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CORVETTE CLUB



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CORVETTE

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 -447- 8960

<http://www.OldHickoryGC.com>





Club Officials

President

Bill Mitchell

Vice President

Jeff Schweikert

Treasurer

Rich Weinhold

Directors

Bob Lamb (Interim)

Detta Nelson

Lynda Rothweil

Past President

Bob Isermann

Governor

Tom Reitz

Secretary

Nancy Streib

Committee Chairs

Audit

TBD

Newsletter

Lynda Rothweil

Social

Bob Isermann

Autocross

Tom Reitz

NCM Ambassador

Mike Spathelf

Jan Spathelf

Sponsorship

Bob Isermann

Mike Spathelf

Car Show

Leo Czerniewski

Nomination

TBD

Technical

Tom Reitz

Charity

Howard Sardis

Rules & Regulations

Lynda Rothweil

Trailer

Tom Reitz

Membership

Bob Lamb

Nancy Streib

Website

Joe Anelle

President's Message

February 2021

Well, I am happy to report that our club has had two monthly meetings in a row with excellent turnout. As the months progress, our participation will increase and our club will not only prosper but grow.

It's encouraging that through Bob Isermann's guidance as Social Director and Leo's leadership with the Car Show committee, we are continuing to plan and move forward with social events and our May car show.

These next few months will be exciting and hectic as we prepare for our car show as this is always an important part of our club because the event directly benefits the USO. I would encourage all of you to look at ways you can volunteer and help with this fun event.

I am looking forward to our next club meeting in March as it represents a time when Spring will be at our doorstep and our social events will be increasing.

Please stay safe and healthy.

Bill Mitchell
President
Route 66 Corvette Club



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Meeting Minutes

ROUTE 66 CORVETTE CLUB

Old Hickory Golf Club, St. Peters, Missouri

February 4, 2021

Transcribed by Nancy Streib and recorded/edited by Lynda Rothweil

Members Present:

Clayton, Danny
Clayton, Jeri
Czerniewski, Leo
Czerniewski, Sandy
Davis, Janice
Forthmann, Bill
Forthmann, Debra
Fultz, Chris
Fultz, Greg
Henke, Fred
Hicks, Mike
Isakson, Chad
Isakson, Misty

Isermann, Bob
Kozlowski, John
Kozlowski, Sandy
Lamb, Bob
Lind, Don
Lorimier, Carlene
Lorimier, Don
McMillen, Lori
McMillen, Mike
Mitchell, Bill
Mitchell, Jeanne
Ray, Kirk
Ray, Sheryl

Reitz, Tom
Rothweil, Lynda
Sardis, Howard
Schweikert, Jeff
Seifried, Ron
Shea, MaryLynne
Shea, Ray
Spathelf, Mike
Spathelf, Jan
Streib, Nancy
Tharp, Russ
Vanlandingham, Chad
Weinhold, Rich

Guests:

None

The February 2021 meeting was called to order by President, Bill Mitchell at 7:00pm

Introduction of Officers:

President: Bill Mitchell

Vice President: Jeff Schweikert

Governor: Tom Reitz

Treasurer: Rich Weinhold

Secretary: Nancy Streib

Past President: Bob Isermann

Directors: Bob Lamb (Interim), Detta Nelson, Lynda Rothweil



Introduction of Committee Chairs:

Audit & Financial Planning: TBD

Nominating: TBD

Autocross-Technical-Trailer: Tom Reitz

Rules & Regulations: Lynda Rothweil

Car Show: Leo Czerniewski

Social: Bob Isermann

Charity: Howard Sardis

Sponsorship: Bob Isermann & Mike Spathelf

Membership: Bob Lamb & Nancy Streib

NCM Ambassador: Mike & Jan Spathelf

Newsletter: Lynda Rothweil

Website & Graphics: Joe Anelle

Presidents Opening Remarks:

Bill Mitchell indicated that he is extremely excited about 2021.

Our social committee has been very busy, and we are planning to hold our 2021 Club Car Show at Poage Chevrolet on May 15, 2021, as well. So much is going on including the Auto Cross happening later in the year. Our new members are making such an impact on our club and we thank them for stepping up in various capacities! Old Hickory Golf Club has been so good to us, we would like to support them more. We are being offered a dining membership with the fee of \$100.00 waived. This is such a lovely facility and has so much to offer. Our club plans more activities here and we hope you may help as well.

