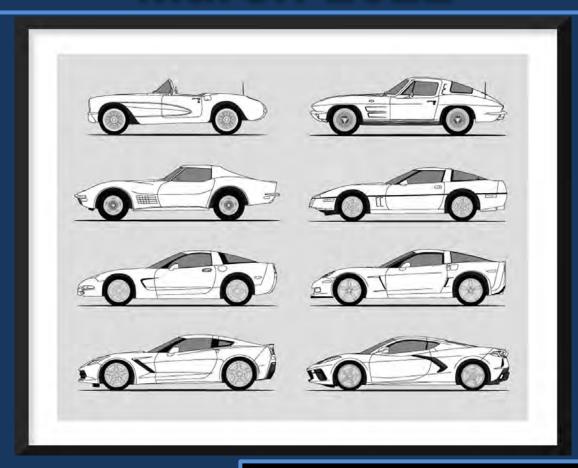
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Please Remember,
All articles, pictures, ads, & flyers are due
the 3rd Sunday of the month.



SUNBURST CORVETTE CLUB

MEETINGS

*1st Thursday at 7pm of every month except January at Galati's Hideaway 800 Feinberg Gt. Cary, IL 847-516-3663

*Come at 6pm to eat together if you like!



MISSION

Engage: With a fun inviting social club for fellowship and participation through meetings, activities and events to encourage continued support of Corvette culture and ownership.

Participate: In a forum of education and learning for the enjoyment, driving experience, restoration and sharing of Corvette history.

Share: In collaboration of club members and community partners through volunteerism and charitable support to provide impactful philanthropic giving to benefit the communities we interact with.

VISION

To provide an engaging and lasting influence with whatever we do, whomever we meet, and wherever we go as a club for the continued preservation of the Corvette legacy.

VALUES

Exhibiting the utmost integrity while having fun through education and philanthropy with diverse fellowship and collaboration including club members and community partnerships.



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Membership Renewal Effective 1.1.22 thru 12.31.22

Single: \$49.00 Couple: \$67.00 New Member

Single: \$67.00 Couple \$90.00



Sunburst Corvette Club is a member of the National Corvette Museum

For more information on the NCM contact Scott Schulz at ncmambassador@sunburstcorvetteclub.com



NCM Ambassador Scott Schulz

Message from The President

President Loren Doppelt

Hello to all Sunburst Members!

This time of year is normally March Madness for College basketball, but for all Corvette owners in Chicago, March Madness takes on a whole new meaning! If you are like me, you are probably itching to take the cover off your Corvette and go for a long overdue ride. Most of us like to wait for a good rain to at least clean the salt off of the streets. Hopefully the ground hog will be wrong this year and we will have an early spring!

The planning for various Sunburst events for 2022 is already underway. We had our first Car show meeting to discuss what is needed for hopefully another record turnout. Mark your calendars for September 18th! Our first event is for the year is the Saint Patrick's Day party which is scheduled for March 12th. Hope you can make it and don't forget to sign up!

We also will have "Flash Drives" throughout the year which have been well received by the membership. In short, these are "spur of the moment" outings that a member puts together to their favorite restaurant or ice cream shop. The "Flash Drives" are announced either through our Groups.io or Facebook page and give members relatively short notice. It would be great to see "Flash Drives" thrive. Anyone can put one together, so be creative and start one! Watch your e-mail and make sure you are receiving our Groups.io blasts.

We have an update to our Board of Directors. Sue Thorson will be assuming the Secretary position. Here is the list of your Sunburst Corvette Club Board of Directors for 2022.

President – Loren Doppelt Vice President – Jill Gray Secretary – Sue Thorson Treasurer – Leo Casanas Governor – Mike Stevens Past President – Dee Rosendahl

Sunburst will be celebrating our 45th year as a Corvette Club and I am excited to say we have several volunteers who asked to be part of the 45th Anniversary Committee. They will be planning and putting together activities throughout the year. Thank you to Pam Tidaback, Kris DiGirolamo, Ron Bellack, Scott Schulz, and Connie Borucki for volunteering.

Remember, this club is not mine, or the Board's club....it is the MEMBERS club. Stay active and involved and have fun! The more you put in the more you (and others) will get out!

Our next General Membership meeting is Thursday March 3rd at Galati's. Our next Board Meeting will be held Wednesday, March 9th at Galati's. All members are welcome to attend to see your Sunburst Board in action!

Have a great March everyone!

Loren





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Message from The Governor

Greetings Sunburst Members,

Spring is right around the corner and before you know it, it will be time to get your Vette out of hibernation. As the days grow longer the hope for warmer weather grows as well. I really don't have much to share regarding NCCC, at this time. The Midwest Region Governors, as well as the National Governors, will be meeting in St. Louis this coming weekend, so I should have some interesting updates at out March Membership meeting.

This may be a good time to introduce or reintroduce the Future Corvette Owners Association (FCOA). In 1991 a group of NCCC members were interested in promoting the "Corvette hobby" to a younger audience. Their hope was to keep the spirit of camaraderie and competition alive on future generations of Corvette Owners. Since its inception thousands of youngsters became part of the Corvette Community through FCOA.



