

Road Notes

ROUTE 66

CORVETTE CLUB



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Our 2022 Charities

Main Charity



<https://www.uso.org>



Missouri



And

NCCC



Stella's Wish



Wings of hope



Lake St. Louis Canine Unit





CORVETTE

MEETING LOCATION

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



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Old Hickory Golf Course
#1 Dye Club Drive
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<http://www.OldHickoryGC.com>





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Tom Reitz

Membership

Don Lorimier

Rules & Regulations

Lynda Rothweil

Website

Joe Anelle

President's Message

April 2022

This is an exciting time for our club, we continue to add wonderful new members, our car show committee is doing a great job of planning our USO car show and adding a record number of sponsors. It appears that contributions will surpass last years record amount.

Throughout the year Bob Isermann and the social committee gave members the opportunity to participate in a wide variety of fun activities with a full agenda planned for this Spring and Summer.

I want to thank all of you who either signed up for our car show or volunteered to sell raffle tickets or work at the show. Without all of you our car show would not be successful. Thank you again for supporting our club!

Bill Mitchell
President
Route 66 Corvette Club



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Meeting Minutes

ROUTE 66 CORVETTE CLUB

Thursday, April 7, 2022

Location: Old Hickory Golf Club

Start Time: 07:00pm

Submitted By: Lorrie McMillen

Introduction of Officers:

President: Bill Mitchell
Vice President: Jeff Schweikert
Governor: Tom Reitz
Treasurer: Rich Weinhold
Secretary: Lori McMillen
Past President: Bob Isermann
Directors: Lynda Rothweil,
Mike Spathelf,
Mike McMillen

Introduction of Committee Chairs:

Audit & Financial Planning: TBD
Nominating: Don Lorimier and
Bob Lamb
Autocross-Technical-Trailer: Tom Reitz
Rules & Regulations: Lynda Rothweil
Car Show: Rich Weinhold
Social: Bob Isermann
Charity: Howard Sardis
Sponsorship: Bob Isermann &
Mike Spathelf
Membership: Don Lorimier
NCM Ambassador: Mike & Jan
Spathelf
Newsletter: Doug Stone
Website & Graphics: Joe Anelle

Members Present:

ANELLE	Joe	HECHT	David	RENZ	John
BONOMO	Jeff	HENKE	Frederick	RENZ	Yvonne
BOYD	Larry	HICKS	Mike	REITZ	Tom
CLAYTON	Danny	ISERMANN	Bob	ROTHWEIL	Lynda
CLAYTON	Jeri	KLEEMEYER	Brian	SCHWEIKERT	Jeffrey
CRAIG	Jeffery	KOZLOWSKI	John	SCOPEL	Rand
CZERNIEWSKI	Leo	KOZLOWSKI	Sandy	SCOPEL	Shelly
DANNENBERG	Thomas	KRIEGERMEIER	Tom	SEIFRIED	Ron
DESMOND	Tom	LAMB	Bob	SHEA	Raymond
FORTHMANN	Bill	LORIMIER	Carlene	STONE	Doug
FORTHMANN	Debra	LORIMIER	Don	STREIB	Nancy
FULTZ	Chris	MAZVREK	Tom	SUTTON	Jim
FULTZ	Greg	McMILLEN	Lorrie	SUTTON	Linda
GAMBLIN	Robert	McMILLEN	Michael	THARP	Russ
HALL	David	RATLEY	Randy	VASSALLO	Joey (Poage)
HALL	Patti	RATLEY	Sharon	WEINHOLD	Richard
				WELL	Randy

Presidents Opening Remarks:

Jeff Schweikert opened the meeting as Bill Mitchell was out of town. See Bill's message on page 5.

Introduction of New Members/Guests:

- Ted Mazurek. Ted has a 1978 Silver Anniversary Edition Corvette. He lives in St Charles, Missouri. Ted also builds model cars builds and judges
- Jeff and Angela Bonomo 2017 Grand Sport Convertible Admiral Blue
- John and Yvonne Renz. Guests 2022 Hardtop convertible. Picked up at museum. Red metallic mist options checked every box.

