

SUNSPOTS

The logo for the Sunburst Corvette Club is a yellow sunburst shape. Inside the sunburst, there is a red and white checkered flag and a red and white checkered flag. The words "SUNBURST" and "CORVETTE CLUB" are written in a circular arrangement around the flags.

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MEETINGS

1st Thursday of every month
except January at
Galati's Hideaway
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Membership Dues

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



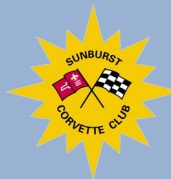
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a member of National
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For more information on
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Sunburst Mission

- 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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Celebrating 40 Years





Message from the President

President
Ron Gliot

April 2017

"April showers bring Corvettes out of storage!"

Mother Nature keeps teasing, as many of our members have had their Vettes out for a drive, only to have to stuff them away once again as the snow won't quite give up! I am waiting for that first good rain, "post salt" to get the streets cleaned back up for a good drive. Ponder that when this club was formed members at this time were anxiously awaiting to get their Solid Axles, Mid Years and C3s out of the garage and those with a new '77 were the new kings of the club! We have come a long way from the 185HP C3 of yesteryear to a 2017 650HP Z06!

As of this morning a little bird chirped in my ear that the first rolling event of the year is in the planning later in April! Come to this month's Membership meeting and find about all of the fun!

(84) Members attended the Sunburst Corvette Club Anniversary Dinner on March 11, at Pinecrest Country Club in Huntley. It was a great event with good food, drink, music, video memories, dancing and a few "tales" about "the old" days of Sunburst. The 40th Anniversary Committee did a great job setting up the event and have a couple of more throughout the year!

This year's Car Show is ramping up and promising to top all before it. For the first time, the show will be open to all makes and models, with some revamping of the trophy events making it simpler and more fun than ever. To help ensure success of a completely new show, make sure you tell all of your "car buddies" about it. This is a new era where we can share car tales and show rides of all varieties, while still maintaining separate Corvette events and judging.

Over the past couple of years Sunburst is becoming more balanced and diverse than ever with our club moving into the autocross world hosting a yearly event. This year we are partnering with a couple of other clubs and hosting events over (2) days. We are hosting the event at McHenry County College 8/5-8/6. The college has been very supportive and a (2) day event promises to earn Sunburst some nice revenue and respect in the autocross community!

Another change this year is a combined Rally/Poker Run on 8/12. This promises to be a fun, new approach where every member can find fun throughout the day and food at day's end.....

As you see with these season highlights there will be a lot to do in our 40th year, so if you have an event you would like to plan or host, don't be shy, just grab your favorite Board member and we will be glad to help you host a successful event.

We have a lot of great events being scheduled each month, promising a lot of fun throughout the warm months of spring, summer and fall, so watch your calendar and stay tuned.

Ron Gliot





Sunburst Corvette Club History



As we celebrate the 40th anniversary of Sunburst, it gives us the opportunity to look back on our history, some of which Ron recounted at the Anniversary dinner on March 11th. Part of that history includes the first newsletter, which Tom Palmer provided to Forrest Roberts. If you are interested in reading the entire 4 pages, please contact me at krisj47@comcast.net.

I hope you enjoy reading what Sunbursters were thinking about in 1977.

MAY, 1978

This is Sunburst Corvette Club's first attempt at an official newsletter. Due to a limited amount of time to compile articles and a staff of zero on the publication committee (Joan Dietrich is putting this newsletter together as secretary, but only temporarily), this issue is a shortened version of what we hope to print each month.

In future issues we hope to include monthly minutes of the business meeting, M.C.C.C.'s Governor's Report, a full-page calendar of coming events, club activity flyers, a swap page (if you have any Corvette parts to sell or are looking for anything, this will be the place to print it), an explanation of our points system along with current point standings (perhaps every other month), and possibly a page of advertising, including Albert Peter Chevrolet.

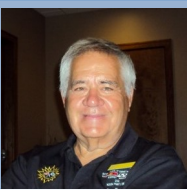
SUNBURST CORVETTE CLUB was a year old on March 23, 1978. Its first meeting was held on March 23, 1977, in the basement of the Crystal Lake Police Department. 13 people were present, and all but 2 of them went on to become charter members. As of this date, 9 of those who were present at the first meeting are S.C.C. members. They are: Tom and Jean Adams, Phil and Dori Damsair, Tom and Joan Dietrich, Charlie Smolarek, and Chris and Pam Kohman. Gary and Nancy Klein were hard-working members until they sold their Corvette last fall.

A brief run-down of last year's activities:

May 22 - Car Wash and picnic
June 12 - Rex Mays Corvette Parade (WCC event)
July 10 - "Love Thy Navigator" Rally (Northern Rays event)
July 30 - Founders Day parade
August 18 - Bowling
September 7 - Roller skating (ha-ha!)
October 7 - Jacobs High School Homecoming Parade
December 4 - Corvette show at Crystal Point Mall
December 30 - Christmas party
March 11 - Progressive Dinner
March 12 --Chicago Corvette Club Rally

Upcoming events this spring include:

May 4 - Business meeting - International Ports
May 6 - Corvette show - Elgin Mall
May 21 - Corvette show - Crystal Point Mall
June 4 - Car wash - place to be named
July 2 - Sunburst Corvette Club's first Rally!