You can register your niece, nephew, grandson, granddaughter or the neighbor kid that mows your lawn for membership in FCOA for the \$10 fee. This one-time fee covers the youngster until they turn 16yrs old. What does the youngster get when they become a member? Although the contents of the membership package have changed over time, it usually contains a membership card, refrigerator magnets, note pad, dash plaque and stickers along with a personalized letter welcoming them into the "Corvette Community". It also helps create a special bond between you and the child you registered.

Currently, there are over 200 FCOA members nationwide. In the Midwest Region there are over 381 members, with Windy City Corvettes leading the pack with 121 members. All four of our grandkids were thrilled to receive their membership package and I know a number of Sunburst members have registered a child, as well. Something to consider, if you're looking for a gift that's a little different, but has the opportunity to bring you closer to someone you care about. Go to <corvettesnccc.org> click on the FCOA logo in the bottom left corner of the menu boxes and you'll be able to find out more about FCOA and get an application.

Here's hoping for an early spring and wonderful driving season ahead in 2022.

Mike Stevens, Governor Sunburst Corvette Club





Event Invite





National Corvette Museum Michelin Bash

- Leaving on 4/27 early
- · Three nights in Bowling Green
- Returning on 4/30
- Register for the Bash at NCM at corvettemuseum.org
- Drive outs
- Seminars
- Track experiences
- · Time to hang out with your Sunburst Buddies
- If interested contact Mike Stevens at 847-277-9302 or snevetsmp@comcast.net





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Eight Years Since the Corvette Cave-In - The Skydome Sinkhole Exprience

The National Corvette Museum made international news headlines on February 12, 2014 when



a sinkhole collapsed in the Skydome of the Museum in the wee hours of the morning. Thankfully, no one was in the building when it happened, but security cameras were rolling to catch the incident on camera. Museum visitation skyrocketed that same year as people from around the world were drawn to witness for themselves the destruction Mother

Nature had caused. Though the sinkhole has since been filled, the story continues to draw attention.

February 12, 2016 (the two-year anniversary of the sinkhole) a new exhibit opened to tell the story of what happened that day, why it happened, what cars were affected, how they were recovered, what karst landscapes and caves are, how the building was fixed, and much more. Learn more about the elements of the NCMs Sinkhole exhibit below!

- The Day This portion of the exhibit explores what happened on February 12, 2014. While the story made international headlines and many remember seeing security footage of the Corvettes falling into the sinkhole, some may not be as familiar with the story. A panel briefly gets visitors up to speed, with one screen looping the security footage and another playing media clips from the day.
- Media Coverage
 Corvettes are eye-catching, even when they lay mangled in the bottom of a 30-foot
 sinkhole. The story swept the nation and abroad and this section covers some facts
 about the media coverage as well as several clips from cable documentaries to prime time national news outlets.





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Pop Culture

An unexpected result of the sinkhole was the amount of interest on social media, from tens of thousands of shares, to hilarious memes and parodies, to a growing interest in the Museum. This section of the exhibit delves into the pop culture sensation the sinkhole became.

Cars Affected

"Some tears were shed," is how then Museum Executive Director Wendell Strode described the news of eight Corvettes falling victim to the sinkhole. This panel provides photos, videos and facts on each of the cars, as well as an interactive "before" model of each Corvette. An illuminated acrylic case illustrates precisely where each car fell into the hole.

The Recovery

The recovery of the Corvettes from the sinkhole was no easy task! While you can see short video clips and photos of the process within the Cars Affected section, you can get behind the controls of a crane at the interactive game within "The Recovery." Guests of all ages will enjoy digitally recovering all eight cars and putting them safely in their garage bays.

Karst Landscapes

For much of the country, the idea of caves and sinkholes can be interesting, and sometimes scary. For residents of South Central Kentucky they are a way of life. This section gives a deeper look at what lies beneath our feet. What exactly is karst? How are caves formed? What kind of sinkholes are there? Are you safe? There is even a few samples of rock formations from our cave – including one that took tens of thousands of years to form!

What It Took to Fix the Sinkhole

One of the most common questions is, "Is the hole filled?" Yes, it is, but it was quite the engineering feat to do so! This section illustrates just what went into filling the sinkhole with an illuminated acrylic case showing each micropile that was installed in the ground. Read about some of the engineering involved in the process and why the Skydome is now one of the safest spots sitting on a cave, then watch a quick time-lapse video of the process! Interact with the responder wall, twisting and turning the digital image of the cave to see just how big it is while reading a few interesting facts about its size. Then, check out the live webcam feed from inside the cave! There are even a few hidden Corvette parts that you can search for by panning, tilting and zooming the camera.

The Grand Finale

Ever wonder what it might be like inside a cave, when suddenly it starts to collapse? Sounds a little scary, right? Well, for a safer experience, venture into the mini cave for a virtual simulation of a collapse. Once its done you'll exit into our Skydome to continue your tour. While you wait for the simulation to begin, enjoy the trivia kiosk just outside the "thunderdome" to test what you've learned throughout the exhibit.





