

# Road Notes

## ROUTE 66 CORVETTE CLUB



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# Meeting Location

First Thursday of each month @ 7:00 pm  
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Old Hickory Golf Course  
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<http://www.OldHickoryGC.com>





# Club Officials

## President

Bob Isermann

## Vice President

Bill Mitchell

## Directors

Harold Loyd

Sean Leary

Detta Nelson

## Governor

Tom Reitz

## Treasurer

Rich Weinhold

## Secretary

Jeff Schweikert

## President

Ron Nelson

# Committee Chairs

## Audit

Kevin Ryan

## Newsletter

Lynda Rothweil

## Sponsorship

Bob Isermann

Mike Spathelf

## Autocross

Tom Reitz

## Nomination

Bob Lamb

Greg Fultz

## Technical

Tom Reitz

## Car Show

Orville Caupp

## Rules & Regulations

Bob Lamb

## Trailer

Tom Reitz

## Charity

Howard Sardis

## Social

Detta Nelson

## Website

Joe Anelle

## Membership

Bob Lamb

Nancy Streib

# PRESIDENT'S LETTER

October 2019

We all had a good October Club Meeting. A lot was accomplished and the explanations of the many events coming our way for the rest of the year. Check out our club calendar and see what is coming up. As a reminder, here they are:

- Fort Zumwalt West High School Home Coming Parade (10/5)
- Fall Color Run & Chili Cook-Off (10/12)
- Fiddlestiks (10/20)
- NCM Bowling Green, KY. (10/24,25/26)
- Bon Fire (11/2)
- MO Botanical Garden Christmas Garden Glow (11/24)
- Christmas Party (12/7)

Just because we are getting close to the end of the year, we are not slowing down much. I am hoping for a good turnout for each of these events. There is a lot of hard work by our members to put these events on. Thank you to all those that are putting these opportunities out to our club!

As I said in our meeting, we are a great club with the best members. One thing I didn't bring up during the meeting is that we are also ready to jump in to help our members with families in need. Helping each other speaks volumes.

Enjoy the Road Notes! Lynda, you do an excellent job of putting it all together, along with Jeff taking all the notes throughout our meetings and getting them to you so you can do your magic. Thank you both!

***"We join for the cars, and we stay for the people."***

Bob Isermann,  
President



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# Meeting Minutes

## ROUTE 66 CORVETTE CLUB



Old Hickory Golf Club, St. Peters, Missouri  
October 3, 2019

Transcribed by Jeff Schweikert and recorded/edited by Lynda Rothweil

### Members Present:

Anelle, Joe	Isermann, Bob	Seifried, Ron
Beckman, Mardee	Koenig, Bob	Spathelf, Jan
Beckman, Mike	Koenig, Michelle	Spathelf, Mike
Bedwell, Kay	Kriegermeier, Tom	Stangle, Rick
Besand, Craig	Lamb, Bob	Streib, Nancy
Bradley, Bob	Metzger, Dave	Sutton, Jim
Brady, Judy	Miller, Matt	Sutton, Linda
Caupp, Orville	Moore, Karen	Tharp, Russ
Czerniewski, Leo	Moore, Randy	Vanlandingham, Chad
Czerniewski, Sandy	Nelson, Detta	Waganer, Les
Fultz, Chris	Nelson, Ron	Waganer, Sharon
Fultz, Greg	Reitz, Tom	Walker, Scott
Hecht, David	Rothweil, Lynda	Weinhold, Gary
Henke, Fred	Ryan, Kevin	Weinhold, Rich
Hicks, Mike	Sardis, Howard	Weis, Elmer
Isakson, Chad	Schweikert, Jeff	Wilson, Noel
Isakson, Misty	Seifried, Rita	

### Guests:

None



The October 2019 meeting was called to order by President, Bob Isermann at 7:01 pm

### Introduction of Officers:

President: Bob Isermann	Auditor: Kevin Ryan
Vice President: Bill Mitchell	Directors: Sean Leary
Secretary: Jeff Schweikert	Harold Lloyd
Treasurer: Rich Weinhold	Detta Nelson
Governor: Tom Reitz	Past President: Ron Nelson

## President's Remarks: Bob Isermann

Can you believe it is October, and as I am typing this, it is in the 90's! But it will not last long. In fact, by the time we are all together at our meeting, I'm pretty sure it will be about 25 degrees cooler. No promises. :). Many of you may know that September broke a record of being the hottest September, but, it sure didn't slow our club down. I think we had one the busiest September on record too. What a fun month we all had. Almost every weekend we had some events that we had available to participate in. It started with the PalPax delivery McDonald's car show, Poker Run and Car Show, Funfest, Fast Eddie's and over to Chad and Misty's house for chili and skeet shooting. What a great time that was. So, now we are in October, and it is still not letting up. You will hear what is going on this month.

