

THE VETTE SETTE



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Corvette & Spring Time

Can you believe it? The first quarter of the year is behind us. Thank you Lord for springtime. We have already had the fun cold events for the year and it is time to get hot.

Kudos & a huge thank you to Rick for getting us involved in the Make-A-Wish Walk. I don't think I have even seen anyone so thankful for our participation in an event. The kids were so excited to see and ride in the cars. The folks from Make-A-Wish were very pleased and have already invited us back next year. There was one incident where a kid arrived late and was not able to ride in the walk. He was very disappointed but in the end, all was good as Scott Oliver stayed behind to take him for a ride in his car.

From there it was on to the Jim Ellis dealership for the Corvette Atlanta car show where Wayne & PJ Ray won 2nd prize for their 2010 Grand Sport. CGCC showed up big time and won the prize

for club participation. It was decided to donate the \$500 back to AFLAC Children's Hospital, the charity the show supported. It was a good opportunity to talk to other club's members about SVS. Speaking of SVS, it is only a short time away and we are in the final planning stages. There are four (4) corporate sponsors this year. We are always in need of door prizes, silent and live auction items and stuff for the goodie bags. About 10 vendors have signed on. Carl, Steve and many others have put a lot of time in already to make sure our biggest fundraiser is ready to go. If you have not signed up to show your car and/or volunteer, will you take time right now to do so?

Don't forget to wave.

Larry

<http://www.cgcorvetteclub.com/supervettesaturday/onlinereg.htm>

April 12, 2011 General Meeting Minutes

President Larry Yon called the meeting to order at 7:30 PM. He discussed a few of the events the club has just taken part in including the Poker Run for Autism Speaks which took place on April 9. Keelie Sparks had reported that the proceeds from that event earned over \$2000.00. She would like to see it get to the \$2,500.00 level if anyone was interested in contributing additional monies to the event total. The winners of the Poker Run are Mana and James Swope with all the answers correct.

He also related that we had a great turnout for the St. Patrick's Day parade. Thanks to Rick Engle for all the work to get these parades coordinated and all our members who joined in the fun.

The Make-A-Wish Parade ("Walk for Wishes") will be Saturday, April 16 and the plan is to meet at Sidelines @ 7:30 a.m. and depart for Atlantic Station at 7:45.

Treasurer's Report: P. J. Ray gave the monthly financial report. A motion for approval was made by Doug Reed and seconded by Frank Macaluso. It was unanimously approved. (*ed note: for the financial report go to the Members Only on the web site*)

Secretary's report: Keelie Sparks was not present and Larry asked for approval of the minutes as posted in the March newsletter. A motion was made by Don Shamel and seconded by Bob Klinger. The vote for approval was unanimous.

Vice President of Activities: Scott Oliver reminded those attending of the Make-A-Wish parade for 4/16 followed by the Corvette Atlanta car show at Jim Ellis Chevrolet. A good turnout only helps our chances of having them also support our SuperVette.

The Tail of the Dragon Cruise is on May 7. Please check out the website and sign-up for this as well as any other event in which you are interested. The more the merrier.

Remember that SuperVette is coming quicker than you may think. May 21 is just around the corner. You might check out your home for door prize items and see if there is anything you may wish to re-gift.

Vice President at Large: Greg Brooks asked if there were any new cars this month. John Iroff is the proud new owner of a 40th anniversary coupe. Ken Tenedini is the proud new owner of a 2007 velocity yellow coupe.

Mildred Cooper and Cindy Pope were the lucky 50/25/25 winners.

NCM Ambassador: Fred Hale told us about the upcoming C5-C6 Bash on 4/28-30 at the NCM. He also reminded us of the CGCC Volunteer weekend coming 5/28-29. The Wounded Warrior event has also been moved to this time period.

Scott Oliver has one of his cars on display at the museum so be sure to check that out and tell all of your friends.

Vice President of Membership: Chris Johnson was having trouble with his voiced so Larry Yon related that we now have 170 members. We had 64 members present that put in their \$1.00 contribution for the members drawing that was won by Ken Tenedini. We had 7 guests this evening who told us about their cars.

CGCC Store Manager: Harry Wilson reminded us that the store has many books from which you can order your favorite things. He also has short sleeve shirts and windshield clings available for purchase. The windshield banners he has tonight will be replaced by clings. Also,

if you have a shirt you wish to have embroidered he can get it done for \$6.00.

