



FROM THE DESK OF THE PRESIDENT

We have almost made it through what has seemed like the forever Winter and are getting close to Spring. For me it can't come quick enough. I'm ready for warm weather, cruise ins and all the other things that come with longer sunny days.

The other thing that is rapidly approaching is The Corvette Cup. Despite the tough economy we have received about 50 registrations. As everyone knows who has worked on The Cup in the past many wait until the last couple of weeks to send in their registrations. So we are preparing for the rush.

The Chairpersons for The Cup have really appreciated all the members who have stepped forward to help with the event. For those who haven't had the opportunity to participate there will be plenty of opportunities to help us set up, work on the day of The Cup, and then take it all down again. Of course the best opportunity will be to come and participate by showing off your car and looking at all the other beautiful Corvettes that come from all over to participate in the event.

The Dream Factory Chairperson will be accepting auction items up to and including on the day of the event. If you or your business would like to make a donation to the auction benefiting the Dream Factory please contact any of The Cup chairpersons. We'll make sure you get connected to the Dream Factory.

I'm sad to say that Gene and I won't be at the April meeting. We'll be heading off to Florida for a few days on business.(Really..Business). Ronda will be leading the meeting and Gene and I will be back in plenty of time to help with the last minute rush of registrations and of course to attend The Cup. I'm sure no one will mind if we get a little head start on Spring.

'75 Vette Girl
Nellie Symm-Gruender
President
Mid-Missouri Corvette Club

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MARCH MEETING - SUNDAY THE 21ST

Lonnie Ray's - 1pm

Harrisburg

Moberly/Madison/Macon group will leave Shell at 12:15.

Columbia group will leave from Boone County Fire Protection (North corner of Stadium and I-70 at 12:15.

Menu:

Pulled Pork and Brisket with 3 sides, dessert and drink.

Tip is included.

\$13.00

MARCH & APRIL BIRTHDAYS

03/01 Duane Mallory	03/18 Darell Sublette	04/06 Dee Bauer
03/05 Melba Hays	03/22 Dallas Mallory	04/08 Robert DePriest
03/05 Tommy Mallory	03/22 April Preston	04/09 Rebecca Johnson
03/05 Kathy Phillips	03/23 Lynn Ray	04/10 Steve Nitkowski
03/11 Clark Fickle	03/25 Herb Faulstich	04/12 Judy Harmon
03/13 Mike Schamberger	03/26 Vickie Plue	04/15 Susan Malan
03/15 Red Kinstler	04/02 Claudia Hiley	04/15 Ronda Overfelt



TEXAS MOTOR SPEEDWAY

Some of us are starting to think of Spring and making preparations to head to the Texas Motor Speedway. The Lone Star Corvette Club puts on a wonderful weekend of fun. We will leave Thursday, May 13th, and return on Monday, May 17th. For registration information, email Cheryl Poore at cpoore@mchsi.com.

HEARTLAND VINTAGE RACING

Heartland Vintage Racing with sponsorship from O'Reilly Auto Parts will have a very major Vintage Race Event at Heartland Park Topeka in Topeka, Kansas from August 19th - 22nd. There will be a huge area for car club corrals within the Paddock area with. Club members will be able to walk among the race cars and visit with the drivers and crew members. Eight groups of cars will run, one group immediately after another all day long. On Thursday, August 19th, they are holding the Performance Driving Experience. This provides classroom experience in the morning and then driving your own car on the track the rest of the day. A licensed race car driver will be assigned to you as an instructor and he will bring you up to speed to the best of your ability and the car's ability. There are activities planned on Friday and then Vintage Car races on Saturday and Sunday. For complete information, visit www.heartlandvintageracing.com. If you are interested, contact Gary Pauley.

PIELOCH CAR COLLECTION

Kay Carlile with KCCA is planning a trip May 8th to Syracuse, NE to Pieloch car collection. Pieloch Car Collection has expanded and now has a total car collection space of over 45,000 square feet. Some of the new additions are a complete collection of every Ford Mustang Boss 302, Boss 429, and Boss 351 ever built. 6 classics from 1957 which were previously on display at the 57 Heaven Museum in Branson Missouri. Several Ford GT's, a complete collection of 10 Yenko's including several Camaros, Chevelles, a Corvair and a Vega. Over 30 new or restored neon signs featuring a massive Chevrolet Bowtie neon sign.

They will leave from the McDonald's at Platte City I-29 and 92 at 7:00 a.m. It takes about 2 ½ - 3 hours to drive there – the collection opens at 10:00 and closes at 12:30. A stop on the way home for lunch/dinner will be included. Kay needs to know no later than April 28th if you are interested in going. Contact Mary Watson if you are interested.

FOR SALE CORNER

03' Corvette Cpe: Black ext/tan int loaded w/two tops 13,000 mi garage kept \$26,500. One owner. Contact Wendall Ritchey | 580-220-7309 | Ardmore, OK

1989 black coupe, great shape, new tires. motor and transmission in new condition. \$6500. Lily 573-821-2302

FEBRUARY MINUTES

February 21st, meeting was held at Prison Brewery in Jefferson City

Nellie called the meeting to order.