Corrections & Approvals of Last Minutes :

- Description: Motion to accept the minutes from last meeting as approved and final
- Motion: Bob Lamb
- Second: Tom Reitz
- Type: YAY / NAY - show of hands
- Result: Motion approved.



New Business: Discussion on Road Notes

- Determine Club direction
 - Bob Lamb
 - Constitution Road Notes do not appear.
 - Bylaw's Road Notes do not appear.
 - Standing rules is the only place it appears.
 - Lynda Rothweil
 - Estimate of time it takes to do road notes.
 - First year took longer because of reformation.
 - Last two years depending on content it took maybe 2-3 hours at best. Clipping pictures took most time.
 - Need to send Road Notes out in pdf for final so there can be no changes
 - Willing to help anyone who needs training on how to take this over.
 - Bob explained the new process.
 - Lorrie takes minutes
 - Bob sends out all the fun stuff including pictures which go to social media as well as emailed out to all members.
 - (Continued on next page.)

New Business: Discussion on Road Notes (continued from previous page)

- There was a motion to continue the process we are doing now, or should we go back to Road Notes.
 - If we go back to Road Notes we need a volunteer.
 - Doug Stone has volunteered to do Road Notes.
- We don't need a motion to approve, as it is the same position with someone taking it over.
- Any other New Business
 - None

Sponsorship Report: (Poage Chevrolet)

- Updates on C8s
 - Nothing on new cars.
 - 3 - 2019 Corvettes 2 Grand-sports, 1 LT and a 2LT.
 - If interested talk to Randy regarding pricing.
 - Perks being members.
 - Call regarding service issues. Poage pays good money for cars. Happy to make an offer on your used car with no charge. If you decide to sell on your own they can get Carfax information to help. Facilitate inspection. Pair phones, show how everything works. 10% on parts and labor. Talk to Stu. They have two employees who oversee Corvettes.
- Any new news / updates
 - No updates on Z06 GM is getting them out as fast as they can.
 - Hopeful to get a couple in soon so people can see them.



Governor's Report

NCCC STUFF: (Tom Reitz)

- Next Governor meeting is May 7th at Westport Plaza, see me if interested in attending.
- NCCC Convention (63rd) will run from Sunday June 12th thru Friday June 17th at Harrah's Casino and Convention Center in Atlantic City, N.J. Registration is online and open, details can be found at the convention website: <https://corvettesnccc.org/2022Convention/Convention2022.php>
- NCCC Convention for 2023 (64th) will be in Bowling Green, KY Our club will be hosting the "Peoples Choice" Corvette Show on Monday June 26th at the National Corvette Museum.
- **Description:** "Borrow club equipment as shown on motion form for use of NCCC Midwest Region fundraiser autocross in Rantoul, IL. over Memorial Day weekend."
 - **Motion:** Tom Reitz
 - **Second:** Jeff Craig
 - **Type:** YAY / NAY - voice vote
 - **Result:** Passed unanimously



AUTOCROSS: (Tom Reitz)

- No report

TRAILER COMMITTEE: (Tom Reitz)

- No report

VP's - Board of Directors Report: (Jeff Schweikert)

- No report



WEAR YOUR PRIDE:

- The pot is at **\$20** after last meetings pot was not won. Remember to wear your "Route 66 Corvette Club" shirt, jacket, or hat. Also known as "Wear Your Pride"! Basic rules are pins do not count; name tags do not count. Must be an article of clothing. Pot rolls over every month it is not claimed, increasing by \$10 per meeting until claimed then starts over at \$10 again. (no winner in March, name drawn was "Scott Brandt")
- ****The pot was not won in April, will be \$30 in May, name drawn was Bill Pollihan, "not present"**** **Discussion:** No discussion

Committee Reports

NCM Ambassador Report: (Mike Spathelf; reported by Jeff Schweikert):

- April 11-14 Dayton Coming home on afternoon of April 14th
- NCM Michelin Bash – April 28-30
 - Lots of Vendors and Track Time
 - 2023 Z06 on Display
- Raffles
 - 3 going on right now
 - Go to National Corvette Museum Website to enter.



