



# The St. Louis Corvette Club Newsletter



January 2016

## STLCC Upcoming Events

January 2, 2016	Prices' 12 <sup>th</sup> Day of Christmas Party
January 10, 2016	Club Planning Meeting



Your 2015-2016 Board

### President's Letter

My Fellow STLCC Members,

Hopefully everyone has survived the holidays. It looks like 2016 is shaping up to be another banner year for the club. Don't forget the planning meeting on January 10. We need your input for events this coming year. The club is only as good as you make it.

I'm looking forward to another exciting year!

Mike



## Birthdays and Anniversaries



Ann Sedovic	Jan 4	Mike and Charlene Wozniak	Jan 16
Mary Ann Hagenow	Jan 9	Randy and Ruth Howard	Jan 19
Mike Price	Jan 11	Mike and Glenda Walsh	Jan 22
Kathy Craig	Jan 12		
Ken Dahman	Jan 17		
Larry Akins	Jan 20		
Don Bradford	Jan 22		
Michelle Paillou	Jan 23		
Marty Dooley	Jan 25		
Carl Cox	Jan 26		
Jackie Miget	Jan 31		



### NCM Ambassador Report



Only 2 more meetings to purchase your ticket for the February Raffle car.  
Here are the statics about the car:

2016 Torch Red Stingray Corvette Coupe to be drawn Thursday, February 11, 2016 at 2 pm CT

2016 Torch Red Stingray Corvette Coupe 6.2 Liter V8 460 HP Engine 8-Speed Paddle-Shift Automatic Transmission Multi-Mode Performance Exhaust Chrome Aluminum Wheels 2LT Equipment Group with Black Leather Interior including Head-Up Display, Heated and Ventilated Seats, Bose 10-Speaker Audio System, Universal Home Remote Chevrolet MyLink Audio System with Navigation 1-Piece Painted Removable Roof Panel Battery Protection Package Corvette Museum Delivery Unlimited Tickets

Tickets: \$10

If you purchase a ticket for me, you will be put into a small raffle for a NCM tote bag.

There will be lots of events at the National Corvette Museum this year, so be sure to plan ahead.

Judy Dooley  
NCM Ambassador

P. S. Don't forget about the NCM Bash on April 28-30.

## Club Christmas Party

The club Christmas party was a success as always. Thanks to Chris and Judy for making the event enjoyable for everyone. Also thanks to Pam for making the club gifts. The food was delicious and Ruth's slide show was the highlight of the evening, although I wonder where she gets some of those pictures! Everyone looked great as always and the club has already made reservations for next year. Here are some of the pictures and check the website for more.



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If you witnessed Ruth's slide show then there is no need to explain this picture.



Thanks to Elco Chevrolet for sponsoring our club!

### Out of Town Visitors

New Associate members Richard and Fancy Loch came to St. Louis just for the Christmas Party! While they were in town Carl Ballinger and I took them to some of the local sights. We had a great couple of days. With Richard's welding skills I think he wants to buy the City Museum. They even let us up to the top of the building which was closed off at the time. Naturally Richard had to go down the 10 story slide. Carl and I were not as brave. Here is a picture of our visit to the brewery.

