

BOARD OF DIRECTORS MEETING
SOUTH JERSEY REGION – SPORTS CAR CLUB OF AMERICA, INC.
JANUARY 2014

The January 2014 meeting of the Board of Directors for the South Jersey Region of the Sports Car Club of America, Inc. was held at the home of Sue King on Wednesday evening, January 8, 2014. The meeting was called to order by R.E., Jim Toretta at 8:00 PM.

Present were: Jim Toretta, Matt Wojtkowiak, Sr., Bill VonSuskil, Craig Zane, Sue King, Bill Richter, Jim Wakemen, Jr., and J.D. King. Guests were: Don Colanero and Jim Donahue.

Treasurers Report: Sue reported that we have \$52,000.00 in the race account, unsure what the balance is in the operating account.

Solo Report: Bill Richter reported that he has ordered the trophies for the banquet. He is waiting for a response from the Atlantic City mayor's representative as to the use of Bader Field. Jim Toretta asked Bill to put out on the solo blog about the banquet.

Rally Report: Jim Wakemen, Jr. reported that the schedule is set for 2014. There will be five (5) events including the Bucks County Express (BCX).

Membership Report: Bill VonSuskil reported that he had heard a community project – Veterans Home in Vineland – Christmas wreath ribbons were stolen. Bill contacted Ben Nataro who advised that Lisa Williams at the Veterans Home advised that the cost to replace said ribbons would be \$76.40. We will send a check to the Veterans Home to cover this cost. Bill advised that NJMP will hold an open house on March 15th. Bill has been contacted by the Trenton Thunder about a car show. They will provide free tickets to their ball game if you enter your car. Bill will pursue. There are two radio shows coming up, January 14th with Ben Nataro and February 10th with Steve Tatz show. Bill also advised that he is working with QVC TV about airing our 30 second spot. Bill met with Scott Fisher, who did a road trip with a Datsun 1600. Bill invited him to come to our membership meeting and give a presentation. Jim Donahue advised of meetings/car shows the first and third Saturdays – beginning March 1st – at Larry's 2 in Vineland. It was felt that this would be a good venue for local car clubs in the Vineland area. Discussion centered on getting local TV stations involved.

New Business: Jim Toretta said that he has been contacted by Joe Sica requesting he be considered for the Dave Rose Scholarship for our upcoming March drivers school. It was decided to delay a decision at this time as we may be approached by other drivers for this scholarship. The first RPC meeting for 2014 will be held February 24th at Chicago Uno in Maple Shade. Craig Zane advised that Tri-Region still owes us \$600.00 for the use of our radio equipment for the August 2013 event at Pocono. Sue will send them an invoice. Tri-Region is holding an event at Pocono in August of this year and they are in need of our workers and equipment. This date is one week before our event at NJMP and it was felt by the Board that we back away from this Pocono event and concentrate on our event at NJMP. Discussion followed. Jim Toretta stated that he approached Don Colanero about chairing a Publicity/Recruitment Committee. Don accepted the chairmanship. Jim Donahue volunteered to be on this committee. Jim Toretta asked Bill VonSuskil to give Don his contact information. Don expressed the needs for this committee – plan and goal.

Old Business: Banquet is January 18th and everything is ready. Matt has been contacted by Speed Raceway on Rt. 130 in Cinnaminson (go carts) with perhaps having a membership meeting there. After a lengthy discussion, Matt will follow up

There be no further business, the meeting was adjourned at 9:30 PM.

Respectfully submitted,
Sue King
Secretary