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Sunburst Corvette Club

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SUNBURST CORVETTE CLUB

MEETINGS

1st Thursday of every month except January at Galati's Hideway 800 Feinberg Gt. Cary, IL 847-516-3663



Sunburst Mission

- To encourage planned trips, events and social activities for the members of the club.
- To provide and regulate events and exhibitions for Corvette Owners.
- To encourage careful and skillful driving.



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Membership Dues

Effective 9.1.16 thru 8.31.17 New Member Single \$67.00 Couple \$90.00

Sunburst Corvette Club Celebrating 40 Years



Sunburst Corvette Club is a member of National Council of Corvette Clubs

For more information on NCCC or upcoming sanctioned events call Lee Douglas at 847-323-1202sunburst

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Message from the President

President Ron Gliot

May 2017

It looks like the weather has finally broken and Vette owners are out en masse! I can't believe how many Vettes I have been passing when out for a leisurely drive.....we need to teach many "the wave", but hey it is just good to see them out there.

As I sat in the Board meeting last week I was amazed how many events are already developing and beginning to fill the calendar. As always I encourage any member with any new, fresh idea for an event to not be shy and step up. We have plenty of members to assist you to bring the event to fruition, and we will never leaving you without help.

By the time you have read this, many of us will headed out for some great eats at Crandall's on "The Get Your Ride Rolling This Spring" hosted by Mike and Pat Stevens! I hope you didn't miss out!

This month will also play host to the Woodstock Memorial Day Parade, and you guessed it, is a parade on Memorial Day in Woodstock and Sunburst has a long tradition of participating in this one. I invite every member to attend! Stay tuned for details.

I am always impressed with Sunburst's spirit of volunteerism and with that I would like to introduce some new committee members:

Carol Letner- Goodwill Ambassador Ken Monroe- Cruise Director Mehlanie Douglas- Historian

Get ready because it appears the 40th anniversary year at Sunburst is going to be a banner year for great events!

Keep the shiny side up and the dirty side down!!!!!

Ron Gliot





Message from the Veep

May 2017

Vice President Forrest Roberts

Happy Spring Sunbursters

I certainly hope all of you have "unwrapped" your car and gone for an outing. Don't fail to take a few preventative measures early in the season.

Change your oil. Personally I store with a fresh change and replace again first thing in the spring to remove any condensation from the winter.

Check your tires for:

Proper inflation – correct pressure will be noted on the door jamb, tire sidewall and owner's manual for your car.

Remaining tread depth – Illinois minimum is 2/32" however less than 4/32" should be replaced due to inadequate braking, especially on wet surfaces.

Tire age - no reputable facility will repair a tire more than 5 years old. Check the wear pattern and have the alignment checked. Tires for Corvettes are expensive and accurate alignment assures good handling and full tire life.

Have the battery checked. Batteries often fail in very hot weather, and; if yours is under the hood with the engine, it's life will be shorter than one located at the back.

If you haven't had your mechanic recently service your car, check your Owners Manual for recommended fluid change intervals plus examine your belts and hoses.

Make sure your outings will be without an unnecessary breakdown.

At the April Membership Meeting, I gave a brief overview of Yahoo Groups intended as a guide for those who might not have had an opportunity to send a message. Below are the salient points for someone to get started. I would encourage anyone getting started to create a message as a test. Someone will let you know it was received. Then, you'll be prepared when that opportunity arises to sponsor a Flash Drive.

Go to our website – http://sunburstcorvetteclub.com Look at the dashboard for: Sunburst External Links It has a drop down menu, find: Yahoo Group

At the upper right, click Sign-In

Use your e-mail and password to sign in

Click on: New Topic

Type and send your message.

The message will go to at least one person at every member household.





Thoughts from the Governor

Governor Lee Douglas

May 2017

Hello Sunburst Members

At our monthly meeting when addressing my report I realized that there are many new faces out there. I thought this month I would explain what a governors responsibly entails. The easiest way was to copy and paste from NCCC rule book.

CLUB GOVERNOR

You, as Governor, will find that through contact with other Clubs you can exchange many helpful hints on the operation of a Club. You are a reflection of your Club; by your actions other NCCC people form an opinion of your club.

1.13.1.

RECOMMENDED GUIDELINES FOR A GOVERNOR

- 1. Each Governor should attend National and Regional Governors' meetings. Currently NCCC Bylaws require attendance at a minimum or three (3) National meetings per year. Requirements may be met by sending an alternate from the Club or through proxy with the Regional Executive. A Governor is his/her Club's link with its governing body. It is his/her responsibility to know and understand the working mechanics of the National and Regional Organization and to maintain an open and informative dialogue between each level.
- 2. You are responsible for all paperwork (i.e. Sanction Requests, Flyers, Event Results, signed release waivers, etc.) regarding your Club's events, having your Club follow the Competition Rule book, and all Governor safety related responsibilities as outlined in Section 1.1.2.
- 3. Process all your Club's Membership renewals in the time and manner specified by the Regional Membership Director (RMD). (We have a membership Director in Bill Mumford) 4. Report immediately to your RMD any additions or changes to NCCC membership names and/or addresses.
- 5. Keep National and Regional Officers informed of any changes of your Club's officers so that your Club will receive all correspondence from those officers.
- 6. Have membership forms on hand to sign up new members.
- 7. Present a summary of the Board of Governors' Meeting and Regional Meeting at the monthly Club meeting.
- 8. Announce upcoming Sanctioned Events and encourage your Club to participate as entrants or workers.
- 9. Obtain answers to questions that Club member s have.
- 10. Correspond with National and Regional Officers as necessary.
- 11. At the start of each year, give to their Club a short history of NCCC, the National Convention, Blue Bars, the competition program, insurance coverage and other advantages of being a member of NCCC.
- 12. Urge all NCCC members to buy and display NCCC items.
- 13. Submit articles and photos to Blue Bars on your Sanctioned Events and/or any interesting information.
- 14. Introduce your members to the National and Regional Officers.

