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# Our 2025 Charities Main Charity





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On the Cover: One of the cars at the MidMo Car Show. Side bar: Maroon Bells, Snowmass, CO.



## **Meeting Location**

First Thursday of each month @ 7:00 pm January thru November



#### Map

Old Hickory Golf Course #1 Dye Club Drive St. Peters, MO 63302 636 -477- 8960

http://www.OldHickoryGC.com

Jen Champion, Events Coordinator <a href="mailto:jchampion@heritagegolfgroup.com">jchampion@heritagegolfgroup.com</a>







# Board of Directors and Officers

#### **President**

**Dave Hecht** 

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Dennis Osterhorn Mike Spathelf Ray Shea

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**Don Lorimier** 

#### Governor

Craig Besand

#### Secretary

**Doug Stone** 

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#### **Audit**

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#### **NCCC Events**

Craig Besand

#### Car Show

Paul Kaus

#### Charity

Howard Sardis Mike Force Tom Desmond

#### **Membership**

**Dennis Osterhorn** 

#### **NCM Ambassadors**

Mike Spathelf Jan Spathelf

#### Newsletter

**Doug Stone** 

#### **Financial Planning**

Bill Mitchell Bob Isermann

#### **Nomination**

Bob Lamb Robert Gamlin Craig Besand

#### **Sponsorship**

Bob Isermann Mike Spathelf

#### **Trailer**

**Danny Clayton** 

#### Rules & Regulations

Lynda Rothweil

#### **Social**

Larry Boyd

#### **Website**

Joe Anelle Lynda Rothweil Greg Ritter

**Contact a Board Member** 

## President's Message

#### Route 66 Corvette Club Members,

As the warmer May weather arrives after a record wet April in the Saint Louis area, now is the perfect time to reawaken your passion for the Corvette. The Route 66 Corvette Club is calling on all members and Corvette enthusiasts to lend their energy and spirit to our club activities.

#### **Embrace the Spirit of our organization:**

You, our members, are not just participants, you are part of one large, supportive family. Whether you've been with us for years or you're new to the club, your presence makes all the difference. Join in on local cruising opportunities and car shows to connect with members who share the same passion for the Corvette.

#### Participate in Events:

We have a range of exciting events lined up, including our "Salute to the Troops" car show on Saturday, May 17th. This key event supports the USO of Missouri and offers a prime opportunity for members to give back to those who serve our nation.

#### • Your participation is essential:

o **Impactful Involvement:** Every member's contribution helps create a memorable experience and generates valuable support for the club we represent.

Your participation actively builds lasting friendships among fellow Corvette enthusiasts.

#### Take Initiative and Volunteer:

I encourage all members to volunteer for various roles—from event planning and setting up and promoting our show, or to actively participate in the many runs put together by the social group. This active involvement fosters leadership and personal growth within the club.

#### • Share Your Passion Publicly:

Spread the word about our events on social media. Personal testimonials, photos from past events, and shared experiences can help inspire others to join. A strong online presence can resonate with potential new members who share the Corvette passion.

#### Stay Engaged:

The club leadership is actively rescheduling weather-affected events, and updated details will be shared. Make sure to check for email correspondence provided by our social committee or go on-line and review what has been posted in our web-site calendar.

#### **Finally:**

As our club president, I want to emphasize that when every member contributes—even in a small way—the collective efforts produce outstanding events and lasting memories. Route 66 Corvette Club continues to be a beacon of camaraderie, passion, and action. Your involvement is the heartbeat that keeps our club strong and dynamic.

