# Road Notes ROUTE 66 CORVETTE CLUB



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### **Scavenger Hunt**





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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





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<u>Car Show Committee</u> Kerry Lambright Ron Reynolds

<u>Trailer Committee</u> Bob Lamb Sponsorship/Publicity Committee Noel Wilson

<u>Technical Committee</u> Tom Reitz

<u>Charity Committee</u> Deb & Jim Wortkoetter

Website Committee Joe Anelle



June 2016

Time is flying by, we are already halfway thru the year. Our next big event is the Auto Cross, September 17th & 18th, at the Family Arena. I encourage everyone to get involved, even if it's only for a couple of hours, one day.

I want to thank Carol Gardner and Bob Marsh for the information on the <u>Street Survival School Program</u>. I think it would be a great program to get involved in. The program teaches young people to drive safer, who knows maybe us older folks could learn something as well.

I would once again like to thank Ron Reynolds, and the whole crew for a great Car Show, and Robert & Susan Gilbreath for hosting the show. I look forward to seeing everyone at the 4th of July Parade, more information will be sent out about where to meet in the next couple of weeks, as well as our July Club meeting on the 7th.

Ron Nelson, President Route 66 Corvette Club

## **Meeting Minutes**

#### **ROUTE 66 CORVETTE CLUB**

Old Hickory Golf Club, St. Peters, Missouri June 2, 2016

#### Members Present:

Beckman, Mardee Beckman, Mike Bowers, Rich Bowers, Toni Ekiss, Bill Ekiss, Theresa Fultz, Chris Fultz, Greg Gardner, Carol Gilbreath, Robert Gilbreath, Susan Heidenreich, Brenda Heidenreich, John Henke, Fred Isermann, Barb Isermann, Bob Kleemeyer, Brian Koenig, Bob Koenig, Michelle Leary, Sean Loyd, Harold Marsh, Bob Moore, Karen Moore, Karen Moore, Randy Nelson, Detta Nelson, Ron Reitz, Chris Reitz, Tom Reynolds, Ron Rothweil, Lynda Schlueter, Carolyn Sparks, Terry Spathelf, Jan Spathelf, Mike Statler, Brad Timmerberg, Greg Timmerberg, Janet Vanlandingham, Chad Waganer, Les Waganer, Les Waganer, Sharon Weinhold, Rich Wilson, Noel Wortkoetter, Deb Wortkoetter, Jim

#### Guests:

Sharon McKinnon guest of Terry Sparks

President Ron Nelson called the meeting to order at 7:06 p.m.

#### **Introduction of Officers:**

President – Ron Nelson VP – Mike Spathelf Treasurer – Bob Isermann Secretary – Chris Reitz filling in for Nancy Streib Governor – Tom Reitz

#### President's Remarks:

A BIG Thank You to everyone who made it out to the Car Show. The weather was perfect and everyone had a GREAT time. I want to thank Ron Reynolds and the whole crew for a job well done.

**Birthdays:** Susan Gilbreath on the 2<sup>nd</sup>, Rich Bowers on the 3<sup>rd</sup>, Linda Walker on the 4<sup>th</sup>, Robert Ingram on the 19<sup>th</sup>, Jim Gibson on the 20<sup>th</sup>, Ron Reinhardt on the 23<sup>rd</sup>, Mike Beckman, Mary Morak, Tom Reitz, and Mike Spathelf on the 26<sup>th</sup>

#### Introduction of New Members: None

Corrections to the May Meeting: None

Old Business: None

#### New Business:

July 4<sup>th</sup> Parade: Bob Isermann will go to the meeting to get our number. Ron asked for a show of hands who would be attending. Details for meeting place and time will be emailed out to the members after the meeting with City of O'Fallon.

Motion made by Detta Nelson, 2<sup>nd</sup> by Lynda Rothweil and approved by all to spend \$300.00 for candy for the July 4<sup>th</sup> Parade.

**Street Survival Program**: Bob Marsh and Carol Gardner told us about the program. Defensive driving skills taught to kids under 21 years old. One-on-one driving instructions to be held at the St. Charles Family Arena. Porsche Club, Audi Club are current sponsors. There is cost of \$75.00 to the student and instruction is done in the student's car. Students are permit or licensed drivers. Instructors are all volunteers. Four classes scheduled this year on Saturdays 6/11, 8/13, 9/24, 10/15. You are helping a teenager become a better, safer driver. Online training class for instructors. Google "Street Survival Course" Tire Rack for more information.

**Treasurer and Membership Report:** Bob Isermann See Attached Detailed Financial Report

**Car Show Numbers:** 57 cars in attendance broke all records except 2012. Parking lotto broke all records. Silent Auction broke all records (the baskets were a huge hit). Food broke all records. Donations broke all records. Net Income broke all records. Records date back to 2011.