I will admit that there are things that require more explanation. I will gladly try to respond but sometimes I will have to contact a National Officer for clarification. All governors meetings are held in Saint Louis, Missouri over a two day weekend

Lee Douglas Governor



Secretary Risa Murphy

Sunburst Corvette Club April Membership Meeting Minutes -04/06/2017

Opening- President Ron Gliot-Called the meeting to order at 7pm and commented that there were a lot of new faces at the meeting!! Nice!

Acknowledgment of greeters –Mike Stevens and Mike Murphy as a helper filling in for the Thomas's who were filling in for Ron Majchrowski.

Introduction of guests and visitors - Bill Mumford- Visitors include Erin & Gerald Risch of Lake In the Hills & Mike & Priscilla whom Ron Gliot met at an Auto Parts store and encouraged them to come to a meeting- you just never know where you'll find a corvette enthusiast!! New members tonight Todd Wiencek.

Corvette arrivals- no new arrivals but Jim Downing shared that he just came back from Arizona- and turned over 100K and is the proud owner of a new windshield from that trip.

Approval of the minutes from the membership meeting of 3/2/17. Kris Jensen made the motion to approve and Mike Rosendahl seconded.

Officer Reports

President - Ron Gliot- Ahhhh our President is a funny guy. He stated that he unexpectedly lost his job last week, and he'll approach the board about making the Sunburst president a paid position. But True Ron used his networking skills to ask if anyone is hiring for a project coordinator position.

Vice-President - Forrest Roberts- Forrest talked about the Yahoo group and encouraged all-including new members how to get a message out to the membership-If you have an idea for a flash drive, go for it- Send out the blast!! Per Forrest- if you have 2 Corvettes in a parking lot, it's a car show. IF you are having trouble with your Yahoo log in please contact Bill Mumford. If you would like more exact directions once you are on the site on how to send out a blast- contact Forrest.

Treasurer - Lee Thorson- Lee said we have extra 40th Anniversary Sunburst clocks available for purchase \$15 each. Month end balance is \$14,025.02.

Secretary - Risa Murphy- Nothing to report- which got a round of cheers!

Governor - Lee Douglas- Lee took up Risa's time and then some.....lol. Lee reported that Last weekend was the NCCC Midwest region Chapter Competition Awards- and Our Sunburst club did very well Worker Awards: Kris Jensen was 7th out of the top 20 and Jo Hoak was 5th

Men's Awards: Cory Reiser was 43 out of 43, Rich Orr was 40th, Mike Stevens was 38th, Bill Hoak was 24th, Matthew Waters was 18th, Lee Douglas was lucky # 13, John Hottenrott was 8th and Brian Eichorn was 2nd.

Concourse Champion Pat Stevens!!!

Ladies Awards: Mehlinae Douglas was 8th out of 23 and Karen Hottenrott was 5th

Top 5 clubs...... drum roll please...... Sunburst came in at 3rd place!! Our goal was #2- we missed that goal by 82 points

At any NCCC events- ANYONE can volunteer- they do not have to be a sunburst member- we are always looking for volunteers at any and ALL events- remember, to volunteer- it's not a full day commitment- it could be just be for 2 or 3 hours. Lee encouraged participation from chapter members at the Car Show, Autocross events and the Aug 12th combined rally. Also- the NCCC Insurance is very helpful at events.

Past President- Mike Stevens- No Report

Standing Committee Reports

Membership - Bill Mumford 148 Members!!

Cruise Director – Ken Monroe- NEW Congrats!! Ken did a great job telling us about the following upcoming events:

April 23, St Charles Evergreen Lodge Vetsters Magazine

April 30 Hawk Chevrolet

Don Elliott pitched the show sponsored by the Lake County Waukegan Salvation Army May 13 &14- Rt's 45 & 173 Car Show Benefit- they need judges- so if interested- contact Don Elliott

June 8-10 Chula Vista Corvette weekend- See brochures on the sign in table

Ron Gliot Mentioned a large swap meet in Jefferson, WI the last weekend in April for Corvette parts, etc.

Sponsorship - Mike Rosendahl- Most sponsors are up to date, Crandall's just renewed. Paul from Martin Chevrolet AKA our corvette tech spoke about Martin Chevrolet is starting a performance division that will do modifications!! Should be towards the end of April.

NCM Ambassador - Rich Orr- Rich picked up the last of the chapter member's brick order forms for the National Corvette Museum's brick program. He will hand in at the "Bash" at the museum at the end of April. Rich reminded us that NCM has an Insurance division and encouraged the members to compare the coverage they have currently to see if they could save you some \$\$.