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• The Actual Cars

Your educational journey through Corvette Cave In will lead you to the Skydome where all eight of the "sinkhole Corvettes" remain on display. See the two Corvettes restored by General Motors, as well as the other six cars that look just as they did after being rescued from the sinkhole.



Look Below the Surface At the edge of the sinkhole Corvette display you will not want to miss our 48" manhole that leads into one side of our cave. During the sinkhole repair process the museum was able to add the manhole to provide access to the cave, and you can peer into the window to see the floor of the sinkhole, over 30 feet down! This passageway then slopes down into the cave, providing some interesting terrain under the surface!

This special exhibit provides a little soothing for everyone. This is a exhibit you do not want miss on your next visit to the NCM.





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Upcoming Museum Events & Events On-Site at the Museum

The NCM posted events through October 2022. A good number of them are Museum in Motion (MiM) events. Please Note: several of the MiM events are already fully booked and you will have to get on the waiting list if you are interested. If you are interested in any of the MiM events I suggest you book them soon.

March 2022

 MiM "Sights & Sounds of New Orleans" – National <u>Corvette Museum</u> | Mar 29 – Apr 2

Apr 2022

- <u>2022 9-Day Caribbean Cruise</u> | Apr 15 Apr 24
- Michelin NCM Bash | Apr 28 30

May 2022

- MiM Dragon Run Presented by Michelin @ Biltmore Estate | May 1 4
- MiM Dragon Run Presented by Michelin Explore Buffalo | May 24 28
- MiM Branson Experience National Corvette Museum | May 31 Jun 4

Jun 2022

- MiM Le Mans Tour National Corvette Museum | June 3 June 14
- <u>Le Mans Race Weekend National Corvette Museum</u> | June 11 -12

July 2022

- MiM Colorado Springs National Corvette Museum | July 10 14
- MiM Northeast Ohio National Corvette Museum | July 31 Aug 4

Sep 2022

- 28th Anniversary Celebration National Corvette Museum | Sep 1 3
- On-Site Events National Corvette Museum | Sep 18 24
- MiM 1 Lap of Kentucky Tour | Sept 19 24; Sept 26 Oct 1; Oct 10 15; Oct 17 22
- MiM National Parks Week 2 National Corvette Museum | Sept 24 Oct 1

MiM = Museum in Motion event. The Museum in Motion events combine the fun of driving, socializing With other Corvette enthusiasts, sightseeing, and visiting unique places – including many V.I.P. and Behind the scenes opportunities that only the Museum can get you.)

View a complete list of events with more information and links to register on our **the** NCM Events Website here (https://www.corvettemuseum.org/explore/events/).





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NCM Corvette Raffle

The National Corvette Museum conducts a series of raffles each year as a way to raise funding for the day-to-day operations of the Museum. The raffle fundraisers are a tremendous help to the Museum and a large part of our planning and daily operation funds.

All raffle winners will also enjoy the benefits and excitement of taking delivery of their new Corvette at the Museum as part of the "R8C Museum Delivery" experience. A VIP tour of the Museum and Corvette Assembly Plant (if available), one-year individual membership to the Museum, hands-on training/instruction by a NCM delivery team member, program decal and a wall plaque are all part of the Museum Delivery experience that is available exclusively through the Museum. R8C deliveries are viewed world-wide via the Museum's webcams.



Winner/Purchaser must be 18 years old with a valid driver's license.

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Watch Drawings LIVE!

You can watch raffle drawings live on the <u>Museum webcams</u>, or on NCM <u>Facebook page</u>. The webcam varies by drawing but is typically on one of the Delivery cameras. No sound is available on NCM webcams. On Facebook, the drawing's live stream will pop up on the page approximately 1 minute or less before the drawing.

Raffle Winners

Check out some of the past raffle winners!





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2022 Arctic White Corvette Convertible 4/30/2022

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Carbon Flash Exterior Badge Package, Carbon Flash-Painted Outside Mirrors & Spoiler, HD Front and Rear Vision Cameras, Battery Protection Package, Front License Plate Bracket, Corvette Museum

Painted Aluminum Wheels with Machined Edge, Bright Red-Painted Calipers, 2LT Equipment Group with Adrenaline Red Leather Interior including GT2 Bucket Seats, Bose Audio Performance Series Sound System, Performance Data and Video Recorder, Universal Home Remote, Front Lift Adjustable Height with Memory, Low Rear Spoiler, Carbon Flash-Painted Nacelles

Delivery | Tickets are \$200 each and the raffle has 1500 tickets.



and Convertible Roof, Carbon Flash Exterior Side Vents and Front/Rear Accents, Carbon Flash Exterior Badge Package, Carbon Flash-Painted Outside Mirrors & Spoiler, HD Front and Rear Vision Cameras, Battery Protection Package, Front License Plate Bracket, Corvette Museum Delivery | Unlimited tickets at \$20 each.



