

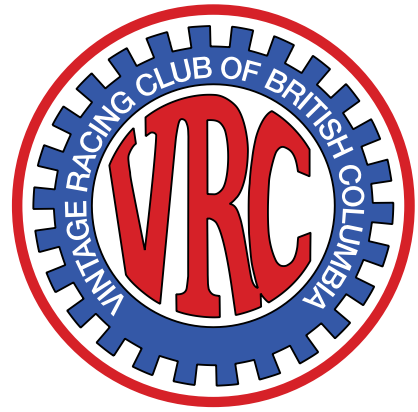
# Vintage Racing Club of BC

## Meeting Minutes

February 17, 2022

Called to order; 1911 HRS

Virtual Meeting via ZOOM



Executive present;

- President, Michael Zbarsky
- Vice President, Mike Bailey
- Treasurer, Gayle Baird
- Secretary, Peter Valkenburg
- Director at Large, Alan Donaldson

Guest; Matt Brower (live from the UK and META member)

Executive & Members present: 18

### **Prior Minutes**

Minutes of January 20 2022 meeting presented (also posted on web site).

Motion to approve; Gayle Baird, seconded by Paul Haym, carried.

### **President's Report**

Mike Zbarsky commented that he has been busy upgrading his Triumph 2000 with a new super diff. He also have been playing with his new daily driver, a 1998 JDM Subaru STI.

He wished we could all support the Knox Mountain event in May. This weekend conflicts with the ABFM at Van Dusan Gardens, but only to those with British cars (sic).

### **Vice President's Report**

Mike Bailey reported that the combined VRCBC and META Gala was held on December 11 at 1900 HRS, via ZOOM. Thanks to the many hands that made this happen.

The 50th anniversary of ICE racing, celebtration will be held at Barnes Lake (near Ashcroft), several dates scheduled, see MotorReg for dates.

## **Treasurer's Report**

Gayle Baird submitted a written report all the way from Mexico.

As of today, we have \$35,198.65 in the bank. Last year at this time we had \$31,298.40.

Recent deposits include \$1312.90 from membership fees. Expenses pending include BCHMR track rental deposit and insurance costs.

## **Membership Report**

Mike Bailey submitted that we have 66 members YTD comprised of;

- New - 3
- Life members – 6
- Regular members – 29
- Family members – 22
- Gold – 4
- Silver – 2
- Honorary – 1

He also noted that for a nominal \$35.00 extra we add “race” to our vintage license. The race category is supported by CACC with funding coming back to VRCBC.

## **Director at Large Report**

Alan Donaldson had no report other than to update us that he was a past participant at Knox Mountain events, he just couldn't remember when this was.

## **CACC Vintage Discipline**

John Elliott presented a motion that the VRCBC executive hold our VRCBC/CACC Vintage Discipline meeting following the close of our next regular meeting on March 17 at 1830 HRS. This would provide John the ability to submit our approval at the CACC meeting being held on March 19.

Seconded Peter Valkenburg, motion approved.

## **SCCBC Update**

No report

## **META Update**

Mike Bailey reported that the BCCCC has recommended that META “spruce up” and paint the clubhouse as part of their longterm plan.

Mike stated the club would rather focus on upgrading their 10 sets of course flags as they are showing their age. As META is a low member club, all their money is spent on insurance, so looking for donations. Each set of flags cost \$300.00.

Discussion followed; should VRCBC and SCCBC share the cost of flag replacement?

Is the cost of insurance for a service that is provided to both VRCBC and SCCBC be shared by these receivers of this valuable and required service?

Ian Wood has offered to table this matter at the next SCCBC meeting.

## **BCHMR**

Mike Zbarsky confirmed that he has signed the rental agreement with the BCCCC and has requested Gayle to forward the \$1000.00 non-refundable deposit cheque to the BCCCC. Dates confirmed are ‘move on site’ Friday Aug 5, race days August 6 and 7.