Charity - Julie Thomas & Carol MacCabe - not in attendance

Car Show - Gary Gembala- Gary was not in attendance- Mike Stevens said it was the last night to order Car Show T-shirts- He will place the order 4/10 and they will be available for pick up at the May Meeting

Webmaster - Mike Smosna- Mike stated there are lots of updates on the website. The chapter website is in the running for some awards. When the calendar on the website needs updating- the following people can make the updates: Mike Smosna- webmaster & Mike Stevens, Past President.

Public Relations - Mike & Risa Murphy - nothing to report

Apparel - Karen Baird- Karen had and was selling the Sunburst car clings or \$1 each. Think Ink who is our Chapter's go to logo embroider and printer is working on a car flag for the Chapter and for our 40th anniversary as well.



Secretary Risa Murphy

Sargent at Arms - Dave Thomas- a rare "By" meeting as Dave was not in attendance the scofflaws were off the hook!!

Newsletter - Kris Jensen- No report

Goodwill - Carol Letner – NEW!! Congrats- We had candy at our tables again!! YEAH....it's the little things you know. April Birthdays were recognized and we all sang Happy Birthday, then the wedding anniversaries were celebrated as well.

Historian – Mehlanie Douglas NEW- Congrats – Nice photo display from a few past events: Lou's Pizza party in January, Lumes flash drive, Brunch Café Flash drive, Awards Banquet and the Prime Quarter Flash drive.. Always nice to encourage Flash drives to Sponsors- they are all listed in our newsletter. Joanie & Jim Downing said that they recently were in Arizona visiting Elly and Tom Palmer who recently relocated there. The club that found there that most resembles our club is now known as Sunburst CC West!! This club has a 1 time per month Ladies Luncheon. This brought up a discussion about our club and Ron Gliot encouraged the ladies to come up with an event that the ladies plan, and the Men have to go along with- be it a weekend to Galena where the ladies can shop or anything that the Female members of the club can come up with for ideas- that would be welcomed!

TEN-MINUTE BREAK

Special Committees

Two Minute Tech Tip - Jim Downing- Jim has to talk fast so he gets all of the info he needs to share with us in 2 minutes- so please be mindful of this while reading this section!

C6 Tip- or possibly on C5's and C7's too- when you get a Service Active warning- it could possibly be loose bolts- Jim said that he had his harmonic ballast replaced- he had some sloppy steering, so took it into a dealership to find that quite possibly the dealer who did the initial work may not have tightened the bolts properly.

Old Business

By-Laws Amendment

- Content Ownership- Mike Stevens made the motion that the membership approves the changes to the Bylaws. and Karen Baird seconded.
- The Members who were in attendance at the meeting voted unanimously to approve the changes to the bylaws-
- 3/11- 40th Anniversary Dinner- Great committee- all their hard work was applauded. All had a great time- many positive remarks on the food and the venue
- 4/1- Dust Off Flash Drive- Prime Quarter- Gary not in attendance- Quite a few cars- Most people grilled their own steaks, some did not- a chapter favorite and delicious destination

New Business

4/23- Get Your Ride Rolling This Spring- Mike Stevens sponsoring- Drive to Crandall's in Hebron, IL-Meet 2:30 at Galati's. There is a sign-up sheet at the meeting tonight, and Mike Stevens will also send out a blast to the Yahoo group.

Upcoming Events

Lee Thorsen & Lee Douglas said there will be a NCCC Rally in the Quad cities this weekend- April 8 &9.

6/21-6/25 Rolling to Bowling- Kris Jensen said there will be a special Rolling to Bowling 40th anniversary t shirt available for purchase \$12 each- same price and sizing as Car Show t-shirts. Be sure to sign up for the NCM portion for the drive out event- see pages 5-7 or call NCM for your reservations and lunch entrée reservation.

7/15-7/16 Trains & Corvettes- Sold out- Gary Gembala will relate info to those who have signed up.

8/5-8/6 Sunburst Autocross- Location- MCC parking lots in Crystal Lake, Need many volunteers to step up as well as participants.

8/12- Sunburst Combined Rally- The committee is planning a great event- save the date!

9/2-9/7 Vettes Viewing Vermont- Vern Chapman is leading this trip- There is a sign-up sheet at the sign in table- Contact Vern for more details.

9/9- 40th Anniversary Picnic- Will be held at a park in Crystal Lake

Announcements

Apparel Raffle- If a club member is wearing sunburst apparel at the monthly membership meeting, and there name is drawn from the bag o names- then you win \$\$\$- this month- the member's name drawn was not in attendance- the prize would have been \$40!!

50/50 Raffle - Winners are greeters on May 4th- Jean Mumford was the lucky winner of the \$58 pot!! Congrats!! You'll be our greeter next month.

Next Board meeting on Weds April 12th - dinner at 6pm, meeting starts with a quorum. Next Membership meeting on Thursday, May 4th - dinner at 6pm, meeting starts at 7pm.

Adjournment at 8:14 PM

Respectfully submitted Risa Murphy





Message from the Ambassador

Ambassador Rich Orr

May 2017

National Corvette Museum - NCM

Did you know the NCM Celebrates the Corvette experience and maintains the only non-profit museum dedicated to a single automotive marquee we all LOVE...The CORVETTE. It's supported by over 36,000 Corvette Enthusiasts that are members, plus various events and raffles that support the NCM vision and growth.

