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President's Message

February Greetings:

There is hope, winter does not last forever. Yesterday was a great day. The sun came out; it had rained so the roads were clear. It was corvette kind of day, you know, one of the few days in the middle of winter that you can take the cover off, disconnect the battery tender, fire it up and go for a ride. It was awesome and I hope some you got to take advantage of the break in the weather as well. We are off to a great start in 2017; we had a good planning meeting with lots of great ideas and suggestions for events and club get together's. Mike and I sincerely appreciate all of your input and suggestions for club activities. If you could not attend the planning meeting but have an event in mind or you would like to sponsor an event but don't know how to plan it, no problem. We have lots of event veterans that can advise you or partner with you. First step talks to Mike Grubb to make sure your proposed dates are ok and to get event advice. Jerry Craig also published in the last newsletter a great outline for putting together events. That's what makes our club so unique, lots of great people willing to help!!!!!!!

Stay tuned in, watch your calendars for upcoming events and see you at our next meeting February 7th, at Grand Slam. Meeting starts at 7 PM dinner from

5:30.
Seize the Day
Ray & Mike

February Birthdays:

Mark Kessinger Feb 2
Craig Brown Feb 5
Mike Kirby Feb 15
Dennis Trost Feb 16
Eric DeBruin Feb 17
June Fain Feb 19
Steve Kirby Feb 19
Richard Loch Feb 19
Barbie Payne Feb 21
Mike Walsh Feb 21

February Anniversaries

Judy and Marty Dooley Feb 7
Richard and Fancy Loch Feb 26

January Meeting Minutes

The St. Louis Corvette Club met at Grand Slam Bar and Grill in Fenton for the annual event planning meeting.

The meeting was called to order by President Ray Queen on January 8, 2017 at 2:00 pm and the Pledge of Allegiance was recited.

The Introduction of Officers is as follows: President- Ray Queen, Vice President- Mike Grubb, Secretary- Ron Hagenow, Treasurer- Don Pickles, Sergeant at Arms- Michelle Finn, and Membership- Judy Giovanoni. Our sponsors were not present.

Ray welcomed everyone and thanked the old board and new board for their service. Everyone was asked to introduce themselves and tell everyone what Corvettes they have.

Ray reminded everyone about the sign in sheet, 50/50 tickets, and attendance prize.

Ray asked for approval of the November meeting minutes. Michelle Finn made a motion they be approved and it was seconded by Chris Woods. The motion passed.

Judy gave an abbreviated membership report. We currently have 94 regular members, 18 associate members, 3 lifetime members and 4 sponsors.

Since this was the annual planning meeting, there were no Treasurer's report, NCM Ambassador's report, NCCC Governor's report, Newsletter Editor's report, Website report, ELCO sponsor's report nor any committee reports.

At this point Vice President Mike Grubb took over the meeting and presented a calendar of events he had prepared. As he progressed through each month, members added events they would like to include. Listed below are the events scheduled:

January

18th – Monthly retirees lunch

February

7th – Monthly meeting

11th – Missouri Veterans Home Trivia sponsored by Jeff and Patty Craig

15th – Monthly retirees lunch

19th – Valentine's Day brunch (place to be determined)

March

4th – Crazy Bowl at Lemay Ferry lanes with food afterwards at Don and Ann Pickles' house (sponsored by Dooleys and Howards)

7th – Monthly meeting

15th – Monthly retirees lunch

25th – Little Egypt car rally (sponsored by Jeff and Patty Craig)

26th – Fritz's

Other possible events for March are a shooting event sponsored by Tom Marlo and a painting party sponsored by Michelle Finn. More information at the next meeting.

April

4th – Monthly meeting

8th – VA Garden cleanup and lunch (11:00 to about 1:00 – sponsored by Dooleys and Prices)

19th – Monthly retirees lunch

27th to 30th – NCM Bash

30th – Fritz's

May

2nd – Monthly meeting

- 17th – Monthly retirees lunch
- 18th – 20th – NCM C4 Bash
- 21st – VA garden planting sponsored by Dooleys and Prices
- 28th – Fritz's

Another possible even for May is a train trip to Hermann sponsored by the Pickles and Doerrs.

June

- 6th – Monthly meeting
- 7th – 11th – Chula Vista (Wisc. Dells) Corvette Event (sponsored by Steve Kirby)
- 10th – 11th – 100th anniversary of Scott AFB
- 17th – NCM Lemans viewing party
- 17th – Luau at Grubbs (sponsored by Mike and Laurie Grubb)
- 21st – Monthly retirees lunch
- 22nd – 24th – Bloomington Gold
- 25th – Fritz's
- 30th – Drive your Corvette to Work (or not) – usually Mimi's Café for brunch and Sugarcreek Winery afterwards (sponsored by Peggy Craig)

Other possible events for June are an ELCO Car show and horse race at Fairmont Park possibly on the 24th.

July

- 4th – Webster Groves July 4th Parade and lunch afterwards at Prices (sponsored by Michelle Paillou)
- 11th – Meeting date – moved from July 4th
- 15th - 16th – Christmas in July (sponsored by Kuskys)
- 19th – Monthly retirees lunch
- 30th – Fritz's

Other possible events for July are VA garden cleanup and Walkers Bluff run.