David Hecht, President



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## Our Sponsor



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## Meeting Minutes

#### **ROUTE 66 CORVETTE CLUB**

Date: Thursday, May 1, 2025 Location: Old Hickory Golf Club

Call to Order: 7:00 PM Submitted By: Doug Stone

## Officer's Reports

#### **Introduction of Officers:**

President: David Hecht
Vice President: Paul Kaus
Secretary: Doug Stone
Treasurer: Rich Weinhold
Governor: Craig Besand
Directors: Dennis Osterhorn,

Mike Spathelf,

Ray Shea

Past President: Don Lorimier

#### **Introduction of Committee Chairs:**

Audit & Bill Mitchell,
Financial Planning: Bob Isermann
Nominating: Don Lorimier,

**Bob Lamb** 

NCCC Events: Craig Besand Rules & Regulations: Lynda Rothweil

Car Show: Paul Kaus
Social: Larry Boyd
Charity: Howard Sardis
Sponsorship: Bob Isermann,

Mike Spathelf

Membership: Dennis Osterhorn
NCM Ambassador: Mike & Jan Spathelf

Newsletter: Doug Stone Website & Graphics: Joe Anelle

#### **Pre-Meeting Social Hour:**

This month, the meeting room will be open starting at 5:30 PM for those who'd like to grab dinner, enjoy a beverage, and socialize with fellow members before the meeting. It's a great opportunity to catch up and relax!

#### **Corrections & Approvals of Last Month's Minutes:**

No changes were needed. A motion was made by Lynda Rothweil to accept the minutes as submitted. That motion was seconded by Mike Spathelf. A Yay/Nay vote was held. The motion passed.

#### **President's Opening Remarks: David Hecht**

Thank you for coming this evening. It has been a rainy month of April.

Rich Weinhold and Dave went to review the renovations of the USO at St. Louis Lambert International Airport. If any others want to see what was done please talk with Dave to organize a visit with USO leadership.

Introduction of New Members/Guests: Dennis Osterhorn

New Member:

Steve Gurley joined. 2019 Grand Sport, Red

Dennis has new member packages for recent new members. Come to the meetings to get them!

#### Celebrate 25: Mike Spathelf

Bring quarters to the June meeting for a drawing. Get one ticket for each quarter you add into the pot. Quarters are for our 25<sup>th</sup> anniversary. The winning ticket wins the entire pot. The more you put in the more tickets and the better your chances

Mike and others had their 25th anniversary shirt on. Get yours at Shirt Kong. The embroidery will cost \$18.

Please send any ideas on how the club should celebrate this milestone. Email <a href="mailto:Spathelf@sbcglobal.net">Spathelf@sbcglobal.net</a> or talk to any of the committee or board members.



April 2025 Treasurer's Report and Income & Expense Comparison to 2024

See next pages. (Reports only in Members Issue.)

**Committee Reports:** Paul Kaus

**Sponsorship Report:** Poage Chevrolet, Randy Wells No report.

#### **NCCC Governor's Report: Craig Besand**

ROUTE 66 CORVETTE CLUB RALLYE – July 12, 2025

The rallye will be a Chance Rallye only – There will be no questions to answer along the route as in the past, just driving instructions to follow to get to checkpoints and the finish at a restaurant for lunch and awarding the cash prizes.

Midwest Region Sanctioned NCCC events can be found at this link: <a href="https://www.mwregion.com/schedule.html">https://www.mwregion.com/schedule.html</a>. The next few months of the schedule in a short version are shown on the next page with a link to the entire short version of the schedule.

Please click on <u>THIS LINK</u> to view this month's NCCC President message from Deb Murphy.







**Treasurer's Report: Rich Weinhold** 

## Treasurer's Reports – Members Only

**Treasurer's Report: Rich Weinhold** 

## Treasurer's Reports – Members Only









#### ROUTE 66 CORVETTE CLUB 4 Rally Events – July 12, 2025

Rally number 1 (Chance Rally) - MW470-001

Rally number 2 (Chance Rally)

- MW470-002

Rally number 3 (Chance Rally) - MW470-003

Rally number 4 (Chance Rally) — MW470-004

"Rallies will be run concurrently"

#### **EVENT FEES**

\$40.00 for all four events NO single event pricing

**NO** PREGISTRATION FOR THIS EVENT- REGISTER DAY OF EVENTS ONLY

#### **LOCATION**

Poage Chevrolet Dealership 851 W. Pearce Blvd. Wentzville, MO 63385 636-327-6268 (for directions only)