Rules & Regulations Committee: (Lynda Rothweil)

- No Updates currently. All changes from last 2 months up on web site.

Graphics: (Joe Anelle)

- Up to date.
- Update the Main Page
- Banners can be up in May



Information for new Members:

- Every year the National Corvette Museum have parking lot banners. \$500 a banner gets submitted and potentially gets to be on a pole at the museum. We have been there since 1st year. We have gotten 1st place one year and second place last year.
- Joe and Tom are Charter members of the club. Good contacts to reach out to get to know.

Charity: (Howard Sardis)

- All the checks have been cut except for the Corvette Scholarship. Their fiscal year starts in September. New contact was supposed to come tonight. She was unable to come. Howard will send a letter and page of what the USO does, plus videos which we can click on for the USO. The whole club will get the letter. This is our main club. We donate to USO St. Louis only. Annually we are either 2nd or 3rd highest annual donations.

Tech Corner: (Rich Weinhold)

- No updates

Social Committee: (The Ambassador of FUN - Bob Isermann)

- Bob Isermann mentioned he had spoken to Don Lind who said he missed everyone. Don passed away. He had a 2019 Grand Sport car. His desire was to drive it one more time. He did not have a chance to do that. The club donated to the Barbershop Quartet in Pennsylvania in his honor.
- Regarding Calendar Events:
 - We were going to just sign up online. Some individuals like to sign a sign-up sheet. Each leader of each event is responsible for putting out the list to sign up via paper. Bob will also send out an e-mail regarding the event, reminding the members to let the lead know they are signing up for event.

Calendar of Events

2022 Social Calendar			UPDATED: April 7, 2022
DATE	EVENT	LEAD	NOTES
APR			
29-30	Lake of the Ozark Car Show	Bob Isermann / Mike McMillen	IF SHOWING CAR - GO ON THE 29TH. Bob will Lead on Saturday
MAY			
7	Loading Dock	Ray Shea	B BASH
11 Wed	Dayton, OH Air Force Museum-TRAVEL	Mike Spathelf	FULL
12 Thur	Dayton, OH Air Force Museum-AF MUSEUM		
13 Fri	Dayton, OH Air Force Museum-CASH REG/PACKARD		
14 Sat	Dayton, OH Air Force Museum-??		
15 Sun	Dayton, OH Air Force Museum-TRAVEL		
21	RT 66 Car Show	Rich Weinhold	
28	Warm Springs	Patti Hall / Larry Boyd	EVENT FULL 1 SPOT LEFT
JUNE			
4	Wentzville Rod Run		
12	Penitentiary Jeff City - Meet at QT 5905 Mo 94 Weldon Springs, 63304 Private tour. Leave at 9 a.m., Lunch 11 a.m. Tour at 1 p.m.	Mike McMillen	Central Dairy / Lunch - Prison Brews Jeff City
15 WED	Center for Autism Education-Adult Day Services	Bob Isermann	Day Services program for adults with Autism
21 Tu	Herman Day Trip	Don Lorimier	SEE CALENDAR FOR DETAILS
28	Litchfield and Springfield, IL	John Heidenreich	Route 66 Museum / Schell's Sporting Goods / Alexander's Steakhouse

UPCOMING SOCIAL MEETING: May 3, 2022

[Click here to go to the entire Route 66 Corvette Club Calendar](http://www.route66corvetteclub.com/calendar.html)

Event details are listed in the website calendar:

<http://www.route66corvetteclub.com/calendar.html>

Membership: (Don Lorimier)

- 149 before tonight. Now 152 with new members.



Committee Reports: (Cont.)

