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ROUTE 66 CORVETTE CLUB



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First Thursday of each month @ 7:00 pm
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Old Hickory Golf Course
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Rich Weinhold

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Lynda Rothweil

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Bob Isermann

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Kevin Ryan

Newsletter

Lynda Rothweil

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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

Nancy Streib

PRESIDENT'S LETTER

March 2020

As we begin the month of March we are all looking forward to warmer weather, club events and the opportunity to drive our corvettes. This is the time too when so many members of the club are working hard planning our 2020 Corvette Car Show which is will be held at Poage Chevrolet on May 16th. Please consider volunteering for this event, the club is in need of members to help work this event. As you know all the proceeds go to the USO and we are anticipating an excellent turnout.

Later in the summer, our autocross will be held at a new venue, the St. Charles Airport, this change was made because the St. Charles Family Arena was not available.

I am happy to report that Nancy Streib has volunteered to take on the responsibilities of Secretary for our club and Bob Isermann will step in and take on the role of Chairperson for the Social Committee. I want to thank them for their help and support.

Lastly, please take an opportunity to review our calendar of events and consider participating, there are a wide range of activities that can be enjoyed. Remember, you as an individual are the Route 66 Corvette Club. Without your help, support and participation, there would not be club.

I hope all of you will enjoy the warming temperatures and the chance to drive your corvettes during this month.

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

Bill Mitchell,
President,
Route 66 Corvette Club



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Meeting Minutes

ROUTE 66 CORVETTE CLUB

Old Hickory Golf Club, St. Peters, Missouri

March 5, 2020

Transcribed by Jeff Schweikert and recorded/edited by Lynda Rothweil

Members Present:

Besand, Craig	Miller, Matt	Spathelf, Jan
Caupp, Orville	Mitchell, Bill	Spathelf, Mike
Czerniewski, Leo	Nelson, Detta	Streib, Nancy
Fultz, Chris	Nelson, Ron	Sutton, Jim
Fultz, Greg	Reidy, Mike	Sutton, Linda
Hicks, Mike	Reitz, Chris	Vanlandingham, Chad
Isakson, Chad	Reitz, Tom	Wagner, Les
Isakson, Misty	Reynold, Ron	Wagner, Sharon
Isermann, Bob	Rothweil, Lynda	Weinhold, Rich
Jacobson, Mike	Ryan, Joan	Weis, Elmer
Koenig, Bob	Ryan, Kevin	Wells, Randy
Koenig, Michelle	Sardis, Howard	Wilson, Noel
Kriegermeier, Tom	Schweikert, Jeff	Wortkoetter, Deb
Lamb, Bob	Seifried, Ron	Wortkoetter, Jim

Guests:

Valencia (Howard Sardis' niece)

The March 2020 meeting was called to order by President, Bill Mitchell, at 7:00 pm

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

Not in attendance: Sean Leary

February Birthday Bash





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

Not in attendance: Joe Anelle, Sean Leary

President's Remarks: Bill Mitchell

- Working on the car show! Please volunteer to help us make this a successful car show.
- Tom will be speaking about some exciting changes for our Autocross.
- Last weekend, we had our Birthday Bash. Over 20 people showed up.
- We set up an impromptu Road Run that was about an hour and a half drive to Prairie Du Rocher to visit the historic Fort de Chartres on the Mississippi.
- We are working on our 20th Anniversary Celebration and have a lot of exciting things in store.
- We've been doing the Car Show for a long time. All of the proceeds outside of our expenses goes to the USO. If you don't participate in the Car Show, we'd really like for everyone to make a contribution. Also, please consider working, gathering donations, sponsorships, etc. for the Car Show as it benefits the Missouri USO.
- Kay Bedwell has stepped down as the Secretary. If you would like to volunteer to participate in this important role, please let us know.