I want to thank our newer members for getting out and enjoying their time with the many activities we had lately. I asked them what brought them to our club and I am getting some of the same answers. The top one is they like our website and looking at all the activities we are involved with. I pushed for many activities, and I realize not everyone can make them, but they are there for the choosing. I do miss seeing some of our veteran members that I once saw at just about every event. I ask sometimes, and I get somewhat of a common response; we getting older or our lives has become super busy. I can understand both. I'm not complaining, I just miss you guys!

I feel strongly that we have the best clubs around. When the call comes to help out with something, our members are there! If we need workers to work the corners at an autocross or handing out cards for a poker run, we always pull together and make it happen. I don't remember our club ever having an unsuccessful event. We have great leaders/members that take on the challenges, (e.g. working a car show, poker run, autocross, preparing food for an event, Christmas Party, preparing for a picnic, putting together road runs, looking for volunteers to run for an office), and many more, our members turn out to make it a winner.

Let's have a good meeting and welcome to all those that are visiting us tonight.

## Membership Anniversaries:

10 Years – Mike & Mardee Beckman

Nancy Streib

8 Years – Mike & Jan Spathelf

7 Years – Fred Henke

Brian & Tammie Kleemeyer

3 Years – Jeff & Patty Craig

2 Years – Glen & Michelle Flynn

Teresa Lindemann

1 Year – Tom Northcott

Ian & Jama Rendell

Russ & Jen Tharp

Greg & Janet Timmerberg





# Birthday Bash



## Introduction of New Members / Guests:

None

## Corrections, Approval of the September 2019 Minutes as Stated in the Monthly Road Notes:

Description: Motion made to accept minutes from last meeting as approved and final

Motion: Greg Fultz

Second: Lynda Rothweil

Type: YAY / NAY - show of hands

Result: PASSED



## Treasurer Report: Rich Weinhold

*See Full Report*

- 2020 Dues are Due Now
  - Pay through <https://www.route66corvetteclubsq.shop/>

## Governor's Report: Tom Reitz

*See Full Report*

- Upcoming Autocross Events
  - See Tom's report
- 2020 Rulebook
  - Red-line version of the proposal to accept a new rulebook (NCCC)
- Three tire certificates drawing
  - Form on NCCC President's monthly letter
  - All from Michelin
  - Proceeds go to St. Jude's Children's Research Hospital
- Other Items
  - Russ Tharp has volunteered to run for the Treasurer for the NCCC Midwest Region

## Vice President's Report: Bill Mitchell (absent)

None

# Gateway Indy Race



## Ambassador Report: Mike Spathelf; Ambassador to NCM

- News from the National Corvette Museum
- October 24-26 - Route 66 Corvette Club NCM Visit - Bowling Green, KY
  - Tour of NCM; behind the scenes tour
  - Air Museum - Saturday morning at 9:00am
  - Train Museum - Saturday morning at 11:30am
  - Maker's Mark Distillery Tour
  - Federal Grove - family style dinner
  - Currently have about 20 people going
  - Contact Mike S if you have any further interest in joining
- November 4-9
  - Ambassador Meetings in Bowling Green
  - Vets for Vettes Event
- Plant Tours
  - Nothing in sight at this time

<https://www.corvettemuseum.org/support/membership/>



<http://www.corvettemuseum.org/>

# Fun Fest 2019



# Committee Reports

## Membership: Bob Lamb / Nancy Streib

- Membership Count = 132
- Club Name Badges
  - New supplier
  - \$8.95 per badge
  - Bob will pick them up and bring to the meeting



## Nomination: Bob Lamb

- November is the Election month
- Openings for terms beginning in 2020
  - President - Bill Mitchell; will vacate current VP role
    - Must resign
    - Unopposed
  - Vice President - Jeff Schweikert - will vacate current Secretary role; will only be for one year because not in the election cycle
    - Must resign
    - Unopposed
  - Secretary - Kay Bedwell
    - Unopposed
  - BOD will appoint Bill and Jeff and Secretary until election is complete
    - Other volunteers are capable of being on the ballot as well for the election
    - After election, new officers assume roles in January
  - Treasurer - Rich Weinhold will run unopposed for another 2 years
  - Governor - Tom Reitz will stay for another 2 years
  - Director - Harold Loyd and Lynda Rothweil are the candidates for 1 open position

## Rules and Regulations: Bob Lamb

- Vote held on one rule change
  - Standing Rule 2.4.d.
    - Current wording: *Any Club indebtedness or financial obligation over \$250 must be approved by the Club general membership with a vote on the specific purpose and amount. In the event of an unexpected or overlooked financial obligation, where time is of the essence, the Board of Directors may vote to approve the payment of the obligation and will advise the membership at the next regularly scheduled meeting.*

- The recommended change to Standing Rule 2.4.d is to ADD the following sentence: "In the event of a Club financial obligation under \$250, the Club President may approve the payment and the membership will be advised of the payment at the next regularly scheduled meeting."