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To all Sunburst Members

First of all thanks to all that made the 40th dinner party a great event.

Second it was much warmer in Arkansas.

I have received all Insurance documents for Independence Day Parade and for our Autocross event. As you know we now have tables for events and we recently purchase our own two way radios. These two purchases will make it so much easier for our Car Show and Autocross. We also need volunteers to help make our events run smooth and without any problems. All well run events will draw more participants. We have gained a reputation for well run events thru out the Midwest Region.

Please check the MW region website for any changes in dates and locations for Autocross, Rallys and Carshows.

Lee Douglas





SCC Meeting Minutes

Secretary
Risa
Murphy

Sunburst Corvette Club March Membership Meeting Minutes –03/02/2017

Opening

President – Ron Gliot called the membership meeting to order @ 7pm

Acknowledgment of greeters – Dave and Julie Thomas filling in for Ron Majchrowski

Introduction of guests– Chuck and Karen Pipher- Crystal Lake- 2003 Torch red- NEW members and Tod Wiencek has a 2000 Coupe and he was visiting our club.

New Car Additions – Les & Sue Jannusch have a new 2017 Z51 and Lee & Sue Thorsen have a new 2017 Grand Sport

Approval of the minutes from the February 2nd Membership meeting

Motion by Karen Baird and 2nd by Mehlinea Douglas

Officers Reports:

President - Ron Gliot: Ron welcomed the members in attendance and said we had a false start to spring as it was 60+ degrees outside the middle of February, and then the weather turned on us- Show of hands who had their car out- MANY hands enthusiastically went up.

Vice President – Forrest Roberts: – Forrest welcomed the membership in attendance as well; he encouraged the members to read the newsletter, sign up for the Yahoo group and go to the Facebook page to see all what's going on in the chapter and to see what Flash Drives pop up. He will go over at our April meeting how to send out a flash drive notification. Remember- a flash drive is: Hey- let's meet up for dinner or ice cream today- and send the group an invite to join you!

Treasurer- Lee Thorsen : February ending banks account balance was \$8869.47- Some \$ was deposited for a few trips- but deposits for venues will be sent so balance will go down

Secretary – Risa Murphy: Risa gave a tease for in the future- You could win a prize if you read the monthly meeting notes and find a goofy phrase or something in them that's not quite right- stay tuned and KEEP reading.

Governor –Lee Douglas –Lee spent 8 ½ hours at the NCCC Governor's meetings- our Midwest region has 277 chapters- Our region is the largest region in the country. He also suggested that Sunburst enter our newsletter and website into the contest from NCCC. None of our club members are registered for the National convention- Lee said that was a good thing

Past President- Mike Stevens: Mike said his recent flash drive to Lumes in Algonquin- 29 people showed up! Be sure to check the Facebook page and the Yahoo group for Flash Drive announcements. Mike encouraged all club members to jump in and participate. Look for another event that Mike is putting together real soon

Standing Committee Reports:

Membership - Bill Mumford – Bill reported 143 members. Ron Gliot said that our record for membership is 163 members- so we're real close!

Apparel – Karen Baird – Think Ink is our go to place for Sunburst apparel. Karen is working on a chapter flag and window decals with the chapter logo as well. She's also working with Ron on a 40th anniversary chapter flag as well. Discussion was had about flag caddies and what works with each C series of cars.

Cruise Director – OPEN POSITION – Are you wanting to participate in the chapter and take on this position? Please contact our trusty president Ron Gliot.

Sponsorship – Mike Rosedahl: Mike said that Galati's provides our meeting room for FREE!!!! For the Board meetings and the Membership meetings- same staff, great food- THANK-YOU Galati's!!

Charity – Julie Thomas & Carol MacCabe: New 2017 Charities are on our website- otherwise nothing new

NCM Ambassador – Rich Orr: IF you want to order a Brick that will be placed by our chapters' brick at the National Corvette Museum please pick up an application form from Rich- they need them back with the \$\$ no later than our April Meeting date April 6th, 2017. Rich also offered up 6 FREE Museum admissions- contact him to see if they are still available.



