discount on the admission of those who bring their cars. He also announced that we would have our Christmas Party on December 7th at the Allarie's home.

**Old Business:** Alphy wants to keep the club running, and said we only need 12 member families to keep our CHVA charter. She mentioned that if anyone did not want to participate, they should resign from the club. A vote was taken on the following ammendments:

- 1, Continue the club as is; that was agreed on.
2. Merge with the Valley Cruisers; that was not agreed upon.
3. Betty & Mike Kientiz came up with an idea. It is to keep the club going with the monthly Cruise Night, having four meetings per year, and having four outings a year.

A vote was taken, and we agreed to continue using the Ammendment Number 3.

Ballots need to be mailed out with the following offices to be filled:

**President** - Alphy Norman

**Vice President** - Mike Kienitz

**Secretary** - Betty Kienitz, with Celestina as backup for times that Betty cannot attend

**Treasurer** - Harvey Williamson

Appointed committees as follows:

**Cruise Night Chairman** - Mark Norman

**Historian** - Celestina Norman

**Newsletter Editor** - Betty Kienitz

**Membership Chairman** - Jim Kelly

**Communications Chairman** - Roger Serianni

**New Business:** The Christmas Party will be held on Sunday, December 7th, at the home of Mae and Henry Allarie. The time will be 5:00 p.m. the cost is \$18.00 per person. Checks should be made out to Mae Allarie and must arrive by November 28th. If your check is going to be late, please call Mae at 760-731-1160. Mae wants each couple to bring a dozen fancy cookies, on their own plate. The cookies that are not eaten will be divided up so that everyone can take home some samples of each other's cookies.

There will be no December meeting. An announcement of our first meeting of 2009 will be in another section of this newsletter.

With no further business, a motion was made to adjourn. It was seconded and passed at 7:20 p.m.

Respectfully submitted,

Nancy Humphrey, Secretary

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**MERRY CHRISTMAS AND HAPPY HOLIDAYS!**

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