

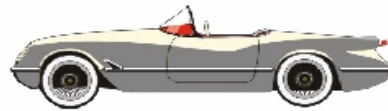
# St. Louis Corvette Club



## Gateway News

October 2005

Next Meeting Oct. 4, 2005



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## **2005 Officers**

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Secretary: **June Huch**  
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636-938-4858

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**National Corvette Museum:**  
Ambassador: **Sharon Ballinger**  
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## **Internet**

### **St. Louis Corvette Club Website**

[www.stlcorvettes.net](http://www.stlcorvettes.net)

### **National Council of Corvette Clubs**

[www.corvettesnccc.org](http://www.corvettesnccc.org)

### **National Corvette Museum**

[www.corvettemuseum.com](http://www.corvettemuseum.com)

### **Boon Trail Corvette Club**

[www.boontrailcc.com](http://www.boontrailcc.com)

### **Looking Glass Corvette Club**

[www.jackschmitt.com](http://www.jackschmitt.com)

### **Original Corvette Club**

[www.occofstl.com](http://www.occofstl.com)

### **Route 66 Corvette Club**

[www.route66corvetteclub.com](http://www.route66corvetteclub.com)

**Purpose of St. Louis Corvette Club:**

*To enjoy the Corvette through association with other Corvette owners. To have fun on many levels through social events, road trips, car shows, charity events and competition as each person wishes. To actively promote and work for the advancement of St. Louis Corvette Club and it's activities. To respect the differences and wishes of each STLCC club member.*

From the President - Marty Dooley

Don't be in too big of a hurry to put those vettes away for the winter. This time of year has almost always been good for cruising around our area. Some members are working on a few things to do before our typical bad weather comes.

Thanks to Jan and Gary Murray for volunteering to help with our election. It's great to have members step in when asked to help out. If Jan or Gary have not talked to you about either running for office or to nominate someone, please give them a call.

This past week there was an event in Effingham. A lot of our club members went to Funfest. The weather was perfect, thousands of great looking vettes, a large crowd of fellow enthusiast. Mike Yager really puts on a great event.

Still to come this fall is our club picnic at Babler Park, some members are going to Eureka Springs, a fall tour, and we are helping put on an autocross.

The autocross ( rain or shine ) will be Oct. 15-16 at the Wentzville Assembly Plant. You do not have to race your car to be involved with the club at the autocross. Our club will be helping the RT 66 Corvette Club at this 2 day event, and they look forward to a good crowd. Our job will be to handle the food and drink tent. Carl Ballinger is working on this, and has about 12 people so far to help out. Please let him know when you can help. Hopefully there should be plenty of time to race, watch, and help out at the food tent for all of us.

See you soon at one of our events...

Marty

**BIRTHDAYS****ANNIVERSARIES**

10/01 Joyce Boyer

10/07 Rich & Theresa Luebcke

10/03 Rick Frierdich

10/13 Ed & Judy Lee

10/08 Theresa Luebcke

10/28 Charlie & Jackie Miget

10/18 Tammy Walker

10/27 Kristy Doering

# ST. LOUIS CORVETTE CLUB MEETING

Sept. 6, 2005 - Hessler's Pub

President, Marty Dooley, called the meeting to order at 7:00pm followed by the members reciting the Pledge of Allegiance and introduction of 2005 club officers and chairpersons.

## Officer/Chairperson Reports:

**Treasurer's Report** by Fran Wienstroer. Fran was unable to attend the meeting, but the treasurer's report was provided in the monthly newsletter and a copy placed on the tables at tonight's meeting. A deficit of \$33.05 has occurred in the VA fund. A motion was made and seconded to make up the difference by extracting the \$33.05 from the general fund.

**Secretary's Minutes** by June Huch. Motion made and seconded to accept minutes as published in monthly newsletter.

## **Membership Report** by Peggy Craig

Membership: 39 Primary members, 31 Associate members, 6 members receive monthly mailings and there are 10 honorary members.

September birthdays and wedding anniversaries were recognized as noted in the monthly newsletter. Jackie & Charlie Miget provided the monthly birthday cake which was enjoyed by all.

Dues to be paid by November meeting in order to vote in election of officers.

## **NCCC Governor's Report** - Carl Ballinger

Carl has 12 volunteers to help at the upcoming Route 66 Autocross event to be held on Oct. 15-16 at Wentzville. Our club will purchase the food to be sold and ask for volunteers to prepare the food and work on both days. We are responsible for bringing the food tent, etc. Carl will be scheduling a meeting with the volunteer help before next month's meeting. This weekend, Carl will be attending the NCCC Governor's Meeting. Let him know if you want to attend also. NCCC dues are due in November. Can start paying in October - will be on October Agenda. Exact due payments will be announced at October meeting.

