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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 its activities. To respect the differences and wishes of each STLCC club

MESSAGE FROM YOUR PRESIDENT

Hi Everyone,

What a beautiful April we've had! It was great to see all those Corvettes out at the meeting! We had a great turn out for the April meeting and if you missed it, you missed an awesome meal!

We had two great moments at the April meeting. As you know the Gateway Hemophilia Association was voted on as the charity that we would sponsor this year. We presented our donation check of \$1,500 to the Gateway Hemophilia Association, Danille Flores and Bridget Tyrey. Secondly we were thrilled to see that the Mouse Race event brought in \$8,615 for the veterans at Jefferson Barracks. Once again I would like to thank Chris, Karen & Ruth for their outstanding efforts, and also to all of you that participated in making this a great event.

It was nice to have Bill (the mechanic) from ELCO stop by the meeting and offer if anyone had questions regarding their car to give him a call.

Upcoming events include the garden cleanup at the VA Hospital on April 24, our first Fritz's run on April 25, and then some folks are headed to Tunica on April 30th. Please read Judy Barron's minutes for future events.

Don't forget it's easy to sponsor a run for the club. A good example came during our meeting last month when Jean Dupont on the spur of the moment said, "hey anyone interested in a run to the Wittmond Hotel Sunday"? Just like that he put a group together.

Thanks and see you soon! Save the Wave!

Sincerely,

Randy Howard

St. Louis Corvette Club Meeting April 6, 2010 - Sunset Lakes Banquet Center

The meeting was called to order at 7:00 p.m. by President Randy Howard. The Pledge of Allegiance was recited and everyone was welcomed to the meeting. Randy introduced the board members. He reminded everyone to sign the attendance sheet and also buy 50-50 tickets.

Gateway To Fun Mickeet Region NCCC

Guests

Randy introduced two guests: Bill & Sharon Piant, owners of a

2003 red Corvette, and Don & Linda Womble, owners of a 1996 green Corvette. He also introduced our new member, Craig Cobler, who has a 1968 red Corvette. Craig was very nervous about the rain--he had his top down!

Treasurer's Report

Ann Brown read the treasurer's report. Rich Doerr made a motion to accept the report and Ken Barron seconded it.

Secretary's Minutes

There were no changes to the minutes. Patty Craig accepted the minutes and Ken Barron seconded it.

Membership Report

We have 92 members, 14 associate members and one lifetime member. Ruth Howard recognized all birthdays and anniversaries for April 2010. Ruth also read a nice e-mail from Kevin Bayliss for the package he received from the club. He also thanked the club for involving his wife in all the activities.

National Corvette Museum Ambassador's Report

Judy Dooly has some very interesting things to do at the museum. She also has some trips planned. If you are interested, please e-mail or call Judy Dooly.

Sponsor Report

Bill from ELCO service department was at our meeting and talked about service on our Corvettes. He said you could call him on his cell phone (314) 852-8214 if you need help. Bob Woods asked him about the color on his car and how to match the paint. Michelle Paillou also asked about the color of her car. Elco would like to have a car show June 26, 2010. They would like to have a bout 20 cars. They would also like to have a car show October 23, 2010.

National Council of Corvette Club Governor's Report

All NCCC member renewal packets should be in your hands now. If you didn't get them call or e-mail Rich Luebcke.

Our opportunity at the 2011 National Convention has changed from Concours judging to leading the People's Choice Car Show in downtown Tinly Park.

If you want to get one day free at Bloomington Gold this year (6/24-6/27), sign up to man the 2011 convention booth for the day. See Rich Luebcke for more information.

There are 1,990 members in the Midwest region, and 15,890 members nationally in 266 clubs.

The deadline for scholarship application is May 15, 2010. The process is now available online from the NCCC website.

The website and newsletter contests are still going on.

The NCCC has a bunch of companies that help sponsor our activities. Please support them.

The NCCC will be doing the Friday road rally during Funfest this year.

Let's get our kids and grandkids into FCOA.

The NCCC charity committee is looking for volunteers. If you're interested, let Rich Luebcke know.

Committee Reports

<u>Charity Committee:</u> Karen Price introduced Danille Flores and Bridget Tyrey from the Gateway Hemophilia Association. They introduced some children from the hemophilia camp. They showed a film about the camp. The children talked about the things they do at camp. It is rewarding to see all they do for the children. A donation check from the club in the amount of \$1500 was presented to Danille and Bridget by Randy Howard and Karen Price.

There were no other reports from any other committee.