Membership Anniversaries:

18 Years – Randy & Karen Moore

3 Years – Bill & Theresa Ekiss

12 Years – Dave Metzger

1 Years – Chad & Mindy Isakson

10 Years – Chad & Jennifer Vanlandingham

Introduction of New Members / Guests:

- Announced Jeff Gutherz & Suzanne Greer although not present

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

Description: Motion made to accept minutes from last meeting as approved and final

Motion: Lynda Rothweil

Second: Chad Vanlandingham

Type: YAY / NAY - show of hands

Result: PASSED



Treasurer Report: Rich Weinhold

See Full Report

All payments can be made through <https://www.route66corvetteclubsg.shop/>

- Balance
- Deposits for February
- Expenses for February
- February Forecast:
 - Income: Car Show Pre-Registration Fees
 - Expenses: Remaining Approved Charity Donations



Governor's Report: Tom Reitz

See Full Report

- Midwest Region Banquet in Chicago this weekend, Tom R is attending
- See Tom's report for information on upcoming Autocross schedule
- Thanks to Russ Tharp and Chris Reitz for all their great support to the Regional and National organization
- July 5-10: National NCCC Convention in Indianapolis

Autocross: Tom Reitz

See Full Report

- NOTE LOCATION CHANGE
 - June 27-28 – St. Charles County Airport – Smartt Field
 - Air conditioned
 - Smaller track area
 - Indoor restrooms
 - Can grill and sell food
 - Deck for dining and watching
- Risk if cancelled
 - If it needs to be cancelled due to flooding, may not be able to make charitable contributions in 2021

Description: Motion to accept the proposed budget for Autocross Event

Motion: Greg Fultz

Second: Lynda Rothweil

Type: YAY / NAY - show of hands

Result: PASSED

Technical & Trailer: Tom Reitz

- None



Vice President's Report: Jeff Schweikert

- 20th Anniversary Club Logo
 - Presented new logo from Shirt Kong
 - Shirt Kong has the new logo available and is ready for use
- BOD Meetings
 - Board had met to discuss Autocross options and made the recommendation to proceed with Smartt Field as discussed by Tom Reitz



NCM Ambassador Report: Mike Spathelf

- NCM Updates
 - Cartoon Creations Exhibit
 - 2 Corvettes that have been in Transformer movies
- Plant Tours
 - No news yet
 - As soon as it is available, Mike will identify a couple of dates, but be prepared as they will likely be inundated
- C8 production has started this month
 - Mike has information on the tables
- NCM Motorsports Park
 - Opportunities to drive C-8s and the NCM Motorsports Park
- Raffle Ticket Process / Update
 - Can sign up to participate in raffles via the NCM website
 - If you are not located in Kentucky, you will have to use a credit card
 - Will be encrypted
 - There are currently 4 raffles going on at this time for C-8s



Committee Reports

Rules and Regulations: Lynda Rothweil

- No Updates

Membership: Bob Lamb / Nancy Streib

- Membership Count = 126
 - Best number in history for March
 - Up approximately 22% from 2019

Website & Graphics: Joe Anelle (Reported by Lynda Rothweil)

- Joe has made a number of updates on the website
 - Please check it out

Road Notes: Lynda Rothweil

- No updates

Charity: Howard Sardis

- NCCC Scholarship - COMPLETED
- Donation Timeline - Next Meeting - April, 2020
 - COPS
 - Backstoppers, Inc.

Tech Korner: Les Waganer

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

- No Updates



goodbye
FEBRUARY
hello
MARCH

Social: Nancy Streib

- Birthday Bash in February was fantastic
- Christmas Party Discussion

Description: Motion to pay Old Hickory Golf Club a \$500 deposit for Christmas Party

