

THE CONNECTION



The Newsletter of the
Capital City Corvette Club

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Editor

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~Quick Hits from The Editor ~

GENERAL MEMBERSHIP MEETING

August 6, 2008

7:00 pm

Deli Café-Holt

BOARD MEETING

August 20, 2008

6:30 pm

Delhi Café-Holt

Please send any articles you would like to have
published to: editor @ cccorvette.org

From the President

Happy 50th anniversary to all of you. By the time you read this we will have had our party and we'll be on our way to the 100th, but as I write it we're three days out from the event and I'm just a little anxious. As I have said before, this is a very special occasion in the life of this club and I sincerely hope everyone can join in the celebration.

August is a busy month with many events planned through out the region. There are at least four low speed events including our own on the 16th, a car show, our dinner theater drive and dine, an outing to Cones and Bones and finishing up with Corvette Crossroads and Corvettes at Carlisle. That ought to be enough to keep any enthusiast active for the whole month.

There will be a sign up sheet at the next general meeting for volunteers for the Low Speed event on the 16th. We are going to require that the drivers participate in working the corners this year and we have some people who have expressed an interest in helping with registration and food but we can always use more and it's a great way to see the event from the inside.

We are in the process of establishing a nominating committee for the upcoming elections. Colleen Bratschi has graciously offered to chair the committee so everyone interested in serving on the committee should contact her. There will be several open seats on the board for next year so now is your chance to step up and take the plunge. I don't think the vacancies are because of me but hey, you never know. As you may recall I suggested in January that there are many others out there who would be a better prez than me. Well, I'm challenging you to bring it on. I would love nothing better than a fully contested slate of candidates and someone to kick me to the curb in the process. This club deserves the best leadership we can find and that means we're looking for you.

Have a great month; we hope to see you on the 6th, JB.

Capital City Corvette Club
General Membership Meeting Minutes
July 2, 2008

President: John Bechtel called meeting to order at 7:02 pm, welcomed new members and guests. John advised that club Webmaster Gloria Reiffer won 2nd. Place award from NCCC for club website.

Secretary: Absent. John Bechtel advised that Sandy Bechtel had been hospitalized to have tests run due to chest pains the previous day. John advised that last months meeting minutes were in the Newsletter, there were no additions or corrections. Rich Bratschi made a motion to accept the minutes, Craig Iansiti seconded.

Points Director: Carrie Hutton advised that points were current and available on the website.

Membership Director: Colleen Bratschi advised that we currently have 109 regular members, 1 honorary member, and 73 Future Corvette Owners. Colleen advised that current membership lists are being emailed and that she has hard copies available. Colleen asked that any changes in personal info, including new cars be sent to her. There was not enough response for the Mini-Golf Challenge that Colleen was organizing, so the event has been cancelled. The deadline for pre-ordering lunch/t-shirt packages for the 50th Anniversary Celebration is July 15. There will also be additional T-Shirts available the day of the event for \$12.00 each.

Social Director: Kathy Wyma thanked Mike & Connie Britz for organizing the fun June Drive N Dine. Art & Marilyn Ickes will be hosting the July Drive N Dine on the 19th. The meeting place will be the Quality Dairy on Saginaw, reservation deadline is July 12. Pat & Ellie Lickfeldt will be hosting the August Drive N Dine to Turkeyville on the 2nd. Money for dinner and theater tickets must be paid to Pat or Ellie by the end of the meeting. There will be a Cruise In on August 14 to Cones & Bones where you can have ice cream with your dog. August 16 is the date for the Speed Event at Spartan Speedway, and August 22-24 is Corvette Crossroads in Mackinaw City. Kathy reminded everyone to check the website for more details on these and other events. July Birthdays were recognized and celebrated.

Treasurer: Carol Putmon advised that all account balances were up to date and will be presented at the next Board Meeting.

Editor: Chris Burke advised that the deadline for the newsletter would be July 23. She still needs member profiles, even if you have submitted one before, updates would be appreciated. Chris advised that she would be sending an email to members notifying them that the newsletter is available on the website for viewing, rather than sending it as an attachment. Pat Bailey opened up discussion of receiving a hard copy of the newsletter. There was discussion about the cost savings of an electronic newsletter vs. a hard copy. Hard copies will be sent in certain circumstances. John advised that the newsletter is an ongoing issue that the Board will continue to evaluate. John further advised that the current month's calendar would be printed on the back of the meeting agenda to help members keep track of upcoming events.

