

**MEETING MINUTES—MP&CAC—HELLGATE CHAPTER,  
May 21, 2018**

**Fred & Mary Williams' Garage**

President Dave McIntosh called the meeting to order at 7:10 PM, after members had enjoyed a yummy variety of potluck dishes. Dave thanked Fred & Mary for hosting us in their garage and providing us with dessert and beverages amidst their splendid collection of auto memorabilia.

**Minutes:** Karen read highlights from the April 16 meeting. Perry offered one correction noting Ft. Connah is the oldest wooden structure in MT.

**Treasurer's Report:** Karen reported \$1830.11 in checking; \$2509.12 in savings; \$4339.23 total. No bills.

**Correspondence:** none

**Old Business:**

**Ft. Connah Tour:** Perry gave a brief review of the tour there. Dave Ault noted that he was able to get an appraisal on a gun and knife from the staff there. Vikki said there would be a trapper rendezvous coming up there in September.

**Club Tee-shirts:** Greg reported that he's taking orders for our new shirts. An order form was passed around for members to place orders. Greg said he would get the ordering info into an email for Cathy to send out so that members, who were not present at the meeting or wanted to order later on, could order directly from the company.

**New Business:**

**Website Pictures:** Greg noted that there is now a place on our website where he can post pictures of club events. It's called "Club Pictures". Go to the MP&CAC website and click on "Club Pictures." If you have digital pictures you want posted, send them to Greg at [gw4300@gmail.com](mailto:gw4300@gmail.com). Include info on who, where, what and when for the pictures.

**Beehive Homes Tour:** Fred said he had been contacted by Beehive Homes about bringing a few cars to participate in their open house on July 21, 11 am to 2 pm. Some members indicated they'd be willing to do this. Fred said to stay tuned for an email with details when we get closer to the event.

**Ice Cream Social:** Greg & Anne offered to host the annual ice cream social in August. The date will be determined later and an email (or call) will notify everyone.

### **Announcements, updates:**

Doug Winz reported that long time member Bill Paul had passed away. The funeral is set for Thursday, May 31, at St. Francis Church.

**Bitterrodders Wednesday Night Tours:** Doug Ruffato reminded us of this weekly cruising event, Happy Days Again, from 6-9 pm. Locations vary from the Bitterroot to Missoula.

Larry and Bev Berry won a car wash kit at a recent car show in Anaconda.

Stan Cohen announced a fly in of vintage aircraft at Missoula Airport on June 16-17.

50/50: Greg Wood (\$18.00)

Adjourned: 7:30 pm

**Show and Tell:** Fred unveiled the mystery car, which remained covered until after the meeting--Doug Ruffato's numbers matching '59 Corvette, which he describe in glowing detail.

Respectfully Submitted,

Cathy Smyers, Secretary