**NCM Ambassador Report** - Sharon Ballinger. A report of the winning cars at the NCM on Labor Day weekend was reviewed. Sharon has tickets for the drawings to be held next year at the museum as well as 2006 pocket calendars.

## **Newsletter Editor** - Mike Price -

- Nothing new to report.

Club members asked Mike to put both club members' names on mailing label for newsletter.

**Webmaster** - Kent Lissa has volunteered to be our new club webmaster. Due to taking on a new job, he will be unable to attend club meetings, nor club events, but will be glad to update our website. Rich Luebcke volunteered to work with Kent to update the website.

**By-Laws Committee Chairman** - Ron Huch. Ron read the changes to the current by-laws one more time and the club voted on the changes to be made. A clear explanation of how "Spontaneous

### Recognition of Guests and New Members:

Joe Rain (sp.) visited the club and drives a 1966 corvette.

### ***OLD BUSINESS***

Theresa Luebcke ordered 36 club flags, while some have already been given to those club members who had attended the Vettes on the Rockies. Please pay Marty Dooley \$15 a piece for the flags.

Theresa Luebcke spoke about the 12x12 club brick purchased for \$600. The artwork used on the flag was used on the brick. The brick will be placed in Section 04 at the National Corvette Museum in Bowling Green, Kentucky.

Bill Dotson had no information to provide on a Club Charity. Information on club name tags was given to Marty Dooley. Marty will provide more information at the October meeting.

### ***NEW BUSINESS***

- Jerry and Armynta Craig attended and enjoyed the Corvette Corral activities. Jerry will provide details on the race at another time.
  - Gary and Jan Murray have volunteered to serve on the nominating committee for 2006 election of officers. Members should be looking for a phone call from the Murray's.
- Rich Luebcke announced the following dates for the "Corvette: Rebuilding an Icon" on the Discovery Channel: Sept. 29th 7:00pm & 10:00pm, Sept. 30th 3:00am, 6:00am, 11:00am and 2:00pm.

### ***PAST EVENTS - Rick Friedrich***

- 8/14/05 - Car Show at Veterans Hospital - Fran & Mary Wienstroer. Congratulations to the Wienstroer's for coordinating a successful show. Bob Woods and Bill Dotson picked up the Hooter's girls. Rick Friedrich arranged for the World Bird Sanctuary to have an Eagle present for this event. Watermelons were picked up by Bob Woods at the Oakville Farmer's Market. Had about 30 cars attending the event. Thanks to everyone participating in this successful event.
  - 8/26-28/05 - Carlisle, PA Car Show. Bill Dotson attended from our club. Theresa Luebcke will be coordinating the event next year and is currently checking on available lodging. Bill has an hour long CD on this year's event.
  - 9/1-4/05 - National Corvette Museum celebration. Several people from our club attended the celebration. Attendance was down this year due to the gas prices and Hurricane Katrina.
- 9/3/05 - Car Show (Fund Raising Event) in Columbia, IL by Columbia Kiwanis Club. Bob and Chris Woods attended the first annual car show in Columbia with Ron and June Huch. Ron and June's son, Jeff, coordinated the event for the Columbia Kiwanis Club. Proceeds of the event went to a couple who have had a lot of illness. One hundred and thirty entries plus 30 motorcycles attended this yearly, very successful event. Hopefully more people from our club will attend next year.