Ian Wood reported the following;

- Friday August 5 is our move on date, our famous Westwood BBQ is planned. BCCCC is holding a Drag Race event that evening, some additional entertainment for us.
- BCCCC is providing approval for noise levels up to 98 db.
- SOVREN has a new president, Brad Shinn. He is an active supporter of sprint cars which Ian thought would benefit us with the BCHMR. We could see US based Formula Vee’s joining in as well.
- Ian is committed to the dedication of Turn 2 to Greg Moore, and possibly a tribute to Joe Huffaker
- Ian wanted to thank the long list of active supporters, Patrick Stewart for his advertising, donations and Field of Dreams role, Wes Stinson for his contacts with many car clubs (Porsche) and the Field of Dreams, Brent Martin plays a very important role in promoting our event, ongoing support from Tom Johnston, Peter Boljet, David Kincaid and Rick Moore.

- Interest pending from the Pacific Formula Vee group, local motorcycle racing and drift clubs.
- Discussion on fees; the drift club could have 25 cars entered, what fee should they be assessed? Should there be a parade lap's fee? What should our gate fees be, \$20.00 per day or a two day pass for \$30.00?
- Matt Brower shared a British practice whereby spectators have 3 laps to follow the Pace Car, fee is approx... \$35.00.

Theme is "Back with Gusto"

### **Old Business**

- The Vancouver International Auto Show has been cancelled.

### **New Business**

- Update on past VRCBC/META Gala and REVS standings. See attachment following these minutes.
- 2020 and 2021 REVS points compiled and reported by Gunther Ruppel.
- January 26, 2020 and December 11, 2021 Galas hosted by Tedd McHenry, Mike Bailey, Tedd McHenry and Alan Donaldson.
- 2021 IEW-REVS plaques produced and delivered to all recipients.

### **Upcoming Meetings/Events**

- VRCBC meeting, March 17, 2022, 1900 HRS. Burnaby Lake Rigby Club and ZOOM
- VRCBC/CACC Vintage Discipline meeting March 17, 2022, 2030 HRS (executive)
- Kart Fest, postponed

### **For Sale**

- Check VRCBC web site for recent sale items.
- Patrick Stewart has a friend with a roadable 1974 TR6, for sale

- Tedd McHenry knows of a project Datsun 510 for sale.
- Steve Anthonsen still has his 1997 Tiburon for sale
- Roger's Mazda RX7 racer is for sale and he has 510 parts
- Paul Haym has Club windshield banners for sale
- John Elliott have a 10 x 20 shelter frame, no cover, for FREE
- The Zbarsky's have a championship winning 1958 MGA Twin Cam coupe race car for sale, contact them if interested.
- Ian Wood has a set of little used Hoosier 14" rain tires available.

### **Good and Welfare**

- Ian Wood suggested that Vince Howlett be provided "bios" of our each of our Vintage drivers.
- Recently deceased, Tom Quatsoe (Formula 5000) Dave Trueman (formula Sirocco and past editor of Vantage magazine) and Chris Manuel (Australian who worked with John McCoy).

### **Meeting Adjourned**

With no further business, at 1855 HRS Gayle Baird moved that the meeting be adjourned.

