



## **Definition of Bylaws**

These Bylaws constitute a code of rules adopted by The Classic Reflections Car Club Inc., for the regulation and management of its affairs.

### **Section 1: Purpose**

**A.** The general purpose of this club, and hereinafter called The Club, shall be to provide a social organization for all those interested in the restoration, modification, and promotion of antique, classic, and special interest vehicles.

To encourage interest in said vehicles to the general public and bringing together all those with similar interests.

To encourage family participation in such sport.

To promote friendship and support organization functions held by The Club, as well as others who have such interest.

**B.** Our main goal is to raise funds for charitable purposes. Such funds shall be raised by, but not limited to, car shows, car cruises, toy runs, etc.

### **Section 2: Membership**

**A.** Membership is open to all individuals 18 years of age and older that are interested in promoting the purposes of this club.

**B.** Membership Classification is to read as follows:

**Full Member** - Members paying the full membership rate and are of legal age (18).

**Family Member** ó Spouse or Significant Other of a Full member and all children under the age of 18 that reside in the same household of said member.

**C.** The membership year shall begin on July 1st of each year. The annual dues shall be \$25 per year for the first year and \$25 for each subsequent year. Dues are due at time of application to The Club. There will be a 30 day grace period for current members paying the next fiscal year's dues (renewal of membership), if needed by a member. The Secretary shall notify members one (1) month in arrears and those whose dues are not paid within three (3) months after notification shall be removed from membership in The Club. Any member who is dropped for non-payment of dues and wishes to be re-instated, shall be upon full payment of that year's dues. All dues are non-refundable.

**D.** Membership is open throughout the year. Dues are Pro-rated for members joining between January and June at \$2 per month through June and include the following year's dues.

### **Section 3: Conduct**

#### **A. During Club activities and other events, members shall:**

- A. Conduct themselves in a manner that promotes cooperation among members.
- B. Respect each other's opinions during meetings and allow each member the opportunity to present his/her views.
- C. Refrain from making personal attacks and leave personal disputes outside of The Club's activities.
- D. Conduct themselves in a manner which promotes a favorable public opinion of The Club and its activities/events.
- E. Not make commitments on behalf of The Club without the vote of approval of the Executive Board.

### **Section 4: MEMBERSHIP RESPONSIBILITY:**

- A. As a member of The Club, you will promote The Club by helping with the promotion of car shows and cruise nights via flyers handed out, wearing club apparel, and talking to owners of cars to promote The Club and what it is trying to accomplish.
- B. Members must operate vehicles in such a manner that it will not cause embarrassment to The Club, its officers, and members. If such a case arises, the offending member will be removed from The Club.
- C. All Club members who drive while involved in Club functions or are traveling with said Club going to or from a Club function, shall abide by the laws of the State of Florida, or any other State when representing the club.
- D. In order for our events to be successful, members are asked to help as much as possible during Club events (i.e.- shows, cruise nights, etc.)
- E. Any club member while driving and representing the club, shall have a valid operator's license.

### **Section 5: MEMBERSHIP TYPE VEHICLES:**

In order to facilitate the general purpose, ALL vehicle years, makes, and models are eligible for membership, and includes the following types of vehicles: STREET RODS, CUSTOMS, CLASSICS, STREET MACHINES, TRUCKS, SPORTS CARS and SPORT COMPACTS. Vehicles may be altered, built, or changed in such a way to create interest by non-members; or they may be stock, non-altered.

## **Section 6: Executive Board (Officers)**

The officers of The Club shall be President, Vice-President, Secretary, and Treasurer. These officer positions are re-elected each year at the July annual meeting of members.

All officers shall be elected by a majority of the members present at any annual meeting or special meeting called for that purpose.

Anyone wanting to hold office of said club may do so by being elected by its members as a whole, during the yearly election of club officers, and must have been a member of the club for one year prior to holding any office. If a member is unable to complete his/her term of office for any reason, a member may be appointed to fill the remainder of the term of office by the Executive Board, called in a special meeting.

Offices must be held for one (1) year or until their successors are elected and qualified.

**A. President** - Shall have general supervision, direction, and control of the business and affairs of The Club.

The President shall sign all contracts.

The President shall appoint any committee thought necessary for the good and welfare of The Club.

The President shall only make commitments, sign only those official documents, and only those resolutions as authorized by the Executive Board.

The President will preside over all meetings called for and will act as an ambassador to any functions or activities held by the club or any other club requesting attendance.

The President will seek ways to help build membership, create ideas, and help promote and maintain interest for and by its members.

The President shall meet at least once a quarter with the Executive Board.

The President shall also be responsible to plan and oversee the budget of the club funds for the next year.

**B. Vice-President** - Shall perform all duties of the President in the President's absence, and when so acting, shall have all the powers and restrictions of the President.

The Vice-President will preside over all meetings called for if the President is unable to attend.

The Vice-President will act as ambassador to any functions the President cannot attend.

The Vice President will work with the Secretary and Treasurer in keeping those records that are necessary.

The Vice-President will fill in for other absent officers when required.

**C. Secretary** - Shall keep an accurate record of the proceedings of all regular, special, and Executive Board meetings.

The Secretary shall keep an accurate roll of Members and shall keep the President aware of any and all correspondence that should be brought forth to the Executive Board (membership applications, events, etc).

**D. Treasurer** - Shall keep an accurate account of The Club's business transactions.

The Treasurer shall deposit all monies and other assets in The Club bank account, disburse the funds of The Club, and shall render to the Executive Board an accounting of The Club's assets when requested. The President shall share in these responsibilities as needed.

**Section 7: Meetings**

General Meetings shall be held on the first Monday of each month at 7:00 pm. Location of said meetings will be announced to the general membership.

**A.** A special meeting of the members may be called at any time upon seven days written notice to the members, at the direction of the President, or the Executive Board, or upon request of 10 percent of the members.

**B.** A quorum shall consist of those members present at any regular or special meeting.