Competition Director: Gerry Wyma discussed a club event to be held at RAM Racing in Saranac. Members will be able to test their Corvettes on a Dyno for \$60, this is usually a \$150 charge. Member will get the discounted charge if we have at least 20 cars in attendance. Gerry further suggested that we could have a picnic to make it a full day event for those that are interested in attending a club event, but may not want to use the Dyno. Gerry will investigate further.

Governor: Rich Bratschi advised that NCCC would not be increasing dues. Regional may charge \$1.00 fee at renewal for members who have their membership in another club.

Public Relations: Bob Maynard updated plans for the 50th. Anniversary Celebration at Bud Kouts. We still need the following years to complete the Showcase: 1955, 1956, 1960, 1965, 1970, 1971, 1975, 1976, 1985, 1986, 1989, and 1995. Kalamazoo and Jackson clubs are helping make up the Showcase. Bob asked that CCCC members invite any former members of CCCC to come to the party, invite friends and family as well. Bob is working out the possibility of a parade of Corvettes from Bud Kouts to the Capital after the event. Gerry Wyma will be contacting the media including the State Journal for coverage. John Bechtel will be getting the traveling display from NCCC and the original sponsors to be invited.

Old Business: John Bechtel thanked Bob & Shalimar Maynard, Gerry & Kathy Wyma, and Tom & Kathy Stump for a great Spring Get Away. John also reminded members to start thinking about Board member positions for 2009. The current Board will be putting together a Nominating Committee to help fill positions for 2009. Simon Reiffer gave a report on Bloomington Gold. Simon and Gloria reported that it was a great show this year with lots of cars and auto auctions; Simon and Gloria encouraged members to go to Bloomington Gold in the future.

New Business: None

Member Comment: Pat Lickefeldt shared a story about running in to Bob Kroupa while on a coastal tour of Michigan. Roy Bailey won the 50/50 raffle. Craig Iansiti made a motion to adjourn the meeting, Rich Bratschi seconded. The meeting adjourned at 8:18 pm.

CAPITAL CITY CORVETTE CLUB
Board Meeting – July 16, 2008

President John Bechtel called the meeting to order at 6:30 p.m. Absent: Angie Hyde, Shalimar Maynard, Carrie Hutton, Kathy Wyma, and Gary Wyma.

Reports:

Secretary: Sandy Bechtel presented the minutes of the June 18, 2008 board meeting. Carol Putmon moved to approve them as written. Chris Burke seconded. Motion passed.

Ambassador: No report.

Points: No report.

Membership: Colleen Bratschi reported we have 110 regular, 1 honorary, and 73 FCOA members. Eddie Root is our newest member. Colleen is holding two membership applications to send to NCCC after August 1, 2008. She provided Angie Hyde with a CD so she can make membership cards. Colleen also gave Chris Burke our membership renewal form to include in our newsletter.

Social: No report. Colleen Bratschi noted the July 30th mini-golf outing has been cancelled. Carol Putmon is in the process of returning money to people who prepaid. John Bechtel wondered if it might be possible to reschedule the event for some time this fall. Colleen will contact Hawk Hollow and inquire about that possibility.

Treasurer: Carol Putmon provided balances for all accounts. Although we spent slightly more for new-member T-shirts than planned, she confirmed we are still operating within our approved budget.

Editor: Chris Burke advised July 23rd is the deadline for submitting August newsletter information to her. She noted she has Margaret Terwilliger's notes from the July general meeting. (Secretary Sandy Bechtel was not at that meeting.) Chris stated she had 17 copies of the July newsletter printed and mailed to members who cannot access them via our website. For the balance of this year, it was decided she will bring copies for those people to the general meeting for pickup. Copies not picked up at the meeting will be mailed. This will be done to reduce postage costs. How to handle this on-going situation next year was discussed, including charging a fee for this service. Sandy Bechtel moved to charge a \$24.00 annual fee for primary members who wish to have hard copies of our monthly newsletters. Rich Bratschi seconded. Motion passed. Chris Burke will revise our membership renewal form to include this option.