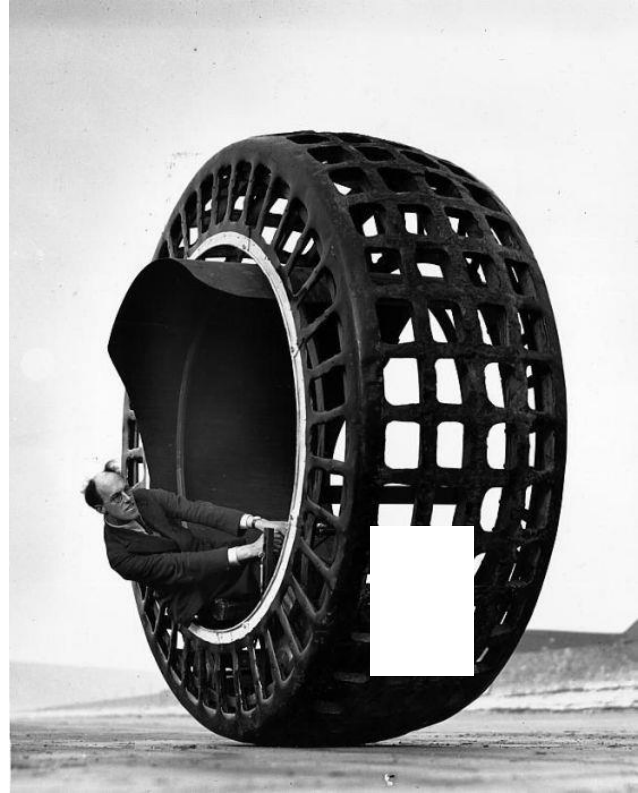


Jerry Craig sent an email to me recently with picture of some old (and unique) cars. Here are a few for your enjoyment.





I think Mike Kirby used this after his recent knee surgery!



### Upcoming Events

The Prices' will be hosting their famous "Twelfth Day of Christmas" party on Saturday, January 2, 2016 at their house. For the third year we will be having an ugly sweater contest with fabulous prizes. Party begins at 6:00pm and please bring a dish or dessert to share. I think Mike has already started decorating!



The next regular meeting will be our annual planning meeting. It will be on Sunday, January 10 at Grand Slam. We will be having a buffet lunch consisting of sliced beef & chicken and dollar buns to make sandwiches, potatoes, dessert & veggies. Cost is \$12 plus taxes and your drink. Lunch begins at noon with the meeting beginning at 1:00pm. Remember to bring your ideas for things we might want to do this coming year. Some events, like the parades, we do every year but the board is always looking for new events. And it's never too early to plan a big event like we seem to do every summer. If you were not at the November meeting, please email Carl Ballinger at [vettnst.att.net](mailto:vettnst.att.net) to let him know you will be at the meeting so Grand Slam can be prepared.

It appears that the Kusky's Christmas in July event is a big hit. Based on the latest emails I've seen all the rooms at the Wagon Wheel are sold out. Bob is working on getting more rooms nearby so please contact him soon. We haven't even had snow yet this season and everybody is ready to get back on the road!

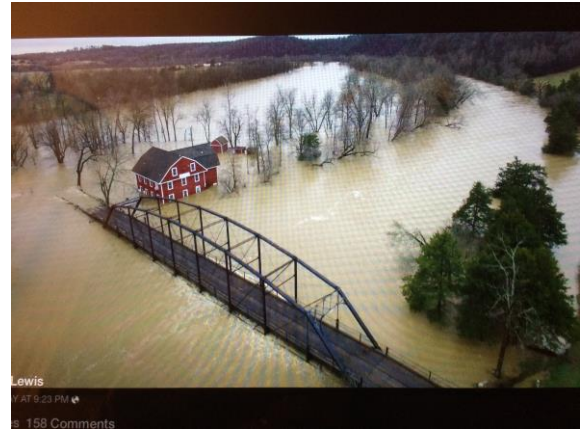
### A C4 bites the dust

Check out this link: [http://www.corvetteblogger.com/2015/12/16/accident-c4-corvette-owner-survives-crash-with-duc-driver-that-should-have-killed-him/?utm\\_source=feedburner&utm\\_medium=feed&utm\\_campaign=Feed%3A+CorvetteBlogger+%28Corv](http://www.corvetteblogger.com/2015/12/16/accident-c4-corvette-owner-survives-crash-with-duc-driver-that-should-have-killed-him/?utm_source=feedburner&utm_medium=feed&utm_campaign=Feed%3A+CorvetteBlogger+%28Corv)

[ette%3A+Sales%2C+News+%26+Lifestyle%29](#). It's painful to look at as a fellow C4 owner but it looks like the car did it's job and saved the driver.

### Flooding

Those of you who have been to Eureka Springs have probably driven out to the War Eagle Mill. Check out this picture Ruth Howard found via Facebook of the mill now. Hopefully everyone locally is doing all right. I would image if we were still meeting at the golf course we would not be having a meeting.



### In Our Thoughts and Prayers

I have not heard of any new member who is having health issues so hopefully everyone is doing OK. We will continue to send our best wishes to Jerry Craig for his recovery. And we want to also wish him a Happy Retirement!

**BE SURE TO CHECK ALL THE PICTURES ON OUR WEBSITE**

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