Webmaster: Chaz Cone announced that we now have the option of using Pay-Pal for renewals and also SuperVette registration. As always, get Chaz your member's garage photo so you can be included in the garage.

Joe Owens gave information regarding the Blue Ridge Corvette Club First Annual Auto Show to be held June 18, 2011. It will be at the Art Center located at 420 W. Main Street at the Blue Ridge Mountain Arts Association.

Newsletter Editor: Harriette Majoros asked that articles be sent to her by April 19. The ad prices for the newsletter for one year are as follows; business card size- \$25. One half-page ad - \$50.00 and whole page is \$100.00.

President Larry Yon asked that we table any requests for donations until after SuperVette to be sure of what we are able to put into the budget. He also asked us to thank the wait staff for their service. There will be a meeting to stuff the goodie bags on May 19. Set-up will be on Friday morning and the SHOW will be on May 21, 2011.

The next BOD Meeting will be held on May 3 and the next General Meeting will be May 10.

Respectfully submitted,
Chris Reed, acting secretary

~~~~NCM NEWS ITEMS~~~~

Three Corvette Colors No Longer Available for MY2011

Fans
of
Cyber



Gray, Crystal Red and Jetstream Blue will be disappointed to learn that those colors are no longer available for the remaining 2011 Corvette production. The damage from the earthquake and resulting tsunami in Japan is now starting to hit home... according to a recent article in the Wall Street Journal a type of shiny pigment used in these Corvette paint colors is only produced at a single plant in Japan.

GM is not the only automaker to be affected, Ford Chrysler, Volkswagen, BMW and Toyota also use the pigment known as Xirallic to give their vehicles a special sheen.

With the elimination of these three colors from the Corvette choices, a total of seven colors remain.

VIP NASCAR Tour Offered

Ladies and Gentlemen, start your engines



and head to Charlotte NC, the home of NASCAR. The latest NCM Museum in Motion Tour is a two-day pilgrimage to some of the most interesting and significant locations in the NASCAR world August 17-18, 2011.

Kicking off the 2-day event is a day at Hendrick Motorsports featuring visits to their garages, pit stop demo, tour of their private collection, lunch and a visit from one of the crew chiefs. Closing out the

day will be dinner at the Charlotte Motor Speedway in the Speedway Club.

The next day starts with a return to the Speedway for a tour of the facilities, rides on the track in their Pace Cars, a photo op of all the participant cars on the Speedway itself and lunch. Afterwards the participants will caravan to the garages of Dale Earnhardt Jr's Nationwide Team for a private tour (generally not open to the public).

This very special event is limited to 75 cars and costs \$800pp for Museum members and \$840pp for non-members but includes a one-year membership. Hotel and additional meals are not included but we have arranged for a special block of rooms at the Hilton Garden Inn, Concord NC in the NCM name. Registration opens Tuesday, April 5 and closes on Monday, July 18th, 2011, or after selling out. Check out the event online [here](#).

Pick Your Own VIN
Corvette customers are unique automobile aficionados who seek to differentiate and personalize their specific Corvette model. Chevrolet caters to their customers by offering a number of cool options, including National Corvette Museum delivery and the Corvette Engine Build Experience.

These options have proven to be very popular, but some customers have expressed a desire to have a unique ending number assigned to their Corvette's Vehicle Identification Number. For example, a customer may have a classic 1963 Corvette with a VIN ending in 1400, and seeks a new Corvette with the same matching VIN ending number. Up to this point, the

VIN assignment for a customer's new Corvette would have been a random process; but under a new program called Customer's Selectable VIN Ending Option, customer can request a specific VIN ending number for their new production vehicle as long as the request falls within Corvette's natural production sequence.

This new option will cost you a cool \$5,000.

Labor Day Event Registration LIVE!

Registration is now open for the Museum's 17th Anniversary Celebration (Labor Day weekend event) and Hall of Fame induction ceremony August 31 through September 3, 2011.



