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## From our President



I came across an interesting article on the history of the 24 hours of Daytona Race which just finished it's 62nd running this past month. The corvette has a long history of running at this event since it's inception in 1966. The C2 was the first corvette to run and win this event and Chevrolet established the official Corvette Racing team in 1999 to compete and win events all over the world after the introduction of the C5 in 1997. The C8 was first seen at this event this year with two Corvette Racing Team entrants in car #3 and car #4 with Car#3 coming in 4th overall which was felt excellant for a new model introduction. It also had the second fastest lap of it's class 1:42.364 by two tenth of a second to a BMW M8. C8R Racing Team appears to have a bright future on the international racing circuit carrying on the corvette winning tradition.

My hope was that this message would give all of you something positive to think about to divert your thoughts from the Covid 19 pandemic. Please stay safe until we can all be together again.

Respectfully,

Your President

Bob

## April Issue Contents

Letter from the President

Issue Contents, Birthdates, Calendar of Events

Your CCCC Board of Directors

Your CCCC Appointed Officers – next month

March Board Minute was not held

March General Meeting Minutes

Event Flyers (all events cancelled)

2020 Point Standings as of April 4, 2020

Misc

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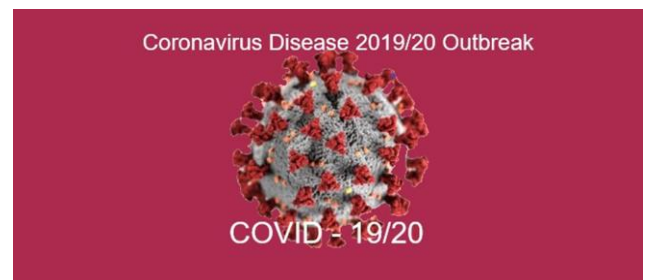
Contact our Social

Director: Kyle Felts to  
schedule a future event!

## Happy Birthday To:

|          |          |          |
|----------|----------|----------|
| Putmon   | Randy    | April 1  |
| Doty     | Nancy    | April 2  |
| Voss     | David    | April 2  |
| Maynard  | Shalimar | April 4  |
| Schramm  | Kim      | April 5  |
| Bratschi | Colleen  | April 9  |
| Olson    | Stanley  | April 11 |
| Reiffer  | Simon    | April 13 |
| Gozalka  | Norman   | April 18 |
| Faupel   | Michelle | April 21 |
| Rossi    | Joe      | April 27 |
| Keith    | Sue      | April 28 |
| Polomski | Carl     | April 30 |

## Upcoming Calendar Events:



All events have been cancelled until  
further notice!

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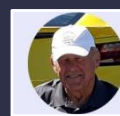
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**CAPITAL CITY CORVETTE CLUB**

**BOARD MEETING MINUTES OF March 18, 2020**

**NOTE:**

**DUE TO THE CORONAVIRUS-19 THE SCHEDULED MARCH BOARD MEETING WAS CANCELLED.**

**ALL SCHEDULED EVENTS AS OF MARCH 23<sup>rd</sup> ARE NOW CANCELLED OR POSTPONED  
UNTIL FURTHER NOTICE.**

**PLEASE STAY SAFE!!!**

## CAPITAL CITY CORVETTE CLUB

### GENERAL MEMBERSHIP MEETING MINUTES OF March 4,, 2020

#### **President Bob Maynard - 7:00** Call to Order

- Introduction of Guests, none at this meeting
- Next Board Mtg. will start ½ hr. earlier to discuss/approve annual budget.
- Letter of appreciation received from St. Vincent Catholic Charities
- Recipient change in John Bechtel Memorial Fund. Per Sandy Bechtel's request, donation sent to VFW on 2/11 to assist with tutoring.
- Letter of appreciation received, given to Sue Keith, Historian.

#### **March Secretary: Shalimar Maynard**

- Requested approval of February Minutes
- Motion made by Rich Bratchi, second Chuck Miller
- Motion carried.