What does the National Corvette Museum offer?

A Retail store where you can purchase the latest Corvette gear. You can also shop them online 24/7. Educational programs:

Such as drivers' education clinics to help teens and adults become safer drivers.

NCM hosts a number of STEM (Science, Technology, Engineering, Math) camps throughout the year.

Mechanics education, a hands on auto care clinic for teens and adults.

Educational exhibits and events geared towards attracting school groups and families.

The Corvette Café is a 50s-themed dinner serving breakfast, lunch, snacks and refreshments.

GM Plant tours.

On-Site events throughout the year, starting off in April with the NCM Bash where the next model year Corvette is unveiled through November's Vets 'n Vettes.

A Library & Archives which is the repository for all materials documenting the past, present and future of Corvette, Corvette enthusiasts and the Corvette Museum. Most materials have been donated to the NCM from individual enthusiasts, publishing companies, print media, aftermarket suppliers, clubs and organizations such as NCRS, and from GM/Chevrolet.

Through the Library & Archives you can purchase your car's Build Sheet and Window Sticker.

NCM Insurance Agency focuses largely on providing Collector Car Insurance offering agreed upon value type policies.

Motorsports Park is the newest addition to the NCM. Throughout the year the Park hosts high performance driver training, plus it can be rented for racing and private events. A new addition in 2017 to the park is a Go-Kart track.

Finally, did you know that the National Corvette Museum membership is not only a tax deductible contribution, but also as a member gets you tons of perks like a quarterly subscription to America's Sports Car Magazine, a discount in the Corvette Store, discounted registration on Museum events, free admission to the Museum, plus discounts on things like bricks, build sheets, window stickers, Corvette Plant tours, NCM Insurance, hotels and car rentals! Not only that, but your membership helps the NCM continue to preserve the history of the iconic sports car.









Message from the Ambassador Rich Rich

Orr

May 2017

Upcoming Museum Events

| April 27-29, 2017 (Asheville, NC) | April 30 - May 3, 2017 | May 8-13, 2017 **SOLD OUT** | May 18-20, 2017 (France) | June 10-21, 2017 **REGISTRATION CLOSED** | June 17-18, 2017 (Oregon / Washington) | July 26-30, 2017 | August 18-23, 2017 (Roanoke, WV) | August 27-29, 2017 23rd Anniversary Celebration | August 31 - September 2, 2017 (Arizona / Utah) | September 17-23, 2017 Museum in Motion: Kentucky 1-Lap Tours | October, 2017 Vets 'n Vettes presented by Mobil 1 | November 2-4, 2017 | August 28-31, 2019

For an complete list of events visit http://www.corvettemuseum.org/explore/events/

If you have any questions about being or becoming an NCM member, please see me at a membership meeting or contact me at ncmambassador@sunburstecorvetteclub.com.









Special Announcements

Are you a Facebook user? Are you looking for more ways to keep up with what's going on in the Sunburst Corvette Club. JOIN THE SUNBURST CORVETTE CLUB FACEBOOK PAGE. The Sunburst Facebook page is closed group, which means that only Sunburst members can post on our wall and respond to posts on the wall. Go to Facebook, search for the Sunburst Corvette Club then request to join the group. Within a day or two, one of the moderators (Tom Fellberg or Mike Stevens) will approve your requests and you can then add your news, pictures or responses. It's to read the Group Policy for the Sunburst Group, so that you use the group

It's to read the Group Policy for the Sunburst Group, so that you use the group as it is intended. The page is monitored regularly and is strictly enforced. We hope you consider taking advantage of this communication tool that may enhance your membership in the Sunburst Corvette Club.

Digital Service Contact Information

If you have questions, concerns, comments on things you want taken care of with regards to any of our Digital Communications, please use the following list of contacts:

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A MESSAGE FROM THE HISTORIAN

Hi All!

Just a quick reminder that you can send your event photos to so that I can include them in the next month's slide presentation. Please make sure they are under 1 GB in size and also please limit the number to 20 or less. Can't wait to see what you shot!

Thanks Mehlinae

Sunburst Events

National Council of Corvette Clubs Midwest Region Party and Awards Banquet April 01, 2017













This is an annual social event celebrating the accomplishments of the previous year. It is held each Spring (usually in March or April) and hosted by the Midwest Region Club Points Champion for the previous year.

Besides an evening of dining, dancing and fun, those Members of the Region who earned 200 or more Championship Points at Midwest Region Sanctioned Events for the previous Competition Season (January 1 through December 15) are recognized and given their awards as well as the Champion Club, Champion Lady, Champion Man, Champion Worker, Autocross Champions, Rallye Champions & Car Show Champions.



Sunburst Events

National Council of Corvette Clubs Midwest Region Party and Awards Banquet April 01, 2017

Any outgoing Regional Officer is also recognized for their service to the Region.

It is always a great time whether you are a Competitor or not. Watch for the Flyer to be posted around the beginning of each year.

