New Business:

Sean Leary resigned from his Board of Director's position. Bob Lamb stepped forward and was approved as the interim Director. We must elect a new director at our March meeting. Greg Fultz and Bob Lamb has expressed interest in the position along with Mike Spathelf. Bob and Greg both have decided not to run. Leaving Mike as the only candidate.

Mike Spathelf tells the club of his qualifications as a director in this club. Mike and his wife have been members since 2011. He stepped forward to replace our then Vice-President that suddenly died. Mike also has been spending much of his free time at the National Corvette Museum and ultimately is an ambassador. This is Mike's passion and he has worked with our club for and at the museum and is highly active in getting our club to enter the banner project at the Museum. We have won several times including first place.

With no other candidates running for the director position President Bill Mitchell asks for a show of hands to place Mike as the next director. Show of hands, Mike is approved.

Birthday Bash



Banner Auction:

We do have a winner in this event. The person purchased this banner for \$500. He or she request to remain anonymous. THANK YOU FOR THE SUPPORT OF OUR CLUB.

President Bill Mitchell mentions possibilities to use this amount. Maybe purchase baskets for the upcoming car show and the possibility of the investment raising more money for the USO. Other ideas??? Just give the money to the USO since our donation for 2020 was very minimal compared to years past. Discussion is that members can donate completed baskets and bring a bottle of liquor for either a cooler or a wheelbarrow to be auctioned off at the car show. That particular item has brought significant dollars to the USO.

It is decided to table this discussion until the March meeting.

Membership Anniversaries:

We would like to recognize our Charter members on this 21st Anniversary of our Club – Route 66 Corvette Club!

- Joe and Jo Ann Anelle
- Tom and Chris Reitz
- Scott and Linda Walker
- Noel and Carol Wilson

Thanks to all of YOU!!!

10 years - Lynda Rothweil

06 years - Ron and Jackie Reynolds

05 years - Jim and Catherine Gibson

02 years - Leo and Sandy Czerniewski and Randy Wells

And Welcome to new members joining in 2/2021, Neal and Joyce Whitt

Introduction of New Members:

Neal and Joyce Whitt

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

A motion to accept the January minutes as written

Description: Motion to accept the correction
Motion: Chad Vanlandingham
Second: Lynda Rothweil
Type: YAY / NAY - show of hands
Result: PASSED



Herman Road Run





Treasurer Report: Rich Weinhold

See Full Report

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

- Balance
- Deposits for December
- Expenses for December
- January Forecast
- The Car Show entry form is available online. Entry fee is \$30.00. It is discovered that the form does not include shirt size and will need correction.

Governor's Report: Tom Reitz

See Full Report

Meetings with the NCCC are still virtual due to COVID.
The NCCC Convention registration is open and on the NCCC website.

See Tom's report for information on upcoming Autocross

Autocross: Tom Reitz

See Full Report

- See Governor's Report

Technical & Trailer: Tom Reitz

Trailer Update:

- In the future I expect to ask for some maintenance updates to the trailer which is now 11 years old. At minimum, we need to have a spare tire and wheel, if not replacing all 4 tires and keeping best one for a spare on a new wheel. Tires are showing signs of dry rot, and D.O.T. recommends tires only be used for 6 years from date of manufacture. I'll get pricing and options later this year. (about \$300 +/-)

Technical:

- Nothing to report

Vice President's Report: Jeff Schweikert

- Nothing to Report

NCM Ambassador Report: Mike Spathelf

- The new banner was submitted, and Joe Anelle received an e-mail for Katy Ellison at the museum. This usually very neutral person was so positive about the look of the banner! She loved the colors.
- The banner will be hung in April and the placement is random. Although, we have been lucky enough to get placement at one of the entrances each time.
- February 14th the Museum is offering \$50.00 family memberships. Please support the museum.
- Scholarships are offered to parent and grandparent members for their students. The amount is \$2500.00. There are some qualifications. More information is available on the Museum website.
- There are raffles on going at the museum.
- Remember the insurance for your Corvette through the museum is significantly less than the amount you will pay from your regular insurance carrier. Check it out!





Committee Reports

Social: Bob Isermann

- Activities so far: Axe Throwing and lunch at Ethyl's hosted by Ray Shea, Road Run to Hermann to Tin Mill Steakhouse (in the rain) with Mike Hicks and an impromptu lunch in Washington, MO.