***SPONTANEOUS EVENTS*** - Rick Frierdich -- No spontaneous events occurred throughout the month.

***FUTURE EVENTS*** - Rick Frierdich in absence of Rich Luebcke (vacationing in Colorado).

1. 9/17 - POW-MIA Awareness March to the Arch - Call Bob Tucker if interested.
  2. 9/17 - Car show at Babler State Park - starts at 11am. Awards at 4:30pm. Want 1982 or older cars. \$10 entry fee. Contact Jim Wand if interested.
  3. 9/16-18 - Mid America Funfest in Effingham, IL-- Entertainment by the Beach Boys. See Bob Tucker if interested in caravanning to this event.
  4. 9/24/05 - Club Picnic - Babler State Park/Alta Pavilion - STLCC Board to coordinate. Members to bring own drinks and a dish to share. September club event.
  5. 9/29/05 - Eureka Springs Weekend. If interested in caravanning, meet at 8am on 9/29 in Eureka at I-44 and Allenton. Any questions, call Marty Dooley.
  6. 10/15-16/05 - Autocross Event with Route 66 Corvette Club. October club event. Carl Ballinger is coordinating the event on behalf of the St. Louis Corvette Club. Carl will be meeting with the volunteers in the very near future.
  7. 11/05/05 - Veterans Day Parade coordinated by Rick Frierdich - our November club event. Meet at I-44 and Hampton - time to be announced later by Rick. See Rick if need a flag. He has a POW and a Navy flag available. You are to fly the American flag on the right side of the car. If you are a veteran, you need to fly the service flag on the left side. More details will be available at a later date.
- 12/10 - Club Holiday Banquet at Berkshire Grill. Rich Luebcke is sponsoring the December club event.

**Raffles - 50/50, etc.**

50/50 - \$39 won by Ron Huch.

**Monthly Birthday Cake**

Thanks to Jackie and Charlie Miget for purchasing the monthly birthday cake.

Motion made and seconded to adjourn the meeting at 8:30 pm.

*Respectfully submitted,*

*June J. Huch  
2005 Secretary*

ST. LOUIS CORVETTE CLUB  
THURSDAY NIGHT DINNER SCHEDULE

Meet at 6:30 p.m.

Sept. - October, 2005

Date	Restaurant	Location	Phone No.
October 6	Graham's Grill	612 W. Woodbine Ave., west of Kirkwood Road (Entertainment Cpn)	314-965-2003
October 13	Texas Roadhouse	1220 S. Kirkwood Road, north of I-44 (by Lowe's/Walmart)	314-822-0800
October 20	El Maguay	135 Concord Plaza, So. Lindbergh at Baptist Church Road (near Hessler's Pub)	314-843-8265
October 27	UNO Chicago Grille	1224 So. Kirkwood Road (by Texas Roadhouse)	314-835-9600

Contact Marty & Judy Dooley for September Dinners

[Jmdooley6493@aol.com](mailto:Jmdooley6493@aol.com)

314-894-0303

Contact Ron and Carol Miesner for October Dinners

[Miesnerc@cs.com](mailto:Miesnerc@cs.com)

314-842-5049

# St. Louis Corvette Club Statement of Accounts

Report submitted by: Fran Wienstroer

Treasurer

<u>Balance</u>	August 20, 2005	\$5,581.08
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Income:

50/50 Monies	\$39.00
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Club Event (sold flags)	\$135.00
	<u>\$5,755.08</u>

Disbursements:

Newsletter	\$94.27
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Club flags	\$417.70
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VA fund - supplies	\$114.56
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National Corvette Museum (Brick)	\$600.00
	<u>\$4,528.55</u>

<u>Club Ending Balance</u>	September 20, 2005	<b>\$4,528.55</b>
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VA Fund	\$0.00
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# 6<sup>th</sup> ANNUAL OCTOBERCROSS

Oct. 15<sup>th</sup> & 16<sup>th</sup> 2005



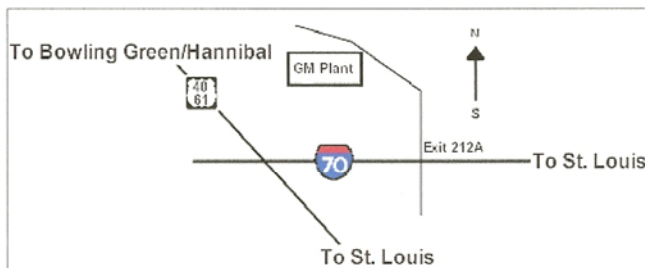
## 10 Low-Speed Autocross Event Weekend



### FOOD AND DRINKS WILL BE AVAILABLE AT THE TRACK

- \*MUST present valid drivers license to participate
- \*NCCC card required for points earning
- \*NO alcoholic beverages permitted during the events
- \*ALL persons on premises MUST sign waiver form