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Car Show – Gary Gembala: Gary Said the 2017 Struttin ur Stuff Sept 17- Sunday at Martin Chevrolet, All Makes, All Models, simplified & easier registration this year- 2 plans- Plan A \$25 & Plan B \$35, Member early registration discount. NCCC rules for awards- looking at Plaques and other trophy type options- will allow each charity again give an award + People choice award again. The Car show portion of the website is under construction and should be done in @ 4 to 6 weeks. Registration opens at 8 AM, Silent auction opens at 9 AM, NCCC registration closes at 10 AM and general registration closes at noon. The show will be over at 3PM. The registration forms will be ready ASAP. The committee has been meeting on a regular basis and is expecting a great car show this year. Car Show T-Shirts per Mike Stevens are ready to order!! Cranberry color this year, Price same as last year- place your orders soon- They will be available at the May meeting

Newsletter – Kris Jensen: Reminder from Kris- She needs contributions- or pictures from events send to Kris. Also- If you have any corvette related items for sale- you can list them in the classified section of the newsletter FREE for 2 months

Public relations- Mike & Risa Murphy: Nothing to report at this time- As soon as the Car Show flyers are ready- Murf will be getting it listed on MANY websites and calendars to get new blood to join us at the Car Show.

Webmaster – Mike Smosna – A few quick things this month- Lots of updates- Club Drive for officers where we can upload older club documents so they are all in one place. New optimization for files some older links may no longer work. Lots new from our hardworking Webmaster! Remember- Our Chapter Wiki page is up and running and waiting for YOUR contributions!!- This site will be a repository of ANY chapter member's knowledge of corvettes, fun places to go and maybe a good article that you've come across and want to share. Check it out. Please contact Mike- our webmaster- if you need an account to access WIKI

Sergeant at Arms – Dave Thomas: Collected \$1.00 from violators

Goodwill – Anyone wishing to fill this position please Ron Gliot- this is a fun position and best of all Easy too!! C'mon- step up ☺

Ron Gliot acknowledged the March birthdays and anniversaries

Historian – OPEN position- This position is where you review the photo's submitted from the past month's events, and creates a slide show- BUT WAIT!!!!!! Once we transition to the Google Photo's- it can create a slide show at the touch of a button- Anyone who has a bit of time, and likes to play with photo's- PLEASE step up and help us watch on the screen what a fun chapter we have!!- Please contact Ron Gliot to “apply”

10- Minute break – BUT right Before the 10 minute Break we all learned the difference between a podium and a lectern- another fun fact from our Awesome Prez Ron

Special Committees:

Two Minute Tech Tip - Jim Downing – Not in attendance

OLD BUSINESS:

2017 Budget Approval- Board approved the 2017 budget- only differences from last year was an allocation for \$300 to purchase hand held walkie talkie type radios to use during our car show and Auto crossing, \$ to purchase tables also for Auto crossing and Car Show and Max \$1500 for reimbursement for our Governor's Expenses while attending the NCCC meetings. Karen Baird made the motion to approve and Mike Rosendahl seconded.



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2/25 Flash Drive to Lumes for Breakfast- As mentioned earlier- 29 people attended- we ate, talked, and went home! A great time was had by all.

New Business:

By-Laws Amendment- This is necessary because of concerns when a member contributes content, such as art work to the club- then changes their mind about the ownership of said content- this is protection after the fact- Sue Thorsen helped out with her paralegal background to get the verbiage of the amendment manageable and meaningful. Ron Gliot will send out a Yahoo blast with the proposed verbiage and amendment change and this will be voted on at the April meeting

8/12 Sunburst combined Rally- Mike Stevens and his committee are combining the poker run and the fun rally this year- Again will lead to a surprise location at the end of the event- Stay tuned for more info

8/5 & 8/6 Autocross event – Mike Moushey and the committee is hard at work on this event- Dates 8/5 & 8/6 at a great location for the event- McHenry County College’s parking lot. Indoor restrooms will be available. This event is open to other chapters to participate as well- WE NEED volunteers!!! Even if you can only help for 1- 2 hour shift that would be helpful, so mark your calendar to see if you can help a morning or afternoon at this fun event

Upcoming Events –

40th Anniversary – Forrest & Marilyn Roberts: Discussed details of the Kickoff Anniversary dinner on March 11th at Pine Crest Country club- 84 people have reserved \$40 per person, food tastings went well- committee excited, will have give a ways and lots of surprises. Last blast will go out on Yahoo group with list of participants to verify no duplicates. Dress is dressy Casual & Comfortable.

6/21-6/25 Rolling to Bowling- Rich Orr and Kris Jensen Option to leave Weds 6/21 and do the distillery tours on Thursday, or Leave Thursday and meet the group in Bowling Green. Hotel info is out, please print out the drive out registration sheet, choose your activities and return to Kris with a check payable to Sunburst CC by March 2nd. Rooms are close to be fully booked. ** PLEASE cancel any rooms if you signed up for them and don’t need them anymore. Be sure that you sign up for the club entry to the museum- see the PDF flyer for the instructions or contact Rich Orr or Kris Jensen
7/15-7/16 Trains & Automobiles- Gary Gembala: Appleton, WI-Official board approved event- Train limited to 48 seats- SOLD OUT already!! 24 cars- 5 1 group leaders Gary has planned to stop at Prime Quarter in Janesville- yum