Competition: No report.

Public Relations/50th Anniversary: Bob Maynard noted Dick Iding has given us access to Bud Kouts' service area after 5:30 p.m. on Friday, July 25th, so we can begin setting up

for the Saturday event. Bob noted we will have to provide our own water for making lemonade. He noted he is still working on obtaining all production years of vehicles. Chris Burke contacted several radio stations to advertise the July 26th event. She and John Bechtel may have an opportunity to discuss this on the air at an MSU station.

Governor/Vice President: Rich Bratschi reported he is working on the August 16th low-speed event at Spartan Speedway. He requested that all board members work at the event. He will also bring a sign-up sheet to the August general meeting so all members can sign up to work. We will sell box lunches. Sandwiches for the lunches will be purchased from Bob Maynard's Mason bowling alley. Pop, water, apples, and chips will be included in the lunches.

President: John Bechtel will send an e-mail blast to all members, encouraging them to consider running for next year's board. People should contact Colleen Bratschi if interested. A nominating committee will be formed to facilitate the election process.

Old Business: None

New Business: Gloria noted that because of contractor disputes, the new section of our motel will not be ready for occupancy for Corvette Crossroads. She also suggested a possible club event at Paragon Motors, Grand Blanc, MI for members who are not planning to attend the September 19-21 Corvette Funfest in Effingham, IL.

Member Comment: None

Adjournment: Rich Bratschi moved to adjourn. Carol Putmon seconded. Motion passed. Meeting adjourned at 8:11 p.m.

Nominations for the 2009 Board of Directors will take place at the September and October membership meetings. In preparation, all members are encouraged to review the CCCC By-Laws for a description of the duties of club officers.

To help the process flow smoothly, a nomination committee will be formed. This committee will contact everyone nominated. At this time, we are looking for 3 or 4 members to serve on the Nomination Committee. If you are interested in serving, please contact any one of the current Board Members.

We ask that you do not turn down nominations at the meeting, but take time to think it over. A member of the committee will call those nominated to ascertain willingness to accept the nomination. Please be assured that your name will not go on the ballot if you inform the committee member that you don't wish to run for a board position. If nominated for more than one position you can let the committee member that contacts you know which position(s) you would be interested in serving. Members may also contact a committee member directly with any questions.

The election of 2009 board members will take place at the November membership meeting. Absentee ballots will be available.

It's DUES Time Again !!! Don't Wait till it's too LATE ...

The deadline for Membership Renewal is November 5th, 2008. If you are interested in running for an elected office and/or voting in the November election, your dues must be paid.

Consider renewing at either the September 3rd, October 1st, or November 5th, General Membership Meetings.

**You may also mail your form and check to: COLLEEN BRATSCHI
4379 ZIMMER RD.
WILLIAMSTON, MICH. 48895**

Make checks payable to: Capital City Corvette Club

Renewal Form-(please update)

Name: (Primary Member): _____
Spouse/Companion: _____
Address: _____ City: _____
State: _____ Zip _____
Telephone: _____
Email Address: _____
Corvette Models owned: Coupe _____ Convertible _____ Year: _____

PRIMARY RENEWAL: \$55.00

SPOUSE/COMPANION MEMBER RENEWAL/NEW: \$20.00

\$10.00 LATE FEE TO NCCC FOR RENEWING AFTER NOVEMBER 5, 2008.

Please note that beginning with the January 2009 edition, the CCCC Connections Newsletter will only be available via the website, or at the General Membership Meeting. If you prefer a hard copy of the Newsletter mailed to you, please add \$24 for postage and handling to your renewal dues. Thank you.

Thanks for your Cooperation.
COLLEEN BRATSCHI
MEMBERSHIP DIRECTOR



Capital City Chatter

Please be sure to wish a **Happy Birthday** to the following CCCC Club Members!

Jan Wasco-August 3
Dan Stremmer-August 4
Ted Lasher-August 13

Bill Griffith-August 17
Pam Platte-August 19
Chris Burke-August 24

Club Officer Emails

Please be advised that only the following Club Officer Email addresses are valid: [board @ cccorvette.org](mailto:board@cccorvette.org), [president @ cccorvette.org](mailto:president@cccorvette.org), [editor @ cccorvette.org](mailto:editor@cccorvette.org) and [webmaster @ cccorvette.org](mailto:webmaster@cccorvette.org). All other addresses have been closed.