Sunburst Events

FLASH DRIVE 1st of the Season

Prime Quarters Janesville, WI April 1, 2017







Sunburst Members Travels



Jim and Joanie Downing traveled to Arizona for several weeks this winter Just before leaving Phoenix passed this memorable milestone on their 2009 Red Coupe



On the way home, Jim and Joanie stopped for the evening at the Wig Wam Hotel in Holbrook, AZ along old Rt 66





Sunburst Events Calendar



May 2017		
4 th	Membership Meeting – 7:00 pm (Dinner – 6:00 pm)	Galati's Hideaway
10 th	Board Meeting – 6:00 pm	Galati's Hideaway

June 2017		
1 st	Membership Meeting – 7:00 pm (Dinner – 6:00 pm)	Galati's Hideaway
14 th	Board Meeting – 6:00 pm	Galati's Hideaway
21st - 25th	Rolling to Bowling (Green)	Bowling Green, KY

July 2017		
2 nd	Crystal Lake 4th of July Parade Time: TBD	Crystal Lake, IL
4 th	Wonderlake 4th of July Parade Time TBD	Wonderlake, IL
6th	Membership Meeting – 7:00 pm (Dinner – 6:00 pm)	Galati's Hideaway
12 th	Board Meeting – 6:00 pm	Galati's Hideaway
15 th - 16 th	Trains and Corvettes Scenic Drive	Janesville, WI

August 2017		
3 rd	Membership Meeting – 7:00 pm (Dinner – 6:00 pm)	Galati's Hideaway
5^{th} - 6^{th}	Sunburst Auto-Cross	MCC, Woodstock, IL
10 th	Board Meeting – 6:00 pm	Galati's Hideaway
12 th	Sunburst Rallye and Poker Run	TBD

September		
7^{th}	Membership Meeting – 7:00 pm (Dinner – 6:00pm)	Galati's Hideaway
9 th	40th Anniversary Picnic	Crystal Lake, IL
10^{th}	Saufen und Spiel	Johnsburg, IL
13 th	Board Meeting - 6:00 pm	Galati's Hideaway
17 th	Sunburst Car Show – Martin Chevrolet	Crystal Lake, IL
$30^{th} - Oct 7^{th}$	Vettes Viewing Vermont	Vermont

October		
5^{th}	Membership Meeting – 7:00 pm (Dinner – 6:00 pm)	Galati's Hideaway
7 th - 9 th	Drive-out to St Jude Children's Research Hospital	Memphis, TN
11 th	Board Meeting – 6:00 pm	Galati's Hideaway

November		
$2^{\rm nd}$	Membership Meeting – 7:00 pm (Dinner – 6:00 pm)	Galati's Hideaway
4^{th}	Little Angel's Potluck - Jean Mumford	Elgin, IL
8 th	Board Meeting – 6:00 pm	Galati's Hideaway
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2""	Christmas Party – Jean Mumford	Golf Course Illinois
7^{th}	Membership Meeting – 7:00 pm (Dinner – 6:00 pm)	Galati's Hideaway
13 th	Board Meeting – 6:00pm	Galati's Hideaway



Last Call for Rolling to Bowling T-Shirts

Bring your orders to the membership meeting on May 4. T-Shirts will be available at the June 1st meeting. Any club member may order this shirt to commemorate the club's 40th Anniversary



NAME ____

SIZE	UNISEX CREW NECK	UNIT COST	TOTAL
SMALL	Series Illian man	\$12.00	
MEDIUM		\$12.00	
LARGE		\$12.00	
XL	17	\$12.00	
XXL		\$13.50	
XXXL		\$16.00	
XXXXL	7	\$16.00	
XXXXXL	U C	\$16.00	
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Orders may be given to Kris Jensen or Rich Orr at the April or May membership meetings or you may contact Kris or Rich at 847-975-0002 or krisj47@comcast.net. Order forms may also be mailed to Kris at 1020 par Drive, IL 60012. Please make your check payable to: Sunburst Corvette Club.

Your 2017 Special Addition Rolling to Bowling T-shirts will be ready for pick up at the June 1st membership meeting.

^{*}Pricing based on a quantity 35 T-shirts. If less pricing could increase.

SUNBURST CORVETTE CLUB INVITES YOU TO:

SAUFEN UND SPIEL...WHAT'S THAT YOU SAY?

"IT'S A PARADE...IN JOHNSBURG..."

ON SUNDAY, SEPTEMBER 10TH AT 12:30PM We sure hope you will join in on the F-U-N!

HERE'S THE SCOOP ...

11:00 A.M. LINE UP STARTS AT: NOLAN AND KAREN BAIRD'S HOUSE
1911 ASTER COURT, JOHNSBURG
(Off Ringwood Road by the Johnsburg High School)

11:30 A.M. WE HEAD TO SUNNYSIDE PARKOFF OF CHANNEL BEACH ROAD

12:30 P.M. PARADEBEGINS

1:30-2:00 P.M. PARADE ENDS AT THE MEMORIAL HALL & EVENT SITE V.I.P. parking on the outfield of the Johnsburg Tiger's Field for our very own mini car show. People will be walking around your cars. Bring your lawn chairs. There we will be able to eat, drink and be meny!

2:30-6:30 P.M. ENJOY MUSIC FROM JOHNNY RUSSLER & THE BEACH BUM BAND

4:00 P.M. THE ANNUAL COW DROP-JOIN THE REST OF JOHNSBURG AS WE PATIENTLY AWAIT A COW TO DROP...ON RAFFLE SQUARES... IT'S...RIVOTING...WAITING...FOR...A...COW...TO...DROP!

TRULY A CAN'T MISS EVENT!

