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ROUTE 66 CORVETTE CLUB



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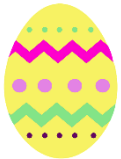
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Meeting Location

First Thursday of each month @ 7:00 pm
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Vice President
Jeff Schweikert

Directors
Sean Leary
Detta Nelson
Lynda Rothweil

Governor
Tom Reitz



Treasurer
Rich Weinhold

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Bob Isermann

Secretary
Nancy Strieb
(Interim)



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Audit
Kevin Ryan

Newsletter
Lynda Rothweil

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Bob Isermann
Mike Spathelf

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Tom Reitz

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Bob Lamb
Nancy Streib

Social
Bob Isermann





PRESIDENT'S LETTER

April 2020



As March leaves us and April springs forward during pandemic event, our club is no longer concerned with car shows, social agendas, anniversary plans or upcoming monthly meetings. However, we are concerned with your safety, health and welfare. Although, our Corvette club is a fun and rewarding hobby, it is our personal families and friends that bind us together during these uncharted times.



During the next several weeks or months, my thoughts and prayers are with all of you and your loved ones who may be dealing with financial issues, unemployment, health concerns or a sense of isolation.

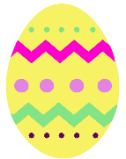


On behalf of the Board of Directors and Officers of the Route 66 Corvette Club, I want all of you to know that we are here for you, we are a family as well.

God Bless you all!

"We Love our Cars, but Stay for the People!"

Bill Mitchell,
President,
Route 66 Corvette Club



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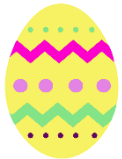
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BOD Meeting



Below are the FINAL results of an online vote requested of the Board of Directors on March 17, 2020 on three topics related to the COVID-19 pandemic and the associated impact on Club operations. We have a majority consensus on each topic.

NOTE: Tom R indicated he would be with his parents and will not likely have an opportunity to respond.



Club Meetings

Cancel the April and May Club Meetings (no adverse reflection on perfect attendance)



I APPROVE:

Bob Isermann
Sean Leary
Detta Nelson
Lynda Rothweil
Rich Weinhold
Nancy Streib

I DO NOT APPROVE:

None

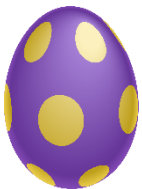
DID NOT VOTE:

Tom Reitz



Car Show

Postpone the May 16th scheduled Car Show until a later date to be determined in 2020



I APPROVE:

Bob Isermann
Sean Leary
Detta Nelson
Lynda Rothweil
Rich Weinhold
Nancy Streib

I DO NOT APPROVE:

None

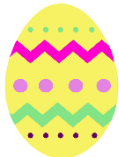
DID NOT VOTE:

Tom Reitz



Secretary - Emergency Waiver of Article VII, Section 5

Approve an emergency waiver to the Route 66 Corvette Club constitution. Article VII, Section 5 to extend Nancy Streib's interim appointment as Secretary indefinitely until a vote can be held at the next Club meeting, since the cancellation of the April and May Club meetings will not allow the special election within the required sixty day period for the general membership.



I APPROVE:

Bob Isermann
Sean Leary
Detta Nelson
Lynda Rothweil
Rich Weinhold
Nancy Streib

I DO NOT APPROVE:

None

DID NOT VOTE:

Tom Reitz



(NON) Meeting Minutes



Old Hickory Golf Club, St. Peters, Missouri

ROUTE 66 CORVETTE CLUB

April 2, 2020 – CANCELLED due to Covid-19

Transcribed by Jeff Schweikert and recorded/edited by Lynda Rothweil

Members Present:

None

Meeting Cancelled

Next meeting TBD

Guests:

None

The April 2020 meeting was cancelled by President, Bill Mitchell

Introduction of Officers:

President: Bill Mitchell

Vice President: Jeff Schweikert

Secretary: Open

Treasurer: Rich Weinhold

Directors: Sean Leary

Detta Nelson

Lynda Rothweil

Past President: Bob Isermann

Governor: Tom Reitz



Shrine Circus Parade





Introduction of Committee Chairs:

Audit & Financial Planning: Kevin Ryan
Autocross-Technical-Trailer: Tom Reitz
Car Show: Orville Caupp & Sean Leary
Charity: Howard Sardis
Membership: Bob Lamb & Nancy Streib
Newsletter: Lynda Rothweil

Nominating: TBD
Rules & Regulations: Lynda Rothweil
Social: Bob Lam & Nancy Streib
Sponsorship: Bob Isermann & Mike Spathelf
NCM Ambassador: Mike Spathelf
Website & Graphics: Joe Anelle



President's Remarks: Bill Mitchell

- None



Membership Anniversaries:

14 Years – Shelly Gracey
11 Years – Bob & Barb Isermann
08 Years – Greg & Chris Fultz
05 Years – Kevin & Joan Ryan
03 Years – Howard Sardis