Update on August Drive N Dine

Those going on the Drive & Dine this Saturday to Turkeyville, you are now meeting at the former Coyote Creek Grill by the State Secondary complex at 3:00. Unfortunately Pat and Ellie aren't able to lead the group due to a work situation so Randy and Carol will be leading the group.

Volunteer Opportunities

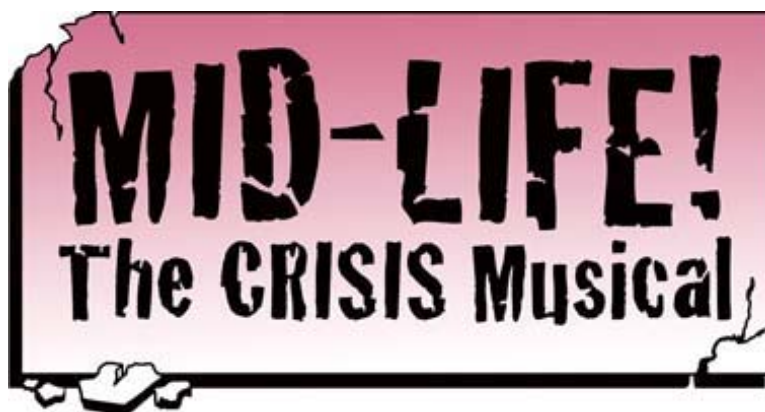
The club is always looking for volunteers to help out or organize events such as car shows, community events, and social events. Please be sure to contact any of your club officers if you are willing to volunteer your time, and have some fun in the process!

Event Flyers

In order to save space, The Connection newsletter will no longer feature flyers for events other than those being held by CCCC. Be sure to check the website for a full list of NCCC Michigan Region Events, as well as other local events of interest to Corvette enthusiasts.

Member Profiles

The editor is looking for Member Profiles for upcoming newsletters. If you have not been featured, or would like to update your profile, please contact Chris Burke at [editor @ cccorvette.org](mailto:editor@cccorvette.org).



Regardless of your age you will love this romp through the trials and tribulations of the unavoidable aging process.

Date / Time: August 2, 2008 - 3:00 pm (leaving at 3:15 sharp!)

Meet At: Former Coyote Creek Grill by the State Secondary Complex
6951 Lansing Road, Dimondale (This is a location change.)

Show Time: Big Boys Toys event followed by:
Dinner at 6:00 p.m., Show at 8:00 p.m.

Location: Turkeyville USA Dinner Theatre
8935 15 1/2 Mile Rd. - Marshall, MI

Tickets: Dinner and Show: \$33 per person (pre-reserved)

Big Boys Toys Event

The BBT event has a test track for ATVs, a 3-D archery range, lots of antique tractors, new tractors, motorcycles and much more (that would be us!).

Capital City Corvette Club has been invited to come out to the BBT event to display our Corvettes on the lawn before the dinner theatre.

Questions???

Contact Randy and Carol Putmon with any questions. (Patrick and Ellie Lickfeldt are unable to attend because of a change in work schedules.)



Capital City Corvette Club

PO Box 27295 ~ Lansing, MI 48909



2008 SPARTAN SPEEDWAY

Saturday, August 16th, 2008

SIX LOW SPEED EVENTS – CLOSED EXHAUST

NCCC Sanction #'s MI-003-061, 062, 063, 064, 065, 066

Registration Opens at 7:45 am, Closes 9:00 am

Driver's Meeting 9:45 am First Car Out at 10:00 am

NCCC members \$12.00 per event or all six for \$60.00

*Save an additional \$2.00 per event, or all six for \$50.00, with registration by August 1!
(NCCC members only)*

Non-NCCC: \$14 per event or all six for \$70.00 Metal Cars Welcome!