This year's event features scenic road tours, car show, ladies' oasis, golf cart autocross, poker run, seminars, Corvette Plant 30th Anniversary Celebration activities, 2012 Corvette introduction and walk-around, Hall of Fame banquet and a Sock Hop. Check out the complete event agenda online [here](#).

Some fun web sites to look at for news about our car – Corvette
<http://www.autoblog.com/2011/04/21/2012-chevrolet-corvette-model-year-changes-leak-out/>

<http://www.topspeed.com/cars/chevrolet/2012-chevrolet-centennial-edition-corvette-ar107702.html>

<http://www.squidoo.com/jeff-gorvette>

<http://www.autoblog.com/2011/03/29/video-hinson-motorsports-releases-own-official-vid-of-230-mph-t/>



Corvette Joke (not saying it is good or bad- just a joke.)

A man goes out and buys a new Vette convertible. One night he takes it out for a spin, and stops at a red light. An old man pulls up next to him riding a moped. The old man looks over the Vette and says, "What kind of car ya got there sonny?" The man replies, "It's a 2000 Corvette, the best sports car in the USA; it cost me over \$50,000."

"That's a lot of money" says the old man. Why do they cost so much?" The man answers, "Because they can go 170 miles an hour!" The old man pokes his head in the window and looks around. Leaning back on his moped, the old man says, "That's a pretty nice car all right!"

Just then the light changes, so the guy decides to show the old man what the car can do. He floors it, and in a few seconds the speed reads 120 MPH. Suddenly he notices a dot in his rear view mirror that seems to be catching up to him. Afraid it might be a cop, he slows down to 65 and suddenly whhhooooosshh! Something whips by him going much faster!

"What on earth could be going faster than this Vette?" the man asks himself. Then, ahead of him, he sees a dot coming towards him. Whhhooooosshh! It goes by again, heading the opposite

direction! And it sorta looked like the old man on the moped! "Couldn't be," thinks the guy. "How could a moped outrun a Vette?"

Then again he sees a dot in his rear view mirror! Whhhooooosshh - Blam! It plows into the back of the Vette! The man jumps out. It is the old man! Of course, the moped and the old man are in a world of hurt. The guy runs up to the old man and cries, "You're hurt bad! Is there anything I can do for you?"

The old man groans and replies, "Yes, could you please unhook my suspenders from your side mirror?"

For Sale by members:

One set of black seat covers in very good condition, no cracks, for sport seats from a 2002 Vert., reasonably priced Bill Majoros, 770-971-7249 or 678-521-7402.

MEMBER'S CORNER

Condolences to Ken & Jane Tenidini on the passing of his mother in late March. We hope Keelie Sparks' mom is well on the mend from her surgery recently. Paula Eason's dad has lung & bone cancer and needs our prayers. Bill Majoros was hospitalized recently for a gram-negative e-coli bacterial infection.

Welcome new members:

Ken & Melissa Hussey, 2009 & 2001 Z06's & 1965 coupe
Bob & Marsha Zajieck, 2008 jet stream blue coupe. Guest at the last meeting:
Cathy & Victor Fanidro, Susan & Wayne Wells, Doc Raines, & Kei Josephson.

Classic Glass Corvette Club & Day's Chevrolet

PRESENTS:

The 28th Annual
"SuperVette
Saturday"
MAY 21, 2011

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SHOW TIME 10:00 AM-3:00 PM

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Signature: _____

_____ Date: _____

Information or directions call Carl 770-427-3572 or club president, Larry 770-365-3715.

Please mail completed registration form and check no later than 5/15/2011 made payable to:

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UPCOMING EVENTS		
Tail of The Dragon	May 7	N.C.
Goodie bag stuffing	May 18	Sidelines
SVS Set up	May 20	Day's Chevrolet, Acworth
SVS	May 21	Day's Chev. Acworth
Cruising the Lake	June 4	Carter's Lake area
NATIONAL CORVETTE MUSEUM EVENTS SCHEDULE		
C5/C6 Bash	April 28-30	Bowling Green, KY
Corvette Forum Cruise-In	May 26-28	Bowling Green, KY
CGCC Work Weekend	May 28-29	Bowling Green, KY



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Meeting Location

Sidelines Grill

1440 Roswell Road

Marietta, GA

Approx. 1 Mile East of the Big Chicken

2nd Tuesday of Each Month

Meeting Time: 7:30 PM

Next Meeting

May 10, 2011

The Vette Sette

