



LONESTAR CORVETTE CLUB



Revving Fun, Friendship and Charity - Since 1983

November 2017

EUREKA! 20 Years in the Making

27th Annual
CORVETTE WEEKEND
Eureka Springs
ARKANSAS
2017
1st Place Club Participation Award

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NEXT MEETING

Saturday, November 11, 2017

11:30 am until 1:30 pm

Brookhaven College

3939 Valley View Ln.
Dallas, TX 75244

Just bought a new Corvette? Or just love them? Welcome, you've come to the right place!

The Lone Star Corvette Club is dedicated to the Corvette lifestyle and the people that own them.

Our Club slogan says it all:

Good Friends... Great Cars!

Founded in 1982, the Club now has over 1,000 members – each with his/her own story to tell of how they found that perfect “Vette.” Based in the Dallas – Fort Worth Metroplex, it offers just about any activity an owner of “America’s Sports Car” could want: Road Trips, Day Trips, Open Road Racing, Drag Racing, Autocross, NCRS (National Corvette Restorers Society), Car Shows, Displays and Parades, the Lone Star Corvette Classic, Club Meetings, and most of all, fun times with good friends.

Road Trips – The Club takes at least one significant road trip each year, usually in conjunction with a Corvette event. A large group recently returned from a nine-day caravan to Vettes on the Rockies held in Winter Park, Colorado. Past trips have taken us to the Black Hills of South Dakota, the Barrett Jackson Auction in Scottsdale, Arizona, the National Corvette Museum’s 15th Anniversary Caravan to Bowling Green, Kentucky, and many more.

Day Trips – Just about every month finds a group of us headed somewhere in our Corvettes for a day of fun on the road. It might be for a tour of some local wineries, a trip to the Historic Fort Worth Stockyards for a cattle drive and BBQ, a car show being held by another Corvette club, a tour of members’ garages, or just a drive in the country to enjoy our cars and each other’s company.

Open Road Racing – Like to go fast in your Vette? Many Club members participate in Open Road Racing at events held in Big Bend, Texas and Arnold, Nebraska. In addition, several driving schools are offered in the DFW area where you can go to hone your driving skills. For more information, just “click” on [“Open Road Racing”](#).

Drag Racing – Another “go fast” group within the Club are the Drag Racers. They compete at tracks around the Metroplex for trophies and bragging rights. Many members – both ladies and men – race cars (pickups too) in addition to Corvettes. No experience is required. For more information, just “click” on [“Drag Racing”](#).

Autocross – Others in the Club prefer to sharpen their driving skills by competing in Autocross. An autocross is a timed competition where drivers navigate, one at a time, through a temporary course marked by traffic cones, usually in a parking lot. Autocross places more emphasis on car handling and driving skill than on sheer horsepower. For more information, just “click” on [“Autocross”](#).

NCRS – Many Club members also belong to the NCRS – National Corvette Restorers Society. If you are into originality and the preservation of the Corvette as an icon, you will find many in the Club that share your passion. For more information, just “click” on [“NCRS”](#).

Car Shows – Love showing your Vette off or having it judged? On almost any weekend (except for a few in the winter), at least one group from the Club will be headed to either a local or an out-of-town car show. We usually caravan to the out-of-town shows as a group and use the trip as a good excuse to socialize and dine out together. The Club sponsors a group of members each year in the Dallas Autorama. On the first Saturday of each month, you’ll find a bunch of us at Cars & Coffee in Plano, “kicking tires” and telling tall tales about our cars.

Displays and Parades – The public loves to look at our Corvettes. Every year we man a display of our cars in the Dallas New Car Show at the Convention Center. We also take a large contingent of Vettes to the State Fair of Texas. We’ve been asked in the past to drive Indy Car drivers around the Texas Motor Speedway’s oval before races. Christmas finds us backing up the bikers in the Great Texas Toy Run that benefits thousands of needy children in the area. The Dallas Veterans’ Day Parade has come to rely on the Club to provide cars and drivers for over 100 WWII Veterans each year. Ask any Club member who has participated and you will be told what an honor it is.

Lone Star Corvette Classic – In May of each year, the premier Corvette event in Texas is held at the Texas Motor Speedway by the Club. During its three day run, the “Classic” attracts hundreds of Corvettes and Corvette Club members from across the US and Canada. In addition, Corvette enthusiasts from around the area attend the event to take advantage of many different activities, including judged and Show N Shine indoor car shows, a variety of automotive vendors, good food, and exciting track events held on the Texas Motor Speedway’s oval and road course. 100% of the net proceeds from the Classic go to support the Club’s two main charities, The National Corvette Museum and Speedway Children’s Charities, and a third charity chosen from several candidates each year by Club members.

Club Meetings – The Club meets on the second Saturday of each month at various locations around the Metroplex. We would love to have you come to a meeting and “check us out.”

I’d like to encourage you to further explore our website. A glimpse at the Club’s Event Calendar will give you a good overview of just how active and diverse our Club is. Just “click” on [“Event Calendar”](#).

If LSCC looks like a good fit, you can join and pay online. Just “click” on [“Join the Club”](#).

If you have any questions or would like some additional information about the Club, please contact me.