Helmet must be DOT Snell 2000 or newer

Air, Restrooms, and Food Available

*Note that the Jackson Corvette Club will be holding five low speed events the next day,
Sunday Aug 17th. Make it an eleven events weekend in mid-Michigan*

Early Registration Cutoff Date is August 1st

Name: _____
Address: _____
City: _____ State: _____ Zip: _____
Phone: _____ Email: _____
Car Make/Model: _____ Year: _____
Color: _____ NCCC # _____ CAR NO: _____
NCCC Club: _____ Speed Event Class: _____

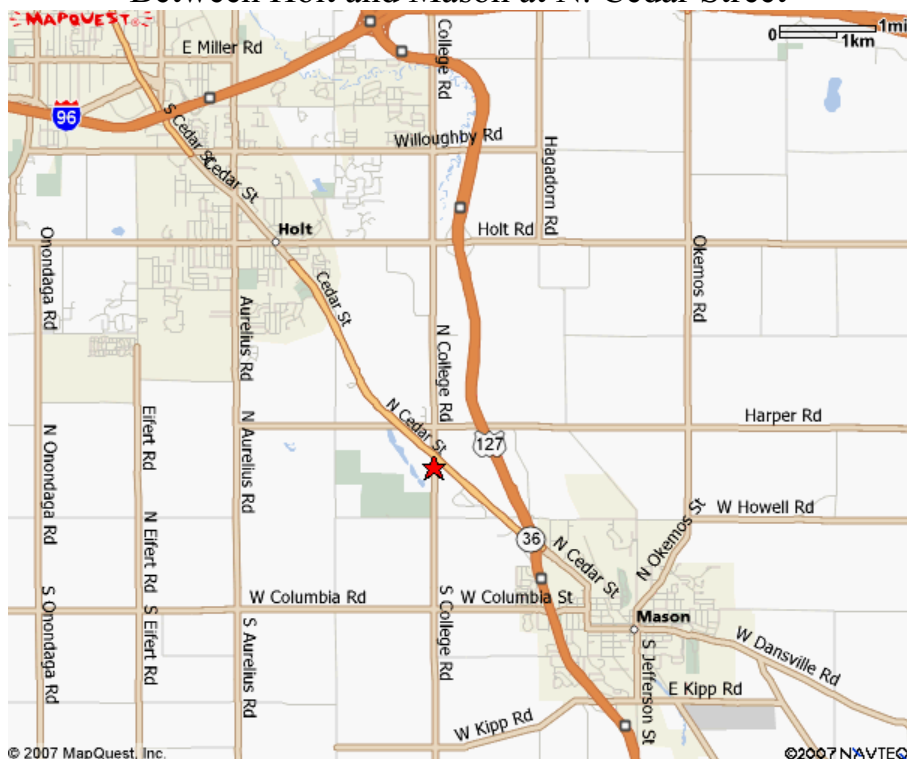
Make check payable to:
Capital City Corvette Club

Mail check and registration to:
Rich Bratschi - Governor
Capital City Corvette Club
PO Box 27295
Lansing, MI 48909

Website: www.cccorvette.org



Spartan Speedway 779 N. College Road
Between Holt and Mason at N. Cedar Street



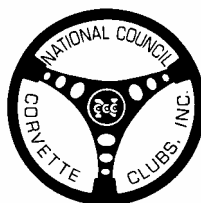
EVENT CHAIRPERSON:

NAME: RICH BRATSCHI

ADDRESS: 4379 ZIMMER ROAD

WILLIAMSTON, MI 48895

PHONE: 517.655.8487



CCCC GOVERNOR:

NAME: RICH BRATSCHI

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***NOTE:**

In High Speed Events: 1.) All roadsters must have roll bars as outlined under Section on Technical Inspection For Speed Events. 2.) Fire extinguisher (min. 5 BC) required in ALL groups and classes. 3.) It is highly recommended, and required in Group 3, that all competing cars be equipped with roll bars or roll cages. 4.) All entrants must be High Speed Certified and fire suits are required for Group 3.



CONES & BONES

AN OUTING WITH YOUR DOG & YOUR **CCCC** FRIENDS



Bring your pup to share treats with you at Cones & Bones, across from Meijer on Elmwood.

WHEN: Thursday, August 14 at 7:00 p.m.

WHERE: Cones & Bones – 412 Elmwood, Lansing
Dogs are welcome and even have their own entrance!

The full menu, including prices, is available on their Website at www.conesandbones.biz. They have all kinds of treats available for you and your dog.

