

# Road Notes

## ROUTE 66 CORVETTE CLUB



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# Meeting Location

First Thursday of each month @ 7:00 pm  
January thru November



Old Hickory Golf Course  
#1 Dye Club Drive  
St. Peters, MO 63302  
636-477-8960

<http://www.OldHickoryGC.com>





# Club Officials

## President

Bill Mitchell

## Vice President

Jeff Schweikert

## Treasurer

Rich Weinhold

## Directors

Sean Leary

Detta Nelson

Lynda Rothweil

## Past President

Bob Isermann

## Governor

Tom Reitz

## Secretary

Nancy Streib

# Committee Chairs

## Audit

Kevin Ryan

## Newsletter

Lynda Rothweil

## Sponsorship

Bob Isermann

Mike Spathelf

## Autocross

Tom Reitz

## NCM Ambassador

Mike Spathelf

## Technical

Tom Reitz

## Car Show

Orville Caupp

## Nomination

TBD

## Trailer

Tom Reitz

## Charity

Howard Sardis

## Rules & Regulations

Lynda Rothweil

## Website

Joe Anelle

## Membership

Bob Lamb

Nancy Streib

## Social

Bob Isermann

# PRESIDENT'S LETTER

December 2020

Hello everyone, I pray that all of you had a wonderful and blessed Thanksgiving. I know many of you were disappointed that our club had to cancel our annual Christmas party due to Covid-19. Yes, this has been a year to forget for all of us, but I believe we can look forward to next year and the wonderful possibility that the new vaccine will bring healing and normalcy to our lives.

The holidays are fast approaching which means gift buying, family and reflecting on the meaning of Christmas. Plus looking anxiously toward a new year.

I want to take this opportunity to wish each of you a Merry Christmas and Happy New Year. Thank you so much for being a part of this wonderful corvette club. Your continued support and loyalty is appreciated by myself, our officers and board members.

Bill Mitchell  
President  
Route 66 Corvette Club



*Merry Christmas*





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# Meeting Minutes

## ROUTE 66 CORVETTE CLUB

Old Hickory Golf Club, St. Peters, Missouri

## No Scheduled Meeting for December

### Members Present:

None

### Guests:

None



### Introduction of Officers:

President: Bill Mitchell  
Vice President: Jeff Schweikert  
Secretary: Nancy Streib  
Treasurer: Rich Weinhold

Directors: Sean Leary  
          Detta Nelson  
          Lynda Rothweil  
Past President: Bob Isermann  
Governor: Tom Reitz

### 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 Isermann  
*Sponsorship:* Bob Isermann & Mike Spathelf  
*NCM Ambassador:* Mike Spathelf  
*Website & Graphics:* Joe Anelle



## Presidents Opening Remarks:

- None

## Membership Anniversaries:

07 Years – Tim Masten

02 Years – Joel Hauk

Mike Hicks

Elmer Weis



## Introduction of New Members / Guests:

- None

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

- None

## Treasurer Report: Rich Weinhold

*See Full Report*

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

- Balance
- Deposits for October
- Expenses for October
- November Forecast:



## Governor's Report: Tom Reitz

*See Full Report*

- See Tom's report for information on upcoming Autocross
- November NCCC meeting canceled and will be online and virtual

## Autocross: Tom Reitz

*See Full Report*

- See Governor's Report





### Technical & Trailer: Tom Reitz

- **Trailer Update:**
  - Nothing to report
- **Technical:**
  - Nothing to report

### Vice President's Report: Jeff Schweikert

- We need volunteers for our annual Car Show to be held at Pogue Chevrolet in Wentzville, MO.
  - Our two Car Show Chairpersons will not be rejoining our club for 2021.
  - We need a new team
  - Reminder all proceeds go to the USO.
  - Our 2019 Car show donated \$5400.00 to the USO; this was net after expenses. We had over 100 cars judged, even though another large car show was held on that same date.

### NCM Ambassador Report: Mike Spathelf

- Raffles:
  - A C8 White Convertible will be raffled on 12/3. Tickets are \$200.
  - <http://www.corvettemuseum.org>, go to Raffles section
- The store has a lot of sales now and free shipping on any order over \$50.00
- Motorsports park (racetrack) has Christmas lights until January 3, 2021.

*Merry  
Christmas*



# USO Donation



# Committee Reports

## **Social: Bob Isermann**

Our social get-togethers are a little slow at this time of the year, and COVID-19 is not helping. Unfortunately, we had to cancel our Christmas and 20th Anniversary party, but it was the right thing to do. Safety first. Those who chose to meet up at the Botanical Gardens on Sunday, November 22, sure had a good time. The lights were fantastic. A big thanks go out to Nancy Streib for putting this together again this year!

So, we have another new year ahead of us, and I am working on a social team to develop new ideas. Not everything new because we do have our favorites, but coming up with other things to do. I am working on developing a team to help me out with this. I'm looking for a mix of people, some members that have been around for some time, new members, and new members that came from other clubs to join ours. I know every member of our club knows of something that would be enjoyable for us all, and the social team is going to tap into these ideas that you have.

We are a club that usually has a pretty full calendar—something for everyone. Many of us enjoy road runs to various locations—some like meeting up for lunch or dinner at some restaurant. I know many of you know of places where you have been that maybe our club would like to try out. Perhaps even bring back some of the places we haven't been in a long time. Some destinations may take in one or two nights. I know that many of our members still work, so our team will try to work things into weekends; however, many are retired who can do things during the week.

If you know of anything that you feel our club would enjoy doing together, let me know. Just give me a quick email, and I or someone from the social team, when developed, will be making contact with you.

Remember, a car club, any car club, is something you join to enjoy each other's company. The Route 66 Corvette Club has accomplished this each year but let's make 2021 even better. I realize we are battling COVID-19, so that has been a deterrent for most of this year, but we still tried to get out as a club to have fun.