02 Years – Betty Baumann & Jeff Schweikert
Peggy Craig
Michael & Lorrie McMillen
01 Years - David & Joan Hecht



Introduction of New Members / Guests:

- None



Corrections, Approval of the March 2020 Minutes as Stated in the Monthly Road Notes:

Description: DEFERRED - Motion will be made at the next applicable meeting
Motion: --
Second: --
Type: YAY / NAY - show of hands
Result: --



Treasurer Report: Rich Weinhold

See Full Report

All payments can be made through <https://www.route66corvetteclubsq.shop/>

- Balance
- Deposits for March
- Expenses for March
- April Forecast:
 - Income: Car Show Pre-Registration Fees
 - Expenses: 2 car show refunds





Governor's Report: Tom Reitz

See Full Report

- See Tom's report for information on upcoming Autocross
- NCCC Governor's meeting for May is cancelled



Autocross: Tom Reitz

See Full Report

- Location Change
- Still planning to execute event
- Plans IF cancels



Technical & Trailer: Tom Reitz

- None



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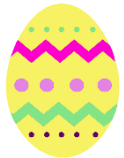
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Vice President's Report: Jeff Schweikert

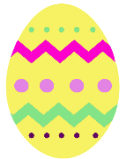
- Nothing to Report





NCM Ambassador Report: Mike Spathelf

- New Online Car Show Coming to NCM
 - The National Corvette Museum is hosting an “online car show” as a way to keep spirits high, keep enthusiasts engaged and to continue promoting the car hobby during these unprecedented times. Submissions are accepted online only April 6-12, 2020. Cost to enter is \$10 per car, per category. Celebrity Choice Judging begins the week of April 13. Winners will be announced on Thursday, April 23 with an online video! One dash plaque per household will be mailed to entrants, as well as awards for each category.
 - <https://www.corvettemuseum.org/onlinecarshow/>
- Raffle Ticket Process / Update
 - 3 different raffles ending April 24th, April 25th and April 30th
 - Can sign up to participate in raffles via the NCM website
 - <https://raffle.corvettemuseum.org/index.cfm>
 - If you are not located in Kentucky, you will have to use a credit card
 - Will be encrypted
- Vettecademy
 - 11 videos geared towards school-age kids (and adults), offering at-home educational and entertaining episodes on various aspects of Corvette.
 - <https://www.corvettemuseum.org/explore/educational-programs/vettecademy/>



March Birthday

Bash





Committee Reports



Social: Bob Isermann

- As everyone knows, due to the Coronavirus, all social activities for April and May have been canceled.
 - If there are any changes, we will let everyone know.
- Be safe out there. We are all living through a cycle that we thought we would never see. Together, we will beat this terrible virus.



Rules and Regulations: Lynda Rothweil

- Proposed Standing Rules – Section 2.6 modification (highlighted below)
- Will be Motioned and Voted on at the next physical meeting, possibly June

Current

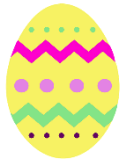
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Proposed

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Exceptions to Section 2.6 may be made for certain Preferred Vendors with whom the Club vetted and has a significant ongoing mutual relationship. Those Preferred Vendors include:

*Poage Chevrolet
Old Hickory Golf Club
Shirt Kong*





Membership: Bob Lamb / Nancy Streib

- No change
 - Membership Count = 126



Website & Graphics: Joe Anelle

- Website Updates
 - May 16th Car Show cancellation
- Updates to be executed in near future
 - Social Committee Chair
 - Redirect the Secretary email address
 - Removal of Points Log references



Road Notes: Lynda Rothweil

- No updates



Charity: Howard Sardis

- Nothing to report

Tech Korner: Les Waganer

<http://route66corvetteclub.com/techkorner.html>

The newest topic added is “What do you know about the GM Global B electrical architecture?”

Please see Tech Korner for the articles (link above). Please contact Les directly if you would like to receive his Tech Korner emails for the most up-to-date articles.

20th Anniversary Party: Bob Isermann

- Saturday, July 25th at Old Hickory Golf Club at 5:30pm
- No further planning since March meeting
- Currently no plans to postpone
 - \$27.95 per person
 - Two entrees
 - Cake
 - Band
 - Cash Bar
 - Decorations, Raffle and Dancing
 - Club subsidizing to make the cost be \$2





Car Show: Orville Caupp & Sean Leary

- Date: POSTPONED until further notice
- Location: Poage Chevrolet, Wentzville
- Ours is a Car Show event for the benefit of the USO of Missouri
- Volunteers are still needed
 - Set Up / Tear Down
 - Parking
 - Silent Auction / Raffle Ticket Sales
 - Auction Items
 - Food Prep Assistance
 - Judging / Tabulation / Awards



Car Show Events Around the Area: Randy Moore

- Everything has been cancelled until further notice

Sponsorship: Bob Isermann & Mike Spathelf

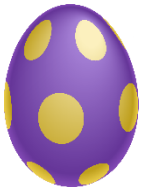
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Facebook: Jeff Schweikert

- We currently have 471 people following our Facebook page.