August

- 1st – Monthly meeting
- 12th – Pub 231 Car Show (sponsored by Akins and Murrays)
- 12th – Crestwood Car Show (
- 16th – Monthly retirees lunch
- 21 – 26 – NCCC Convention in Bowling Green (sponsored by Jeff and Patty Craig)
- 27th – Fritz's
- 31 – September 2 – 23rd Anniversary at NCM (sponsored by Dooleys)

Other possible events for August are a mystery run sponsored by Migets and Dooleys and Pub 231 Happy Hour sponsored by Murrays.

September

1st – 2nd – NCM Anniversary

5th – Monthly meeting

14th – 16th – Funfest

16th – 17th – Route 66/St. Louis Corvette Club Autocross (sponsored by the Craigs)

20th – Monthly retirees lunch

23rd – Club Picnic (sponsored by Sandy and Mike Kirby)

24th – Fritz's

30th – Josephine's Tea Room for the ladies (sponsored by Ruth Howard)

October

3rd – Monthly meeting

5th – 8th – Eureka Springs

18th – Monthly retirees lunch

29th – Fritz's

November

1st – Monthly meeting

9th – 11th – NCM Vettes for Vets

11th – St. Louis Veterans Day Parade (sponsored by Hagenow)

15th – Monthly retirees lunch

December

2nd – Club Christmas Party at Royale Orleans (sponsored by Chris Woods and Judy Dooley)

A couple of other events were mentioned and will be checked out further. Possibly visit to Jim Weddle's car collection (we did this about 4 years ago) as well as a club visit/work weekend to the NCM.

Thank you to the Kuskys for bringing the cake. Next month the cake will be brought by the Marlos.

The 50/50 winner was Michelle Paillou with \$80.

There were 55 members in attendance.

Several attendance prizes were also awarded as well as a gift certificate to Bob Kerin.

The next meeting will be on February 1, 2017.

Mike Kunst made a motion that the meeting be adjourned and it was seconded by Ruth Howard. The motion passed.

Thank you for attending. Drive Safely, Save the Wave and always have fun!

Respectfully Submitted by Ron Hagenow - Secretary



VALENTINE DAY LUNCHEON

FEBRUARY 12TH - 1:00pm

FRANKIE GIANINO'S

1209 IMPERIAL MAIN ST.

IMPERIAL, MO 63052

*Please meet at the Schnucks parking lot at
Butler Hill Road & I-55 South
for departure at 12:40.*

*If you are interested in attending please email
Valerie Zeisset at val56@aol.com no later than
February 7th*

Food will be order off the menu

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Valentine Luncheon sponsored by the Howard's & Zeisset's



Retired Lunch and Everyone Welcome

Here are the details for the February Luncheon:

Wednesday, **February 15**, 1:00

Tuckers South, 3939 Union Rd, 63125

See their menu at www.tuckersplace.com at click on "South County" for that location's details and menu.

Please let Ruth know by February 12 if you plan to attend.

rhoward15@charter.net



CRAZY BOWL

Saturday March 4, 2017

Show-Me Lanes

4575 Lemay Ferry Rd.

St. Louis, Mo. 63129

Arrive by 5:45 pm bowling starts at 6:00 pm

\$7 per person for 2 games of

Bowling and shoes.

After bowling we have been so graciously invited back to Don & Anne Pickles house for food and awards ceremony. Just like last year there will be sandwiches and we ask that members bring an appetizer or dessert to share and your beverage of choice. **Additional price for sandwiches will most likely be the same as last year \$3.50 per person. Will confirm that before event.**

Please pay with cash night of event.

Please rsvp to Judy at jmdooley6493@aol.com or Ruth at rhoward15@charter.net. There will be a signup sheet at meeting.

Event is sponsored by the Dooley's and Howard's

NCM Bash April 27-29, 2017

The NCM Bash Registration is now open. This is the first BIG event at the National Corvette Museum of the year. This is the first chance to see next years cars, colors, and new options. Use the NCM web sight for a list of all the events and seminars and to register for the event. If you are planning on attending this event, this is the time to book your hotel room also.

30 years of Callaway Corvette is on exhibit from Jan. 30, 2017 to May 5, 2017.

We are looking into a club visit to the Museum this year. We will discuss this at a future meeting.

Judy & Marty Dooley
NCM Ambassadors

Notes and Non-Calendar Events

Static Cling Decals

Several years ago the club ordered vinyl static clings with our club logo for our cars. We generally use these for the parades. They are roughly 24" x 24" and stick right to our fiberglass cars with no marks. The cost will depend on how many we order but they will probably run between \$15 and \$20 each. There will be an order sheet at the next couple of meetings but if you want some and won't be at a meeting you can just email me with how many you want. My email is hagenow1@charter.net.

Ron Hagenow

June 7 Chula Vista

This note from Mike Grubb is for those going or thinking of going to the Chula Vista Corvette Adventures trip in Wisconsin in June:

Ray and I spoke this morning about the Chula Vista Trip. I don't think we have been clear communicating the details. The dates of the event are June 8-10. However it is a six hour drive and we are planning on driving up early on Wednesday the 7th because the events start early on June 8th and they go late into the night on June 10th so we will not be departing Wisconsin Dells until Sunday morning June 11th. We just want everyone to be clear that they need to book the hotel for June 7th, 8th, 9th, and 10th.

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- 25 High School Car & Truck
- 26 Motorcycle Open

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REGISTRATION AT 8 AM, AWARDS @ 3:00 PM

SPECIAL THANKS TO THE WATERLOO HIGH SCHOOL CAR CLUB FOR THEIR ASSISTANCE WITH THE SHOW!

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618.410.2431 kevin@v8tv.net

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