Car Show Committee: (Rich Weinhold & Don Lorimier)

- Car Show details
 - Sign up your car. Can do online. Form on each table.
 - 10 guest so far signed up
 - 26 members signed up out of 90 cars. Please sign by April 30th cutoff date so we will have shirt size. Need to know the size you want.
- Sponsors
 - \$4000.00 so far in sponsorship. Rich thanked the committee. In addition, we have some very large donations we will use as silent raffle items which will go for sponsorship. \$500 gift certificate St. Louis Auto. Bentley Audio \$900 audio equipment equals 3 items for silent auction. Quilt donated. Alley Wheel a very sizable certificate to us \$800 in addition to being our sponsor.
 - Look at about \$5800.00 in sponsorship
 - Several members helped
- Baskets for raffle
 - 10 baskets
 - 3 members will help with show. Jeanie Mitchell, Lisa Boyd, and Carlene Lorimier.
 - 2 sponsors will do pop-up tents to promote themselves.
 - 2 primary sponsors, Poage, pop up tent with 2 baskets. Old Hickory sponsor as well.
 - Raffle tickets, try to buy some raffle tickets and send in to Rich.
- Donations
- **Registration**
 - Joe Anelle getting pictures of audio equipment to put on website so you can check out the equipment before the car show if you are interested.
- **Judging.**
 - Joe Anelle and Lynda Rothweil working on how cars are going to be judged.
 - Electronically
 - Linked to a laptop
 - Exactly criteria, exact ranking.
 - A spreadsheet will determine who winners
 - Exterior Paint and glass
 - Interior
 - Engine
 - Cars and Wheel
 - Overall cleanliness
 - Poage will volunteer 2 staff members to judge the club member cars.
 - Goodie bags
 - Car care
 - Waterway Car Wash
 - Alloy wheels
 - Greg Patterson, Patterson Real Estate
 - Joe Anelle getting pictures
 - Rock Auto

Newsletter: (Doug Stone)

- Thanks to Lynda Rothweil for sending a template from previous Road Notes issues.
- This issue contains an update of all the club activities thru March. Pick the titles to go to the rest of the photos on-line at the club website.
- If you see anything in this issue that is out of place or that needs to be added or removed please contact me via the link in the website or newsletter@route66corvetteclub.com.
- The next to last page, Gasoline Alley, is for members to add Corvette information or stories that they would like to share with other club members. Please send your inputs and I'll work them into future issues.

Old Business:

- None

50/50 Drawing:

- Total Collected: \$200.00
- Total to Charity: \$100.00
- Winner: Doug Stone

Motion to Adjourn:

- Motion: Lynda Rothweil
- Second: Greg Fultz
- Type: Yay/Nay – voice vote
- Result: Meeting Adjourned at 8:21 pm

Minutes Taken By:

Lorrie McMillen
Secretary

Happy
Spring!





*"We make a living by what we get.
We make a life by what we give."*

~ Winston Churchill

April 13, 2022

Mr. Richard Weinhold

Dear Mr. Weinhold:

Thank you for your contribution of \$285.00 to the St. Louis Area Foodbank.

Inflation and higher prices are affecting all of us right now. Many of our neighbors who are fighting the effects of hunger are asking tough questions. Can I afford gas to go to work? Can I skip my prescription this month to pay for other things? Too often, healthy food options fall far down the list of priorities.

Thanks to friends like you looking out for our neighbors, we are nourishing families throughout Missouri and Illinois. The Foodbank's Food on the Move program, for example, is removing transportation barriers and bringing food closer to the areas hardest hit by food insecurity. Our trailer is stocked with healthy items for people to choose without charge.

Together, we are helping to answer these hard questions giving children, working adults, and seniors certainty during uncertain times. Thank you for strengthening our community with food and hope. We are thankful for your trust and support.

Always grateful,

A handwritten signature in blue ink, appearing to read "Meredith Knopp".