The social committee is grateful for the many newer member stepping up to fill our calendar with unique activities even during this pandemic.

There have been several planned events added to the calendar recently. However, more are yet to be added. We are waiting for confirmation from a few places that we want to visit, but we still need corona virus clearance.

For February, we have our first Mystery Road Run, hosted by Mike Hicks on Saturday, February 27. We already had Eagle Watching, hosted by John Kozlowski, and our February Birthday Bash at The Rack House in Cottleville, hosted by Ray Shea. What a great time we had. We will have to go back there again.

One of the Social Committee's projects that we will soon be working on is going through our travel events and picking out the ones we want to add to our calendar this year. What we decide to pass on can be added to the 2022 calendar.

Check out the calendar for what we have planned as of now.

Rules and Regulations: Lynda Rothweil

- After meeting with Bob Lamb prior to the February meeting, it was noticed that there are only a few changes needed, mostly due to the removal of the points system we had used in our club. There will also be wording changes and a few grammar / punctuation changes. Hopefully to be completed in March.

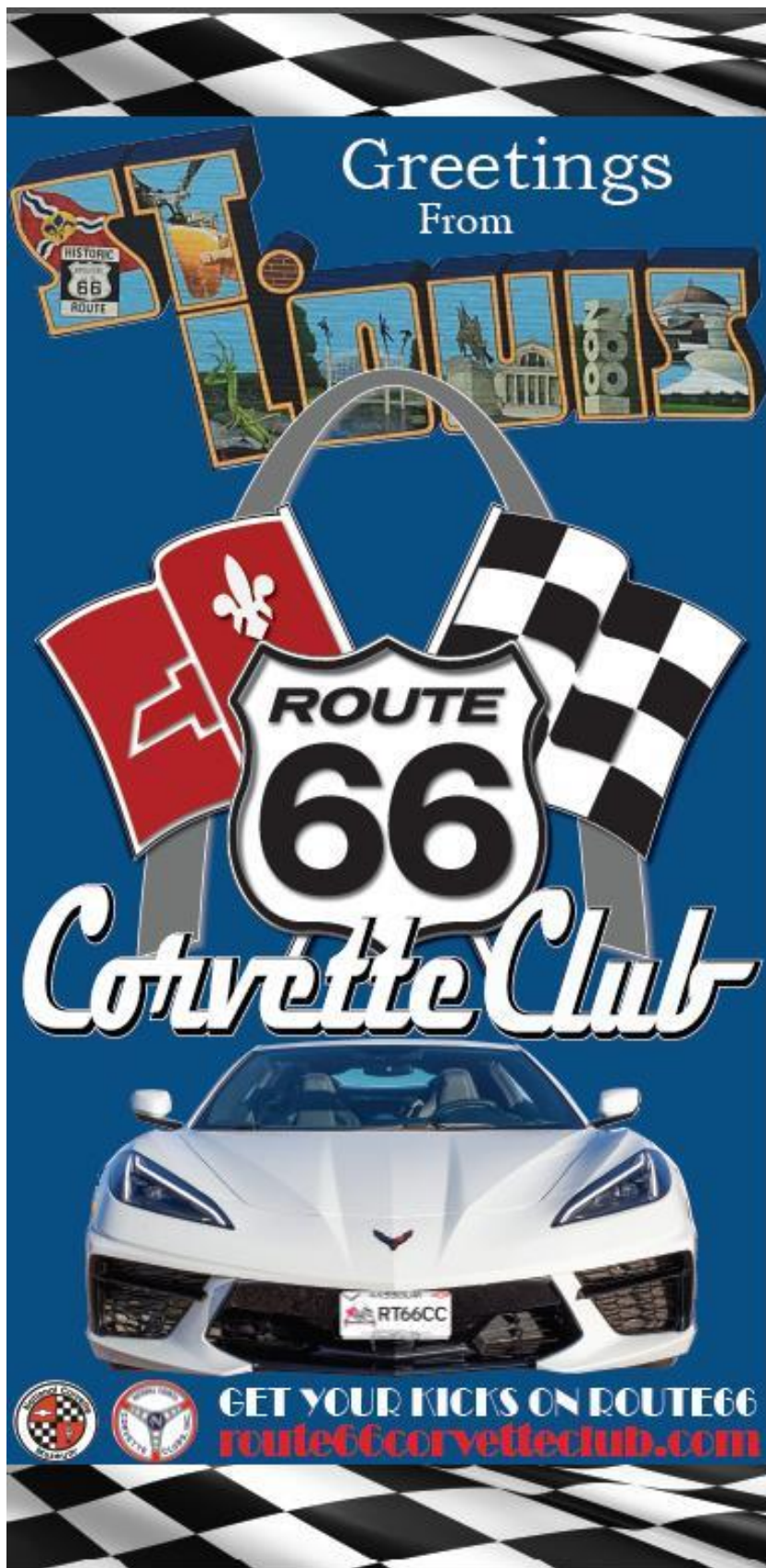
Membership: Bob Lamb / Nancy Streib

- Bob Lamb reported that until a few days ago our total membership was 124. Now 126 with the addition of the Whitt's.
- Please check the roster for any errors on your personal information, to include e-mails, addresses and phone numbers. Let me know so it can be updated.

Sponsorship: Bob Isermann

- Joel Hawk were with us tonight from our sponsor Poage Chevrolet.
- We encourage you to use Poage for your used and new car needs as well as parts and service.

2021 NCM Banner



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

Website Updates:

- We now have a “join us” button on the website to make online payments easier.

Graphics Updates:

- The 2021 NCM banner has been submitted to the National Corvette Museum.

Road Notes: Lynda Rothweil

- January Road Notes were late due a computer crash.
- Joe Anelle worked with Lynda to attempt to retrieve and rebuild the club templates. Thank You Joe!!