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2017 Award Categories

- > Best In Show
- People's Choice by Decade *
- Car Show Sponsor
- > 2017 Charity Choice
- Loudest Exhaust (Stock & Non--Stock)





2017 NCCC Award Categories *

- People's Choice by Decade (MW-277-009) *
- Concours Judged (MW-277-010)*
- * Note: NCCC People's Choice Competition is 'All Makes All Models', with two awards per decade.

Show Day Schedule

♦ Registration Opens	8:00 AM
Registration Closes	12:00 PM
AMCCC Registration	

Closes

Closes 10:00 AM

❖ Stop Cleaning 10:00 AM

❖ Drivers' Meeting 10:00 AM

♦ Start Judging 10:15 AM

People's Choice

Voting Ends 1:30 PM

❖ Silent Auction Ends 1:00 PM

Award Ceremony 2:30 PM

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MAP TO LOCATION Martin Chevrolet 5220 Northwest Highway Crystal Lake, IL 60014-8010 815.459.4000 Day of event phone number 224.520.0243 Gary

Please see registration sheet for categories. Flyers and Registration forms are available to download from the Sunburst Corvette Club Website. For further information about the Car Show please see Sunburst Corvette Website Car Show Pages at www.SunburstCorvetteClub.com.



Registration Form please include one form for ea Anniversanu PRIMARY NAME EMAIL ADDRESS CLUB NAME STATE ZIP NCCC# (if NCCC member) (IF NEEDED FOR NCCC POINTS) SECONDARY NAME EMAIL ADDRESS CLUB NAME STATE ZIP NCCC# (if NCCC member) How did you hear about our show? _ EMERGENCY CONTACT Relationship: Corvette Information Year Body Style Model Color ENTRY FEES (Choose Plan A or Plan B) Official Use Only Plan A - \$25 (All Makes - All Models Plan B - \$35 (Corvette Only) Cash/Check # Plan B includes: Plan A includes: At Show/Date People's Choice (MW-277-009) NCCC Concours Judged (MW-277-010) People's Choice (MW-277-009) Best in Show Fee Charity Awards Best in Show Sponsor Awards Charity Awards Imitials Loudest Exhaust (optional) Sponsor Awards

Continue to event registration on other side of form

Loudest Exhaust (optional)



Car # ______ Do Not Fill in

SUNDAY, Sep 17, 2017

Martin Chevrolet 5220 Northwest Highway Crystal Lake, IL, 60014

PLAN A All Makes - All Models

People's Choice MW 277-009

- ☐ Pre-1959
- ☐ 1950 1959 ☐ 1960 - 1969
- ☐ 1970 1979
- □ 1980 1989
- ☐ 1990 1999 ☐ 2000 - 2009
- ☐ 2010- Current

Concours Prepared

Award Note:
People's Choice
includes all makes,
all models. 1st & 2nd
place per decade
will be awarded.

Loudest Exhaust

☐ Stock Exhaust All Years
☐ Modified Exhaust All Years

Award Note: Loudest Exhaust includes all makes, all models. Loudest Exhaust Stock and Loudest Exhaust Modified, will be awarded.

PLAN B (includes Plan A)

Corvette Concours (Choose Only One) - MW 277-010

W8.5 + 58.5 + originality, condition and in-depth judging	Was plus engine & chassis	Street Show Was plus engine & chassis	Wash & Show Fit & cleanliness int/ext - no engine	Race Prepared
☐ C/PA 1953 - 1962	☐ MOD A 1953 - 1962	☐ S/S A 1953 - 1962	☐ W&S A 1953 - 1962	R/P All Years
☐ C/PB 1963-1967	☐ MOD 8 1963 - 1967	☐ S/S B 1963 - 1967	☐ W&S B 1963 - 1967	Custom
☐ C/PC 1968-1977	☐ MOD C 1968 - 1977	☐ S/S C 1968 - 1977	☐ W&S C 1968 - 1977	
C/P D 1978 - 1982	MOD D 1978 - 1982	☐ S/S D 1978 - 1982	☐ W85 D 1978 - 1982	Custom
☐ C/PE 1984 - 1996	☐ MOD E 1984 - 1996	☐ S/S E 1984 - 1996	☐ W&S E 1984 - 1996	OUS A 1953 - 1982
☐ C/PF 1997 - 2004	☐ MOD F 1997 - 2004	☐ S/S F 1997 - 2004	☐ W&S F 1997 - 2004	OUS B 1984 - Cur
☐ C/P G 2005 - 2013	☐ MOD G 2005 - 2013	S/S G 2005 - 2013	☐ W&S G 2005 - 2013	
☐ C/P H 2014 - Cur	☐ MOD H 2014 - Cur	S/S H 2014 - Cur	☐ W&S H 2014 - Cur	

Award Note: Awards for every Concours class will follow NATIONAL COUNCIL OF CORVETTE CLUBS SANCTIONED COMPETITION PROGRAM 2017-2018, Section 7.3 AWARDS, paragraph 3.

One (1) award - One (1) to six (6) car class.

Two (2) awards -- Seven (7) to eleven (11) car class.

Three (3) awards - Twelve (12) to seventeen (17) car class.

Four (4) awards -- Eighteen (18) to twenty-four (24) car class.

Five (5) awards -- Twenty-five (25) to thirty-four (34) car class.

One (1) additional award for every ten (10) cars thereafter.