#### **ROUTE 66 CC GOVERNOR**

Craig Besand
636-578-5095 cell
Cdb051557@att.net
Chairperson – Craig Besand

Co-Chairperson – Tom Reitz

#### **Registration & Tech (Central Time)**

Registration: 8:45 AM to 9:30 AM

Tech: 9:00 AM to 9:45 AM Drivers Meeting: 9:50 AM

1st Car Off: following driver's meeting

- ALL PERSONS IN ATTENDANCE MUST SIGN WAIVER
- ➤ MUST Present Valid Driver's License to participate (DRIVER)
- NO alcoholic beverages permitted during rally (OK after)
- MUST BE NCCC member driving a Corvette to receive NCCC points
- Rally end point is Restaurant & Bar, food and beverage service is on you, off menu (awards presented at end point)



Officer's Reports: (cont.)
NCCC Governor's Report: (cont.)

#### 2025 Midwest Region Schedule & Links

Last update with changes or Flyer links added ~ January 9, 2025

2025 Midwest Region Schedule of Events ~January 9, 2025				
DATE		EVENT	LOCATION	HOST CLUB(S)
Feb 21 & 22	Fri/Sat	MWR & NCCC Meetings	St. Louis, MO	MWR & NCCC Meetings
29-Mar	Saturday	MWR Banquet	Madison, WI	MWR and Mad City Vettes
5-Apr	Saturday	7 Autocross Events	Bowling Green, KY	MW & SE FUNdraisers - Glass Favorites-Vette City Vettes
6-Apr	Sunday	7 Autocross Events	Bowling Green, KY	MW & SE FUNdraisers - Glass Favorites-Vette City Vettes
6-Apr	Sunday	4 Rallye Events	Milan, IL	Mid-West Corvettes
12-Apr	Saturday	7 Autocross Events	South Bend, IN	Windy City - Corvette Cruisers - CC of Illinois
13-Apr	Sunday	7 Autocross Events	South Bend, IN	Corvette Cruisers - Chicago Crossroads -CC of Illinois
May 2 & 3	Fri/Sat	NCCC Meetings	St. Louis, MO	MWR & NCCC Meetings
17-May	Saturday	7 Autocross Events	Crystal Lake, IL	Northern IL-Northern Rays-Sunburst- Windy City
18-May	Sunday	7 Autocross Events	Crystal Lake, IL	Northern IL-Northern Rays-Sunburst
18-May	Sunday	2 PC Car Show	Tinley Park, IL	Windy City Corvettes
24-May	Saturday	7 Autocross Events	Rantoul, IL	MWR FUNdraiser - MWR Clubs
25-May	Sunday	7 Autocross Events	Rantoul, IL	MWR FUNdraiser - MWR Clubs
26-May	Monday	7 Autocross Events	Rantoul, IL	MWR FUNdraiser - MWR Clubs

**★**The Entire Short PDF Version of the 2025 Competitions Schedule ★Go to the Event Flyers Page



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## NCCC Convention 2025 in the Midwest Region Wisconsin Dells and Lake Delton Area



https://www.mwregion.com/convention2025.html

#### **Committee Reports:** Paul Kaus

Car Show: Paul Kaus

- The Car Show is May 17<sup>th</sup> at Poage in Wentzville!!!!!!
- 77 cars are now registered about the same as last year at this time.
- 20 guests signed up- just a bit ahead of last year.
- 550 raffle tickets have been sold. Keep selling and get unsold tickets back for sale at the event.
- Raffles will include gift certificates for detailing and a laminated build sheet for your Corvette. There are currently 35 or so baskets.
- We have 14 sponsors. 7 are club members that have contributed about \$5500.
- The T-shirts look great. Thanks to Joe for the design and to Poage for paying for them.
- All of the banners have been printed.
- One Banner is on the trailer in Poage's parking lot. It has generated some interest in the car show.
- Advertising, registration and welcome banners are ready to go, too.
- We still need volunteers to judge cars, both for guest cars and possibly for ours also. See Robert Gamblin if you can help out. Judging is by cleanliness only so no technical knowledge is needed. Get your steps in for the day! We usually don't judge our own cars t avoid conflicts of interest but might have to this year.
- Larry is ready to provided food for the show. We will have brats, hamburgers, and hot dogs for purchase. Soda and water will also be available.
- Park where the parking folks ask you to. We park the club members cars separate from the guest cars to make judging easier.
- Please arrive by 7:00 if you are going to work at the show. Others will already be there by 6:30
- The parking lot gates will close at 10 and be opened at 2. Poage requested this change to help with traffic around the dealership.
- See the flyers for the Car Show on the next pages:









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Saturday May 17th 2025



#### Route 66 Corvette Club

## SALUTE TO THE TROOPS







#### **Annual Corvette Show**

## PROCEEDS BENEFIT USO MISSOURI AND OTHER LOCAL VETERAN CHARITIES

Help Support Those Who Defend The USA

Saturday, May 17th, 2025

Rain Date June 7th, 2025

Registration: 8:00am to 10:00am

Raffle and Silent Action

**Poage Chevrolet** 

*50/50* 

Drawing

851 W Pearce Blvd, Wentzville, MO

Awards 1:00pm

#### 1st, 2nd, and 3rd Place Awards for Coupes and Convertibles in each Class:

C1 - 1953 - 1962

C3 - 1968 - 1982

C5 - 1997 - 2004

C7 - 2014 - 2019

C2 - 1963 - 1967

C4 - !984 - 1996

C6 - 2005 - 2013

C8 - 2020 - UP

Show Pre-Registration: \$30 includes T-Shirt till April 25th Registerion Day of Show: \$30 does not includes T-Shirth

Buy some tickets for yourself and invite your friends to get some, too.

Contact Don Lorimier for additional tickets.

May 17, 2025

## SALUTE TO THE TROOPS



## BIG CEDAR LODGE



#### \$ 1500 Get-a-Way "Raffle" Package

\$10 Raffle Ticket

#### ABOUT BIG CEDAR LODGE

AMERICA'S PREMIER WILDERNESS RESORT

A remote haven of natural beauty spread out over 4,600 acres where rustic luxury is tucked into the rugged landscape of the Missouri Ozark Mountains, overlooking sparkling Table Rock Lake. Inspired by a commitment to conservation, Johnny Morris, noted conservationist and founder of Bass Pro Shops, created Big Cedar Lodge as a destination for families and friends to connect in the great outdoors. With inviting accommodations, spectacular restaurants, two full-service marinas, five golf courses, a 50,000-square-foot activity center, breathtaking spa, unparalleled fishing and countless outdoor adventures await. Big Cedar Lodge is a world-class resort where you and your family will make memories to last a lifetime.



- 11 Restaurants
- 5 Golf Courses (Woods, Nicklaus, Watson design)
- Fitness Center and Spa
- Indoor and Outdoor Heated Pools
- Boat Rentals, Horseback Riding and more ....

## Committee Reports: (cont.) Social Committee: Larry Boyd

**Upcoming Events:** 

May 3rd April Birthday Bash-Social House 227-Paul Kaus

May 10th Potosi-Bixby Run-Mike Hicks
 May 15th Ladies Bunko-Jeri Clayton

May 17th Route 66 Corvette Club Car Show-Paul Kaus

May 31st Heavy Smoke BBQ-Danny Clayton

June 6<sup>th</sup>-8<sup>th</sup> Disney Theme Trip to Marceline and Chillicothe, MO – Ray Shea
 June 21<sup>st</sup> Marcoot Creamery and Lunch at the Old Mill - Patti and David Hall

June 23<sup>rd</sup>-27<sup>th</sup> Kentucky Trip – Patti and David Hall

This extended trip will include 3 days in Louisville and includes a Churchill Downs tour, watching horse races, and may be able to give the trophy to a race winner in the name of Rt66CC. Also, a Louisville Slugger tour, cooperage tour, and distillery tour. Following that there will be 2 days in Bowling Green where you will visit the National Corvette Museum, among other activities. This trip is still in the planning stage - more details will be communicated soon. Patti Hall is planning this trip. - Patti and David Hall

July 12<sup>th</sup> Rt66CC Poker Run – Craig Besand

Aug 30<sup>th</sup> Road Run to Picnic???????
 Aug 30<sup>th</sup> Picnic & Birthday Bash

Reminder: Please use the email address that is in the roster when you add your attendance to an event to be able to review the sign-up sheets. Also, for the purposes of the reservation document your email address is case sensitive!!!!!

