

ARPCA BUSINESS MEETING MINUTES

January 14, 2021

Teleconference

Call to order: ED Rice 7:00 PM

In attendance: Tom Uehling, Ed Rice, Gus Vasilakis, Drake Core, Larry Sachs, Linda Scanlon, Terri Mattock, Tom Mueller, Tim Glace, Barrie Athol, and Andy Schor, Carol Neal, Maureen McClure, Dave ?

The November business meeting minutes were approved.

Covid-19 Update: Ed stated the vaccine roll out is very slow and will have a chilling effect on our events until it improves.

Financial Update: Tom Uehling stated the club finished out 2020 financially very close to the original budget. This was a remarkable achievement given the Covid issues. The 2021 budgets submitted by the committee chairs were approved. The total budget was reduced by about \$5,000 compared to 2020, mostly due to the change in drivers education venues.

Membership: Terri Mattock reported ARPCA has 781 Primary Members and 462 Affiliate Members. There were 38 October Anniversaries. We had 4 test drive sign ups, 3 transfers in and 31 PCA Junior new members sign up. Terri also noticed Rick Sobek for doing a great job of sending out a welcome package to all new members.

HPDE: Barrie Athol reported that the track committee has settled on 3 DE events all at PittRace. The first one is on Friday June 4 and will be run like a full DE with all run groups. The second DE is July 30-Aug 1. This is a full DE with Friday being an open lapping day for advanced drivers only. The final event is October 29-31. This is a no risk to the club DE where the event can be canceled at the last minute if the weather or turnout is too low. It will be run as a full DE with all run groups on Saturday and Sunday and with Friday as open lapping for advanced drivers. We will try to arrange a social event at the track for the Saturday night DEs.

Social: Lisa Malobicky was not on the call.

PVGP: Ed Rice reported plans for the PVGP are full steam ahead. Ed also mentioned KDKA Radio's Rick Dayton interview of PVGP's Dan DelBianco recognizing ARPCA for the contributions we made to the PVGP fund by holding events despite the event's cancellation. The interview can be heard here: <https://www.pvgp.org/press-coverage/>

ARPCA Woman's Group: Linda Scanlon reported that their group has many events they would like to hold in 2021 but are waiting until the vaccine has taken effect to complete the planning.

Porsche Touring Crew: Tom Mueller reported The Touring Crew is planning an event in March 2021 but will wait several weeks to see how things are going with the vaccine. Events are planned from April thru October of 2021. Details to follow.

Communications: Larry reported that *Rundschau's* "The Mart" is now on our website. Response has been enthusiastic, perhaps due to limited wintertime publication. Contact editor@arpca.com if you would like to post an ad.

4-Door Group: Tim Glace stated "things in motion tend to continue in motion and things at rest tend to stay that way." Tim has been at rest and the lock down has made it very difficult for him to get motivated to complete his work on Panameras. He states he will complete this article in the first quarter of 2021.

Old Business: ARPCA has applied for the PCA Region of the Year Award. The effort was headed by Bob Nadin, Mark Frumkin and Mark Hanson. The application was limited to 3000 words and is synopsis of our history, and our activities, fundraising, membership growth and communications improvements despite the restrictions of 2020. Larry Sachs edited the work to make it as concise as possible. "Thank you" to these guys for doing this for the club. A copy of this submission will be posted on our website.

Next Meeting: February 11 at 7:00 PM location TBD

Adjourned at 7:45 pm. upon motion by Ed Rice.

Submitted by Drake Core