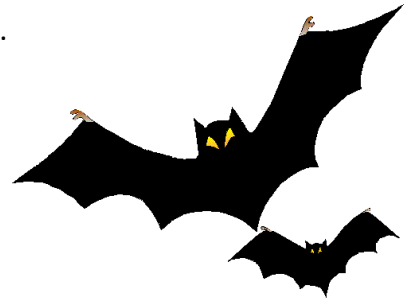
Description: Moved to accept above change as written.

Motion: Bob Lamb

Second: Greg Fultz

Type: YAY / NAY - show of hands

Result: PASSED unanimous



### Website & Graphics: Joe Anelle

- No Updates

### Road Notes: Lynda Rothweil

- No updates



### Charity: Howard Sardis

- Charity suggestions for 2020
  - 8 requests
    - COPS
    - Backstoppers
    - Community Living
    - Pulmonary Hypertension Association
    - Stella's Wish
    - Kids Shouldn't Have Cancer
    - NCCC Scholarship Foundation
- Timeframe when charities will be decided in 2020
  - January a group recommendation will be made
  - February a decision on who gets what

### Tech Korner: Les Waganer

<http://route66corvetteclub.com/techkorner.html>

- Latest topics discussed on Tech Corner
  - C5 Air Conditioning Article coming from Tom Kriegermeier
- Other
  - Club event: Ford vs. Ferrari Movie

# Wings of Hope Poker Run & Car Show





### **Social: Detta Nelson**

- Detta would like to step down from chairing the Social Committee; need someone to step forward to volunteer
- Upcoming Events
  - October 5: Ft. Zumwalt Homecoming Parade
  - October 5: Wings of Hope Taste of St. Louis - Chesterfield, MO
  - October 12: Fall Colors Tour / Chili Cook Off - Labadie / Washington
  - October 19: Mitchell Road Run - Litchfield, IL - **POSTPONED**
  - October 20: Fiddlestiks w/Boone Trail Corvette Club - Hannibal, MO
  - October 24-26: NCM Visit - Bowling Green, KY
  - November 2: Brady Bonfire and Chili Cook-Off
  - November 24: Christmas Lights - Missouri Botanical Gardens - St. Louis
  - December 7: Christmas Party - Old Hickory Golf Club

### **Car Show: Orville Caupp; Sean Leary & Lynda Rothweil**

- Boone Trail Car Show
  - Recognition of the 10 volunteer judges
  - Orville thanked the volunteers
- Poker Run and Car Show at Poage - Saturday, September 14th
  - Will not do a multi-event again
  - Overall turnout was not what was hoped; contribution exceeded expectation
  - Recognition of Volunteers who made this a success

### **Facebook: (Jeff Schweikert)**

- Nothing new to report

<https://www.facebook.com/route66corvette/>

### **Car Show Events Around the Area: Randy Moore**

- Fridays                                      Sonic - Sunset Hills
- 1st Friday Monthly                      Faith Church - Gravois Road



### **Sponsorship: Bob Isermann & Mike Spathelf**

- Poage Chevrolet (no one in attendance)
  - Bob I is selling all cars on the lot at 50% off – JOKING!!!

# Fort Zumwalt Homecoming Parade



## Old Business:

- None

## New Business:

- Detta announced that as of tonight, 51 signed up for the Christmas Party
- Bonfire / Chili Cook-off
  - Special sign-up sheet for food to bring at the event
  - Have an area for target practice
  - Bring own drinks, lawn chairs and hot dog sticks
  - Location:
    - Jim & Judy Brady's
    - 3450 Hopeweill Road (Hopewell and Ft. Knox)
    - Wentzville, MO 63385
    - 314-614-7778
- Christmas Party Fee
- Noel advised we had not formalized the attendee costs for the members and the club contribution for the 2019 Christmas Party.

Description: Attendees to pay \$25 per Attendee for the 2019 Christmas Party and for the club to pay the balance of the costs.