NCM Motorsports Park



Have a need for SPEED? The NCM Motorsports Park is located less than two miles from the Museum and offers the chance for you to ride in a Corvette, drive your car on the road course for a lap, participate in a high-performance driving school and/or spectate at one of many motorsports events going on throughout the season. NCM Motorsports Park | NCM Motorsports Park

Corporate Events

In addition to a high-performance driving facility, the NCM Motorsports Park is an all-occasion event venue that creates a unique atmosphere for all types of corporate and social functions, including but not limited to meetings, team building and development, sales incentives, bachelor parties and fundraisers. Work one-on-one with our Event Coordinator to create an experience that best suits your goals, budget, Group size and time frame. Select from a package deal or create your own itinerary incorporating any of our driving experiences, meeting spaces, catering and more. To book an event, contact 270-467-8809 or Email events@motorsportspark.org.

Corvette Experience

Ever dreamed of driving America's Sports Car on a race track? Now you can with the Corvette Experience at the NCM Motorsports Park! Get behind the wheel of a C8 Corvette Stingray Z51 laps around our 3.2-miles, 23-turns road course, built for speed! The Corvette Experience gives you a combination of classroom instruction and hands-on practice on the track in a lead/follow format. It also includes lunch and a guided VIP tour of the National Corvette Museum.

Karting



Want to try Karting? The NCM Kartplex at the NCM Motorsports Park offers open karting or several optional activities that provide and opportunity to battle it out against your family and friends in the high-speed go-karts! The NCM Kartplex offers Group Karting for groups of 10 or more: Birthday Parties; Grand Prix completion's; Endurance Rocks; and Ful Track Kart Rental. Simply arrive and drive any time within the prolic hours of operation, based on availability and weather conditions. Karts and safety equipment provided.

NCM Ambassador Scott Schulz

GM Bundle Tour Laps – NEW PROGRAM

This is your chance to save money and drive both a C7 and a C8 Corvette! With this bundle, you get four laps around the track in each car for a gran total of 8 laps! C7 Corvettes are manual shift.





C8 Corvette Touring Laps

One session includes four laps in the track's C8 Corvette Stingray Z51 in a lead/follow format. Minimum age to drive is 18. Must sign a Vehicle Damage Policy and Indemnity Agreement. \$299/session. Book here.



View a complete list of NCM Motor Sports park events here (Motorsports Park Event Schedule)

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Sunburst Event

Sunburst St. Pat's Party

Saturday March 12th
Andare at Remington Pointe North Clubhouse
1844 Alta Dr

Volo, IL 60020





- Traditional Irish Meal Corned Beef & Cabbage, Potatoes, Bread, Salad, Desert
- BYOB
- Entertainment for a "Magical" Evening
- \$20 / Person
- 5pm until 10pm
- Reservation and Money by March 7th

Name



Number of Attendees _____X \$20 =

Your reservation and money can be give to Pat, Joani or Marilyn at the February or March Membership Meeting or Mail to: Pat Stevens, 783 Shoreline Rd, Lake Barrington, IL 60010

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Sunburst CC Meeting Minutes

Secretary Sue Thorson

Sunburst Corvette Club General Membership Meeting Minutes- 2/03/2022

Opening

- President Loren Doppelt called the meeting to order at Galati's at 6:59 pm
- Motion was made from the Members from Membership meeting minutes dated 12/02/2021 motions were approved
- Welcome new members and guests –Two new guests Paul and Holly Lamphir and new members
 Jeff and Angela Little
- New Corvette arrivals –New arrivals, Ken and Connie Borucki got a 2015 Stingray Crystal Red. Our guests who plan on joining Sunburst Paul and Holly Lamphir purchased a 2012 Grand Sport Torch Red

Officer Reports

President - Loren Doppelt -

Vice President -Jill Gray – Jill introduced herself, this is the first year on the Sunburst board. She also thanked the membership for all their thoughtfulness and support on the loss of her brother, she said it all was much appreciated

Treasurer – Leo Casanas – Financials are in good standing

Secretary – Pamela Nelson – Not in attendance and has advised she will be stepping down as Secretary. The Secretary position is open currently. Marilyn Roberts filled in and took the meeting minutes.

Governor – Mike Stevens – Mike recently sent out an email regarding the Midwest Region Banquet. The current date conflicts with the Sunburst St. Patrick's Party on March 12th. Mike advised that the Banquet might get moved. He also said that four members will be given awards for their participation in our Autocross events, Matt Waters, Mike Moushey, Mike Stevens and Jim Downing. In addition our members participating in working the Autocross events will be recognized with awards as well.

Past President - Dee Rosendahl - Not in attendance, but advised nothing to report

Standing Committee Reports

Membership – Erin Risch – Erin said that our current member count is 141. Erin introduced new members Jeff and Angela Little owning a 2014 Coupe. Two guests present were Paul and Holly Lamphir which have just bought their first Corvette this week and plan on joining Sunburst. Their new car is a 2012 Grand Sport Torch Red, welcome all to Sunburst!





