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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 -447- 8960

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Club Officials

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Bill Mitchell

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Jeff Schweikert

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Detta Nelson

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Rich Weinhold

Secretary

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Bob Isermann

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

Don Lorimer

Website

Joe Anelle

President's Message

May 2021

Hello everyone, what an exciting time of year this is, Spring. Its beautiful, the temperatures are warming and Covid is fading. As I write to you our club just completed our annual corvette car show honoring our troops and supporting the USO.

During our June meeting you will hear that the car show was the most successful in our history generating over \$6,500 for the USO. I want to personally thank Leo, Russ and the entire car show committee for their hard work and commitment to the show and our club.

Bob Isermann and the Social Committee are continuing to come up with a wide variety of events that we can all enjoy. In addition, our club is continuing to add new members which is a testament to your loyalty and dedication to our club.

This is a wonderful time for us to enjoy our families, friends and those in our club family. I look forward to seeing all of you at our next meeting in June. Until then 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

May 6, 2021

Transcribed by Nancy Streib and recorded/edited by Lynda Rothweil

Members Present:

Besand, Craig
Brady, Judy
Czerniewski, Leo
Desmond, Tom
Ekiss, Bill
Ekiss, Theresa
Forthmann, Bill
Fultz, Chris
Fultz, Greg
Hall, David
Hecht, David
Hecht, Joan
Henke, Fred
Hicks, Mike
Isermann, Bob
Jillson, Jim
Jillson, Mary

Koenig, Bob
Koenig, Michelle
Kozlowski, John
Kozlowski, Sandy
Kriegermeier, Tom
Lamb, Bob
Lorimier, Carlene
Lorimier, Don
McMillen, Mike
Mitchell, Bill
Moore, Karen
Moore, Randy
Ratley, Randy
Ratley, Sharon
Ray, Kirk
Ray, Sheryl
Reitz, Tom

Rothweil, Lynda
Sardis, Howard
Schweikert, Jeff
Seifried, Ron
Shea, MaryLynne
Shea, Ray
Spathelf, Jan
Spathelf, Mike
Stangle, Rick
Streib, Nancy
Sutton, Linda
Tharp, Russ
Thimiogianis, Koula
Weinhold, Rich
Wells, Randy
Wortkoetter, Deb
Wortkoetter, Jim

Guests:

Rottmann, Bill

The May 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: Detta Nelson, Lynda Rothweil, Mike Spathelf

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 gives a big thank-you to Leo Czerniewski and his Car Show Committee for all the work that is being done for our car show on May 15th. As you all know the proceeds from our car show go to the USO. So, if you choose not to show your car, please make donation to the USO.

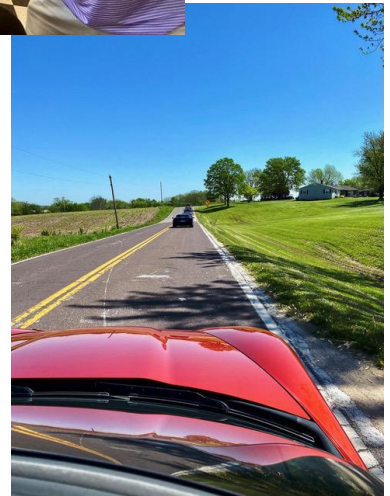
New Business:

None

Membership Anniversaries:

15 years – Jim & Judy Brady
13 years – Sean & Pam Leary
09 years – Rich Bowers
02 years – Phil Mendel
Greg & Nancy Patterson

Hannibal Road Run



Introduction of New Members:

- Bill Rottmann is the proud owner of a 2011 yellow coupe

Corrections, Approval of the APRIL 2021 Minutes as Stated in the Monthly Road Notes:

None

A motion to accept the April minutes as written:

Description: Motion to accept
Motion: Tom Kriegermeier
Second: Lynda Rothweil
Type: YAY / NAY - show of hands
Result: PASSED

Treasurer Report: Rich Weinhold

See Full Report

We currently have 58 cars pre-registered for the car show on May 15th. This is a record for pre-show sign-ups. The last car show we only had 47 pre-registered. We are hoping to raise a lot of money for the USO.

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

- Balance
- Deposits for April
- Expenses for April
- May Forecast
- Sign up for the car Show using Square link on the website

Governor's Report: Tom Reitz

See Full Report

FYI – NCCC has 16,790 members.



Autocross: Tom Reitz

See Full Report

Route 66 Auto Cross will be recruiting a food chairman – there are no food services available in the area.

Technical & Trailer: Tom Reitz

Trailer Update:

Thank you to Randy Wells and Poage Chevrolet for the new trailer tires. This included mounting, balancing, new stems and a spare tire!

