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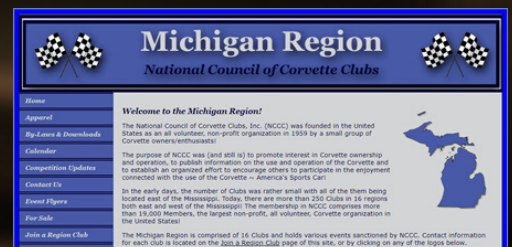


ACTIVITIES FOR NOVEMBER

- Bingo - November 2nd - 2:00pm-4:00pm (setup at 1:00pm) Delta River Senior Village - 6090 W Michigan Ave, Lansing, MI
- General Membership Meeting - November 6th - Social/Dinner - 5:45 pm - Meeting - 7:00 pm Delhi Café, 4625 Willoughby Road, Holt
- Board Meeting - November 20th -Dinner - 5:30 pm - Meeting - 6:30 pm Delhi Café, 4625 Willoughby Road, Holt
- Cookie Exchange - Shaheen Chevrolet - November 23rd - 12:30pm-2:30pm - 632 American Dr, Lansing, MI

NOVEMBER BIRTHDAYS

| | |
|------------------------|-------------|
| Jim Sutherland | November 2 |
| Art Doty | November 4 |
| Skip Herald III | November 8 |
| David Pursel | November 12 |
| Joe Platte | November 21 |
| Duane Richardson | November 21 |
| Sue Latchaw | November 30 |



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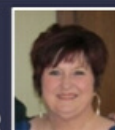
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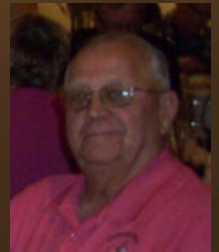
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President's Page

LETTER FROM BOB MAYNARD



The holiday season is upon us, and it's time to think about putting the Vettes in storage for the winter months, so get out your battery tenders and fuel additives. We will be electing a new slate of officers this month so be sure to attend the meeting for this important election.

Our Christmas Party in December serves as our meeting for the month and we don't have a board meeting until January 2020. The Membership meeting for January will have to be moved to January 8th as the first Wednesday in January is on the first.

Remember the Delta River Senior Center Bingo on November 2nd and the Cookie Exchange on November 23rd at Shaheen Chevrolet, and of course, Thanksgiving with our families. Please drive safely and I hope to see each and everyone of you at the November Membership Meeting.

Respectfully,
Your President,
Bob Maynard



CCCC Board Nominations

| Capital City Corvette Club | |
|---|-------------------|
| Potential Nominees for the Elected Office of President | |
| For nominations held in 2019 for the 2020 Board | |
| According to the Capital City Corvette Club By-Laws (2008), Article IV, Section B, 1a, the President must have held a prior elected office in the Club. | |
| The following current members have held an elected office in the Club: | |
| Sandy Bechtel | Howard Parks |
| Rich Bratschi | Joe Platte |
| Colleen Bratschi | Suzanne Politza |
| Mike Britz | Dave Pursel |
| Connie Britz | Carol Putmon |
| Howard Hein | Simon Reiffer |
| Angela Hyde | Gloria Reiffer |
| Craig Iansiti | Kara Richardson |
| Janet Iansiti | Steve Spinrad |
| Gregg Kapp | Loretta Spinrad |
| Kim Keith | Mike Sprague |
| David Kuempel | Katherine Twining |
| Diana Kuempel | Dave Voss |
| Janet Litrenta | Jerry Wardell |
| Scott Lumbert | Sally Wardell |
| Shalimar Maynard | Chris Wieczorek |
| Bob Maynard | Tom Wieczorek |