Sunburst CC Meeting Minutes

Secretary Sue Thorson

Cruise Director – Ken Monroe – Not in attendance, did report too early in the season for any new cruises events

Sponsorship – Mike Moushey – Not in attendance, spotlight is on Edward Jones Jared Brockman this month

Charity – Stephanie Doppelt and Kathy Samuels – Julie Thomas had her last duty as Charity Chairperson and introduced the three 2021 charities that came to our Membership meeting to receive donation checks. American Brain Tumor - \$1,500, Elgin Symphony Orchestra \$1,500 and Open Heart Magic \$1,500. The other two SCRN Senior Care and Clearbrook were unable to attend, but will receive \$1,500 each as well.

Stephanie announced the 2022 charities:

- Paws for Pure Water, mittens are made and sold to create wells to create pure water in Africa
- Healthy Lombard Founded in 2009, addresses problems of childhood obesity and promote healthy lifestyles
- Purrfect Cat Rescue Rescue, shelter and rehome cats in need. Located in Crystal Lake, IL
- Center for Independence Their mission is to help children and young adults with disabilities achieve their highest level of independence
- Pioneer Center for Human Services A non-profit organization providing programs for people with developmental disabilities, behavioral Health services

Ambassador NCM – Scott Schulz – Scott asked for any input the members have with NCM, because we get recognition on that data. He also mentioned a scholarship program that is available through NCM check their website for more information. Scott made a public announcement regarding car values currently. We should all check with our auto insurance carriers on the current values of our cars and adjust the amounts if need be, in addition NCM offers a reasonable auto insurance and several of our members are using it. Please check with Scott for more details.

Newsletter – Patti Schulz – Patti working on the next Newsletter, deadline is 3rd Sunday of the month. Great job Patti!

Webmaster – Gary Gembala – Not in attendance, has created a New Sunburst Facebook Page which is public and many enhancements to the website. Thank you Gary!

Apparel – Connie Borucki - Connie accepted the open position to handle Apparel, thank you Connie! Also Connie conducted the Apparel drawing. The name pulled was Joani Baldo and she wasn't present, so the funds roll over until next month.





Sunburst CC Meeting Minutes

Secretary Sue Thorson

Sergeant of Arms - Dave Thomas - Collected \$2.00 from two Scofflaws without nametags

Goodwill – Andy Pollina and Nancy Nance acknowledged the January and February Birthdays and Anniversaries.

Historian – Chuck Pipher – Not in attendance

Ten minutes break - Jill Gray took the club picture

New Business -

 Sunburst 45th Anniversary – Loren mentioned that this year will be our 45th anniversary celebration and would like to build a committee to handle the event. Looking for volunteers. Forrest Roberts mentioned that the original Sunburst Corvette started in the Crystal Lake Police Station 45 years ago in March 1977

Upcoming Events

- St. Patrick's Day Party March 12th Location will be at the Club House at Dee and Mike Rosendahl's neighborhood. The event will be catered and cost is \$20 per person payable by March 7th to Pat Stevens or Joani Downing. Standard St. Patrick's Day fare served, corned beef, Irish spuds, cabbage, side salad, bread and dessert. Professional entertainment will be provided. BYOB on beverages. More details will be in the newsletter SLAINTE!
- 4/27- 4/30 NCM BASH Mike Stevens is organizing a drive out and has ten cars currently, already has made hotel reservations at Home2 Suites in Bowling Green, if interested please contact Mike Stevens
- 8/6 8/7 Seat of Our Pants VII, Auto Cross (Moushey & Stevens)
- 9/18 Struttin' UR Stuff Car Show (Doppelt, Stevens, Rosendahl)
- 10/15 10/16 "It's a Wrap" Auto Cross (Moushey & Stevens)
- Holiday Party has been cancelled because the Banquet Hall has permanently closed and refunded our deposit money. Sue Thorson is currently looking for another venue

2-Minute Tech – Jim Downing – Jim talked about updating GPS systems in C6 and C7's. Some of the car years have an end of life software, so look for a third party via e-Bay as GM doesn't support the past years.

Apparel Raffle – Connie Borucki - \$20 in the kitty the name pulled wasn't in attendance so it will roll over until next month

50-50 drawing – \$64 in the kitty, Marilyn Roberts won the drawing. The Roberts will be the March greeters

Next Membership meeting on March 3rd dinner at 5:30 p.m. meeting starts @ 7 at Galati's Next Board Meeting on February 9th – dinner @ 5 p.m. meeting starts with a quorum or 6 p.m. at @ Galati's

Adjournment: entertained a motion to adjourn - Adjourned at 8:15 pm

Respectively,
Marilyn Roberts (Filling in as Secretary)





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2022 Charities



Three of our five 2021 Charities were present at our February Membership Meeting to receive their \$1500 donation checks from Sunburst!

Elgin Symphony Orchestra



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American Brain Tumor Association



2022 Charities

Center for Independence

The mission of the Center for Independence is to help children and young adults with physical disabilities, like cerebral palsy, achieve their highest level of independence in the home, school, community and workplace. We provide Conductive Education therapy programs that develop life skills and motor function in a matter that promotes positive self-reliance, self-esteem and an "I Can" attitude. We have three convenient locations throughout the Chicagoland area. No child is ever turned away due to inability to pay!