Prior Events

The mouse races were a huge success. Karen Price, Chris Woods and Ruth Howard did a wonderful job putting this together. They thanked all of the club members that helped make this such a great success. We raised \$8,615.00 after expenses. They retired the donation can that we put out for the VA hospital!

Happy hour at Jilly's was a huge success! Thanks to Karen & Mike Price.

New Events

Dave and Glenda Davidson will be picking up their new cyber gray metallic Corvette April 12, 2010!

Jeff Craig has planned a ride to Mid-America for an Accessorize Your Ride weekend workshop on April 17, 2010. Contact Jeff for more information.

On April 18, 2010, there will be a charity event for Amanda Runyon at Prime Summit, LLC, 508 Mae Court, High Ridge, MO from 11:00 a.m. to 3:00 p.m.

Our first Fritz's Ice Cream run is April 25, 2010 at 6:00 p.m.!

We will be leaving April 30, 2010 for our trip to Tunica at 7:30 a.m. We will meet in the parking lot of the Schnucks at Interstate 55 and Butler Hill. Please try to be there by 7:00 or 7:15 a.m.

We will also have a C-5/C-6 Museum bash on the same day as Tunica (4/30).

On June 4, 2010, there will have a parade in Wentzville. More information will follow.

We will have a car show at the Cox & Cohea dealership, More information will follow.

The Webster Groves annual 4th of July parade will be on July 3rd! Michelle will have more information.

We reserved the same place for our picnic, to be held this year on September 26, 2010. More information will follow.

Our Christmas party is planned for December 4, 2010 at Sunset Lakes Banquet Center.

<u>50/50</u>

Carl & Pat Cox won \$108.00 in the 50-50 raffle.

New Business:

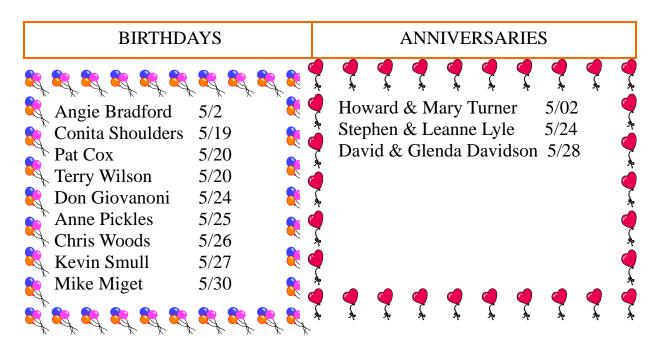
Thanks to Rich and Mary Doerr for bringing the cake this month.

We had 53 members at our meeting this month.

Judy Dooly made a motion to adjourn the meeting at 8:00 p.m. and Bob Woods seconded it. The next meeting will be held May 4, 2010.

Respectfully submitted,

Judy Barron



Mexican Fiesta Ground Beef Shredded Chicken Soft and Hard Taco Shells Mexican Rice Refried Beans Shredded Lettuce, Tomatoes, Cheese, Shredded Lettuce, Tomatoes, Cheese, Guacamole, Sour Cream, Taco Sauce Onions, and Sautéed Pepper Chips and Salsa Taco Salad	Here is the menu for	the May meeting:
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Thanks, Tammy	Chips and Salsa	Taco Salad
	Thanks, Tammy	

From Judy Dooley National Corvette Museum Ambassador



New Driving Simulators Open

The National Corvette Museum has welcomed two new driving simulators to the Performance Area! The simulators are open daily 8am to 4:30pm to Museum visitors and included with regular admission. Guests can reserve a 15 minute block of time on a simulator at the admissions counter. The simulators are an educational tool and guests must be at least 16 years of age or have a valid learner's permit or drivers license to operate them. Guests of any age are welcome to observe. Read more here.



TWO Corvettes to be Raffled During Bash!

Our annual C5/C6 Bash brings two great chances to win a Corvette! Friday, April 30 at 3:30pm CT we draw a winner for our 2010 Crystal Red ZR1. This raffle also has a 2nd prize for \$1,000 and 3rd prize for \$500. Tickets are \$500 and the raffle is limited to 638 tickets. As of Tuesday, April 27 we have **only sold 263 tickets**!

Saturday, May 1 we draw a winner for our popular 2010 Torch Red Convertible Corvette! Tickets are only \$10 each with an unlimited number of tickets available.



