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DIXIELAND CRUISERS MINUTES OF MEETING FEBRUARY 3, 2009

Our meeting was held at Captain's Galley on Cherry Rd. those present were:

Jim & Peggy Hill	Buddy & Ann Reeves
Mickey & Elizabeth Lawson	Don Oliver
Mike & Nancy Donaldson	John Larkin
Wayne Felder	Howard Eddington
Paul Blackann	Ray Kocher
Shakey & Jo Steele	Russ & Carol Roberts
Jim Bratton	Gustavo Guinea
James Cowden	

Thank you all for coming out and enjoying a nice meal and great fellowship.

We'd like to welcome back Don Oliver and Ronnie & Alice Rinehart. And our new members Ray Kocher, Gustavo & Tammy Guinea, Denny Waites, Marvin & Collen Griffin, Woody & Pauline Elders, George & Ellie Bostick, Marion & Julia Comer, David Comer, David & Sarah Allison, Robert & Martha Williams, Todd & Trisha Compton, Johnne & Dianne Archie, Ed & Tonda Huffstetler, Rocky & Candice Barrett, and Duke Kessler.

Our meeting started 7:00 P.M., Mickey thanked and welcomed everyone for coming out to the meeting and gave our opening prayer. Thanks Mickey

Mickey read the minutes from our January meeting; Jim made a motion to accept them, seconded by Nancy and approved by all.

Nancy gave the treasures report with our balance and what we've taken in and spent, including paying for jackets, shirts and hats. If you want to know come to the meetings.....

We have 15 new members and 2 reinstated members signed up prior to our February meeting, Mickey signed up 9, Jim signed up 2 and brought back 2, Mike signed up 2 and Howard signed up 2. Way to go guys, good job. A drawing was held for the membership challenge and Jim won the \$25.00.

There was also a drawing for attendance and Mike walked away with \$25.00. (did you guys share with your better half's?)

A vote was held for the location of our weekly cruise-ins and Hooters won out unanimously over Little Café, with the first one starting March 26th, 2009 at 5:30 and drawings to be held at 8:00 P.M. (50/50, etc.)

Hooters has paid \$150.00 for a sponsorship and agreed to pay for the **BEST TRUCK AND BEST CAR TROPHY'S**.

We are in need of Door Prizes and Auction items.(we need everyone's help)

John Larkin showed us mugs, T-shirts, decals and coloring contest information.

We placed an order for 6 doz. T-shirts for the show.

Jim is getting orders from members for a different color T-shirt for staff members.

Wayne has challenged each member to sell at least one sponsorship for the show. (So let's get busy guys and gals)

Victory Junction Gang Trip has been firmed up. We will leave the parking lot next to Plaza Fiesta (Carolwinds Blvd) at **8:00 A.M. SHARP**. It's a two hour drive with a short break at the rest area north of Concord and arriving by 10:30 A.M. **EVERYONE GOING MUST BRING A PICNIC LUNCH**. This is a great trip, if you missed it last time, you missed a very fulfilling time. It's amazing what all they do for all these special kids.

Jim announced that a group will be leaving Bigs Lunch at 9:30 A.M. (3-19-09) for Myrtle Beach (Run to the Sun) show. Call Jim if you need more info. 803/417-4990.

Mickey announced the 2009 **Steele Creek Masonic Lodge Car Show & Fish Fry** will be May 9th (9:00 A.M. to 3:00 P.M.). A \$500.00 cash give away will be given to some lucky registered participant. A drawing (\$50.00 cash) will be held every 30 minutes, beginning at 10:00 A.M. with a total of 10 drawings.

Meeting was adjourned at 8:00 P.M. **Thanks to Mickey for a great meeting....Well done**

**MAKE SURE YOU ATTEND OUR MARCH 3RD MEETING @ CAPTAINS GALLEY
6:00 TO EAT 7:00 TO MEET.**

Linda Sullivan

Secretary

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