Specialty ice creams are available for those who are lactose intolerant. And remember, it isn't necessary to bring a dog to enjoy this fun evening out for our favorite - ICE CREAM!

QUESTIONS: Please eMail webmaster@cccorvette.org if you have questions about the event. Event hosted by Simon & Gloria, who shall remain dogless. (Cones & Bones has cat treats too!)

Open House at Paragon!

*Saturday, September 20
10:00 am – 2:00 pm*

*Meet at Clark Corners at 9:00 am
Questions??? Call Simon or Gloria*



Paragon Corvette Reproductions is a parts and accessories supplier in Swartz Creek, MI. Their open house features a big Corvette show on their grounds. While at Paragon you can view some of the restoration projects they are currently working on. Last year we were treated to a free BBQ lunch, t-shirt, and free shipping on the car parts we ordered.

The folks at Paragon have asked that we let them know how many are coming from our club and what year of Corvette they will be driving. Please contact Simon & Gloria at 646.2180 ASAP with this info if you plan to attend. Watch our club Website for more information as it becomes available.



August 21 – 24 is our annual club trip to Mackinaw City. The highlight of this trip is Corvette Crossroads, a huge Corvette show that will take place in the Mackinaw Crossings Mall parking lot on Saturday, August 23 from 10:00 – 2:00. At 7:00 pm participants can join in a Corvette parade through town and across the Mackinac Bridge. You must register to be in the show/parade. You can find a copy of the registration form on the event page of our Website. The registration form also gives more information about other activities that are going on during the event.

We break into two groups for the drive up since not everyone can get extra time away from work.

Thursday, August 21 @ 9:15 am

Randy and Carol will be leading this group. Meet at Clark Corners (old outlet mall), corner of Clark Road and Business 27 at 9:15. The group will be leaving promptly at 9:30. We plan to stop for lunch at the Big Boys in Houghton Lake around 11:30.

Friday, August 22

Please contact Gloria if you are interested in leading this group. If no one steps forward, we suggest using the same plan as the Thursday group. Watch the Website for updates.

MOTEL INFO: Waterfront Inn, 1009 S Huron Ave., Mackinaw City. Phone: 1.800.962.9832 or www.largestbeach.com. (The new all suites hotel will not open in time.)

Bob and Kathy Kroupa will lead a Drive & Dine Thursday evening. They said to plan on a \$15 - \$25 price range. Simon and Gloria will lead a side trip to Tahquamenon Falls on Friday morning for anyone interested in joining us.



Please let Gloria know your travel plans by Sunday, August 17 so that she can put together a list of who is traveling in each group, or traveling up on their own. (Cell phone numbers would be helpful.) She will email everyone so that you know who to watch for in each group. Please call Simon or Gloria Reiffer at 517.646.2180 if you have questions about this trip. Corvette Crossroads is a great time to get to know each other as we sit around the fire pit every night.

Remember to "Save the Wave" and keep your Walkie Talkies on Channel 1.

Let's go for a Drive!



... and get something good to eat!

Saturday September 6th

Meet us in the parking lot at
Culver's of Okemos

(sorry; not where we're eating)

(5410 Times Square Pl. - off Marsh Rd.)

Meet at 2:45 and leave at 3:00 sharp (sorta)

For more information call:

Ted or Julie Lasher

810-360-7433 or 7434

lashers@chartermi.net

Beekman's 9th Annual Car/Bike show

“Special Cars & Bikes for Special Kids”

September 7, 2008 (Sunday after Labor Day)

9 am - 4 pm

Events all day:

Show held rain or shine

Cost to show vehicle \$10 (each)

Over 200 Door prizes (1 free ticket for each paid car/bike)

Contact person:

Jill Gilbert @

Raffle donation baskets (tickets for sale \$1 ea or 6 for \$5)

Beekman Center

Entertainment by the “Seacruiser’s Band”

2901 Wabash Rd.

50/25/25 raffle (\$1 each or 6 for \$5)

Lansing MI 48910

(50% for school/ 2 winners 25 % each)

517-755-5720

Food by “Magic Kettle” available for purchase

e-mail: jkggilbert@yahoo.com

Lots of shade / Inside bathrooms

Directions: Follow “Yellow” signs

Swap meet and Crafts booths

Jolly Rd. to Aurelius Road

Bake sale

→Turn North on Aurelius Road

Bike/Car/Family Photos by Margaret Hehr

→Turn East on Provincial House Dr

Music by: Dr. Oldies DJ 50’s 60’s 70’s playing the “Hits”