3 spots are still available for the June 23<sup>rd</sup> Kentucky trip. Sign up even if the attendees list looks full. There are some duplicate entries that throw the count off.

Members will receive an invitation for each event that they can respond to to indicate that that they will attend. Included in that invitation is a link to a list of the others that will be attending.

The next Social Committee meeting is May 7<sup>th</sup>. All Club members are invited to attend. Bring your ideas for activities.

- Long-term Road Runs in the planning stages:
  - South Dakota Mike Hicks

#### Women's Social Events: Jeri Clayton

The Bunko group still needs 2 more ladies to play on the third Thursday of every month. Members do not have to feel obligated to have the monthly event at their house – others are able to do that. Contact Jeri for more information.

The May 22nd Missouri Botanical Garden-Ladies Event-Patti Hall has been postponed and will be rescheduled.

Patti is looking for more ideas for ladies trips – Cathedral Basilica, etc.

## Committee Reports: (cont.) NCM Ambassador Report: Mike and Jan Spathelf (Paul Kaus)

Michelin Bash – NCM is a wonderful happy place since Bryce is the CEO again. He brings an entirely comfortable feel to the facility.

Our club banner from last year is up for auction. Please send your Bid via email to "Rich Weinhold". Rich will provide periodic updates on the progress of the bids via email to all members. All Bids will CLOSE as of Midnight; June 4<sup>th</sup>. The winner will be announced at our June 5<sup>th</sup> meeting. The banner cost us \$725 for this year as an idea of what it might take to win it.

4 car raffles are in progress at the NCM – get applications from Mike. Raffle tickets can't be bought outside of Kentucky. Mike will send the forms to NCM and you will get a receipt from them.

#### Any year car can have the National Corvette Museum Delivery Experience

#### **Membership:** Dennis Osterhorn

- Please shred any printed copies of the directory when you throw them out.
- Please send head shots to Dennis to be included in the club directory.
- The total membership is now 220! It was 219 last month.
- 46 members attended the meeting tonight. The attendance in March was 46.
- The membership directory is available online for members only.

#### **Trailer Committee: Danny Clayton**

The new car show banner is on the trailer.

There is a continuing water leak that Danny is still trying to find.

### Rules & Regulations Committee: Lynda Rothweil

Nothing to report.



2024 Banner being Auctioned



2025 Banner Location on Google Maps

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## **Committee Reports: (cont.) Website & Graphics: Joe Anelle**

- The website is up to date.
- The new banner is up at NCM. There will be a picture in Road Notes.

#### **Charity Committee: Howard Sardis / Chairman**

Nothing to report.

#### **Road Notes Newsletter: Doug Stone**

- Please send your car stories and let me know if you want to see anything new or different in Road Notes.
- Links to past Road Notes:
  - 09-2024 Road Notes Website.pdf
  - 10-2024 Road Notes Website.pdf
  - 11-2024 Road Notes Website.pdf
  - 12-2024 Road Notes Website.pdf
- <u>01-2025 Road Notes Website.pdf</u>
- 02-2025 Road Notes Website.pdf
- 03-2025 Road Notes Website.pdf
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#### Tech Korner: Rich Weinhold, Doug Stone

C&S Corvettes seems to me to be a very reliable source of Corvette information. So I'll post a couple links to Lyle's, the owner, videos below. Like many YouTuber creators he has lots of videos to learn from. Sorry about the ads.