**Bottom line:** If you feel you would like to get involved in our club in coming up with social activities to help guide our club into 2021, email me and let me know. We join a club to get together with others with the same passion, and that is our cars. This is the team that puts FUN into the Route 66 Corvette Club.

Merry Christmas & Happy New Year!





## Rules and Regulations: Lynda Rothweil

- Had started the review process all official club documents to streamline
  - After in depth reading, it appears not very many changes will be made
  - Still to be discussed with committee and Board of Directions before presenting to the club.

## Membership: Bob Lamb / Nancy Streib

- Membership Count = 148

## Website & Graphics: Joe Anelle

- Website Updates
  - Added photo of USO donation to website
- Graphics Updates:
  - Has five banner concepts for review with the Board of Directors if they want to provide input and approval.



## Road Notes: Lynda Rothweil

- No updates

## Charity: Howard Sardis

- Nothing to report

## Something Fun: Les Waganer

We can still travel while staying home. Click here [Drive & Listen](#)

You can set the speed of the vehicle, street noise and music. You can turn off the music and listen to the street noise. You can drive in 50 cities around the world and spend as much time in any one of them while “driving”. Pick the city of your choice from the list in the upper right.



## Tech Korner: Les Waganer

- Sign up through Les Waganer: [leswaganer@gmail.com](mailto:leswaganer@gmail.com)

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

*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.*

## Car Show: Orville Caupp

It has been an absolute pleasure and privilege to be a part of the Route 66 Corvette Club and chair of the Car Show Committee over the past 5 years. A special thanks to our president Bob Isermann and the committee at that time for prodding and ushering me along. The committee in 2016 included Bob Isermann, Ron R, Les W, Sean L, Mike S, Bob L, Detta N, Noel W, John H, last but not least, Lynda R. Special recognition to Tom R for hauling the trailer each year. When there was no plan for a car show site, thanks to American Legion Post 313, we landed in Old Town St. Peters in the HOBOS American Legion parking lot.

It truly demands a committee and it worked well, thanks to all of you. Merry Christmas, Happy New Year to all.

See you at the 2021 Car Show

## Car Show Events Around the Area: Randy Moore

- Everything has been cancelled until further notice

## Sponsor: Randy Well, Poage

- Contact Randy for sales or repairs

## Facebook: Jeff Schweikert

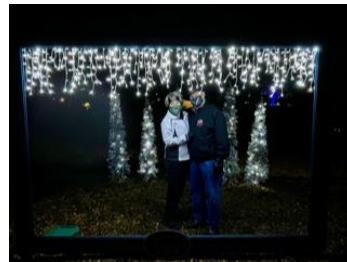
We currently have 511 followers

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





# Garden Glow





## Knowledge Data Base: Les Waganer

- Nothing to report

## Old Business:

- None

## New Business:

If any member would like a shirt / jacket with club logo:

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



## Sponsorship: Bob Isermann

Poage Chevrolet (Randy W) purchased two corvettes, one from Les Waganer, and one from Laura and Mark Westhoff. Laura and Mark are previous club members. Randy W took excellent care of them and they are both happy with the final deals. Both cars were in perfect shape with very low mileage.

I talked to Joel, and he is working on putting together a page off their website for any club member who wants to sell their car. You will be able to list your car there. At this time, I am not sure of the details involved. Again, this page is to list only club member cars. More information is coming.

## Announcements:

- None

## 50/50 Drawing: Chris Fultz

50/50 was not conducted

Total Collect: \$0

Total PalPax: \$0

Winner: \$0

Winner: None



## Wear Your Pride: Tom Reitz

- Remember to wear your "Route 66 Corvette Club" shirt, jacket, or hat. Also known as "Wear Your Pride"!
- Basic rules: pins and name tags do not count. Must be an article of clothing. The pot rolls over every month if is not claimed, increasing by \$10 per meeting until claimed. After the pot is claimed, the total starts over at \$10.
- Will be resumed at the next meeting starting at \$30 from November.

# Governor's Report



December 2020

## NCCC STUFF

- Nothing new to report

## AUTOCROSS

- Nothing new to report



# Happy Birthday

## December



Sean Leary  
Gary Weinhold  
Theresa Ekiss  
Dave Metzger  
Mardee Beckman  
Bob Lamb  
Vickie Besand  
Ian Rendell  
Sherri Dobner  
Richard Weinhold  
Noel Wilson  
Russ Tharp

December 3<sup>rd</sup>  
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December 31<sup>st</sup>

## January

George Kimble  
William Thompson  
Camille Caupp  
Joel Hauk  
Tom Northcott  
Ron Reynolds  
Greg Patterson  
Joan Ryan  
Cindy Lawson

January 15<sup>th</sup>  
January 18<sup>th</sup>  
January 20<sup>th</sup>  
January 22<sup>nd</sup>  
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January 30<sup>th</sup>





# 2020 Calendar of Events



## December Schedule of Events

December 5	Christmas Party <b>**CANCELED*</b>
December 24	Christmas Eve
December 25	Christmas Day
December 31	New Years Eve

## January Schedule of Events

January 1	New Years Day
January 7	Club Meeting



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!!

21-year-old Jake's parents were told he may never lead a "normal" life because of his Down syndrome. Today he's delivering packages for UPS, saving up for an engagement ring and inspiring others.

Click link for full story and video: [Jake](#)

## Did You Know??

Reindeer like bananas.



## Thought of the Day...

Pay off your credit cards every month



## Tips for a Lifetime:

### Travel

Traveling is a great way to develop a person's character and become more open-minded. Also, traveling is a great way to get away from the daily grind and it helps you appreciate what you have back at home.



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