Guests: Shelly, daughter of Wyatt and Kathy Phillips.

Secretary Report: Minutes from last meeting were approved.

Treasure's Report: Club account: \$1,218.78 **Cup account:** \$6,657.56

VP Report: The March meeting is still in the works. If you are interested in a club name tag, they are \$7 - \$8. Let Ronda know if you want one.

Old Business:

- A Cup update was given (see update on page 4). Volunteers are still needed. AK Zumalt is also looking for help to man stations for the Poker Run.
- It was suggested that the Cup By-law changes be tabled until after the Cup to see how they worked.

New Business:

- New club directories are available.
- Up and coming car shows were discussed.
- A report was given on the Eagle Days trip. Jay Nixon was there with his Secret Service detail. Several eagles were spotted and everyone had a great lunch.
- Doc Plue encouraged the club to join the One Acre Club. The cost is \$15,000 and can be paid over 5 years. Once paid, the club members can use the track free until they have used \$15,000 worth of track time. Entry to the One Acre Club will end December 31st.
- There was no member story this month.

50/50 - collected \$70.00 with half being \$35 Won by Larry Morrison.

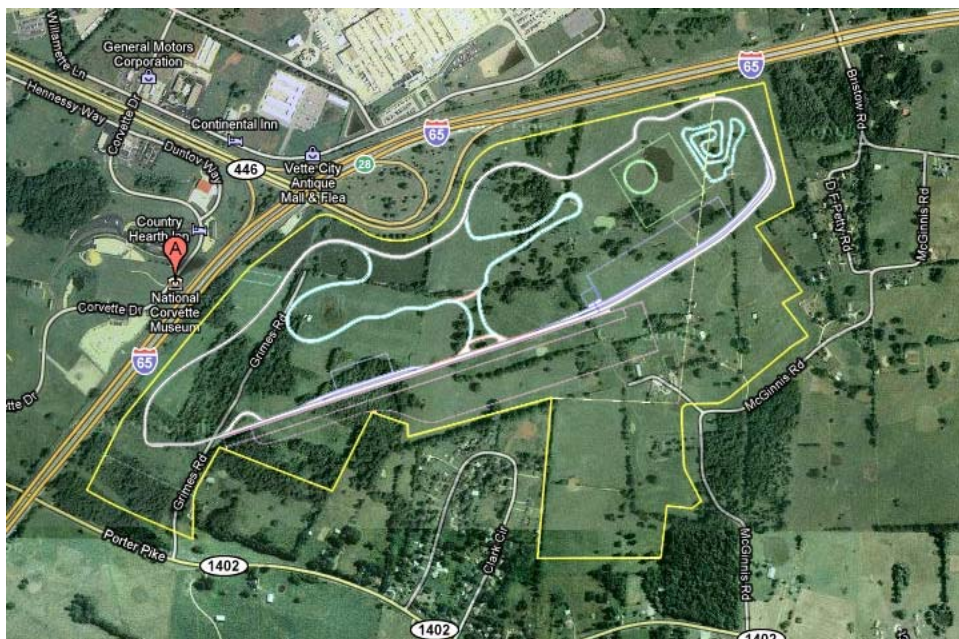
Adjourn

NCM MOTORSPORTS PARK

The NCM Motorsports Park project just got a little bit cooler. Corvette Racing / Pratt & Miller Engineering have joined the team effort by donating their time and talents in helping design our track. Many aspects of the track are pulled from other well known tracks across the globe.

Drivers will enjoy a carousel modeled after the Karussell corner at the Nurburgring, a chicane at the base of two track loops modeled off the Bus Stop from Watkins Glen, as well as an overall layout modeled after the world-famous Le Mans road course in France.

Learn more about this on-going project at www.motorsportspark.org.



CUP MEETING UPDATE - FEBRUARY 19TH

Chairpersons: Officers of the Mid-Missouri Corvette Club: Nellie Symm-Gruender, Ronda Overfeldt, Cheryl Poore, Alan Watson

Charity Chairperson: Ann Farrow– Central Missouri Dream Factory

(Coordination has begun between the Dream Factory and Cup Volunteers) WORKING ON DONATIONS

Theme- Sweet 16

Registration Fees- Early Registration—\$30.00 Includes T-shirt, evening meal

Late Registration- \$40.00

Cup Teams:

Team Judging- Robert DePriest, Herb Faustisch, John Chapman

* Classes will be the same as in past years.

* A not will be on the registration form indicating that if a car has 3 or more significant modifications it will be judged in a separate class.

* A show that is the winner in a specific class may not also win the Best of Show

NO UPDATE

Team Trophy– Donation and design.