Technical:

- Nothing to report

Vice President's Report: Jeff Schweikert

- Called committee chairs to report by Bill Mitchell

NCM Ambassador Report: Mike Spathelf

- The banner on display tonight will be auctioned starting tonight and ending at midnight prior to our next meeting in June.
- National Corvette Museum is expanding – to include:
 - Special exhibits that have never been seen before
 - Educational classrooms
 - A lounge for relaxing
 - Sting Ray Grill
 - A calming room for those with sensory issues

Please note that none of these expansions will be completed until the money is in the bank.

- No GM plant tour until 2022
- Raffles are still ongoing
- Route 66 tour of the National Corvette Museum will be July 15-17. Many different events are being planned and researched.





A motion for donation

Description: Motion to donate \$1000 to the museum for the renovation
Motion: Greg Fultz
Second: Lynda Rothweil
Type: YAY / NAY - show of hands
Result: PASSED

Discussion: Greg Fultz asks about our balance of \$19,000. After some debate it is decided to wait until after our car show bills are paid. Motion tabled.

Discussion continues out of order

- Don Lorimier – possibly raffle banner and use proceeds.
- Bill Ekiss – asks about a certificate of authenticity for the banner
- Tom Kriegermeier – possible accept bids from the general public at the car show. It is found to be an administrative nightmare to keep up with bids and notifications.

May Birthday Bash



Committee Reports

Social: Bob Isermann

E-mails will be sent for upcoming events, but some require now or very soon. Sign-up sheets are being passed around tonight.

April events included Hawthorne Inn – spectacular turn out, hosted by Dave and Patti Hall. Mike Hicks hosted a drive to Bixby, MO with a lunch stop in Potosi.

Upcoming Events:

May 22 – Birthday Bash to St. Charles Boat House hosted by Ray Shea. He would like to challenge us to have more participants than the Hall's Event (43).
we will leave the Mobil on N 94 at 11:30 a.m.

June 4 – Rod Run – Wentzville

June 5 – Viet Nam Wall, Perryville, MO with lunch at the Dew Drop Inn hosted by Jan and Mike Spathelf. We will meet at the QT O'Fallon Road and 94. Leave at 9 a.m. heading to Bloomsdale for lunch then to Perryville for a guided tour of the Viet Nam Wall. We will travel Hwy 61 for the road run portion and travel I55 for the return trip.

June 10-14 – North Carolina with Mike Hicks. We have 15 cars and 27 people. Many interesting sites along the way are planned. A meeting for those attending this event is being planned.

June 19 – Power plex band and a drive-in movie, planned with the Spathelf's. Dr Zhivegas is the band the movie is Saturday Night Live. You can bring your own food and drink and chairs. There will be food trucks available. The max price for car will be \$40.00. We are hoping for a discounted rate.

August 28-29 Frog Follies with Ron Seifried. World's largest hot-rod show started in 1975. The event is near Evansville, IN. The cost to enter the show is \$5.00. The event features a swap meet, vendors and BBQ. We will leave at 7:00 a.m. and check in at the New Harmony Inn at 4:00 p.m. We have 20 rooms set aside. We will have a catered breakfast and dinner. Ron needs probable attendees only at this time.

July 31 -The Motorcycle/Corvette run event will be combined with our scheduled trip to Elephant Rock.

July 4 – O'Fallon Parade More details to follow.

A 21st Anniversary Party for our Club is being planned for August or September at Old Hickory Golf Club. It will be an afternoon event with tents, space to display our cars and probably BBQ. (There will be indoor space for us in the event of rain.)



Rules and Regulations: Lynda Rothweil

- Nothing to report

Membership: Bob Lamb / Nancy Streib

- Membership is now 137
- In April we added 5 new members.
 - Remember in 2020 we had an historic number of members at 150.

Sponsorship: Bob Isermann and Randy Wells

Bob Isermann: Poage has very few cars to sell. It may not be too good for Poage, but it gives our club plenty of room for our car show. Thank you so much to Poage for all you do for our club!!

Randy Wells: There will be a Rod Run in Wentzville on Friday, June 4th. Tickets are \$10 each to join in the run. There are many cars and spectators as well proceeds go to the DARE program.

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

- Nothing to report

Website Updates:

- Nothing to report

Graphics Updates:

- Nothing to report

Road Notes: Lynda Rothweil

- I am resigning from Road Notes, but will stay on until replacement is found
- Contact Bill Mitchel, Jeff Schweikert or Lynda Rothweil if interested
- I am willing to work with the person to help guide them through the items needed for publication.

Charity: Howard Sardis

Main Charity –USO

Please support the USO Car Show on May 15th! Please show up, donate and recruit new members!



Car Show: Leo Czerniewski

We have 58 cars pre-registered at this time. The cooler for the liquor raffle was donated by Dierbergs. We have many baskets donated for auction. The cost of the shirts has been covered by donations. We have received \$1950.00 in donations. We have approximately \$900 in liquor. We will have free soda and water also donated. Russ Tharp paid for the printing of the raffle tickets and the peel-off tickets. With all the donations, our profit for the USO is looking good.