→Turn East on Wabash Road

Trophies awarded at 4 pm

Trophies awarded at 4 pm

Bikes / Cars judged by:

Bike Awards

Car Awards

Double Deuce Saloon

Best of Show

Best of Show

Hooter’s

1st, 2nd, 3rd, trophies for:

1st, 2nd, 3rd, trophies for:

Principal Sherry Bacon

Custom Bike

Custom

Dean Transportation Kellie Dean

Chopper

Original

Artrageous Studios Gary Glenn

Paint

Street Rod

Todd-T Fabrication

Mark “Sarge” Hopkins Motorcycle Memorial

Felske Flame Memorial (paint)

Committee members

Principal’s Choice

Horton Chevelle Memorial

BTRC employees

Student’s Choice

Principal’s Choice

Prosecuting Attorney:

Committee’s Choice Bike Display

Student’s Choice

Stuart Dunnings III

Committee’s Choice Car Display

Thank you for your support!

All proceeds to benefit Beekman’s Pet Education Center and Beekman Therapeutic Riding Center

HORSEPOWER AT THE ZOO



9th ANNUAL POTTER PARK ZOO CAR SHOW

Location: 1301 S. Pennsylvania Ave., Lansing, MI

Sunday, September 14, 2008 10:00 am – 2:30 pm

**Awards: Best of Show, Top Ten, Best Engine, Best Paint,
Best Pre-1940, Best Corvette, and More**

Registration: 10:00-12:00 Ballots in by: 1:15 Awards: 2:15 Enjoy the Zoo: 2:30-6:00

This is a participant's choice car show, open to all makes and models.
Zoo passes and dash plaques provided for registered vehicles.
Music and great door prizes (must be present to win).

Questions...

Call John or Sandy Bechtel at 517.482.9584 or email board@ccc Corvette.org
if you have questions or would be interested in helping sponsor this event.



Pre-Registration by September 7: \$12.00 Day of Show: \$15.00

Name: _____

Address: _____

City: _____ State: _____ Zip: _____

Year of Car: _____ Make: _____ Model: _____

**Make checks payable to:
Capital City Corvette Club**

**Mail to: HAZ Car Show
Capital City Corvette Club
PO Box 27295
Lansing, MI 48909
www.cccorvette.org**



NO ALCOHOL ON GROUNDS. Please use one registration form per car. All cars in the display area must register for the show. The City of Lansing may charge an additional \$3.00 parking fee. In an effort to raise more funds for the zoo, an event t-shirt will not be available. Pictures from this event will appear on the CCCC Website. CCCC and its members are not responsible for accidents or injury.

All proceeds (after expenses) will be donated to Potter Park Zoo.

Hosted by Capital City Corvette Club, celebrating our 50th anniversary in 2008! NCCC: NS-003-017

Directions to the Zoo:

The Potter Park Zoo is located within Potter Park along the Red Cedar River in Lansing, Michigan.

The entrance is just south of the I-496 Freeway. Take the Pennsylvania Ave. exit and go south to 1301 South Pennsylvania Avenue. The entrance is on the east side of the road.

- From Flint (east)—69W to 127S to 496W to Pennsylvania exit 7
- From Detroit (S.E.)—696W to I96W to 496W to Pennsylvania exit 7
- From North (Mackinac)—75S to 127S to 496W to Pennsylvania exit 7
- From Mt. Pleasant—127S to 496W to Pennsylvania exit 7
- From Coldwater (south)—69N to 496E to Pennsylvania exit 7
- From Grand Rapids(west)—I196 to I96 to I496E to Pennsylvania exit 7
- From Traverse City (west)—U.S.10E to 127S to 496W to Pennsylvania exit 7





Third Annual Backyard BBQ~Hayride~Bonfire!

When: Saturday, September 27, 2008

Meeting Time: 5:00-5:15

Meeting Place: Old Outlet Mall (At the corner of Clark Rd. and Business 27) then we'll "Follow the Leader" to.....