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Vettes Viewing Vermont 2017 By Sunburst Corvette Club Sept 30 to Oct. 7, 2017

The trip is about having a good time with Sunburst members and enjoying a kaleidoscope of colors against the backdrop of the Green Mountains. What I looked for is: Scenic highways, top tourist attractions, double stay hotel locations, low mileage in Vermont, something special.

If, at all, interested....send me your email address to: winemaster4@comcast.net. I will provide a fact sheet with web site references.

Keep cruising Vern and Judy Chapman

Give the following information to Vern at the meeting or afterward email it to
winemaster4@comcast.net:
Driver Name and Cell phone number:
Navigator Name and Cell phone number:
Email address:
Corvette Car color and plate info:
Do you have a CB? Y/N

NCCC Midwest Region Events Calendar

2017 NCCC - MW Region Events Calendar

May 2017		
5 th - 6 th	MW Region Meetings and Governors Meetings	St. Louis, MO
13 th	3 Rallyes – Wisconsin CC	Delafield, WI
20 th	Klairmont Museum Tour – Windy City Corvette Club	Chicago, IL
20 th	7 Auto-X Events Great River CC	Quincy, IL
21 st	7 Auto-X Events Great River CC & Mid-Illinois CC	Quincy, IL
27 th -29 th	21 Auto-X Events – MWR Fundraiser	Bowling Green, KY
28 th	Brat Fest Car Show – ad City vettes	Madison, WI
June 2017		,
4 th	2 PC Concours – Windy City Corvettes	Hodgkins, IL
10 th - 11 th	12 Auto-X Events – Central Illinois, Rolling Prairie & St Louis CC	Rantoul, IL
17 th	6 Auto-X Events – Windy City & Corvette Club of IL	Rantoul, IL
18 th	5 Auto-X Events – Corvette Club of IL	Rantoul, IL
25 th	1 Concours, 2 PC Concours – Badger State Vettes	West Allis, WI
July 2017	2 4 5 5 6 6 6 6 6 6 6 6 6 6 6 6 6 6 6 6 6	
1 st -2 nd	14 Auto-X Events – Wisconsin & Kettle Moraine CC	TBD
8 th	7 Auto-X Events – Badger State Vettes & Brew City CC	TBD
9 th	7 Auto-X Events – Northern IL & Brew City CC	TBD
15 th	Truck, Bike and Car Show – Chicago Cross Roads	Chicago, IL
22 nd	7 Rallyes – River City CC	LaCrosse, WI
29 th	7 Rallyes – Corvettes of Minnesota	Woodbury, MN
30 th	7 Rallyes – Little Egypt CC (Windy City CC)	Downers Grove, IL
August 2017		20111010 01010,12
5 th	6 Auto-X Events – Mad City Vettes & Sunburst CC	Crystal Lake, IL
6 th	6 Auto-X Events – No ILL & Sunburst CC	Crystal Lake, IL
12 th	4 Rallyes – Sunburst CC	Johnsburg, IL
13 th	1 Concours & 3 PC Concourse – Chicago CC(Windy City CC)	Tinley Park, IL
21 st - 25 th	NCCC Convention	Bowling Green, KY
September 2		8 ,
2 nd - 3 rd	10 Auto-X Events - No ILL, Northern Rays, Windy City CC	TBD
8 th - 9 th	MW Region Meetings and Governors Meetings	St. Louis, MO
16 th	7 Auto-X Events – Route 66 CC	St Charles, MO
17 th	7 Auto-X Events – Route 66, St Louis, & Sunburst CC	St Charles, MO
17 th	2 Concours – Sunburst CC	Crystal Lake, IL
24 th	7 Low Speed Events – Midwest Corvettes	Davenport, IA
24 th	1 PC Concours – Windy City Corvettes	Country Club Hills, IL
30 th -1 st	10 Auto-Cross Events - MW Region Fundraiser	Rantoul, IL
October 201	g .	•
7^{th}	7 Auto-X Events - Windy City Northern Rays, & Chicago CC	South Bend, IN
8 th	7 Auto-X Events – Chicago Cross Roads & Chicago CC	South Bend, IN
8 th	4 Rallyes – Badger State & Brew City CC	Waukesha, WI
14 th	7 Auto-X Events Land of Lincoln CC	South Bend, IN
15 th	1 Rallye – Windy City Corvettes	Orland Park, IL
November 2	· · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · ·	•
10th-11th	MW Region Meetings and Governors Meetings	St Louis, MO





NCCC News

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Family Helping Family

The NCCC has established a program where NCCC members traveling have options if something happens to them; their car or if they just want to have a cup of coffee with a fellow member.

The Family Helping Family directory that I currently published is up to date by the Password has been changed for the new year.

User Name: NCCCHelp

Password: 1963SplitWindow

Please note that both the Userid and PW are Case Sensitive.

Charity News

2017 Charitable Organizations



Honor Flight Chicago was founded to recognize Chicago-land's World War II and Korean War veterans by flying them all-expense-paid to Washington DC for a day of honor, remembrance and celebration. Currently we are flying WWII and Korean War veterans, but we are accepting applications from Vietnam War veterans for future flights. After we have reached out to all WWII and Korean War veterans who are interested, we will begin flying Vietnam veterans to Washington DC.