Don't fear mileage as a part of your Corvette buying decision making:
KEY POINTS Regarding Low Mileage Corvettes \*\*ALL GENERATIONS\*\*

Like C5s? Here are some reasons this might be why: C5 Corvette: The UNDENIABLE Reasons This Car CAPTIVATES Fans Worldwide!

#### **Old Business:**

Further discussion related to the Rt66CC continuing NCCC membership: Reminder of the subject:

We have 142 members and 78 spouses that have to have NCCC memberships that costs us about \$4300 yearly. This membership includes access to enter competitions and also club liability and DR&O insurance. Only about 10 members regularly participate in NCCC events. (\$430 per participant, \$19.55 per member)

We could replace the NCCC insurance with a policy from Hagerty that would be about \$1300. (\$5.91 per member.)

A couple members (Don Lorimier and Joe Anelle) stated the need to review the changes needed to constitution, need to document the total changes being proposed: Membership cost change or stick with same dues? How would we use extra \$\$ if we kept the same renewal cost that currently includes NCCC renewal \$\$.

Tom Reitz brought up that the NCCC has added of non-racing awards for many NCCC competitions. Also, the NCCC has a seat on the board at NCM. The club constitution states that we are organized to improve the Corvette community. The club was founded with competition in mind so being in NCCC part of the creation of the club.

Continued on next page:

## Committee Reports: (cont.) Old Business: (cont.)

[Secretary's note: Tom forwarded the following information after the meeting. I have added it to the minutes as it is relevant to his comments at the meeting. This is an excerpt of Article 3, Section 1.f:

#### CONSTITUTION ROUTE 66 CORVETTE CLUB

- c. ENTHUSIAST MEMBER: Shall be 18 years of age or older. This membership is open to anyone who is a Corvette Enthusiast. Enthusiast member need not comply with Corvette ownership.
- d. HONORARY MEMBER: Those persons or organizations whose interest in, support of or contribution to the Club merits such recognition. Honorary memberships are granted after a simple majority vote of the Club members and are terminable as defined in the Bylaws, Section 2 and in the Standing Rules, Section 10. Dues shall be paid in accordance with Section 3, Paragraph a. and b. of the Bylaws.
- e. YOUTH MEMBER: A person that is sponsored by a Primary member and who is between the ages of 16 and 21 years of age, or between the ages of 16 and 25 and also a Full Time Student whose mailing address will be the same as the Primary, upon approval of the application, payment of required dues, and the information entered into the data base the applicant shall become a Youth member. They shall be entitled to all rights and privileges of Spouse/Companion membership, except the right to hold National or Regional office.
- f. NCCC MEMBERSHIP: All Route 66 Charter, Owner, Enthusiast and Youth Members must be members in good standing of the National Council of Corvette Clubs.

Tom also points out that: "I see "Honorary members" do not need to be NCCC members, therefore in the future we could NOT pay NCCC dues for Les Wagner, Sharon Wagner, and the employees of Poage Chevrolet. Just a thought."]

Paul Kaus stated that as a NCCC member club we are required to pay for all of our members to join NCCC. When we judged at Joplin, we supported NCCC there and at many other events. Having to be a member of something that we don't want to be a member of is an issue. Only 500 of 16,000 NCCC members go to the yearly convention. There used to be 30,000 members. Plenty of other clubs have insurance outside of NCCC. Insurance is for club liability and DR&O.

Lots of discussion centered on how the insurance and waivers works.

Dennis Osterhorn said he joined for the club and not for membership in NCCC. And if NCCC can't handle their money (budget deficit issues) he doesn't want to be part of it. And does not like having to join NCCC since he does not use it.

Dave Hecht added that a financial statement is needed for us to get a firm DR&O insurance quote. And, regarding Hagerty insurance, an additional policy is not needed for a car show of under 200 participants.

John Midkiff: NCCC is working to address their cost issues.

Tom reminded us that the NCCC governors meeting is at Westport at 9:00 am this weekend.

Greg Fultz wants us to focus on the fact that the founders of the club intended the club to be members of the NCCC.

Those in attendance agreed to table the discussion for tonight's meeting. The board needs to work on the next actions to close this discussion and decision.