Motion: Noel Wilson

Second: Lynda Rothweil

Type: YAY / NAY - show of hands

Result: PASSED

- Ford vs. Ferrari Movie
  - Les explained the details behind the upcoming movie
  - He is willing to determine if there can be a group rates for those who want to attend
  - Contact Les if interested
- Mike Spatheif shared his experience from the Gateway Raceway event

## Knowledge Data Base: Les Waganer

- Nothing to report

## Technical & Trailer: Tom Reitz

- Nothing to report

## Announcements:

- Nothing to report



# Fall is Here!

## 50/50: Chris Fultz

Total collected \$195.00

\$98.00 to PalPax Program

\$97.00 to Mardee Beckman



## Adjournment: 8:17pm

Motion: Lynda Rothweil

Second: Greg Fultz

Type: YAY / NAY - voice vote

Result: Passed

Respectfully submitted,  
Jeff Schweikert, Secretary  
10/03/2019



# Governor's Report

October 3, 2019 Meeting

## NCCC STUFF

- Up-coming events:
  - ❖ OCT 5-6<sup>th</sup> is 14 events at Rantoul, IL.
  - ❖ OCT 12-13<sup>th</sup> is 14 events at TireRack in South Bend, IN
  - ❖ OCT 19-20<sup>th</sup> is 14 events at Grissom AFB
  - ❖ OCT 26-27<sup>th</sup> is 14 events at TireRack in South Bend, IN
  - ❖ NOV 2-3<sup>rd</sup> is 14 events in Shelbyville, TN
  
- Next governors meeting is November 8<sup>th</sup> & 9<sup>th</sup>, at Westport Plaza, right here in St. Louis. See me if interested in attending. Saturday morning Midwest Region meeting starts at 8:00am in Conference Room C. The National meeting starts at 12:30pm in the East Ballroom of the Sheraton Westport.
  
- The 2020 rulebook has not yet been presented. The only major rule change is the addition of class "P" for the new C8 Corvettes.
  
- NCCC "set of tires" raffles are thru Michelin and are good for one set of 4 tires. All proceeds go to St. Jude. Drawings are held at the governor's meetings here in St. Louis. Forms are to be submitted to Chris Reitz, the NCCC National treasurer with payment of \$25.00 for one entry. Next drawing is November 9<sup>th</sup>, with one more after that on February 22<sup>nd</sup>. Entry forms are in Blue Bars, or online at the NCCC website. You can find the link on our website under tab of "free tires offer". Checks are to be made payable directly to "St. Jude Children's Research Hospital".
  
- Our very own, Russ Tharp has decided to run for NCCC Midwest Region Treasurer. I have already cast my vote for him since he is un-opposed. We now have both the NCCC Regional treasurer as well as the NCCC National treasurer in OUR CLUB!



# Governor's Report

- Please consider joining the rest of our NCCC membership at the National Convention in Indianapolis, IN, July 5<sup>th</sup> thru July 10<sup>th</sup>. Registration opens Saturday, February 1<sup>st</sup> at 9:00am Central Time. Activities include parties, concourse car show, people's choice car show, indoor funkhana, valve cover races, low speed auto-x, high speed auto-x, drag racing, and a rally, Indianapolis Motor Speedway track laps / tours / lunch / museum. It really is a nice vacation with all Corvette people from all across the country.

## AUTOCROSS

- Next year we have a hold for the same weekend, however, still awaiting the pricing structure from the Family Arena.





## October

Leo Czerniewski  
Joe Anelle  
Roger Reinhardt  
Greg Fultz

October 14<sup>th</sup>  
October 19<sup>th</sup>  
October 24<sup>th</sup>  
October 28<sup>th</sup>

## November

David Hecht  
Nancy Streib  
Catherine Gibson  
Teresa Lindemann  
Bill Ekiss  
Mark Gizzie  
Ron Nelson  
Orville Caupp  
Glenn Donaldson  
Joan Hecht  
Jason Luebcke  
Jack Vanlandingham  
Greg Timmerberg  
Patty Craig  
Tom Desmond

November 2<sup>nd</sup>  
November 4<sup>th</sup>  
November 5<sup>th</sup>  
November 9<sup>th</sup>  
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November 15<sup>th</sup>  
November 18<sup>th</sup>  
November 22<sup>nd</sup>  
November 28<sup>th</sup>  
November 30<sup>th</sup>



# 2019 Calendar of Events



## October Schedule of Events

October 3	Route 66 Meeting
October 5	Ft. Zumwalt Homecoming Parade
October 12	Fall Colors Road Run & Chili Cookoff
October 19	Litchfield Road Run
October 20	Fiddlestiks
October 31	Happy Halloween!

## November Schedule of Events

November 2	Bon Fire
November 7	Route 66 Meeting



Event details are listed in the  
website calendar:

[http://www.route66corvetteclub.com/  
calendar.html](http://www.route66corvetteclub.com/calendar.html)



# Gasoline Alley



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## Did You Know??

Did you know lemons contain more sugar than strawberries



## Thought of the Day...

Cry with someone. Its more healing than crying alone



## Tips for a Life Time:

### **Money can't buy happiness**

As The Beatles famously proclaimed, (money), "can't buy me love." You know what else money can't buy? Happiness. Just because you're earning six figures doesn't mean that you're necessarily content. Sure, money is obviously needed, and it makes some things easier. But, you should be focusing on your passion and not how much your paycheck is.



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