Paws for Pure water



PAWS consists of a small group of women who's mission it is to make and sell mittens, which in turn funds wells in Africa. To date we have funded 15 wells, which come at a cost of \$7,500 each and that is an average sale of 200 mittens. Since we started 7 years ago we have made over 3,000 mittens and made \$112,500.00. All of our mittens are handmade using recycled wool or cashmere sweaters that have been donated or purchased at resale stores. We are dedicated to raising as much as we can, using 100% of our profits, and finding the most competent and economical resource to build clean water wells in deeply impoverished areas of the world.



Pioneer Center for Human Services

Pioneer Center provides three pillars of Human Services to the McHenry County community. Our Intellectual & Developmental Disability (IDD) Services programs promote independence by offering life skills, community inclusion, vocational training and residential programs, each striving to help every person live life to their fullest potential. Behavioral Health Services (BHS) is a collection of programs designed to help youth, adults and families succeed. The support ranges from therapy at our Child & Family Therapy Center, residential program to community support wherever the individual is in need. We operate a 24 hour PADS Emergency Homeless Shelter meeting people's most basic human needs of shelter, food and community support through programs that are designed to assist people experiencing homelessness.



2022 Charities



Purrfect Cat Rescue

As animal lovers, we have dreamed of creating a non-profit 501c3 rescue organization in which we could place cats into forever homes with the utmost loving families. Our mission is simple: rescue, shelter, and re-home cats in need. Our goal is to provide a cage-free, no kill shelter environment for the kittens and cats waiting to be placed. We have the perfect building for our rescue. It has everything for our furry friends. Lots of space for cat trees and kitty beds, loads of room for them to stretch and exercise and lots of windows to watch the birds while awaiting their new forever home. An isolation room for newcomers to adapt and get medical attention, a kitten room for our littlest friends. Come for a visit and fall in love today!



Healthy Lombard

Ten community organizations joined together in the Village of Lombard in 2009 to make a difference in the health of future generations. They created Healthy Lombard, a non- profit, 501c3 initiative, to address the epidemic of childhood obesity and to promote a healthy lifestyle for everyone. In an effort to address the stress-related trauma children and their families are experiencing because of COVID, in 2020, Healthy Lombard added a Social-Emotion component to its resources for healthier living.



Two Minute Tech Tip

March 2022 TWO MINUTE TECH TIP Jim Downing

How to Update the "Maps" in a C6/C7/C8 GPS Navigation System

Since 2005, Corvettes can be ordered with a built-in GPS Navigation system. Some people love 'em, others hate 'em. That's a discussion for another time. If you have the system and would like to update the map information, here's how. Keep in mind that the system doesn't stop working as the map gets old, it simply can't find newer addresses and roads.

C6 (2005-2013)- The map data is on a DVD disc that you insert into the system and leave there. Some years had 2 discs (East & West), others have all the information on just one. The final C6 version that GM produced is dated 2016, v.10, all info on one disc. GM doesn't make them anymore, you must buy used or pirated. Google "2013 Corvette Nav Disc for Sale". You'll get lots of "hits" but most will be for pre-2016 discs, some will be misleading about what year. Best to go for 2016 v.10. Pirated copies usually work, but inspect carefully to be sure the label is firmly attached. When you insert the disc, it may take several minutes for the system to recognize it. If necessary, eject and re-insert to try again.

C7 (2014-2019)-GMNavdisc. The map data comes on a thumb drive that you download into the Nav system while the car is running but parked. There is a misprint in some of the instructions that says you can drive the car while updating- don't drive it. Remove the thumb drive when finished, save it "just in case". When the thumb drive is made, it is made to work **only** in the car VIN that you provide. So unless someone cracks the GM code, you can't use someone else's thumb drive to update your car. And when GM stops making C7 updates, you won't be able to purchase any update at all- my update simply won't work in your car. The current 2022 version is now three years past the end of C7 production, it might or might not be the last one available; GM has not told us in advance when they will stop making updates. If you like the system, and if you plan to keep your car a long time, and if your last update was more than a couple of years ago, this might be the time to pay their ripoff price of \$160 for the update. When a new update becomes available (usually in Fall), they often sell it at a reduced price of about \$90 for the first few months, but we don't know if they will make a 2023 version.

C8 (2020-xxxx)- GMNavdisc. The C8 uses a system similar to the C7, and the update is also specific to the VIN in your car, so you can't buy used or pirated copies.

Happy Motoring!

Jim



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NCCC Midwest Region Info



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 is currently published is up to date but the Password has been changed for the new year.

User Name: NCCCHelp Password: 1963SplitWindow

Please note that both the User id and PW are Case Sensitive.

Charity Classifieds Credit Card Grants Meetings Membership Competition NCCC Ne Find a Club Members Only Officers Contests Governors! What's New on the NCCC Web Site? The Latest No Voting starts Oct for NCCC Men

The Midwest Region (MWR) of The National Council of Corvette Clubs, Inc. (NCCC) currently serves about 2,500 Members in 28 Corvette Clubs in the States of Illinois, Minnesota and Wisconsin.