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### Committee Reports: (cont.) New Business:

WWT Raceway will again have a Corvette Corral on June 15<sup>th</sup>, Father's Day, before and during the Indy Car race. Paul will organize club participation. The cost is expected to be \$35 and will include corral parking near the grandstands and 2 tickets for the race. We have attended as a club in the past. It is a fun way to spend the day.

#### Wear Your Pride: Craig Besand

Not held tonight as Craig is not here. The pot will be \$30 at the June meeting.

#### 50/50 Drawing: Chris and Greg Fultz

The total collected tonight was \$240. \$120 will go to The Weekend Hunger Project. \$120 to Mandy Collins.

#### **Motion to Adjourn:**

Don Lorimier made a motion to adjourn. Linda Rothweil seconded. All were in favor and the meeting was adjourned.

David Hecht President

-Official meeting minutes can be requested by members from the Secretary.-

#### **Handy Club Info:**

- Add the Rt66CC Calendar to your Google Calendar:
  - <a href="https://www.route66corvetteclub.com/calendar.html">https://www.route66corvetteclub.com/calendar.html</a>
  - Pick: + Google Calendar
- Add the Club Logo to Apparel and Accessories:
  - See our website and contact Shirt Kong for more info:
    - <a href="https://www.route66corvetteclub.com/clubMerch.html">https://www.route66corvetteclub.com/clubMerch.html</a>
  - To order individual green polo Club shirts with logo ask to talk with Samm.
- Order name badges at the following link:
  - https://soloperformance.com/products/route66
- Members are invited to arrive as early as 5:30 PM to the monthly meetings to enjoy a meal and/or beverage of choice for purchase in the meeting room to socialize and meet other Club members. The full menu of Old Hickory's Bistro Restaurant will be available.
- Two-way Radios are helpful on road runs. Similar to this is OK.



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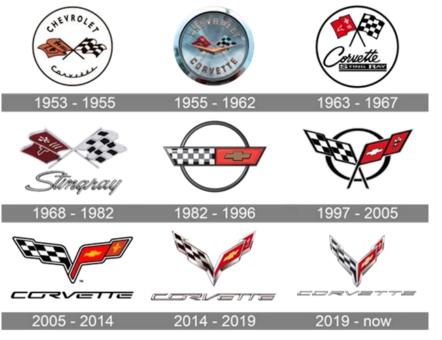
#### **Membership Anniversaries:**

May:

BOWERS	Rich	2012	13	May - 12
PATTERSON	Greg & Nancy	2019	6	May - 19
GAMBLIN	Robert	2021	4	May - 21
KAUS	Paul & Cindy	2021	4	May - 21
ROTTMANN	Bill & Rose	2021	4	May - 21
COLLINS	Joshua	2022	3	May - 22
PECOR	Larry	2023	2	May-23
BESSELSEN	Don	2023	2	May-23
JACOBS	Gene & Jamie	2024	1	May-2
NOSER	Greg & Donna	2024	1	May-11
KIRCHER	Richard & Jeanne McKenna	2024	1	May-11
KOPPENHAVER	Randy	2024	1	May-17
CHIAPEL	John	2024	1	May-11

#### June:

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REINHARDT	Roger	2000	25	Jun - 00
WAGANER	Lester & Sharon	2006	19	Jun - 06
STEWART	Greg	2011	14	Jun - 11
MITCHELL	Bill & Jeanne	2018	7	Jun - 18
DESMOND	Tom	2019	6	Jun - 19
LORIMIER	Don & Carlene	2020	5	Jun - 20
COLLINS	Mandy	2022	3	Jun - 22
FERRIS	Julie	2024	1	Jun - 24



https://listcarbrands.com/corvette-logo/

**Event Photos:** 

## MidMo Corvette Club Car Show 4-12-2025









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RAUP	Jeff	June 1
GETZ	Linda	June 2
BOWERS	Rich	June 3
KAUS	Cindy	June 4
WALKER	Linda	June 4
MIDKIFF	Angie	June 5
GAMBLIN	Robert	June 10
MESSENGER	Gary	June 11
COLLINS	Mandy	June 12
AUSTIN	Teresa	June 13
GIBSON	Jim	June 20
BRATTON	Susan	June 21
MITCHELL	Jeanne	June 24
MIDKIFF	John	June 25
REITZ	Tom	June 26
SPATHELF	Mike	June 26
MESSENGER	Sharon	June 27
FORTHMANN	Debra	June 28
THIMIOGIANIS	Koula	June 29
Eldridge	Gary	June 24
WEIS	Elmer	June 30