* O' Riley will be approached to donate the trophies again. Design was discussed. O'Riley has a limited choice of designs, but it was decided that rather than pay for the trophies we will accept their designs. NO UPDATE

Team Poker Cruise– A.K. Zumalt AK IS WORKING ON THE COURSE

Team Registration Design/ Flyer– Ronda Overfeldt Cheryl Poore

The registration form will be completed by the 25th of January and will be mailed as soon as they are addressed. Ronda will be doing the printing of the forms COMPLETED AND MAILED OR E-MAILED

Team Registration- Dian Pauley Mary Watson Kathy Phillips

* It was agreed that all the car placards would be the same color and that a single number will be used to identify the car to make judging easier. CURRENTLY HAVE 26 PARTICIPANTS REGISTERED

Team Parking– Kevin Poore John Johnson- Gene Gruender- Ralph Butler

* JOHN JOHNSON HAS PARKING PLANNED

Team Activities-

* Vicki Dawson-Bingo equipment from State Farm. Vicki Mallory will be in charge of the game

* Club Members-YMCA

* TOMMY AND STARLA WILL DO GAMES

Team Food– Terri Gilmore , Susan Malan

* D ROWE'S WILL DO THE FOOD FOR THE SAME PRICE AND MENU AS LAST YEAR

* QUALITY INN WILL OFFER A BOX LUNCH TO BE PURCHASED

* DECORATIONS ARE PLANNED FOR THE TABLES

Team Vendors-Alan Watson

* ALEXANDER-JEWELER,

* DALLAS MALLORY,

* TOMMY MALLORY,

* THE NATIONAL CORVETTE MUSEUM

* MARY WATSON & NELLIE SYMM-GRUENDER - JEWELRY

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Team Set Up and Break Down Barry Malan NO UPDATE

Team National Corvette Museum- Lewis Van Houten / Doc Plue NCM HAS CONFIRMED

Team Donation-

* Kim Johnson will work on donations

Team Announcer- Dave Schmidt -

* ALAN WATSON HAS SECURED A DJ WHO HAS PA EQUIPMENT. HE WILL HAVE A NOMINAL FEE OR WILL DONATE HIS TIME. THIS WILL ALLOW US TO HAVE MUSIC BOTH INSIDE AND OUTSIDE. IT WILL ALSO ALLOW US TO MAKE ANNOUNCEMENTS TO THE PARTICIPANTS

Team T-Shirt design-

KIM JOHNSON HAS DESIGNED A T-SHIRT WITH THE SWEET 16 THEME. IT HAS A PICTURE OF ALAN AND MARY WATSON'S CAR IN FRONT OF THE MU COLUMNS. THE PICTURE WILL APPEAR ON THE BACK WITH THE CLUB LOGO IN THE LEFT FRONT BREAST AREA. THE COLOR WILL BE LIGHT GRAY. FLYING COW WILL DO THE SHIRTS FOR \$4.50 FOR S-L XL, XXL WILL BE AN EXTRA FEE. WE WILL BE ABLE TO TAKE ORDERS THE DAY OF THE SHOW AND WILL MAIL THE T-SHIRTS.

Team Quality Inn- Ronda Overfeldt Dian Pauley

* SOME PEOPLE FOUND THE QUALITY INN REGISTRATIONS STAFF LESS THAN HELPFUL IN THE REGISTRATION PROCESS. THE MANAGER HAS SPOKE TO THEM.

* RONDA HAS SPOKE TO THE MANAGER AND WE WILL HAVE 2 ROOMS COMPED. ONE WILL BE FOR THE NCM STAFF AND THE OTHER WILL BE USED AS A HOPITALITY ROOM FOR THE VOLUNTEERS.

Team Bake Sale- Rebecca Johnson NO UPDATE

Team Door Prizes Tinker Dawson

* The Club approved Tinker purchasing the door prizes with \$1000-\$1500

* Bob Mallory will assist in purchasing some of the door prizes with his Mid America discount

NO RECENT UPDATE

Team Seminar_ Barry Malan Alan Watson

* Gene Gruender will do a seminar on how to get a title on an antique car NO UPDATE

Team Photographer Sherrie Kueckelhan

* Use this years photographs to create a MMCC calendar

* HAVE DISCUSSED WITH A LOCAL PHOTOGRAPHER ABOUT DOING "PARTICIPANT" PHOTOS INSIDE WITH A CORVETTE THEME.

Team Mall Run - Discussions about transportation to the mall.

What We Need: (or need to decide)

* PA System-DONE

* 50/50 - It was agreed that 50% of the money DECIDED

* We will have music both inside and outside. Nellie will get a disc of music or her iPod will be used. NOT NEEDED PA SYSTEM SECURED

Publicity and Club Outreach Nellie Symm-Gruender

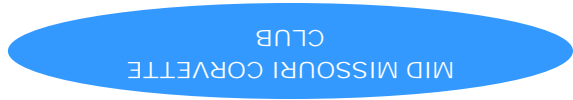
* Dave Schmidt will get information out on channel 8

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