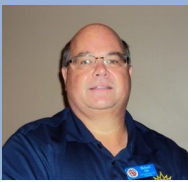
9/2-9/7 Vettes Viewing Vermont- Vern & Judy Chapman:- No update as this time
September 9th- 40th Anniversary Picnic

Apparel Raffle: - \$70 in pot- Diane Gallagher won!!! She was wearing a past car show t-shirt
50-50 drawing: - \$63 to the winner. Congrats Jim Godfrey!!! He will be the April 6th Greeter
Next Membership meeting on April 6th– Dinner at 6pm meeting starts at 7pm
Next Board Meeting March 8th–Dinner at 6pm meeting starts with a quorum

Adjournment: Ron Gliot entertained a motion to adjourn, adjourned at 8:18

Respectfully,
Risa Murphy
Secretary





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The NCM Offers – Collector Car Insurance

As spring is now upon us and the vettes are coming out of hibernation, it's time to activate the full insurance coverage for the season. If you are shopping around for insurance take a look at what the NCM has to offer. I found they offer competitive rates and better coverage when compared to my steel car insurance company. I have both my vettes insured with them. You can get a quote online through this link <http://ncminsurance.com/>.

Collector car insurance doesn't necessarily mean classic car insurance or antique car insurance. In fact, the NCM Insurance Agency insures new cars, as well as, our loved classics. Do you own a new Corvette that is driven to car shows, club events, parades, or just for a nice trip to the coast? The NCM Insurance Agency can insure it! They are underwritten by American Modern Insurance Company. Here are several reasons you'll like what they have to offer.

Broad Usage: NCM Insurance Agency love to see the cars they insure driven. They highly encourage you to take your car out on a nice day and enjoy it!

Mileage Options: There are several mileage plans to meet your needs. Pick the best plan that fits your vehicle and save money. Plus, they offer rollover miles.

Agreed Value: They only write car insurance or Corvette insurance policies on an Agreed Value basis. Once a value is agreed to for your vehicle, that's what you'll get in the event of a total loss. They will not depreciate or questions the vehicle's value.

Claims: If you were to have a claim you can take your car to the repair shop of your choice.

Lower Cost: Their collector car insurance or classic car insurance will often be cheaper than your standard auto insurance companies. Plus, with the Agreed Value coverage, you know you'll be fairly compensated.

One Liability Charge: With the NCM Insurance Agency, you will pay for liability coverage only one time, while most standard auto companies charge for each vehicle.

Spare Parts: They automatically include \$2,000 for lost or stolen parts, plus include \$75 to cover towing costs. If you want additional towing coverage you can purchase Expanded Towing coverage for \$10.

Optional 9-5: They offer "Nine-to-Five Driver" that allows you to drive your vehicle to work up to a couple times a week!

New Car?: Any new addition to your collection is covered for 30 days and up to \$50,000!

Trip Interruption Coverage: If your vehicle ever breaks down while you are on a trip more than 50 miles from home they will pay up to \$600 for transportation, lodging and expenses.

Broad Deductible Options: From \$0 to \$10,000 on all vehicle types.

Full Safety Glass: We waive the deductible if a windshield requires replacement and there is no other vehicle damage.

Pet Coverage: We provide coverage if a pet is injured during an accident.

Discounts

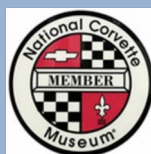
Multi-Unit, Large Collection or high value collection

If you are a NCM Member or a member of any national car club

Anti-Theft device

Accident prevention course (within the last 3 years)

For more information and quotes visit, <http://ncminsurance.com/collector-car-insurance/>





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April Membership Meeting is the Final Call for NCM Brick Form

As a reminder, during the upcoming April 6th SCC Membership meeting I will be collecting the NCM brick form along with your payment for those who want a brick by the SCC 40th anniversary brick. **THIS WILL BE YOUR LAST CHANCE TO TURN IN THE FORM TO ME.** Below is the PDF of the Brick form. The Walk of Fame bricks are 4" X 8". The Standard brick cost \$100 for NCM Members and \$125 for non NCM members. There are also Special Logo Bricks which are shown under the Standard bricks on the form. The cost is \$150 for NCM Members and \$175 for non NCM Members. There are a few more Special logo bricks that can be found on the NCM Website. Use this link and click on the drop down box to see the options.
<https://store.corvettemuseum.org/brick-small-4-x-8-bricksmall>.

*Please note that different special logo bricks have different line and characters allowed. If you do a special logo brick which is not on the attached form, please attached a screen print of the Special Logo brick from the NCM website and attach it to the brick form you give me.

Finally, please make sure you fill out the order form completely. Please make sure you supply your NCM Member Number. If you cannot find it on your NCM membership card, as the new ones only have a bar code, please attach a photo copy of your NCM Membership card with the brick form you give me. The NCM will be verifying membership to determine that the proper brick cost is collected.