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SCHWEIKERT	Jeffrey	May 3
VASSALLO	Joey	May 3
RITTER	Greg	May 4
ROTHWEIL	Lynda	May 5
YOUNG	Jonathan	May 5
HALL	David	May 6
SCOPEL	Shelly	May 6
PROSSER	Jim	May 9
BACH	Diane	May 11
MASSOTH	Charles	May 12
LLENA	Floressna	May 14
BESAND	Craig	May 15
JOHNSON	Travis	May 18
MOORE	Randy	May 18
HEIDER	Cindy	May 18
ISAKSON	Chad	May 22
KOENEN	Suzanne	May 22
JETER	Jerry	May 25
WELDON	Kristy	May 25
FERRIS	Julie	May 28
PISZAR	Lori	May 29
BLASE	Dennis	May 30





Asleep At The Wheel - Route 66 Chuck Berry Route 66

**Bobby Troup - Route 66** 

#### Wisdom From People Who Lived to Be 100

- If you ask what is the single most important key to longevity, I would have to say it is avoiding worry, stress, and tension. And if you didn't ask me, I'd still have to say it. ~George Burns, comedian and actor
- I look back on my life like a good day's work it was done and I am satisfied with it ... life is what we make it, always has been, always will be. ~Grandma Moses, American folk artist
- Happiness lies in moments, and while you have it you're not even aware;
   only afterwards do you know you were happy. ~Luise Rainer, actress
- When we recall the past, we usually find that it is the simplest things not the great occasions — that in retrospect give off the greatest glow of happiness. ~Bob Hope, comedian and actor
- My philosophy is to live in the now yesterday is gone, you don't know if there's even going to be a tomorrow, so you might as well enjoy today. ~Iris Apfel, interior designer and fashion icon
- Always keep your smile. That's how I explain my long life. ~Jeanne Calment, supercentenarian
- One must take what comes, with laughter. ~Olivia de Havilland, actress
- I think half the success in life comes from first trying to find out what you really want to do. And then going ahead and doing it. ~Kirk Douglas, actor
- Comprehend the changing of times—never stay stuck in the past or its difficulties. ~Concepción Calvillo de Nava, centenarian
- There is always something we can be concerned about. The secret is to rise above it and do whatever we can to make the world a better place. ~Dame Vera Lynn, singer and entertainer
- Keep your eyes open, your emotions free. Leap into the future! ~Bernard Kalb, journalist
- If you try to be kind to people, you'll be on the road to a good life. ~George Dunn, WWII veteran
- The secret to longevity is ice cream. ~Paul Marcus, centenarian
- <u>Dick Van Dyke Shares His Secrets to a Happy Life in New Book 100 Rules for Living to 100 See the Cover!</u>

## Member's Car For Sale-



2019 Corvette Grand Sport Coupe

\$25000 Mike Hicks 636-295-2288

123000 Miles

Long Beach Red with Gray Interior

2LT, 7-Speed Manual, Z07

Carbon Ceramic Brakes

Magnuson 2650 Supercharger 588 HP/600 lb-ft Torque

MGW Short Throw Shifter with 7-Ball Shift Knob

Soler Performance 91mm Throttle Body & Throttle :
Controller

ACS Stage 2 Aero Package with Stage 3 Wickerbill II

Factory Reproductions Z06-Style Wheels

Weathertech Floor Mats

Lloyds Grand Sport w/ Crossed Flags Cargo Mat

Leave-In Jacking Pucks

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