Randy & Carol Putmon's

4900 W. Pratt Rd.

DeWitt, MI

Please bring your own chairs and drinks, as well as a dish to pass. Randy & Carol will supply Sloppy Joes and Brats.

Hope to see y'all there!



Capital City Corvette Club



Participation Points Update as of July 18, 2008

| | | | | | | | |
|----|-----------------------|----|--------------------|----|--------------------|----|--------------------|
| 0 | Kathleen Andrews* | 5 | Raoul Eiseman | 17 | Lewis Kuempel | 2 | Victor Smith |
| 6 | Roy Bailey | 0 | Jennifer Everhart* | 16 | Julie Lasher | 0 | Loretta Spinrad |
| 6 | Pat Bailey | 9 | Kady Gisse | 19 | Ted Lasher | 0 | Steve Spinrad |
| 4 | Jim Balla* | 9 | Randy Gisse | 5 | Harold Leeman | 0 | Janet Sprague |
| 3 | Bruce Baulch | 0 | Cynthia Gregor | 10 | Ellie Lickfeldt | 3 | Michael Sprague |
| 1 | Sharon Baulch | 0 | Bill Griffith | 13 | Pat Lickfeldt | 3 | Dan Stremmer |
| 34 | John Bechtel | 2 | Mark Hansen | 22 | Bob Maynard | 3 | Nancy Stremmer |
| 34 | Sandy Bechtel | 0 | Nancy Hansen | 21 | Shalimar Maynard | 15 | Kathy Stump |
| 1 | Joshua Brahman | 0 | Cindy Hanses | 7 | Jeff McQuade | 17 | Tom Stump |
| 14 | Colleen Bratschi | 0 | Phil Hanses | 7 | Barb Musselman | 4 | James Sutherland |
| 15 | Rich Bratschi | 16 | Janet Hardin | 7 | Stephen Musselman | 0 | Linda Swift |
| 10 | Connie Britz | 22 | Carrie Hutton | 2 | Diana Parks | 3 | Gordon Terwilliger |
| 14 | Mike Britz | 8 | Angela Hyde | 2 | Howard Parks | 5 | Joseph Thomas* |
| 0 | David Brown | 18 | Craig Iansiti | 9 | Joe Platte | 4 | Pam Thompson |
| 4 | Diana Brown-Mosher | 11 | Arthur Ickes | 9 | Pam Platte | 4 | Sue VanAtta |
| 18 | Chris Burke | 11 | Marilyn Ickes | 13 | Ed Politza | 0 | Jan Wasco* |
| 13 | Terry Burke | 1 | Dick Iding | 11 | Suzanne Politza | 0 | Ken Wasco* |
| 0 | Pam Candy | 3 | Chuck Jennings | 22 | Carol Putmon | 3 | Lee Webster |
| 7 | Ronald Cooper | 3 | Geri Jennings | 18 | Randy Putmon | 14 | Larry Wight |
| 7 | Kathy Cooper | 3 | Don Johnston | 3 | Don Reed | 22 | Gary Wyma |
| 10 | Dave Cripe* | 3 | Janet Johnston | 3 | Kathy Reed | 23 | Kathy Wyma |
| 9 | Pat Cripe | 13 | Greg Kapp | 27 | Gloria Reiffer | | |
| 0 | Joel Crutcher | 15 | Kim Keith | 21 | Simon Reiffer | | |
| 1 | Darwin Day | 15 | Sue Keith | 23 | Robert Ribar | | |
| 1 | Sheila Day | 3 | Frank Kessler | 0 | Eddie Root | | |
| 13 | Jim Denike | 3 | Judy Kessler | 2 | Brian Sebolt | | |
| 15 | Patti Leppanen-Denike | 7 | Bob Kroupa | 9 | Brenda Shatkosky* | | |
| 11 | Art Doty* | 7 | Kathy Kroupa | 9 | Richard Shatkosky* | | |
| 10 | Nancy Doty* | 18 | Dave Kuempel | 3 | Janyce Shepler | | |
| 5 | Catherine Eiseman | 18 | Diana Kuempel | 3 | John Shepler | | |

Top Ten for 2008

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| 34 | Sandy Bechtel | 23 | Kathy Wyma | 22 | Carol Putmon | 21 | Simon Reiffer |
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