Upcoming NCM Events

[Michelin NCM Bash](#) | April 27-29, 2017

[Museum in Motion Annual 'Tail of the Dragon' / Biltmore](#) (Asheville, NC) | April 30 - May 3, 2017

[C4 Gathering](#) | May 18-20, 2017

[NCM Le Mans Viewing Party](#) | June 17-18, 2017

[Museum in Motion Northwest Passage](#) (Oregon / Washington) | July 26-30, 2017

[Museum in Motion California Dreamin'](#) | August 18-23, 2017

[Museum in Motion 'Diamond in the Rough'](#) (Roanoke, WV) | August 27-29, 2017

[23rd Anniversary Celebration](#) | August 31 - September 2, 2017

[Museum in Motion National Parks Tour](#) (Arizona / Utah) | September 17-23, 2017

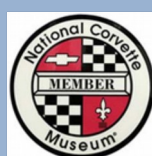
[Corvette Racing Banquet](#) (Monterey, CA) | September 23, 2017

[Museum in Motion: Kentucky 1-Lap Tours](#) | October, 2017

[Vets 'n Vettes presented by Mobil 1](#) | November 2-4, 2017

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

See the following page for a copy of the brick form if you need it





Message from the Ambassador

Ambassador
Rich
Orr

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walk of fame bricks

Located on outdoor sidewalks leading to entrances of the Museum.

STANDARD BRICK

Small Brick 4"x8"
 Send me a duplicate for \$75
 Price: NCM Member \$100; Non-Member \$125
 Design: 3 lines, maximum 13 spaces per line.

C6 Send me a duplicate brick for \$75

NCM Logo Send me a duplicate brick for \$75

Grand Sport Send me a duplicate brick for \$75

SPECIAL LOGO BRICKS
 Price: NCM Member \$150; Non-Member \$175
 Size: 4"x8" (gray boxes show available spaces per line)
 Placement: In special reserved areas only.

C1 Send me a duplicate brick for \$75

C2 & C3 Send me a duplicate brick for \$75

C4 Send me a duplicate brick for \$75

C5 Send me a duplicate brick for \$75

ZR-1 Send me a duplicate brick for \$75

50th & Z06 Logo Duplicate brick for \$75

Race Border Duplicate brick for \$75

Corvette Kids Duplicate brick for \$75

order information

Name _____

Address _____

City _____

State/Province _____ Zip/Postal Code _____ Country _____

Phone _____ Fax _____

E-mail Address _____

NCM Member Number _____ Corvette Club/Organization _____

Method of Payment
 VISA Discover MasterCard AMEX check (\$ _____)

credit card number _____ expiration date _____

signature _____

total paid: _____

Bricks are placed at NCM's discretion and placement requests are not guaranteed. Additional fee for relocation of bricks. NCM not responsible for weathering and wear on bricks.

The National Corvette Museum is a non-profit foundation exempt from federal income taxation under Section 501(c)(3) of the Internal Revenue Code. Contributions to the NCM are tax deductible as allowed by law.

PLEASE ALLOW 4-6 WEEKS FOR ALL BRICK ORDERS. ADDITIONAL SHIPPING FEES WILL BE ADDED FOR INTERNATIONAL ORDERS.

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Special Announcements

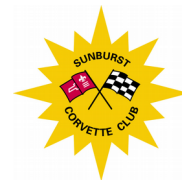


Open Chair Positions

Cruise Director

Contact President Ron Gliot if you are interested in helping out YOUR Club

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 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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Sunburst Events

40th Anniversary Banquet March 11, 2017 Pinecrest Country Club

On Saturday evening, March 11, 84 individuals, (present and past members and one of our sponsors) gathered at Pine Crest Country Club in Huntley, Illinois to celebrate 40 years since the founding of Sunburst Corvette Club. The evening began with butler-served appetizers, enjoyed with beverages from the bar, while guests conversed.

Special recognition was offered to those with more than ten years as members. Donna Sharik whose continuous membership since 1981 was the longest-term member attending. Reminiscing stories about some of the travel issues experienced before GPS and while driving early edition Corvettes were shared to enlighten newer members. Those opening remarks by VP Forrest Roberts and President Ron Gliot were followed by banquet served dinner and a commemorative cake enjoyed as desert.



The 40th Anniversary Committee formed more than a year ago. The members are:

Elly Palmer
Jill Gray
Sue and Lee Thorson
Dee and Mike Rosendahl
Kris Jensen and Rich Orr
Marilyn and Forrest Roberts
Mike Zorn

Kris Jensen's family are chocolatiers' and working with them, all attendees received a 40th Anniversary personal chocolate. Each table had a centerpiece that was a solid-chocolate C3 Corvette and was raffled to guests at each table.



Sunburst Events

40th Anniversary Banquet March 11, 2017 Pinecrest Country Club



Lee and Sue Thorson worked with an awards supplier to obtain desk clocks and one was given to each family attending the banquet. They are a meaningful award and the committee purchased extras that are available for members. The cost is \$15. Please contact Lee or Sue if you wish to purchase one.