The Build Team was born out of a shared vision to give back to the community. What started as a brief discussion on a Sunday afternoon, led five business and professional leaders to come together to help local families in financial need with essential home repairs. The Build Team was launched in 2014 with the commitment of efficiently and effectively utilizing its resources and donations to meet those charitable objectives for families in Northwest Cook and surrounding counties in Illinois. The Board of Directors approved our first project in June. In August, the IRS approved our tax exempt status as a 501(c)(3) charitable organization.





Miraculous Multiples Mothers of Twins Club (MMMOTC) is a non-profit support and social group for mothers (or expectant mothers) of multiples (twins, triplets, or more) in the McHenry County area. Membership is open to all mothers of multiples (natural or adoptive).

Pioneer Center for Human Services is a 501(c)3, non-profit charitable organization that provides direct services to thousands of individuals each year. The organization also provides education and outreach to schools and community organizations reaching over 10,000 additional individuals.





Crystal Lake Corps

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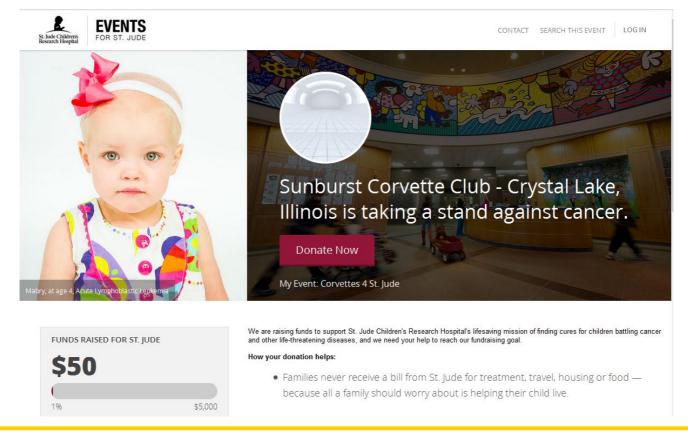
Charity News



There seems to have been some confusion on the website provided in last month's newsletter. Should you wish to donate directly to St Jude, through the Sunburst site, please follow the following steps:

- 1. Go to http://fundraising.stjude.org/
- 2. Click on "Find a Participant"
- 3. Enter "Sunburst" in the display name field
- 4. Click the search button
- 5. Click on the Sunburst link that shows up in the list

NOTE: You will not be able to link directly from this newsletter



Corvette History and Interesting Facts

C6 The Refined Performance Corvette (2005 - 2013)

2005

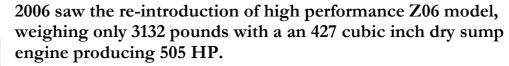
2005 marks the introduction of the sixth generation Corvette... the C6.



A major styling change for the C6 Corvette is non-pop up headlights... not seen on a Corvette since 2962.

2005 was the first year for key-less access and start.

2006





A six-speed paddle shift automatic transmission as an option in 2006.

2007

Daytona Sunset Orange Metallic, a popular color choice in 2005 & 2006, was replaced by Atomic Orange in 2007, an extra cost color choice.



Two special editions were introduced for the 2007 model year... the Arctic White Ron Fellows ALMS GT1 Z06 (399 built) and an Indy Pace Car r4eplica convertible in Atomic Orange (500 built).

2008

For 2008, a 427-Limited Edition Z06 was made available in Crystal Red Metallic paint with all 505 units hand signed by retiring Corvette Assembly Plant Manager, Will Cooksey.



The total 2009 Corvette production run of only 16,956 cars was the lowest since 1962's production run of 14,531 units (not counting 1997's run of 9752 cars due to late introduction of the new C5).

2009

The 2009 ZR! Was the firs production Corvette to retail for over \$100,000.



In 2009 consumers had their choice of nine different Corvette configurations including coupe, convertible, Z06, ZR1, Competition Sport, and GT1 Championship Editions.

Trivia information was found on the Roger's Corvette Center Website:

http://www.rogerscorvette.com/history.htm

Committee Chair Message Board

APPAREL

Think Ink is the embroidery company for the Sunburst Corvette Club. They are family owned, have been in business 30 years, and are located in Crystal Lake. Members may bring in their own clothing with no additional charge. You may call or come into the store for your orders. There is an \$8 charge per name for any number of letters which are embroidered in black or white. You may also have Spangles or Rhinestones applied. Production time is approximately 5-6 working days. Items may be shipped UPS if needed. Catalogs are available in the store. Please call Apparel Director - Karen Baird with any questions at: 815-355-0000. Think Ink 890 Cog Circle, Crystal Lake



NEWSLETTER:

815-459-4565.

We are always looking for new ideas to include in Sunspots. If you have an idea for something you would like to see featured, or have pictures of family members or pets with your Corvette, that you would like to share, please send all to me at krisj47@comcast.net.

Kris Jensen Newsletter Editor



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Celebrations



May Birthdays

6th Robert Rauschenberg

12th Marilyn Roberts

15th Les Samuel

18th Forrest Roberts

19th James Guidici

23rd Karen Pipher

31st Corrine Giberson

31st Sue Jannusch

May Anniversaries

2nd Sue & Lee Thorson

6th Bonnie & Rick Edwardsen

6th Kris Jensen & Rich Orr

11th Margie & Larry Bachner

11th Corrine & Dale Giberson

18th Sharon & Don Smith

27th Jana & Drew Tyk



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