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Other Car Shows:

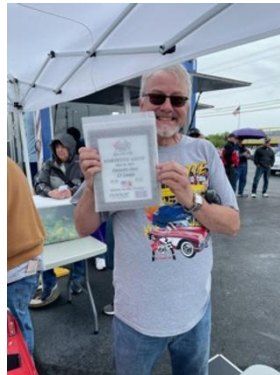
- Kimmswick on Father's Day
- Route 66 Classic Car Show on Father's Day in St. Clair, MO
- August – Boone Trail Car Show
- September – Lion's Club all car show Central School Road at Mid Rivers Dr.

Tech Korner: Les Waganer

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

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

2021 Car Show



Governor Report

May 2021

NCCC STUFF

- Up-coming events:
 - May 15-16: 14 events in Rantoul, IL
 - May 29-31: 21 events in Rantoul, IL
 - June 13-19: NCCC Convention in Cleveland, OH



Note: The C-7 Grand sport will have it's own class in 2022 (1SMM) no longer up against the C-7 Z06 (1SN) The C-7 will remain in (1SM)

- NCCC convention
 - Membership at 16,790 slightly down from 2020 and 2019

<https://www.corvettesnccc.org/2021Convention/Convention2021.php>

AUTOCROSS

- 2021 autocross is October 2-3, 2021.
 - LOCATION: St. Charles County Airport, "Smartt Field", 6390 Grafton Ferry Rd, Portage Des Sioux, MO 63373
 - This is about 9 miles North on Hwy 94 from Fastlane Classic Cars at I-370 & Hwy-94 turn left on Grafton Ferry Rd (airport sign is present) and airport is on right.
- Autocross committee is **actively** seeking a person or group of people to do cooking and handle food sales during both days of the autocross.
- Site has indoor restrooms for sanitation, great location for cooking and sales, large indoor area if needed due to rain.
- NO food exists within reasonable distance of the airport, so having food available is crucial to a successful event. I NEED to find someone prior to publishing the flyer in June, so I can put on the flyer if we have food or if people need to fend for themselves. Please contact me at fastglass95@yahoo.com or my cell number of 314-496-3155 as soon as possible. We have done food sales for our first 20 years of autocrosses with good success.



Knowledge Data Base: Les Waganer

- Nothing to report

Old Business:

- Nothing to report

Announcements:

- Jeff Schweikert would like to applaud the hard work of all the committees! All agree with a hardy round of applause.
- As we bring the meeting to a close, Rich Weinhold already has a bid of \$100 for the banner.

50/50 Drawing: Chris Fultz

Total Collect: \$215

Total PalPax: \$108

Winner: \$107

Winner: Leo Czerniewski



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.

Starting Pot: \$40

Winner: Randy Ratley

Total Payout to Winner: \$40

Following Month Carryover Total: \$10

Motion to Adjourn:

Motion: Greg Fultz

Second: Lynda Rothweil

Type: YAY / NAY - voice vote

Result: PASSED

The meeting was adjourned at 8:02pm



MAY 2021



3 rd	Jeff Schweikert
4 th	Greg Ritter
5 th	Lynda Rothweil
6 th	David Hall
6 th	Shelly Scopel
15 th	Craig Besand
15 th	Bill Forthmann
18 th	Travis Johnson
18 th	Randy Moore
18 th	Laura Raup
22 nd	Chad Isakson
29 th	Chad Vanlandingham

JUNE 2021

1 st	Jeff Raup
3 rd	Rich Bowers
3 rd	Mary Jillson
4 th	Mike Jacobson
4 th	Linda Walker
15 th	Sheryl Ray
20 th	Jim Gibbson
24 th	Phil Mendel
24 nd	Jeanne Mitchell
26 th	Tom Reitz
26 th	Mike Spathelf
28 th	Debra Forthmann
29 th	Kyriaki (Koola) Thimiogianis
30 th	Elmer Weis



Calendar of Events



MAY Schedule of Events

MAY 5	Cinco de Mayo
MAY 6	Club Meeting
MAY 9	Mother's Day
MAY 15	Car Show
MAY 22	Birthday Bash



JUNE Schedule of Events

JUNE 3	Club Meeting
JUNE 4	Wentzville Rod Run
JUNE 5	MO Vietnam Wall
JUNE 10-15	Tail of the Dragon
JUNE 20	Father's Day
JUNE 27	Birthday Bash

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

Gasoline Alley

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Did You Know??

The longest street in the world is Yonge Street in Toronto, Canada measuring 1,896 km (1,178 miles).

Thought of the Day...

However good or bad a situation is, it will change.



Tips for a Life Time:

Be Careful About the Words You Use

People underestimate the impact that their self talk has on their brains and lives.

If you tell yourself that you are stupid, incapable of achieving success, or unlucky, you will bring those things into your reality.

If you tell yourself that you are smart, capable, and powerful beyond measure, your brain will find ways to confirm these beliefs and help you build a more amazing life.

Talk to yourself the same way that you would talk to a treasured friend.



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