PRETTY AS A PICTURE

IT WASN'T THERE A MINUTE AGO



REALLY I PLANTED IT HERE

MAYBE I PLANTED IT TOO DEEP

PUT THE SHOVEL DOWN AND STEP AWAY

HAH TOLD YOU SO-I WIN YOU LOSE





DAVID AND GLENDA DAVIDSON AT THEIR CORVETTE MUSEUM DELIVERY OF THEIR NEW CALLOWAY GRAND SPORT. BEAUTIFUL CAR DAVID.





ANY GUESSES TO WHERE THESE PEOPLE WERE AND WHAT THEY WERE DOING?

JERRY CRAIG'S NEW RACER—OOPS WRONG PICTURE. ON THE RIGHT IS JERRY'S NEW RACER COMPLIMENTS OF SOME HOURS LOGGED BY JEFF CRAIG. ANOTHER





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April 14, 2010

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Gateway Hemophilia Association gratefully acknowledges and thanks you for your generous contribution of \$1,500.00 to our 2010 Camp Notaclotamongus. This camp is so important to our kids, teaching them to take care of themselves and make educated decisions regarding their healthcare and activities. Gateway Hemophilia Association expresses gratitude for your loyalty to and support of our community. We are looking forward to continuing our working relationship with your company in the future.

Sincerely,

nancy Shelps

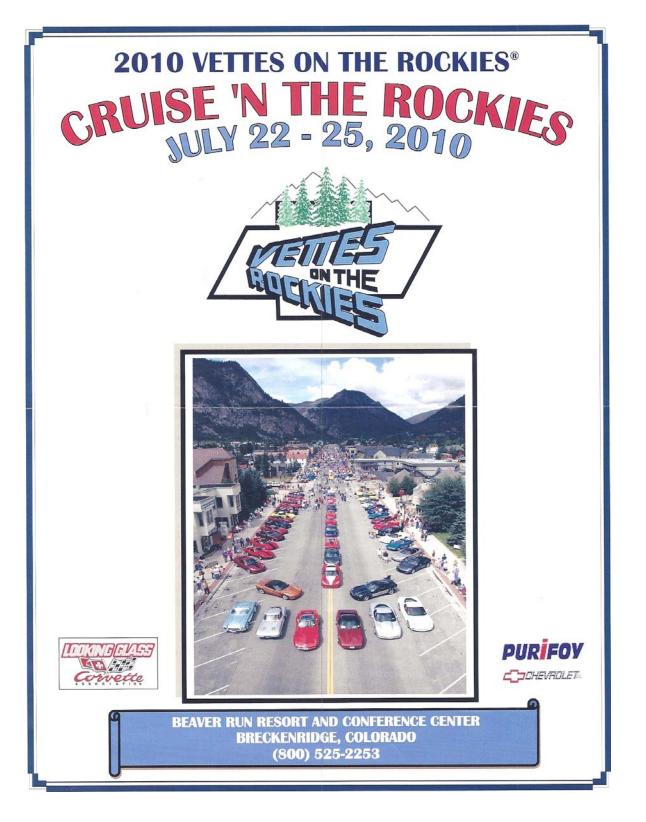
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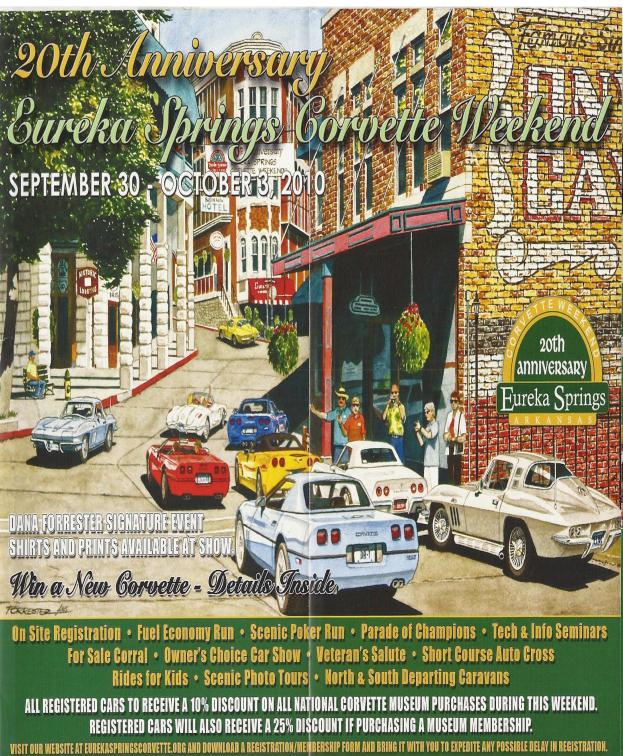
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