Music was compiled by Jill Gray as background through dinner and dancing afterward. Ron Gliot provided old Sunburst movies and event photos that Jill programmed into a loop for viewing throughout the evening. Many enjoyed recalling those activities.

Marilyn Roberts coordinated the meal and set-up with Pine Crest and made sure everything went smoothly. She thanks several members, the committee and the staff of Pinecrest for their assistance.



Sunburst Events



40th Anniversary Banquet March 11, 2017 Pinecrest Country Club

As the kick-off event for our 40th Anniversary, we have begun a great year. In June, Rich Orr and Kris Jensen will be leading **Rolling to Bowling** which will include activities driving to and from the Corvette Museum. While there, a brick commemorating the 40th Anniversary of Sunburst Corvette Club, with memorial bricks for past members and personal ones placed alongside. If you wish to order a personal brick to be included, you must place (and pay for) your selection by the April Membership Meeting. Contact Rich or Kris with questions.



Sunburst Events

40th Anniversary Banquet March 11, 2017 Pinecrest Country Club

A picnic is being planned for the club on September 9th in Crystal Lake. Food will be catered and details are forthcoming. Dee Rosendahl will be communicating details throughout the summer.

In September, Vern Chapman is leading Vets Viewing Vermont to see the fall colors the state is known for. Vern will be providing more details soon but 13 cars have already registered for hotel rooms.



These activities only happen because the members of Sunburst invest their time and expertise for the benefit of us all. And, through initiatives by the board and approved by the members, \$1,000 from each of the past three years has been made available to offset some of the costs associated with 40th Anniversary events.

Throughout the driving season all of us are encouraged to participate in and enjoy activities of the club. Our Strut UR Stuff car show, the auto-cross event, sanctioned drives, flash drives and community cruise nights. Pay attention to the calendars on . They are updated often.



Sunburst Events Calendar



April 2017

6th Membership Meeting – 7:00 pm (Dinner – 6:00 pm)
 12th Board Meeting – 6:00 pm
 23rd Get your Ride Rolling this Spring (to Crandalls)

Galati's Hideaway
 Galati's Hideaway
 Hebron, IL

May 2017

4th Membership Meeting – 7:00 pm (Dinner – 6:00 pm)
 10th Board Meeting – 6:00 pm

Galati's Hideaway
 Galati's Hideaway

June 2017

1st Membership Meeting – 7:00 pm (Dinner – 6:00 pm)
 14th Board Meeting – 6:00 pm
 21st - 25th Rolling to Bowling (Green)

Galati's Hideaway
 Galati's Hideaway
 Bowling Green, KY

July 2017

6th Membership Meeting – 7:00 pm (Dinner – 6:00 pm)
 12th Board Meeting – 6:00 pm
 15th - 16th Trains and Corvettes Scenic Drive

Galati's Hideaway
 Galati's Hideaway
 Janesville, WI

August 2017

3rd Membership Meeting – 7:00 pm (Dinner – 6:00 pm)
 5th - 6th Sunburst Auto-Cross
 10th Board Meeting – 6:00 pm
 12th Sunburst Rallye and Poker Run

Galati's Hideaway
 MCC, Woodstock, IL
 Galati's Hideaway
 TBD

September

7th Membership Meeting – 7:00 pm (Dinner – 6:00pm)
 9th 40th Anniversary Picnic
 10th Saufen und Spiel
 13th Board Meeting – 6:00 pm
 17th Sunburst Car Show – Martin Chevrolet
 30th – Oct 7th Vettes Viewing Vermont

Galati's Hideaway
 Crystal Lake, IL
 Johnsburg, IL
 Galati's Hideaway
 Crystal Lake, IL
 Vermont

October

5th Membership Meeting – 7:00 pm (Dinner – 6:00 pm)
 7th - 9th Drive-out to St Jude Children's Research Hospital
 11th Board Meeting – 6:00 pm

Galati's Hideaway
 Memphis, TN
 Galati's Hideaway

November

2nd Membership Meeting – 7:00 pm (Dinner – 6:00 pm)
 4th Little Angel's Potluck – Jean Mumford
 8th Board Meeting – 6:00 pm

Galati's Hideaway
 Elgin, IL
 Galati's Hideaway

December 2017

2nd Christmas Party – Jean Mumford
 7th Membership Meeting – 7:00 pm (Dinner – 6:00 pm)
 13th Board Meeting – 6:00pm

Golf Course Illinois
 Galati's Hideaway
 Galati's Hideaway



Upcoming Events Info

"Rollin' for Chicken"

OR

Get Your Cluckin' Vette Out, It's Spring!

**Sunday
April 23rd
2:30pm**



It's time for the first rolling event of 2017. We'll be assembling at Galati's in the south end of the parking lot. There are rest rooms there and the Starbucks is in walking distance. At 2:30 we'll be leaving for a leisurely drive through the countryside of McHenry County, arriving at Crandall's at about 4pm.

