



January 04, 2023, Meeting Minutes

Hello Fellow Zer's:

• At 5:45 PM a fabulous potluck was enjoyed by all. Approximately 65 attendees. Thank you to our wonderful cooks for providing such a great meal.

- At 7:00 PM the meeting was called to order and the National Anthem was played.
- New Member Introductions.
- The membership stands at: 242 members representing 130 cars.
- The Treasury report is \$5,840.69.
- The Charity Fund stands at \$1,284.
- Bob/Audra Strolin reviewed the November 15th Z Funfest hosted by Joe and Pam Gale.
 Excellent participation/prizes.
- Karin Bornstein reviewed the 2022 Holiday Party which was a great success.
 - She thanked all the committee members.
 - ANNOUNCEMENT!! The 2023 Holiday Party will be held on December 1st at Eisenhower Recreation Center in the large room.

Future Drives and Events:

January 28th, 2023: Z's Around Brownwood Square (5-8 PM)

- Organizer Ed Evenski in coordination with The Villages Entertainment.
- 24 Z's (Fully subscribed—waiting list only)
- Music/Food Trucks.

February 23rd, 2023: Restaurant Ride (R&R) to <u>Puddle Jumpers</u> in Tavares

- This ride is hosted by Deb and John Blum.
- Meeting at Mulberry Rec Center at 10:45 AM.
- Backroad ride to a fun-filled lunch with your fellow "Z"ers.
- Sign up on the website until February 17th.

April 28th, 2023: Trip to Vero Beach to see 42nd Street

- This trip is hosted by Mark Simon
- Registration is closed.

May 12th, 2023: Z's Around Lake Sumter Landing

- Organizer Ed Evenski in coordination with The Villages Entertainment.
- The BMW 'Z' Club is the 1st Club to fill the Square.

June 21st, 2023: Dinner Ride (TBA) Stay Tuned!

- Organizer – Bob Strolin

October 2023: European Trip

- Organizer Ken Bornstein
- 17 participants currently signed up.
- Still space for those wishing to join. (https://www.villagesbmwzclub.com) for an in-depth description.

CONGRATULATIONS to the Winner of the 2022 Participation Award: Leo Brancato!!

- Your participation in events/rides along with being fun, builds points to a wonderful gift at the end of the year!

Board Retreat/Program Coordination Committee Report: Audra Strolin

- Revised Guidelines for Club Drives (NO more Caravanning for safety reasons).
- NEW!! Hospitality Committee (Additional Pot Lucks Planned asking for Hospitality Committee Volunteers).
- NEW!! Quarterly Restaurant Ride (R&R) announced.
 - **NOTE:** Please visit our website (https://www.villagesbmwzclub.com) to view information and sign up to any of our events. It's very easy to get involved. All you need is an idea or suggestion, bring it to the attention of Bob Strolin and the Program Coordination Committee and they will assist you in planning your ride.
 - Just a reminder that logo apparel is available from the following merchants. Custom Apparel in the Southern Trace Plaza on 466.
 Output and a setume.

Company Apparel in Leesburg.

Gotta Get Your Name on in Spanish Springs.

Respectfully Submitted, Sandra Eldred, Secretary