Mark Twain CC had 7 cars in attendance, which was the most for any club. Mid Missouri had 3 cars, C3 Sharks had 4 cars, Jeff City CC had 1 car and Great River CC had 1 car. Boone Trail CC sent in a couple of donations.

Net Income \$4,463.92 on the car show, which is almost double of previous years.

Autocross Budget has been submitted with an anticipated income of \$1,950.00

Membership is now at 110.

Bob will be sending a donation to the local VFW hall in honor of Kevin Ryan's father's passing.

Car show award was presented to Bob Marsh. Coupons for \$5 off car wash available on front table. Leftover car show shirts are available for sale for \$10. See Detta Nelson.

\*\* Mike won \$250 in the 50/50 and donated \$100 to the USO. I showed the total \$250 in the 50/50 and Donations with the \$100. This gives the true totals in each category. I still had to remove \$100 for the total to add up correctly. Can't put the same \$100 in two locations without deducting to make the totals correct.

#### Comparing back to 2011

57 CarsBroke all records except for 2012Parking LottoBroke all recordsSilent AuctionBroke all recordsFoodBroke all recordsDonationsBroke all recordsNET INCOMEBroke all records

#### **Cars from other clubs**

Mark Twain Corvette Club	7
Mid Missouri Corvette Club	3
C3 Sharks	4
Jeff City Corvette Club	1
Great Rivers Corvette Club	1

\*We had other cars that were not in any clubs

\*Boone Trails – A couple members sent in donations

#### **Anniversaries:**

**1 Year** Carolyn Schlueter

**4 Years** Harold Loyd Joyce Mullet Greg Steward **3 Years** Dale Vandeven

**10 Years** Les & Sharon Waganer

**16 Years** Roger Reinhardt **Governor's Report:** Tom Reitz See Attached Detailed Report

Some of the Auto Cross Events mentioned: 6/4 & 6/5 – 14 low-speed events in Quincy, IL/MO 6/11 & 6/12 - 14 low-speed events at GM Plant in KC, KS 6/18 & 6/19 - 14 low-speed events in Rantoul, IL 6/24 & 6/25 – 7 low-speed, 7 high-speed at Iowa Speedway in Newton, IA

**NCCC Raffle Tickets:** \$50/each with a maximum of 2000 to be sold. Proceeds to benefit St. Jude Children's Hospital. Forms are available on the NCCC website (corvettesnccc.org). Drawing will be held November 12<sup>th</sup> at the Governor's meeting in St. Louis. The winner will receive a voucher for \$54,000 toward the purchase of a new Corvette at the dealership of their choice or \$40,000 in cash.

**FCOA Donation:** Tom received a letter of thanks from Pat Kelly, Director of FCOA and will forward to Linda for the newsletter.

Route 66 CC Autocross: September 17 & 18, 2016 at the St. Charles Family Arena. Club needs volunteers for certain areas of working: Corner Worker Lead (Ron Nelson volunteered) Food Preparation Lead (John Heidenreich volunteered) Tech Inspection Lead (Brian Kleemeyer volunteered) Registration Lead (Chris Reitz volunteered).

We have to be cleared off the lot by 4pm on Saturday, so we will be starting the event a little earlier.

#### **Committee Reports**

#### Sponsorship: Noel Wilson

Thanked Robert for hosting the car show. Robert reported that Ron and Detta Nelson bought a new Traverse. Robert reminded us of the road run on 6/11. Meeting at Brunswick Lanes at 9AM. Robert has a very nice 1979 black/black C3 for sale at his dealership.

By-Laws: Mardee Beckman

The revised and updated version of all club documents (By-Laws, Constitution and Standing Rules) have been sent to Joe Anelle to post on our website. Some members mentioned that the Standing Rules are difficult to read. Mardee asked if an abridged version would be requested. General consensus was that it was not necessary.

Website: Joe Anelle No Report

**Charity**: Jim and Deb Wortkoetter No Report

#### Social: Detta Nelson

6/5 - Club Picnic at noon at Brommelsiek Park, St Charles, MO. See Detta if you need to sign up to bring food or if you are signed up to bring food and can't attend.

6/11 - Scavenger Hunt hosted by Robert and Susan Gilbreath. Meeting at Brunswick Lanes with first car out at 9AM.

7/28-7/30 - Trip to NCM in Bowling Green, KY. He will talk in detail at next month's meeting about this event. If you are planning to attend you will receive an email from the NCM. Please fill it out and return it to get your special name tags. 4 Laps behind a pace car for \$45.00. Plant tours at 2 and 2:15 PM. Road rally around Bowling Green the next morning.

