2024/2025 Horseless Carriage Club of America

General Membership Meeting

Wednesday, March 20, 2024



The 2024 Horseless Carriage Club of America National general membership meeting was held at the Westin Hotel, Chattanooga, Tennessee.

Call to Order

Outgoing 2023/2024 President-Mike Reid, 4:09PM

Introductions of Present Board Members-Mike Reid

Mike Reid-Chairman of the Board

Russell Holden-President

Doug Tomb-Vice President

Jim Skillicorn-Secretary

Kim Simoni-Treasurer

Jeff Lesher

Vince Altieri

Rusty Berg

Jeff Chattin

Jim Diener

Introduction of Non-Present Board Members

Jon Rising

Don Plumb

Terry Cole

Peter Jakab

Danny Case

Recognition of Present Past Presidents

Keene Brewer

Don Plumb

Bill Ottemann

Mike Yeakel

Andy Wallace

Editor-Tracy Lesher

Executive Secretary-Lindsey Jackson

Web Master-Peter Gariepy

General Membership Meeting Attendees

Tom Lahey Keene Brewer Alan Travis Mike Yeakel Mary Travis Wayne Simoni Tracy Lesher Richard Cutler John Harris Terry Easton Tricia Wallace Steve Hughes Don Demio Ken Powell Dan Sutton Sally Barnes Jeff Stumb Sam Barnett Kenny Wright Chris Podgett Alan Woolfe Newell Booth Dan Woolfe Gladene Booth

Robert Monsen

2024 Updates-Mike Reid

Financial Report
By-Laws Update
Regional Registries
Remaining a pre-1916 Organization
Tours and Events Highlights
Upcoming Board of Directors meetings
hcca.org Website Update
hcca.org Calendar Update
Premiere Auto Events

2024 Horseless Carriage International Tour-Russell Holden

May 26 – June 1 Tweed Valley, Australia

2023 HCCA Regional Groups Awards-Mike Reid Newsletters

Diana Squire-Northern California Regional Group "The Brass Nuts" Candace Perry-Wichita Regional Group "The Spark Plug" Mark Cerruti-Bay Area Regional Group "Gaslight Gazette" Cinda Dorholt-Twin Cities Regional Group "The Horseless Age" Diane McPherson-San Diego Regional Group "The Brass Facts" Rosebud-Western Michigan Regional Group "The Gearbox Chatter" Boyd Goddard-La Jolla Regional Group "Cap Sheet" Chris Gorman-Southern California Regional Group "Coil Box Currier" Bruce Spainhower-Portland Regional Group "The Portland Gas Leak" Geoff King-Early Ford Registry Ed Grace-Rambler and Jeffrey Registry

Websites

Thomas Roush-Northern California Regional Group "NCRGHCCA.COM"

Recognition of retiring members of the HCCA Board-Mike Reid

Andy Wallace was thanked for his many years of service to the HCCA Board of Directors as a board member, vice president, president and chairman of the board.

Presentation of the 2023 Marian Welch Award-Andy Wallace Gil Fitzhugh, the elder

Presentation of the 2023 Art Twohy Award-Andy Wallace Ken Findlay

2024 National Convention & Tour "All Aboard"-Andy Wallace/Jeff Stumb

Andy and Jeff thanked Jeff and Angie Chattin, Jeff Stumb, the Westin Hotel and all the behind the scenes volunteers for a great convention and tour.

2025 National HCCA Tour & Convention-Doug Tomb

Doug Tomb reported that the 2025 HCCA National Tour & Convention will be held May, 2025 in either Ohio or Virginia.

Open Communications-All

Gazette Delivery

Postal delivery delays/issues of the Horseless Carriage Gazette were answered by Tracy Lesher. Mike Reid spoke about the availability of online viewing of the Gazette.

Museum Update

Mike Reid and Russell Holden provided updated information about the Museum of the Horseless Carriage, following Matt Goist's museum update to the Board of Directors on Friday, March 15, 2024; museum board members, fund raising, logo change and current balance of approximately \$370,000.

Motion for Adjournment-Mike Reid

Motion-Don Demio Second-John Harris, 4:24PM