EVENT	SANCTION	CHAIRPERSON	DATE	REGISTRATION Closes	EVENT BEGINS	LOCATION
Low Speed 1 Day 1	MW-470-147	Chris Reitz MW-470-0013L	Oct 15	10:15 AM	10:30 AM	GM Assembly Plant Wentzville, MO
Low Speed 2 Day 1	MW-470-148	Dale VanDeven MW-470-0068	Oct 15	Start of Second Event	20 min. after end of first event	GM Assembly Plant Wentzville, MO
Low Speed 3 Day 1	MW-470-149	Randy Moore MW-470-0059	Oct 15	Start of Third Event	20 min. after end of second event	GM Assembly Plant Wentzville, MO
Low Speed 4 Day 1	MW-522-150	Carl Ballinger MW-522-0003	Oct 15	Start of Fourth Event	20 min. after end third event	GM Assembly Plant Wentzville, MO
Low Speed 5 Day 1	MW-522-151	Carl Ballinger MW-522-0003	Oct 15	Start of Fifth Event	20 min after end fourth event	GM Assembly Plant Wentzville, MO
Low Speed 6 Day 2	MW-470-152	Tom Reitz MW-470-0014	Oct 16	8:45 AM	9:00 AM	GM Assembly Plant Wentzville, MO
Low Speed 7 Day 2	MW-470-153	Gary Wren MW-470-0055	Oct 16	Start of Seventh Event	20 min after end sixth event	GM Assembly Plant Wentzville, MO
Low Speed 8 Day 2	MW-522-154	Carl Ballinger MW-522-0003	Oct 16	Start of Eighth Event	20 min after end seventh event	GM Assembly Plant Wentzville, MO
Low Speed 9 Day 2	MW-522-155	Carl Ballinger MW-522-0003	Oct 16	Start of Ninth Event	20 min after end eighth event	GM Assembly Plant Wentzville, MO
Low Speed 10 Day 2	MW-522-156	Carl Ballinger MW-522-0003	Oct 16	Start of Tenth Event	20 min after end ninth event	GM Assembly Plant Wentzville, MO



### SATURDAY SCHEDULE

- >Registration & Tech. 8:30 am until 10:00 am,
- >Driver's meeting at 10:15 am,
- >First car off at 10:30 am

### SUNDAY SCHEDULE

- >Registration & Tech. 7:30 am until 8:30 am
- >Driver's meeting at 8:45 am
- >First car off at 9:00 am

**Exhaust: Open or Closed allowed**

R66CC Governor

Tom Reitz

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STLCC Governor

Carl Ballinger

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### ENTRY FEE:

- >\$10.00 per event for NCCC members
- >\$15.00 per event for non-NCCC persons
- >NCCC only pre-register \$80.00 for all 10 events ONLY! Due by Oct. 8<sup>th</sup>, 2005

**ROUTE 66 CORVETTE CLUB &  
ST. LOUIS CORVETTE CLUB  
OCTOBERCROSS  
October 15<sup>th</sup> & 16<sup>th</sup>, 2005**

<b>Driver #1 Registration</b>		(Please print or type)	
Name:			
Address:			
City:	State:	Zip Code:	
Phone Number			
Home:	Work:		
NCCC #	Club Name		
<b>Driver #2 Registration</b>		(Please print or type)	
Name:			
Address:			
City:	State:	Zip Code:	
Phone Number			
Home:	Work:		
NCCC #	Club Name		

**SPEED EVENTS**

	DRIVER #1		DRIVER #2		QTY	FEES		TOTAL
	CAR YEAR	GROUP/CLASS	CAR YEAR	GROUP/CLASS		EARLY REGISTRATION	DAY OF REGISTRATION	
Day 1 & 2 (10events) NCCC						\$80.00 ALL 10 EVENTS	\$100.00 ALL 10 EVENTS	
Day 1 & 2 (10events) Non-NCCC						N/A	\$150.00 ALL 10 EVENTS	
NCCC Per Event Price						N/A	\$10.00	
Non-NCCC Per Event Price						N/A	\$15.00	
MAKE CHECKS PAYABLE TO: <b>ROUTE 66 CORVETTE CLUB</b>						TOTAL		
MAIL COMPLETED FORM TO: TOM REITZ, 5 Hillcrest Estates Lane, St. Peters, MO 63376 (636) 978-4486 or (314) 496-3155 Deadline for Pre Registration is October 8, 2005.								
WAIVER: The following is a RELEASE. It releases the National Council of Corvette Clubs, Route 66 Corvette Club, their sponsors and any other persons connected with these events of ALL RESPONSIBILITY.								
Signature Driver #1				Signature Driver #2				
IN CASE OF EMERGENCY CONTACT:				ADDRESS:		PHONE #		
NAME:								



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## Meeting Location

**Hessler's Pub**  
**11804 Tesson Ferry**

Directions:

East of I-270 on Tesson Ferry  
between 270 and Lindberg.

## Next meeting

*As a courtesy to our  
members, no smoking is  
permitted during the  
meeting.*

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