Upcoming Activities in 2019

CLUB EVENTS AND ACTIVITIES FLYERS

Bingo

Delta River Senior Village

Lansing, MI

November 2, 2019

Fall Color Tour

Shaheen Chevrolet

Lansing, MI

November 23, 2019

Christmas Luncheon

Coral Gables

East Lansing, MI

December 7, 2019



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Michigan Region

National Council of Corvette Clubs

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| Home | <h3>Welcome to the Michigan Region!</h3> <p>The National Council of Corvette Clubs, Inc. (NCCC) is a non-profit organization located in the United States as an all volunteer organization. It is the largest and most active Corvette owners organization in the United States.</p> <p>The NCCC is a public organization on the use and operation of the Corvette and to encourage an organized effort to encourage others to participate in the enjoyment connected with the use of the Corvette - America's Sports Car.</p> <p>In the early days, the number of Clubs was small with only a few being located east of the Mississippi River. There are now over 250 Clubs in 48 regions both east and west of the Mississippi River. The NCCC comprises more than 19,000 Members, the largest all-united, Corvette organization in the United States.</p> <p>The Michigan Region is comprised of 16 Clubs and holds various events sanctioned by NCCC. Contact information for each club is located on the Join a Region Club page of this site, or by clicking on any of the logos below.</p>  |
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Membership Meeting Minutes

OCTOBER 2019

PRESIDENT: Bob Maynard called meeting to order @ 7pm

Bob welcomed new members Bob Watson, Kim Schramm, & Kyle Felts.

Bob made members aware that there were 2 Ecklers gift certificates left over from the Shaheen car show. These certificates were put up for auction to the club members and went for \$35.00 each with money going to CMN.

SECRETARY: Colleen requested approval of the September membership minutes, motion for approval was made by Dave Pursel and seconded by Mike Britz. Motion carried. Colleen reopened the floor for nominations of the 2020 Board of Directors, the following members were nominated at this meeting:

PRESIDENT: Sandy Bechtel

SECRETARY: Shalimar Maynard

TREASURER: NONE

V/P GOVERNOR: NONE

EDITOR: Dave Pursel

POINTS DIRECTOR: NONE

MEMBERSHIP DIRECTOR: NONE

COMPETITION DIRECTOR: NONE

PUBLIC RELATIONS DIRECTOR: Chuck Miller

SOCIAL DIRECTOR: Kyle Felts

Colleen closed the nominations and the following members will hold the 2020 positions after vote and approval at the November membership meeting. PLEASE remember we still need someone to hold the SECRETARY position.

Membership Meeting Minutes

OCTOBER 2019

PRESIDENT: Bob Maynard

SECRETARY: Still need someone to fill position

TREASURER: Mike Britz

V/P GOVERNOR: Simon Reiffer

EDITOR: Dave Pursel

POINTS DIRECTOR: Sally Wardell

MEMBERSHIP DIRECTOR: Angela HydeC

COMPETITION DIRECTOR: Scott Lumbert

PUBLIC RELATIONS DIRECTOR: Chuck Miller

SOCIAL DIRECTOR: Kyle Felts

Thank you to all members who agreed to serve on the Board. TREASURER: Mike Britz reported that all accounts balanced and that proceeds from the Shaheen CMN show totaled \$5000 plus.

V/P GOVERNOR: Simon Reiffer reported from the National Governors meeting minutes, they covered elections, by-law and rule book changes, and that nationally there are over 18,000 members. Simon reminded members that the National convention for 2020 will be held in Indianapolis, Ind., and projection for 2021 is East Ohio-Cleveland area. If you are interest in placing an article in the Blue Bars please make sure they are sent into the national editor by the 15th of the month, and if you care to be part of the St. Jude Tire Raffle go to NCCC website to find more information. As of the last governors meeting \$4,110 had been sent to St. Jude. And in closing Simon reported that past club members Bob & Deanna Pyle had let him know that their daughter Afton is struggling with cancer. If you remember Afton and have time to send a card to cheer her it would be nice..

Membership Meeting Minutes

OCTOBER 2019

COMPETITION DIRECTOR: Scott Lumbert was absent. Angela Hyde reported that the MIS event was nice but wet. She let anyone who purchased a ticket know that they should keep it as it will be good for the event next year due to the weather.

EDITOR: David Voss was absent

MEMBERSHIP DIRECTOR: Angela Hyde reported member count of 115 regular members, 2 honorary, and 45 FCOA. Angela reminded members who may add a child to the FCOA site to please let her know so she can raise our count, as this is done through the National website she doesn't get informed.