Crandall's is one of Sunburst's sponsors and has some of the best broasted chicken in the area. Of course, if chicken is not your thing, you have the full menu from which to order. Although not mandatory, the management suggested paying in cash to speed the checkout process.

There will be a sign up sheet at the April 6th membership meeting. I need to give the management solid numbers by April 17th. You can also e-mail (snevetsmp@comcast.net), call or text me at 847-989-9302 to reserve your spot.

Upcoming Events Info

**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 PARK OFF OF CHANNEL BEACH ROAD
- 12:30 P.M.** PARADE BEGINS
- 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 merry!
- 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!

Also going on are: Kids Games, Food Vendors, Beer Tent,
and Many Local Organization Booths
Fun for the Whole Family!

...AND THAT'S THE POOP!

EVENT COORDINATOR: KAREN BAIRD

815-355-0000

MR5NHB3@YAHOO.COM

SIGN UP SHEETS AT THE AUGUST AND SEPTEMBER MEETINGS

***SAUFEN UND SPIEL TRANSLATION: "DRINK AND GAMES" ...WE CAN DO THIS!**



Upcoming Events Info



Struttin' Up Stuff

2017 All Make All Model Car Show



Anniversary

Sunday, September 17, 2017

All Makes – All Models

\$25 Event Fee Includes:

- Best In Show*
- Show Sponsor*
- People's Choice*
- Loudest Exhaust*
- Charity Choice Awards*

For \$10 Additional (Corvette Only)

NCCC Concours Judged

Show Location:

Martin Chevrolet
5220 Northwest Highway
Crystal Lake, IL 60014-8010
815.459.4000



For additional car show information, registration costs and registration forms, visit www.sunburstcorvetteclub.com



Upcoming Events Info



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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
❖ NCCC Registration 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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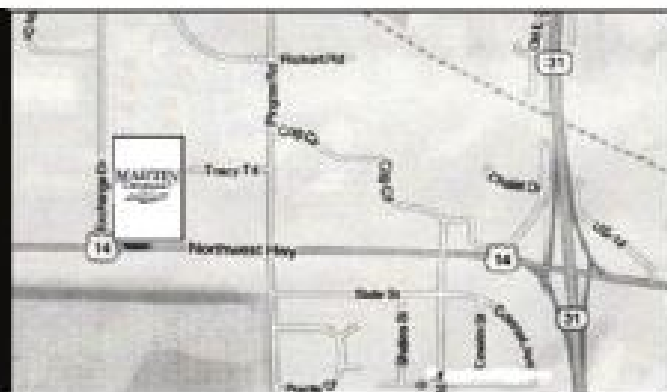
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The Salvation Army

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.



Upcoming Events Info

Registration Form

(please include one form for ea

Car # _____
Do Not Fill In



PRIMARY NAME _____ EMAIL _____

ADDRESS _____ CLUB NAME _____
(for mailing brass plate for trophy)

CITY _____ STATE _____ ZIP _____ NCCC# _____
(if NCCC member)

(IF NEEDED FOR NCCC POINTS)

SECONDARY NAME _____ EMAIL _____

ADDRESS _____ CLUB NAME _____

CITY _____ STATE _____ ZIP _____ NCCC# _____
(if NCCC member)

How did you hear about our show? _____

EMERGENCY CONTACT

Name: _____ Relationship: _____ Phone: _____

Corvette Information

Year _____ Body Style _____ Model _____ Color _____

ENTRY FEES (Choose Plan A or Plan B)

Plan A - \$25 (All Makes - All Models)

Plan A includes:

People's Choice (MW-277-009)
Best in Show
Charity Awards
Sponsor Awards
Loudest Exhaust (optional)

Plan B - \$35 (Corvette Only)

Plan B includes:

NCCC Concours Judged (MW-277-010)
People's Choice (MW-277-009)
Best in Show
Charity Awards
Sponsor Awards
Loudest Exhaust (optional)

Official Use Only
Cash/Check #

At Show/Date

Fee

Initials

Continue to event registration on other side of form

Upcoming Events Info



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
- 1960 - 1969
- 1970 - 1979
- 1980 - 1989
- 1990 - 1999
- 2000 - 2009
- 2010- Current

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

Concours Prepared

W&S + S&S + originality, condition and in-depth judging

Modified

W&S plus engine & chassis

Street Show

W&S plus engine & chassis

Wash & Show

Fit & cleanliness int/ext
- no engine

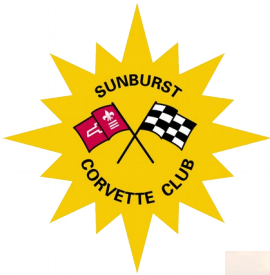
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Award Note: Awards for every Concours class will follow NATIONAL COUNCIL OF CORVETTE CLUBS SANCTIONED COMPETITION PROGRAM 2017-2018, Section 7.3 AWARDS, paragraph 3.

- 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.