#### **Treasurer: Mike Britz**

- Financial Report
- All accounts balanced

#### **BOARD REPORTS**

##### **V/P Governor: Simon Reiffer** (absent, report given by Angela Hyde)

- Attended Michigan Regional Meeting
- Regional Award Banquet – 4/25, signup deadline 4/15 to Gloria.
- National Convention 7/5 – 7/10. Make reservation ASAP

##### **Competition Director: Scott Lumbert** (absent, report given by Angela Hyde)

- Scott, Angela and Kyle attended Michigan Regional Meeting
- CCCC events dates confirmed and scheduled - 5/30 Blessing of the Vets, 6/13 Spartan/Corrigan Oil Speedway

##### **Editor: David Pursel** – absent, no report

##### **Membership Director: Angela Hyde**

- 101 Regular Members, 2 Honorary Members, 43 FCOA Members
- All members should have received 2020 NCCC cards, if not let Angela know.
- Club apparel can now be ordered at The Sports Stop in Mason, DeWitt or Grand Ledge. Or online at: [thesportsstop.net/capitalcitycorvetteclub](https://thesportsstop.net/capitalcitycorvetteclub)  
There are 10 club items showcased, or you can order individual items from their catalog.
- ontville Parade
- Gifted Birthday celebration candy bars

**Points Director: Sally Wardell**

- All points are up to date
- CCCC Award Banquet 4/18 at Coral Gables, 1:00. You can order off the menu.

**PR Director: Chuck Miller**

- Vermontville Parade 4/25
- Currently have 13 advertiser's, 11 paid and 1 new in process.

**Social Director: Kyle Felts**

- 3/14 Bingo at Tamarack 1:00 – 4:00. Prize donations contact Kyle or Angela
- 4/5 Bowling Challenge with Jackson at City Limits 1:30-3:00, dinner to follow
- 4/25 Vermontville Parade
- Gifted Birthday celebration candy bars

**APPOINTED OFFICER REPORTS**

Chaplain: Ward Harris - absent, no report

Hearts & Flowers: Ann Voss – absent, request via Angela Hyde

- If you know of any members ill, have a loss, etc., please let Ann know by email, phone, text or message so a card can be sent on behalf of the club.

Historian: Sue Keith

- Printed updated membership roaster and included it with a copy of the club activities for the year

NCM Ambassador: Kim Keith

Photographer: Stella Wood

- Due to ongoing health issues, she would like to step back from this position for now. We will be looking for a replacement.

Quartermaster: Randy Putmun

- Nothing to report

Sergeant at Arms: Geoffrey Cradit

He was recently pulled over for speeding on his snowmobile. Concerned he may have to resign from this position. Fortunately, he was not issued a ticket, so will be able to continue as Sergeant at Arms....

Webmaster: Gloria Reiffer

- Flickr account was been renewed. Important to send her a current picture of your corvette so it can be added to the Website.

Past President: Jerry Wardell

- For those who ordered a new C8, Ben Benke has the current order number, but still no definite build date. The 'Corvette Blogger' posts current info FYI.

Old Business - none

New Business – none

50/50 Drawing Winner - Carl Polomski

Motion to Adjourn: Chuck Miller, second Sue Keith

Meeting Adjourned 7:55



This Corvette was on display just outside the Florabama restaurants/ hangout that sits on the state line between Florida and Alabama. When we first arrived, it was sitting outside without the protective enclosure you see here. There are thousands of visitors to this place and I couldn't help but wonder how it survived. As you can see, the main, heavily traveled road is right in front of it. Along with all of the stones on the dirt driveway just to the east of this enclosure that were just waiting to pelt it. Which I'm sure is part of the reason why they finally enclosed it just before we left at the end of March. This also makes just a little harder to steal!



These products could be useful these days



Just to be sure that I will never run out of this product!



These products will help you pass some  
some of the spare time you now have available.