Meredith Knopp
President and CEO

Potosi Road Run 1-14-2022

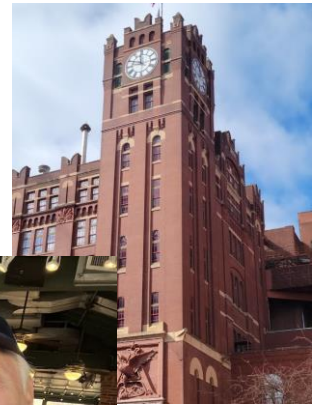


Lambert's 1-29-2022



To see more photos and read a description of the event
[click the titles](#) to go to the Route 66 Corvette Club website.

Anheuser Busch 2-12-2022



Eagle Watching 2-26-2022



To see more photos and read a description of the event [*click the titles*](#) to go to the Route 66 Corvette Club website.



Washington, MO 3-1-2022



Herman Run 3-12-2022



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2022 Event photos

Jerry Bickel Race Cars

3-18-2022



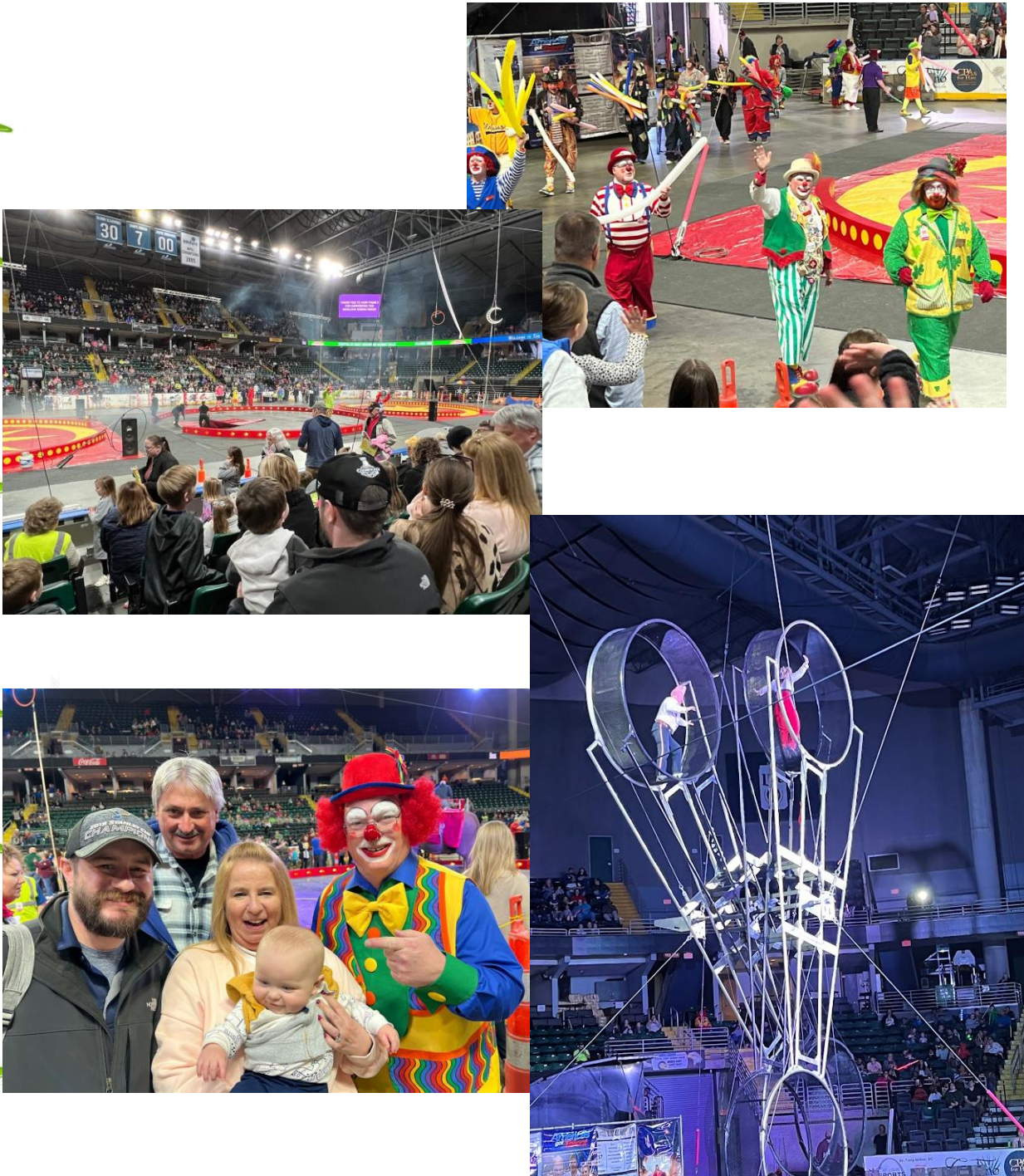
Morrison's Pub Bday Bash

3-19-2022



To see more photos and read a description of the event
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Shriner's Circus 3-26-2022



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April 2022

ISERMANN	Barb	3-Apr
LORIMIER	Don	10-Apr
CLAYTON	Danny	12-Apr
KRIEGERMEIER	Tom	12-Apr
CLAYTON	Jeri	13-Apr
WAGANER	Lester	17-Apr
SARDIS	Howard	18-Apr
LORIMIER	Carlene	24-Apr
VAN NESS	Forrest	28-Apr
VAN NESS	Shirley	30-Apr

May 2022

SCHWEIKERT	Jeffrey	3-May
RITTER	Greg	4-May
ROTHWEIL	Lynda	5-May
HALL	David	6-May
SCOPEL	Shelly	6-May
BESAND	Craig	15-May
FORTHMANN	Bill	15-May
JOHNSON	Travis	18-May
MOORE	Randy	18-May
RAUP	Laura	18-May
ISAKSON	Chad	22-May
VANLANDINGHAM	Chad	29-May

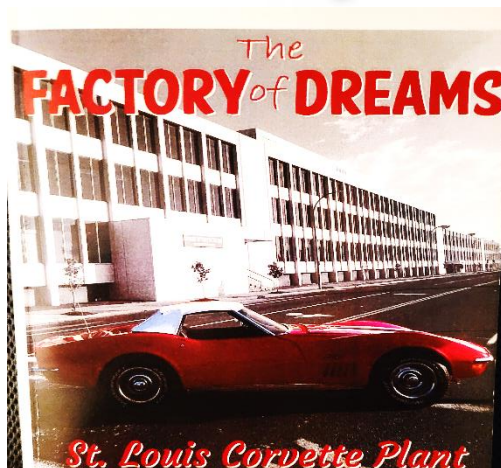


Gasoline Alley



Corvette History:

This book not only describes the infancy of the Corvette in St. Louis, and how the car was built, it is in fact a window into the life of the average automobile worker in the 60's. This is the only book ever written by someone who worked in the belly of the beast. I can loan it to members – just send me a note at newsletter@route66corvetteclub.com.



Did You Know??

7-Up was born in St. Louis

7 Up was created by [Charles Leiper Grigg](#), who launched his company, The Howdy Corporation, in 1920. He came up with the formula for the drink in 1929 which was originally named “Bib-Label Lithiated Lemon-Lime Soda”. Which we are really glad was shortened.

Thought of the Day...

Curiosity is the wick in the candle of learning.
— William Arthur Ward



Tips for a Life Time:

It's your outlook on life that counts. If you take yourself lightly and don't take yourself too seriously, pretty soon you can find the humor in our everyday lives. And sometimes it can be a lifesaver.
— Betty White

As you navigate through the rest of your life, be open to collaboration. Other people and other people's ideas are often better than your own. Find a group of people who challenge and inspire you, spend a lot of time with them, and it will change your life.

— Amy Poehler



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