Upcoming Events Info



DO NOT MISS THE BOAT



Grand Isle ,Vt to
Plattsburgh , NH. Y.
ferry ride which is part of
the Vermont Trip

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

April 2017

1 st	MW Region Awards Banquet – MWR & Windy City CC	Countryside, IL
8 th	7 Auto-X Events – Windy city, Chicago & Chicago Cross Roads CC	South Bend, IN
9 th	7 Auto-X Events – Chicago & Corvette Cruisers CC	South Bend, IN
9 th	3 Rallyes – Midwest Corvettes	Milan, IL
29 th	6 Auto-X Events – Central Illinois & Rolling Prairie CC	Champaign, IL
30 th	6 Auto-X Events – Central Illinois & Rolling Prairie CC	Champaign, IL

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	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

June 2017

4 th	2 PC Concours – Windy City CC	Hodgkins, IL
10 th	6 Auto-X Events - Central Illinois, Rolling Prairie & St Louis CC	Rantoul, IL
11 th	6 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

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
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

5 th	6 Auto-X Events – Mad City Vettes & Sunburst CC	Crystal Lake, IL
6 th	6 Auto-X Events – No ILL & Sunburst CC	Waukesha, WI
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 2017

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 2017

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



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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.

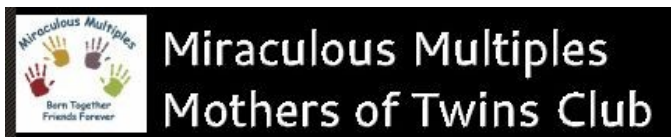
Charity News

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

The Salvation Army is an International, Evangelical Christian Church dedicated to providing individuals worldwide with spiritual, physical, social and emotional support. Our organization is made up of thousands of officers, soldiers, adherents, employees, volunteers and other individuals all working together to bring the Gospel of Jesus Christ to all people, as well as struggling to meet the physical needs of those less fortunate.

The Salvation Army is a nonprofit, tax-exempt charitable organization under Section 501(c)(3) of the Internal Revenue Code. Donations are tax-deductible as allowed by law.

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

FUNDS RAISED FOR ST. JUDE

\$50

1% \$5,000

We are raising funds to support St. Jude Children's Research Hospital's lifesaving mission of finding cures for children battling cancer and other life-threatening diseases, and we need your help to reach our fundraising goal.

How your donation helps:

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Corvette History and Interesting Facts

C5 The “world class” Corvettes (1997 - 2004)

2001



2001 will forever be remembered as the year the Z06 performance hardtop was introduced with its 385HP LS6 engine and 6 speed manual transmission.

Corvette's use of a titanium exhaust for the Z06 was the first ever for a mass production automobile.

Active Handling became standard equipment in 2001.

2002



The 2002 Corvette featured a new color choice, Electron Blue Metallic and an upgraded 405HP LS6 engine for the Z06.

The 2002 Z06 windshield was thinner than that used in the coupe models, shaving 2.65 pounds per car. The lighter windshield was shared with convertibles equipped with the Heads Up Display (HUD) option, which was standard on 2002 Z06 models.

2003



The 2003 Corvette heralds the 50th anniversary with a special edition in Anniversary Red with Shale interior and a new, high-tech magnetic suspension option for all models but the Z06, which continues essentially unchanged from the 2002 model year.

In addition to Anniversary Red, Medium Spiral Gray Metallic was a new color in 2003.

2004



The Magnetic Ride Option offered in 2003 a magnetic fluid which adjusts shock damping 1000 times per second, roughly equivalent to reacting to each inch of road surface at 60 mph.

2004 marks the last of the extremely successful fifth generation Corvette and was celebrated with the special Commemorative #Edition corvettes in Lemans Blue with special badging, graphics and interior appointments.

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
815-459-4565.



NEWSLETTER:

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



Corvette Classifieds is offered to members of Sunburst Corvette Club at no charge. Non-members are invited to advertise in Sunspots at a charge of \$25 per half page for 2 months. If you wish to advertise in this publication of SCC, please send all information to Kris Jensen @ krisj47@comcast.net

Celebrations

April Birthdays

- 1st Jeane Gockenbach**
- 1st Mike Rosendahl**
- 11th Jill Gray**
- 15th Greg Erickson**
- 19th Mehlinae Douglas**
- 19th Rick Edwardsen**
- 19th Joanne Hrodey**
- 19th Mark Pippel**
- 26th Tom Marks**
- 27th Dean McCauley**
- 27th Jan Seputis**
- 28th Carol Ernst**



April Anniversaries

- 8th Joani & Jim Downing**
- 15th Joanne & Bob Hrodey**
- 21st Judy & Vern Chapman**
- 24th Jill & Todd Gray**
- 26th Dee & Don Elliott**
- 26th Cathy & Gary Gembala**
- 30th Carol & Steve MacCabe**

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Brunch Café is perfect place to start your Corvette day. There's plenty of parking and the service and food are both exceptional!

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