## Capital City Corvette Club

### Participation Points for Year 2019



As Of: Thursday, April 9, 2020

Members: 104

|                    |                     |                    |                     |
|--------------------|---------------------|--------------------|---------------------|
| 5 Roy Bailey       | Holly Beam          | Mike Beam          | 1 Sandy Bechtel     |
| Ben Behnke         | 1 Colleen Bratschi  | 1 Rich Bratschi    | 1 Connie Britz      |
| 8 Mike Britz       | 6 Geoff Cradit      | 3 Joyce Cradit     | Fred Darin          |
| Marlene Darin      | 1 Ralph Davis       | 2 Susan Davis      | 2 Art Doty          |
| 2 Nancy Doty       | 3 Michelle Faupel   | 3 Tom Faupel       | 9 Kyle Felts        |
| Connie Foster      | 1 Rich Foster       | Bruce Gelispie     | Maria Gelispie      |
| Cindi Gozalka      | 1 Norman Gozalka Jr | Cynthia Gregor     | 1 Jeanne Harris     |
| 4 Ward Harris      | Bill Hass           | Melissa Hass       | Peggy Herold        |
| Skip Herold III    | Skip Herold Jr      | Jim Hoppin         | 9 Angela Hyde       |
| Craig Iansiti      | Janet Iansiti       | 4 Kim Keith        | 4 Sue Keith         |
| David Kuempel      | Diane Kuempel       | 2 Marty Latchaw    | 2 Sue Latchaw       |
| Carlo Litrenta     | Janet Litrenta      | 4 Artie Love       | 6 Scott Lumbert     |
| Lee MacGillvray    | 9 Bob Maynard       | 4 Shalimar Maynard | 8 Chuck Miller      |
| 2 Diana Mosher     | Barb Musselman      | Steve Musselman    | Stanley Olson       |
| Zola Olson         | Howard Parks        | James Pitchford    | Pamela Pitchford    |
| 1 Joe Platte       | 3 Suzanne Politza   | 2 Carl Polomski    | 2 Carolyn Polomski  |
| 6 David Pursel     | Kathryn Pursel      | 3 Carol Putmon     | 7 Randy Putmon      |
| 9 Gloria Reiffer   | 8 Simon Reiffer     | 5 Robert Ribar     | Joseph Rossi        |
| 3 Kim Schramm      | Ralph Shaheen       | Brenda Shatkosky   | Richard Shatkosky   |
| Barbara Ann Sipka  | Thomas Sipka        | Jennifer Spehar    | 1 Robert Spehar     |
| Loretta Spinrad    | Steve Spinrad       | Janet Sprague      | Michael Sprague     |
| 1 Jim Sutherland   | 2 Ralph Swan        | 2 Susan Swan       | Connie Taylor       |
| Thomas Taylor      | Stephen Toth        | 1 Harold Twining   | 1 Katherine Twining |
| Marge Van Dyke     | 3 Ann Voss          | David Voss         | 5 Jerry Wardell     |
| 8 Sally Wardell    | 3 Robert Watson     | 3 Mary Wells       | 3 Tim Wells         |
| Christine Wiczorek | 1 Thomas Wiczorek   | 4 Densel Williams  | 4 Stella Wood       |
| Dana Beaman        |                     |                    |                     |

### Current Points Standings

|                |                |                  |                 |
|----------------|----------------|------------------|-----------------|
| 9 Angela Hyde  | 9 Bob Maynard  | 9 Gloria Reiffer | 9 Kyle Felts    |
| 8 Mike Britz   | 8 Chuck Miller | 8 Simon Reiffer  | 8 Sally Wardell |
| 7 Randy Putmon | 6 Geoff Cradit |                  |                 |

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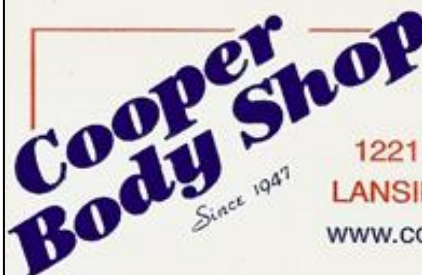
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