### **Next meeting**

- VRCBC meeting, March 17, 2022. 1900 HRS

## REVS Winners 2020

### Vintage '50

2<sup>nd</sup> Ralph Zbarsky, 61 pts  
#35 - MGA Coupe

1<sup>st</sup> Michael Zbarsky, 129 pts.  
#35 - MGA Coupe

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### Historic '60

3<sup>rd</sup> Gunther Ruppel, 313 pts  
#44 - Austin Healey Sprite

2<sup>nd</sup> John Elliott, 468 pts  
#447 – MGB

1<sup>st</sup> Paul Haym, 493 pts.  
#82 - BMW 2002

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### Classic '70

3<sup>rd</sup> Trevor Sandham, 137 pts  
#76 – Austin Mini Cooper

2<sup>nd</sup> Geoff Tupholme, 145 pts  
#441 - Austin Mini

1<sup>st</sup> Ian Thomas, 320 pts  
#2 - BMW 2002

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### Canada Class

3<sup>rd</sup> Karlo Flores, 296 pts,  
#11 - *Spec Miata*

2<sup>nd</sup> Michael Hawthorne, 297 pts,  
#96 - Porsche 944

1<sup>st</sup> Gayle Baird, 433 pts  
#62 - Honda Civic

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### Formula Ford

3<sup>rd</sup> William Kwan, 201 pts.  
#90 or 190 - Van Dieman RF75

2<sup>nd</sup> Martin Phillips, 261 pts  
#11 - Van Dieman RF91

1<sup>st</sup> Erle Archer, 334 pts.  
#44 - Lotus S3

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### Formula Vee

3<sup>rd</sup> Al Ores, 4 pts  
#19 - Caldwell D13

2<sup>nd</sup> Tom Sproule, 37 pts  
#122 - Caldwell D13

1<sup>st</sup> Scott Adams, 96 pts.  
#114 – Trickett-Caflisch 701

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### Overall REVS Points

3<sup>rd</sup> Gayle Baird, 433 pts  
#62 - Honda Civic

2<sup>nd</sup> John Elliott, 468 pts  
#447 – MGB

1<sup>st</sup> Paul Haym, 493 pts.  
#82 - BMW 2002

## **REVS Winners 2021**

### **Vintage '50**

1<sup>st</sup> Ivan Lessener, 376 pts.  
#106 -- 1958 Austin Healey 100-6

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### **Historic '60**

3<sup>rd</sup> Ian Wood 525 pts.  
#024 – 1969 Volvo 142S

2<sup>nd</sup> Paul Haym, 578 (Combine pts.)  
#82 – 1969 BMW 2002  
#510 – 1969 Datsun 510

1<sup>st</sup> Gunther Ruppel, 588 pts  
#44 - Austin Healey Sprite

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### **Classic '70**

3<sup>rd</sup> Pat Hall, 74 pts  
#49 – 1972 Datsun 240Z

2<sup>nd</sup> Bart Pickles, 129 pts.  
#769 – 1976 Datsun 240Z

1<sup>st</sup> Ian Thomas, 223 pts.  
#02 – 1970 BMW 2002

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### **Canada Class**

3<sup>rd</sup> Michael Hawthorne, 346 pts,  
#96 – 1987 Porsche 944

2<sup>nd</sup> Gayle Baird, 587 pts  
#62 – 1990 Honda Civic

1<sup>st</sup> Wynn Hollingshead, 610 pts,  
#6 – 1992 Mazda Miata (Spec)

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### **Formula Vee**

3<sup>rd</sup> Scott Adam 186 pts  
#114 – 1989 RDC

2<sup>nd</sup> Tom Sproule 257 pts.  
#112 – 1976 Caldwell D13

1<sup>st</sup> Gayle Baird 479 pts.  
#118 – 1964 AD Mk 3B Fox

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### **Formula Ford**

3<sup>rd</sup> Joshua Koopmans, 57 pts  
#11 – 1978 Van Dieman RF78

2<sup>nd</sup> William Kwan, 98 pts.  
#190 – 1975 Van Dieman RF75

1<sup>st</sup> Keith Robinson, 258 pts.  
#90 – 1997 Kodiak Fox

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#6 – 1992 Mazda Miata (Spec)

1<sup>st</sup> Gayle Baird 1,066 pts. (combined CW & OW)  
#62 – 1990 Honda Civic – 587 pts.  
#118 – 1964 AD Mk 3B Fox – 479 pts.

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### **Special “Last Lap Award”**

Al Ores, 8 pts  
#19 – 1976 Caldwell D13  
Driving since 1968