#### Car Show: Ron Reynolds

Car show committee met earlier this evening and went over a few items and started discussion on how to improve for next year. If you are a relatively new member, this is how you get involved in the club, by volunteering. A flyer for next year was included in the registration packet of this year's show and will also be passed out at any other shows members are attending throughout this year. Car Show Events: Randy Moore

6/11 Boone Trail Car Show at the Meadows in Lake St. Louis (conflicts with our Scavenger Hunt)

**Technical:** Tom Reitz None

#### Trailer: Tom Reitz for Bob Lamb

Has anyone seen the ball mount that was donated by Bob Gilbreath for the club trailer, as it appears to be missing? It was in the trailer when it was hauled to Bowling Green but disappeared prior to being returned. If anyone has personal items in the trailer, please remove them. Robert brought the tubes for the club banners to be put back into the trailer.

#### Announcements:

Chad Vanlandingham has a new 2016 Yellow Z51 Convertible in his garage.

To new members and visitors, please get involved with activities as well donations of time for our special events, Club Car Show and Auto Cross.

**50/50**: Chris Fultz \$130 total \$65 to the club \$65 to Mike Spathelf

Motion to adjourn the meeting at 8:12 p.m. made by Karen Moore and seconded by Debbie Wortkoetter.

Respectfully submitted, Chris Reitz for Nancy Streib 4/8/2016

### **Governor's Report**

#### June 2, 2016 Meeting

#### NCCC STUFF

Up-coming events:

- 14 Low Speeds, June 4<sup>th</sup> & 5<sup>th</sup> in Quincy, IL.,
- 14 Low Speeds, June 11<sup>th</sup> & 12<sup>th</sup> in Kansas City, and
- 14 Low Speeds, June 18 & 19<sup>th</sup> in Rantoul, IL.

June 25 & 26<sup>th</sup> Iowa Speedway 14 events, all on the banked oval track and infield road course.

12 Low Speeds, July 2<sup>nd</sup> & 3<sup>rd</sup> in Champaign, IL.

The NCCC Convention is July 18 - 22 in Omaha, NE.

New NCCC Corvette raffle will have 2,000 tickets sold at \$50 each, for a \$54,000 voucher towards a Corvette or \$40,000 cash. Proceeds to benefit the St. Jude Children's Hospital. I DO NOT have tickets at this time. However, they can be purchased at Bloomington Gold, Mid America Funfest, the NCCC convention, at the September 10<sup>th</sup> Governors meeting in STL or off the NCCC website: <u>http://www.corvettesnccc.org/CharityRaffle.html</u> The drawing is scheduled for the November 12<sup>th</sup> Governors meeting in St. Louis.

### Governor's Report Continued

#### AUTOCROSS

I am looking for volunteers to work as heads of specific areas for the autocross.

- Lead corner worker (Ron Nelson volunteered)
- Lead person for food sales and prep (John Heidenreich volunteered)
- Lead tech. Inspection person (Brian Kleemeyer volunteered)
- Lead registration person (Chris Reitz volunteered)

These are all important jobs, yet separate from one another. A "sign-up sheet" will be started at the July meeting for workers to assist those who volunteered for the above positions. Volunteering to help with the autocross helps our club in many ways, please volunteer for at least one day if you can. Dates are Saturday, September 17 and Sunday September 18 at the St. Charles Family Arena. Remember, you CAN both volunteer to help, and race in the autocross at the same time. The club has 4 loaner helmets for new members to try their hand at autocrossing.

# A HUGE THANK YOU

### all the Members of ROUTE 66 CORVETTE CLUB

for your generous donation! The donation will be used to buy something special for our 2016 "perks" packets celebrating FCOA's 25th Anniversary.

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### June Birthdays!

Susan Gilbreath Rich Bowers Linda Walker Robert Ingram Jim Gibson Ron Reinhardt Mike Beckman Mary Morak Tom Reitz Mike Spathelf June 2<sup>nd</sup> June 3<sup>rd</sup> June 4<sup>th</sup> June 20<sup>th</sup> June 23<sup>rd</sup> June 26<sup>th</sup> June 26<sup>th</sup> June 26<sup>th</sup>

### July Birthdays!

July 3<sup>rd</sup>: Jim W & Brian K July 4<sup>th</sup>: Judy B & Tammie K July 7<sup>th</sup>: Fred S July 8<sup>th</sup>: Detta N, Kenny M, Michelle K July 15<sup>th</sup>: Joann A July 16<sup>th</sup>: Bob B July 17<sup>th</sup>: Karen M July 18<sup>th</sup>: Jennifer V & John H July 21<sup>st</sup>: Brad S July 22<sup>nd</sup>: Terry S July 25<sup>th</sup>: Chris F July 28<sup>th</sup>: Deborah W



# 2016 Calendar of Events



#### **July Schedule of Events**

July 4:	Independence Day & 4 <sup>th</sup> of July Parade
July 7:	Corvette Club Meeting; 7:00
July 17-22:	NCCC National Convention, Omaha, NE
July 28-30:	NCM Road Run, Bowling Green, KY

#### **August Schedule of Events**

August 4: Corvette Club Meeting; 7:00

#### www.route66corvetteclub.com