POINTS DIRECTOR: Sally Wardell reported that all points up to date

PUBLIC RELATIONS DIRECTOR: Rich Bratschi had no report

SOCIAL DIRECTOR: Sandy Bechtel went over future dates to remember:10/4

Turkeyville 10/19 Color Tour11/02 Bingo at Delta River Senior Village12/7 CCCC

Christmas party at Coral GablesSandy also let members that Turkeyville holds Murder Mystery shows during the season and the next is November 1. She and Gloria Reiffer plan to attend if anyone is interested in going let her know.

APPOINTED OFFICER REPORT:CHAPLAIN: Ward Harris held a prayer for Connie Taylor with members.

HEARTS & FLOWERS: Ann Voss was absent

HISTORIAN: Sue Keith was absent

NCM AMBASSADOR: Kim Keith was absent

PHOTOGRAPHER: Fred Darin was absent

QUARTERMASTER: Craig Iansiti no report

SERGEANT AT ARMS: Bob Ribar had no report

WEBMASTER: Gloria Reiffer let members know that she had computer problems and that all has been corrected and up to date now.

PAST PRESIDENT: Jerry Wardell had no report

NEW BUSINESS: Chris Wieczorek let everyone know that the date for 2020's

Shaheen CMN car show will be September 13th.Chuck Miller reminded members that the Vermontville Syrup Festival will be held on April 25th, (this will conflict with the Regional Banquet this year).

OLD BUSINESS: None50/50: Winner was Suzi PolitzaADJOURNMENT: 8:12PM

Board Meeting Minutes

OCTOBER 2019

PRESIDENT: Bob Maynard called meeting to order @ 6:30pm

SECRETARY: Colleen Bratschi reported that approval of the September board minutes had been done by E-mail.

TREASURER: Mike Britz reported that accounts balance and that report of the accounts had been sent to all board members for approval. Mike also reported that he had received a phone call from Ben Behnke from Shaheen requesting that the check for the CMN money earned be made out to CMN. Mike will be sending one check from CCCC for money raised along with a few donation checks that had been made received the day of the event made out to CMN.

V/P GOVERNOR: Simon Reiffer reported that he had voted online for National Board positions, and By-law changes. Simon stated that NCCC is still working on changes to the Rule Book should be presented at the next governors meeting. Simon informed us that that meeting will be in St. Louis, Mo. on the weekend of November 8 & 9th, and that the next Regional meeting will be held at Delhi Café on November 5th.

EDITOR: Dave Voss was absent

MEMBERSHIP DIRECTOR: Angela Hyde reported that the club has 116 regular members, 2 honorary, and 46 FCOA members. Angela also reported that she has received 63 renewals, and 6 members will not be returning as of this meeting.

POINTS DIRECTOR: Sally Wardell was absent, but e-mailed that points are current on the website.

PUBLIC RELATIONS DIRECTOR: Rich Bratschi informed the board that he is in the process of preparing 2020 letters for advertisers and will go over these with the new Director.

SOCIAL DIRECTOR: Sandy Bechtel reported on the clubs last few events: 10/19 Color tour 11/2 Bingo at Delta River Senior Home

Board Meeting Minutes

OCTOBER 2019

12/7 CCCC Christmas party @ Coral Gables

APPOINTED OFFICER REPORTS:

CHAPLAIN: Ward Harris was absent

HEARTS & FLOWERS: Ann Voss was absent

HISTORIAN: Sue Keith was absent

NCM AMBASSADOR: Kim Keith was absent

PHOTOGRAPHER: Fred Darin was absent

QUARTERMASTER: Craig Iansiti was absent

SERGEANT AT ARMS: Bob Ribar was absent

WEBMASTER: Gloria Reiffer had no report

PAST PRESIDENT: Jerry Wardell was absent

NEW BUSINESS: As of this Board meeting the club has no person interested in the Secretary position.

Please if you have an interest and Bob Maynard has not talked with you contact him.