Motion: Bob Lamb

Second: Lynda Rothweil

Type: YAY / NAY - show of hands

Result: PASSED



- Upcoming events in March
 - 7th - Shriners Parade
 - Be lined up at the ACF Foundry at 10:30am
 - Parade starts at 11:00am
 - Come by the Shriners tent afterwards for food and drinks
 - 14th - Birthday Bash
 - Favazza's on the Hill
 - After Favazza's, want to visit the Piazza on the Hill
 - 21st - Shriners Circus
 - Family Arena in St. Charles
 - Ron Reynolds provided a flyer for the upcoming events
 - Tickets are \$15; kids 12 and under are free with an adult ticket purchase
 - Arrive before 1:30pm at the north side of the arena
 - Meet in the tent before for food and beverages
 - Tour of behind the scenes at the Circus starts at 1:30pm
 - After Circus is over, another meal is provided by the Shriners
 - Will have reserved seating for the Club at the Circus
 - Need to let Ron know by no later than 2 days before the Circus (March 19) how many tickets are needed
 - 27th - PHA Trivia Night
 - Nancy and Les Waganer have purchased two tables
 - 28th - Road Run to Hermann (Mike Hicks)
 - Driving tour; all backroads that are very scenic, about 80 miles
 - Will be ending up at the Tin Mill Steakhouse
 - Meet at 9:45 at the east Highway 94 / I-64 commuter lot
 - Bring your Walkie Talkie
- Social Committee Meeting
 - April 1st - Wednesday at 5:30pm - Old Hickory Golf Club
 - Need more Road Runs
- Upcoming events in April
 - 18th - Birthday Bash - Meet at Fast Lane around 9:30am; leave at 11:30am; go to Fast Eddie's
 - 25th - Columbia Cup Car Show

Fort de Chartres



Social Committee Continued:

- Upcoming events in May
 - 2nd - Birthday Bash - Schlafly Brewery
 - 16th - Car Show
- Upcoming events in June
 - 7th - Club Picnic - Brommelsiek Park
 - 21st - Kimmswick Car Show
 - 27-28th - Autocross
- Upcoming events in July
 - 4th - O'Fallon Independence Day Parade
 - See Bill Mitchell for participation
- Any additional ideas, please see Nancy

EVERYBODY'S
IRISH
ON
ST. PATRICK'S
DAY



20th Anniversary Party: Bob Isermann

- Saturday, July 25th at Old Hickory Golf Club at 5:30pm
- Review of Ideas and Costs
 - Will do a club event at Old Hickory Country Club
 - \$27.95 per person
 - Two entrees
 - Cake
 - Band
 - Cash Bar
 - Decorations, Raffle and Dancing
 - Club subsidizing to make the cost be \$20 per person
 - It is Chris Fultz's birthday!!

Car Show: Orville Caupp & Sean Leary

- Date: Saturday, May 16th - Armed Forces Day
- Location: Poage Chevrolet, Wentzville
- Ours is a Car Show event for the benefit of the USO of Missouri
 - It's a big deal
- Volunteers
 - We are going to need a lot of volunteers
 - Parking
 - Tom Kriegermeier
 - Harold Loyd (tentative due to family member need)
 - Judging
 - Going to need 5 teams of 2 people each for Judging
 - Auction / Gift Basket / Raffle
 - Need a chairperson for this committee

- T-Shirts
 - The committee is proposing to continue with a free Car Show T-Shirt for those who pre-register by April 15
- WE NEED YOU! - Volunteers Needed
 - Set Up / Tear Down
 - Parking
 - Silent Auction / Raffle Ticket Sales
 - Auction Items
 - Food Prep Assistance
 - Judging / Tabulation / Awards
- Next Meeting
 - Met in advance of March Club Meeting
 - March 18th



Car Show Events Around the Area: Randy Moore

- April 4th - Corvettes Expo - Corvettes of Enid, OK

Sponsorship: Bob Isermann & Mike Spathelf

- None

Facebook: Jeff Schweikert

- Nothing new to report

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

Knowledge Data Base: Les Waganer

- Nothing to report

Old Business:

- None

New Business:

- Need for Volunteers for the Car Show and Autocross. We don't want to find ourselves in the same situation as Hannibal. Please volunteer.
- Also, remember Joe Anelle
 - We were able to speak with him during the Car Show meeting
 - Please remember him in your thoughts and prayers



Announcements:

- Poage Chevrolet, Randy Wells
 - Currently offering 0% Financing available on everything, including Corvettes (72 months)
 - Appreciate all of the support from Poage

Wear Your Pride: Tom Reitz

Total to Winner: \$30

Winner: Leo Czerniewski

Following Month Carryover Total: \$10

50/50: Chris Fultz

Total collected \$162.00

\$81.00 to PalPax Program

\$81.00 to Michelle Koenig



Adjournment: 8:11pm

Motion: Greg Fultz
Second: Lynda Rothweil
Type: YAY / NAY - voice vote
Result: Passed



Respectfully submitted,
Jeff Schweikert, Vice President (Interim Secretary)
03/05/2020



Governor's Report

March 5, 2020 Meeting



NCCC STUFF

- Up-coming events:
 - March 7th, Midwest Regional Banquet
 - March 21-22nd, 14 events in Shelbyville, TN
 - April 4-5th, 14 events at TireRack in South Bend, IN
 - April 18-19th, 14 events back at Shelbyville
 - April 25-26th, 14 events in Pekin, IL
- Chris R has tickets for sale for a set of Michelin tires. All proceeds go to the NCCC FCOA program. \$20/ticket; Only 200 tickets will be sold.
- Our own Russ Tharp did an excellent job at the Midwest Region Governor's meeting as Regional Treasurer, Thank You Russ, and our own Chris Reitz continues to do an excellent job as National NCCC Treasurer

AUTOCROSS

This year we will have our autocross on the same weekend as last year, June 27-28.

The day after our last meeting, the Family Arena informed me that we could not use their facility until November 28th and 29th so we are not at the arena for 2020. I have worked a deal to try this year's autocross at the St. Charles County Airport. We have a great pricing structure, indoor restrooms, and can still prepare and sell food as we normally do. The site has a huge deck right near starting line for viewing / food area / restrooms. Indoors is air conditioned with the air conditioning actually turned on! The course will be shorter, have lower speeds, and will require only 3 corner worker stations (instead of 6). The Airport Director is excited to work with us on this. Keep in mind, this is a "test" or trial run. So if we do well and the airport is happy, we would be able to return. If we screw up and have problems the test may be ended.

The club approved the budget for the autocross at the February meeting, but with a change in venue I believe we need a motion to change the location from the Family Arena to the St. Charles County Airport. Only difference is the price of the facility rental drops from \$3,200 to \$1,000 for the year 2020.

[see minutes for motion]

Happy Birthday



March

Janet Timmerberg
Scott Walker
Donna Donaldson
Fed Henke
Lorrie McMillen
Matt Miller
Mike Hicks
Harold Loyd
Bill Mitchell
Jan Spathelf

March 2nd
March 2nd
March 6th
March 13th
March 15th
March 15th
March 20th
March 25th
March 30th
March 31st

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



2020 Calendar of Events



March Schedule of Events

March 5	Route 66 Meeting
March 7	Moolah Shrine Parade
March 8	Daylight Savings Time Begins
March 14	Birthday Bash
March 17	St. Patrick's Day
March 21-22	Moolah Shrine Circus
March 27	PHA Trivia Night 2020
March 28	Herman Road Run

April Schedule of Events

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



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!!

A couple flew home with their adopted infant. Strangers threw an impromptu baby shower on the plane.

[Full Story](#)



Did You Know??

Did you know the Hawaiian alphabet has 13 letters

Thought of the Day...

Life is too short to waste time hating anyone



Tips for a Life Time:

Don't hold grudges.

[There is really no need to hold onto a grudge.](#) It can mentally wear you out and makes you miserable. And, doesn't life seem to go a whole lot smoother when you're not angry?



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