Midwest Region Officers for 2022

Regional Executive Linda Fairlamb



Regional Competition Director

Jeff Craig



Regional Membership Director Sandy Arnold



Regional Secretary Jeanne Cassel



Regional Treasurer Russ Tharp







NCCC Midwest Region Events Calendar

2022 Midwest Region Tentative Schedule & Links Last updated with changes or Flyer links added ~ February 26, 2022

| DATE | | EVENT | LOCATION | HOST CLUB(S) |
|-------------|----------|----------------------|-----------------------|---|
| eb 25 & 26 | Fri/Sat | MWR & NCCC Meetings | St. Louis, MO | MWR & NCCC Meetings |
| 12-Mar | Saturday | MWR Banquet | Burr Ridge, IL | MWR and Wimdy City |
| 10-Apr | Saturday | 3 Rallye Events | Rock Island, IL area | Mid-West Corvettes |
| May 6 & 7 | Fri/Sat | NCCC Meetings | St. Louis, MO | NCCC Meetings |
| 14-May | Saturday | 7 Autocross Events | South Bend, IN | Windy City - Chicago Cross Roads - CC of Illinois |
| 15-May | Sunday | 7 Autocross Events | South Bend, IN | Corvette Cruisers - Corvette Club of Illinois |
| 22-May | Sunday | 3 PC Concours Events | Burr Ridge, IL | Windy City Corvettes |
| 28-May | Saturday | 7 Autocross Events | Rantoul, IL | MWR FUNdraiser - MWR Clubs |
| 29-May | Sunday | 7 Autocross Events | Rantoul, IL | MWR FUNdraiser - MWR Clubs |
| 30-May | Monday | 7 Autocross Events | Rantoul, IL | MWR FUNdraiser - MWR Clubs |
| 4-Jun | Saturday | 7 Rallye Events | LaCrosse, WI area | River City Corvettes |
| 5-Jun | Sunday | 4 Rallye Events | Milwaukee, WI area | Badger State - Brew City |
| Jun 12 to17 | Sun-Fri | NCCC | Atlantic City, NJ | NCCC Convention |
| 26-Jun | Sunday | 3 PC Concours Events | Chicago, IL area | Chicago CC - Windy City |
| 2-Jul | Saturday | 7 Autocross Events | Madison, WI | MWR FUNdraiser - MWR Clubs |
| 3-Jul | Sunday | 7 Autocross Events | Madison, WI | MWR FUNdraiser - MWR Clubs |
| 4-Jul | Monday | 7 Autocross Events | Madison, WI | MWR FUNdraiser - MWR Clubs |
| 9-Jul | Saturday | 7 Autocross Events | Wilmot, WI | Badger State - Brew City |
| 10-Jul | Sunday | 7 Autocross Events | Wilmot, WI | Northern Illinois - Brew City |
| 16-Jul | Saturday | PC Concours Event | Chicago, IL area | Chicago Crossroads Corvette Club |
| 16-Jul | Saturday | 7 Autocross Events | Columbus, WI | Mad City-Northern Rays-Kettle Moraine |
| 17-Jul | Sunday | 7 Autocross Events | Columbus, WI | Mad City-Northern Rays-Kettle Moraine |
| 23-Jul | Saturday | 7 Autocross Events | Quincy, IL | Great River - Central Illinois |
| 24-Jul | Sunday | 7 Autocross Events | Quincy, IL | Great River - Central Illinois |
| 31-Jul | Sunday | 2 Rallye Events | Chicago, IL area | Windy City - Central Minnesota |
| 6-Aug | Saturday | 7 Autocross Events | Crystal Lake, IL | Mad City - Glass Favorites - Sunburst |
| 7-Aug | Sunday | 7 Autocross Events | Crystal Lake, IL | Northern Illinois - Sunburst |
| 14-Aug | Sunday | 3 Concours Events | Milwaukee, WI area | Badger State |
| 20-Aug | Saturday | 7 Autocross Events | Madison, WI | Mad City - River City - Wisconsin CC |
| 21-Aug | Sunday | 7 Autocross Events | Madison, WI | Mad City - Glass Favorites - Wisconsin CC |
| 20-Aug | Saturday | 7 Autocross Events | Madison, WI | Mad City - River City - Wisconsin CC |
| 21-Aug | Sunday | 7 Autocross Events | Madison, WI | Mad City - Glass Favorites - Wisconsin CC |
| 27-Aug | Saturday | 7 Autocross Events | Crystal Lake, IL | Northern IL-Northern Rays-Sunburst- Windy City |
| 28-Aug | Sunday | 7 Autocross Events | Crystal Lake, IL | Northern IL-Northern Rays-Sunburst- Windy City |
| Sep 9 & 10 | Fri/Sat | MWR & NCCC Meetings | St. Louis, MO | MWR & NCCC Meetings |
| 1-Oct | Saturday | 7 Autocross Events | Peoria, IL | Mid-Illinois - Glass Favorites |
| 2-Oct | Sunday | 7 Autocross Events | Peoria, IL | Mid-Illinois |
| 8-Oct | Saturday | 3 Rallye Events | Milwaukee, WI area | Wisconsin Corvette Club |
| 8-Oct | Saturday | 7 Autocross Events | Portage Des Sioux, MO | Route 66 - St. Louis |
| 9-Oct | Sunday | 7 Autocross Events | Portage Des Sioux, MO | Route 66 - St. Louis |
| Nov 11 & 12 | Fri/Sat | MWR & NCCC Meetings | St. Louis, MO | MWR & NCCC Meetings |





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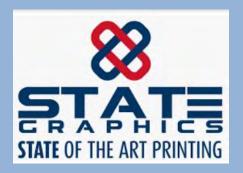
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Members can either purchase clothing directly from them OR bring in your own items to have our new Sunburst Corvette Club logo embroidered. Members have put our logo on shirts, jackets, chairs, etc.