OLD BUSINESS: None

Adjournment: 7:28pm

Club Points Totals

PARTICIPATION POINTS FOR 2019

Capital City Corvette Club

Participation Points for Year 2019

As Of: Friday, November 1, 2019

Members: 117

| | | | |
|----------------------|------------------------|---------------------|---------------------|
| 20 Roy Bailey | 4 Holly Beam | 4 Mike Beam | Dana Beaman |
| Kim Beaman | 64 Sandy Bechtel | Ben Behnke | Jeff Best |
| Stacy Best | Mary Blackwood | Tim Blackwood | 54 Colleen Bratschi |
| 55 Rich Bratschi | 12 Connie Britz | 34 Mike Britz | 15 Geoff Cradit |
| 9 Joyce Cradit | 6 Dave Cripe | 12 Fred Darin | 3 Marlene Darin |
| 23 Ralph Davis | 18 Susan Davis | 31 Art Doty | 30 Nancy Doty |
| 43 Michelle Faupel | 42 Tom Faupel | 9 Kyle Felts | 2 Connie Foster |
| 6 Rich Foster | 13 Bruce Gelispie | 6 Maria Gelispie | Cynthia Gregor |
| 15 Jeanne Harris | 25 Ward Harris | 27 Bill Hass | 30 Melissa Hass |
| 1 Howard Hein | Sheila Hein | 5 Peggy Herold | 5 Skip Herold III |
| 5 Skip Herold Jr | Jim Hoppin | 84 Angela Hyde | 56 Craig Iansiti |
| 37 Janet Iansiti | 9 Greg Kapp | 84 Kim Keith | 86 Sue Keith |
| Bette Kelley | James Kelley | Dennis Krum | 2 David Kuempel |
| 2 Diane Kuempel | 14 Marty Latchaw | 8 Sue Latchaw | 2 Carlo Litrenta |
| 1 Janet Litrenta | 31 Artie Love | 59 Scott Lumbert | Lee MacGillvray |
| 97 Bob Maynard | 60 Shalimar Maynard | 46 Chuck Miller | 8 Diana Mosher |
| 19 Barb Musselman | 18 Steve Musselman | 16 Stanley Olson | 13 Zola Olson |
| 15 Dominique Palacio | 11 Jerry Palacio | Howard Parks | 3 Joe Platte |
| 47 Suzanne Politza | 29 Carl Polomski | 33 Carolyn Polomski | 32 David Pursel |
| 12 Kathryn Pursel | 3 Carol Putmon | 3 Randy Putmon | 111 Gloria Reiffer |
| 103 Simon Reiffer | 40 Robert Ribar | Duane Richardson | Kara Richardson |
| 4 Joseph Rossi | 18 Milton Scales | 4 Kim Schramm | Ralph Shaheen |
| 2 Brenda Shatkosky | 8 Richard Shatkosky | 4 Barbara Ann Sipka | 4 Thomas Sipka |
| Jennifer Spehar | 15 Robert Spehar | Loretta Spinrad | Steve Spinrad |
| Janet Sprague | 24 Michael Sprague | 45 Jim Sutherland | 24 Ralph Swan |
| 25 Susan Swan | 23 Connie Taylor | 23 Thomas Taylor | 26 Harold Twining |
| 25 Katherine Twining | 8 Marge Van Dyke | 21 Ann Voss | 23 David Voss |
| 85 Jerry Wardell | 93 Sally Wardell | 2 Robert Watson | 28 Mary Wells |
| 28 Tim Wells | 58 Christine Wieczorek | 50 Thomas Wieczorek | 26 Densel Williams |
| 35 Stella Wood | | | |

Current Points Standings

| | | | |
|--------------------|---------------------|----------------|------------------|
| 111 Gloria Reiffer | 103 Simon Reiffer | 97 Bob Maynard | 93 Sally Wardell |
| 86 Sue Keith | 85 Jerry Wardell | 84 Angela Hyde | 84 Kim Keith |
| 64 Sandy Bechtel | 60 Shalimar Maynard | | |

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