<https://www.facebook.com/route66corvette/>



Knowledge Data Base: Les Waganer

- Nothing to report

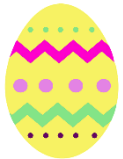


Old Business:

- None

New Business:

- None





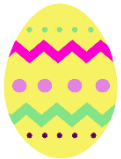
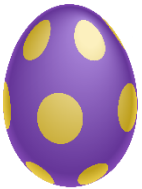
Announcements:

- Poage Chevrolet, Randy Wells
 - Currently offering 0% Financing available (84 months) PLUS no monthly payment for the first 120 days. (some restrictions apply)
 - Appreciate all of the support from Poage



Wear Your Pride: Tom Reitz

February meeting, \$30 pot was won by Leo Czerniewski, Congratulations Leo!
 At our next meeting, whenever that may be, the pot starts over at \$10 so remember to wear your "Route 66 Corvette Club" shirt, jacket, or hat. Also known as "Wear Your Pride"!





Governor's Report

March 2020



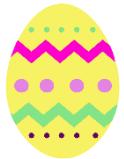
NCCC STUFF

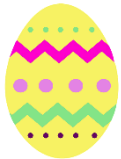
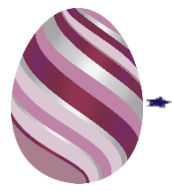
- Up-coming events:
 - April 25-26th, 14 events in Pekin, IL ****CANCELLED****
 - May 9-10th, 14 events in Rantoul, IL.
 - ~OR~ 14 events at Grissom AFB in Peru, IN
 - May 16-17th, 14 events in Shelbyville, TN
 - May 23-25th, 21 events in Rantoul, IL
 - May 30-31st, 8 HIGH speed events at Putnam Park, IN
 - June 6-7th, 14 events at Grissom AFB in Peru, IN
- The NCCC Governor's meeting scheduled for May 1st and 2nd in St. Louis has been **CANCELLED**
- NCCC sanctioned events are being cancelled in progression
 - Cancellation notices are usually about 30 days prior to the event
 - This trend is expected to continue.
 - The May 9-10th events in both Rantoul, IL and Grissom AFB in Indiana are still **"on"** as of this writing
 - Same with events scheduled after that.
 - Subject to change at any time.
 - Please check the NCCC website or contact your club Governor prior to heading to an event, as it may have been cancelled.



AUTOCROSS

- This year we will have our autocross on the same weekend as last year, June 27-28.
- **IMPORTANT INFORMATION:**
 - This year it will be at the St. Charles County Airport
 - Also known as "Smartt Field"
 - Located on Grafton Ferry Rd in Portage Des Souix, MO
 - As of this writing the event is still scheduled to take place.
 - Any cancelling of this event will be decided late May, about 7 weeks from now.
 - Any rescheduling for 2020 will be virtually impossible
 - If cancelled, will start on planning for 2021 autocross event





April

Barb Isermann
 Kevin Ryan
 Tom Kriegermeier
 Les Waganer
 Howard Sardis
 Bob Bradley
 Peggy Craig

April 3rd
 April 10th
 April 12th
 April 17th
 April 18th
 April 19th
 April 20th

May

Jeff Schweikert
 Lynda Rothweil
 Craig Besand
 Travis Johnson
 Randy Moore
 Laura Raup
 Chad Isakson
 Shelly Gracey
 Chad Vanlandingham

May 3rd
 May 5th
 May 15th
 May 18th
 May 18th
 May 18
 May 22nd
 May 28th
 May 29th



2020 Calendar of Events



April Schedule of Events

April 1 Social Committee Meeting *CANCELLED*
April 2 Route 66 Meeting *CANCELLED*
April 12 Easter
April 18 Birthday Bash *CANCELLED*
April 25 Columbia Cup *POSTPONED*

May Schedule of Events

May 2 May Birthday Bash *CANCELLED*
May 5 Cinco de Mayo
May 7 Route 66 Meeting *CANCELLED*
May 10 Mother's Day
May 16 Rt66 Car Show *POSTPONED*
May 25 Memorial Day



Event details are listed in the
website calendar:

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



Gasoline Alley



Tell Me Something Good!!

Washington teacher Kim Kelly missed her kindergarten students, so she safely delivered teddy bears to them! Kim says of her students, "I miss them so much."



Did You Know??

Did you know a lobsters blood is colorless but when exposed to oxygen it turns blue



Thought of the Day...

The misfortune of the wise is better than the prosperity of the fool.

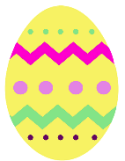
~Epicurus



Tips for a Life Time:

Have a backup plan.

You never know when the unexpected is going to happen, but when it does happen, you're surrounded by chaos. Being prepared for the worst case scenario can at least make things a whole lot less chaotic. Having a three-to-six month nest egg will make the difference.





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