Charity: Howard Sardis

Main Charity –USO

- We have a new representative from the USO, Mary Kraft. She will join us at our March meeting.

Other Car Shows:

- Kimmswick on Father’s Day
- Rte 66 Classic Car Show

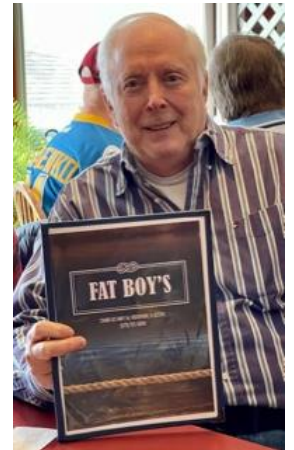
Tech Korner: Les Waganer

- Sign up through Les Waganer: leswaganer@gmail.com

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



Eagle Watching



Knowledge Data Base: Les Waganer

- Nothing to report

Old Business:

- Nothing to report

Announcements:

- None

50/50 Drawing: Chris Fultz

Total Collect: \$1777

Total PalPax: \$90

Winner: \$89

Winner: Mike Spathelf



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.
 - Pot rolls over every month if not claimed, increasing by \$10 per meeting until claimed.
 - After the pot is claimed, the total starts over at \$10.
- The January meetings pot was won by Howard Sardis; Pot starts over at \$10

Starting Pot: \$10

Winner: Carlene Lorimier, present but not "Wearing the Pride"

Total Payout to Winner: \$0

Following Month Carryover Total: \$20

Motion to Adjourn:

Motion: Lynda Rothweil

Second: Chad Vanlandingham

Type: YAY / NAY - voice vote

Result: PASSED

The meeting was adjourned at 8:20pm



FEBRUARY 2021

2 nd	Mike Reidy
3 rd	Sharon Waganer
4 th	Greg Stewart
7 th	Jim Brady
13 th	Al Lampe
16 th	Randy Wells
17 th	Pam Leary
23 rd	Linda Sutton
28 th	Bob Koenig

MARCH 2021

2 nd	Scott Walker
3 rd	Patti Hall
9 th	John Kozlowski
9 th	Kirk Ray
13 th	Fred Henke
15 th	Lorrie McMillen
15 th	Matt Miller
20 th	Mike Hicks
25 th	Harold Loyd
27 th	Bailey Davis
28 th	Raymond Shea
30 th	Bill Mitchell
31 st	Jan Spathelf



Calendar of Events



February Schedule of Events

FEB 4	Club Meeting
FEB 6	Birthday Bash
FEB 14	Valentine's Day
FEB 20	Eagle Watching
FEB 27	Mystery Run



March Schedule of Events

MAR 4	Club Meeting
MAR 14	Daylight Savings Begins
MAR 17	St. Patrick's Day

Event details are listed in the website calendar:
<http://www.route66corvetteclub.com/calendar.html>

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Buy only what you need and always buy high quality items instead of cheap bargains.



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