

**MLCCC General Meeting Minutes
December 9, 2021**

(31 in attendance)

Don Haack called the meeting to order at 7:00 pm.

Pledge of Allegiance and welcome.

Don thanked everyone for their support during his time as president and wished all the best to club president-elect Dave Robins and his crew. He expressed appreciation for Jim Darby (current vice president) and Mitch Halgren (previous vice president), and board members Bob Duffin (advisor), Bob Kent (treasurer), LaDell Yada (advisor), Tim Jones (event chairman), Paul Boehm (webmaster), and Kathy Haack (secretary).

Secretary's Report (Kathy Haack):

November's minutes were approved. (Secretary's note: Dave Robins' last name was misspelled in last month's minutes.)

Treasurer's Report (Bob Kent):

Club checking account balance: \$8,580. According to Bob, there are no bills to be paid at this time.

Webmaster (Paul Boehm):

Paul has changed the format for the club membership roster to make it easier to download from the website.

Guests:

New member Larry Chmela brought his lovely wife Jackie to tonight's meeting.

New Business:

According to Paul, there are no more MLCCC plaques remaining of the ten that were ordered five years ago. He asked if there was any interest in having him order some more. Clay Crook entered a motion for Paul to go ahead and place an order for 10 plaques. Dave Robins suggested holding off until availability and pricing could be checked. It was decided that, if the vendor is still in business and the price is within reason, Paul will move forward with the order.

December Birthdays & Anniversaries:

Happy Anniversary to David and Ann Robins!

Birthday wishes go out to:

Brett Boehm

Jeff Isaac

Judy Kent

Duck Report:

The Duck remains with the Crooks. Sadly, on December 7th, their 1987 4-door white Honda was stolen and has yet to be recovered. Clay said he had parked and locked it in an area of Moses Lake that isn't very populated. The car had been in the family for quite a number of years and had over 300,000 miles on the original motor (thanks to careful attention to fuel mixtures and other details). Clay was hoping to see how many more miles the car would go. Anyone who sees their car is asked to contact Karen and Clay.

The annual Christmas gift exchange was a fun event that brought smiles and a few chuckles to both participants and spectators.

Thanks so much to Karen Crook for the festive snowman table decorations, mini candy bars and treat bags filled with her delicious homemade caramel popcorn! (Judy Kent has next month.)

Candy Contest Winners:

First Place: Mary Mayo -- Chocolate Covered Snowballs

Second Place: Karen Crook – Sesame Seed Toffee

Third Place: Glenda Anderson – Almond Roca

50/50 Drawing: Linda Benson won \$46

Door Prize: Jeff Isaac won a 1940 Woody die cast car (donated by Clay & Karen Crook)

Car of the Month: Karen Crook

Paul Boehm mentioned to the group that he recently ran into Harley Ottmar at the UPS Store. Harley said to tell everyone "hi". (We hope that he will plan to join us for meetings in the near future.)

Club president-elect David Robins addressed the group. He thanked the current board for doing a good job and stated that he is looking forward to 2022 and all it holds for us. He anticipates "a lot of fun and a lot of action" for the club. On that note, he and Ann tossed "snowballs" into the crowd with instructions to "pass it on".

Following a motion and a second, club president Don Haack wished everyone a "Merry Christmas" and closed the meeting at 8:05 pm.

Next meeting: January 13, 2022

Car of the Month

December 2021 Car of the month



Clay and Karen Crook - 1946 Plymouth

"1958" - Clay buys the car from a used car lot for \$125. He is 17, the car is 12.

"1959" - Clay and Karen graduate from R. A. Long High, Longview, WA. and the car is painted. Stock flathead 6, 215 cu. with headers and dual exhaust.

"1962" - Went on Honeymoon.

"1964" - Builds and installs a 1953 Chrysler flathead bored to 275 cu., balanced, cam, dual 2 barrel carbs, headers, racing pistons, overdrive tranny, suspension beefed with Dodge hearse springs.

"1975" - Car painted in Sunnyside with "Emron Blue-Black" paint.

"1990" - Car upholstered in Moses Lake. Always garaged.