State Graphics does all their work on premise and is a full-service printer too. You can come in to their store or work with them on the phone. Our contact is Kevin Delaney at kevin@kcprint.com and you can reach him at work 217-279-0340 or cell 847-863-7109.

Check out their website for more information.

If you have any questions, please contact our Apparel Coordinator, Connie Borucki apparel@sunburstcorvetteclub.com or 815-403-5864.



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Another addition of Sunspots has hit the streets. Thank you to all who contributed to this addition! I encourage everyone to send any articles/pictures/trivia/etc. that you think our club members might enjoy. I apologize for any mistakes or omissions in the newsletter. When you post pictures from an event, please add a short narrative about the event. Email me, Patti Schulz, with your info at newsletter@sunburstcorvetteclub.com.

IF YOU LIKE WHAT YOU SEE HERE OR AT AN EVENT OR A VISIT TO A SPONSOR, LET US KNOW. IT'S ENCOURAGING TO THE PEOPLE WHO WORK AT CREATING A GOOD EXPERIENCE FOR ALL OF USII YOUR OPINION COUNTS AND IS APPRECIATED!!

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Celebrations

March Anniversaries



March Birthdays

03/01 Maria Diaz
03/10 Connie Borucki
03/12 Ciera Baumgartner
03/14 Jana Tyk
03/17 Tom Fellberg
03/18 Erin Risch
03/22 John Henney
03/22 Dan Rubinger
03/23 Lee Thorson
03/26 Janice Carlsten
03/31 Betsy Freed





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SUNBURST CORVETTE CLUB Sponsorship Opportunity



Greetings,

We are pleased that you have expressed an interest in sponsoring Sunburst Corvette Club (SBCC) and would like to provide you more information on our club and the opportunity for a partnership as a sponsor.

Sunburst has been an active club within the Northwest Illinois Counties for over 45 years and is a 501c3 non-for-profit organization. We have a current membership of over 130 Corvette enthusiasts and are one of the largest clubs in the Northwest Region of the National Council of Corvette Clubs (NCCC).

We enjoy hosting many Corvette related events and activities throughout the year i.e.

- Monthly Club Meetings
- Fun Rallye's
- "Struttin Ur Stuff" Car Show

- Cruise Events

- Parades
- Sponsor Events

- Autocross Racing
- Cruise Nights
- Competitions at local / regional level

We take much pride in giving back to our communities and each year we donate all of our net proceeds to local designated charities. Our funding is generated from club dues, sponsors, and funds raised at club events. Each year we donate an average of $^{\sim}$ \$4,000 to our 5 designated charities within our local communities.

In exchange for your annual sponsorship fee, your sponsorship level business ad will be published in the award winning monthly "Sunspots" newsletter and also posted on our website with a link to your business website. Your business will also be highlighted at our monthly meetings on your initial sponsor month and each anniversary date you renew. You will also receive a recognition sponsorship plaque to promote your support for the club. Additionally, our membership takes pride in supporting our sponsors throughout the year.

Please feel free to review our website referenced at www.sunburstcorvetteclub.com to view the newsletter and more information on our various activities and the sponsorship pages.





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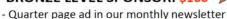
- Full page ad in our monthly newsletter
- Large page ad on SBCC website page
- Recognition as Gold Club Sponsor at events

SILVER LEVEL SPONSOR: \$250



- Half page ad in our monthly newsletter
- Medium size ad on our SBCC website page
- Recognition as Silver Club Sponsor at events

BRONZE LEVEL SPONSOR: \$100



- Small size ad on our SBCC website page
- Recognition as Bronze Club Sponsor at events

ROUTE 66 LEVEL SPONSOR \$50



- Business card ad in our monthly newsletter
- Business card ad on our SBCC website page
- Recognition as Route 66 Sponsor at events

We will display use your existing company logo on the multiple related forums for advertising.

We hope that you will consider partnership as a sponsor with our club and enjoy the benefits of a unique advertising opportunity.

Please feel free to contact me for any additional questions or inquiries. Additionally, I would also like to extend an invitation for you to join me as my guest at a monthly club meeting if you would like to get a feel for our corvette club enthusiasts and related activities we support.

THANK YOU IN ADVANCE FOR YOUR CONSIDERATION!

Sponsorship Chairman:



Mike Moushey

Mobile: 815-355-1850

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Email: sponsorship@sunburstcorvetteclub.com