Sincerely,

Rick Herrick
President



Thanksgiving is upon us once again. Virginia and I have so much to be thankful for – our country, our family including our extended family, The Lone Star Corvette Club. After Eureka Springs, we made a short trip to Branson to see color and a couple of shows. While color is lacking due to a draught, the hillsides were beautiful displaying some color. We saw much cultural diversity as we see everywhere we travel. The common denominator is how often we saw the American flag being flown. In spite of circumstance, the flag flies! God Bless America!

Speaking of Eureka Springs, how 'bout that showing! After 20 years or so, LSCC finally won the Club Participation Award. Many thanks to Phil and Kristina Davies and Johnny Downs for their efforts. Most importantly, thanks to the participants who paid to play. LSCC had 65 Corvettes registered, so we smoked The Tulsa Vette Set who finished a distant second. They heard about our effort and tried to meet the challenge. The big winner was the event, over 450 cars registered. Great to see so many new LSCC members participating!

Officer nominations began last month and will continue in November. After nominations close, on line voting will take place. Instructions will be sent to you by email. Those who have accepted nominations include John Raiden, Carolyn Elmore, Carolyn Atkins, Janet Glowicz, Terri Krieger, and John Main. Thank you for your willingness to serve. We are still looking for a CEO, which would be Competitive Events Officer. This is good job to see what board experience is like since most of the event coordinators are currently in place. Please give this position and others your consideration. The only qualification is that you must have been a member for 12 months by January 1. Participation by newer members is highly desirable.

Many thanks to Greg Thompson and the staff at The Thompson Group for hosting our October meeting. The welcome banners, raffle items, and fine barbecue were the best. The old Hummer building is being put to good use.

Make your reservation for the Christmas party on December 2nd.

Thanks to our sponsor – Classic Chevrolet and The Thompson Group.

Good Friends, Great Cars - See you on the road



It's November, which means two of the most important and enjoyable Club events are about to occur: Officer Elections to fill the board for 2018 and our annual Holiday Party to celebrate friends and fortune and all that is good.

Nominations for 2018 Officers were opened at the October Club meeting, and candidates were nominated for nearly all positions. If you are interested in holding an office, you can be nominated at the November meeting as well. We have a lot of people in the Club, and everyone has talents or skills that could be shared with the Club. Please consider helping out as either an Officer or as a Coordinator. The officer nominations will be accepted during the November meeting, after which they will be closed and the election will ensue. The election results will be announced at the December membership meeting.

It's time to REV UP YOUR YULETIDE at the annual LSCC Holiday Party at Texas Motor Speedway.

The party will be on **Saturday, December 2nd**. Since we always have fun, we hope you will join us! We will have a seated dinner, a DJ, and raffle items that may include a big screen TV, a dinner at a notable area restaurant, and more... [Check out the website for details and for registering.](#) Cost will be a bargain \$35 per person. A block of rooms will be available at the Marriott, if you're interested in spending the night. [Gift of Lights](#) drive-through holiday light display will also be back. Gather some friends for a pre-party cruise through the holiday lights.

Congratulations to LSCC on winning **Best Club Participation Award** by registering 65 cars at the Eureka Springs Corvette Weekend. As with most of these shows that we attend, the registration fees support the show and their charities. Without the registration fees, these shows would cease to exist.

November Meeting: The meeting will be on November 11th at **Brookhaven College**.

Great Cars and Good Friends.
Thank you Classic Chevrolet & The Thompson Group

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If you would like to help in any of the above areas or have ideas relating to that area, please contact the designated coordinator.

2018 and 2019 Corvettes

As you may have read the production of the 2018 Corvette will end very early, the week of January 22. The 2019 will begin production the following week.

You can order a 2019 in a few weeks, specifically November 30. If you are thinking about this, let me remind you that as a member of the NCM you are eligible for the GM Supplier Discount. You can save hundreds, even thousands on not only new Corvettes, but also on eligible new Chevrolet, Buick, GMC and Cadillac vehicles.

A Museum member in Illinois reported to me that on a 2017 Suburban he was quoted \$8,700 off a \$75,000 sticker price as his GM Supplier Discount. These discounts are not available with some other offers. Be sure to check with your sales consultant at Classic/Thompson. They may have other GM discounts periodically available that are greater than the GM Supplier Discount.

If you are an NCM member, to obtain the GM Supplier Discount authorization number contact Stephanie Morrill Stephanie@corvettemuseum.org, 270/467-8837 or Becky Madison Becky@corvettemuseum.org, 270/467-8836.

For more information visit www.GMsupplierdiscount.com.

If you are not a member of the National Corvette Museum, you can join for as little as \$37.50 for an individual or \$75.00 for a family. Simply contact Johnny Downs at 214/384-8565, 903/564-3069 or ediewoww@aol.com

Collectible Corvettes

Your new or newer Corvette is considered a "collectible" car. As such you are eligible for collector car insurance rates in most cases. If your Corvette is on a regular policy with your daily driver, you will save many hundreds by moving to a collector policy. In addition the policy is agreed value, so you can initially establish the value you will be paid for a total loss.

To find out how much you can save, contact NCM Insurance at the National Corvette Museum. Call Adam at 270/467-8853 or Bobbi Jo Lee at 270/467-8833 or NCMInsurance.com.

While we are on the subject of collector cars, where do you think most of them call home? Also, what are the most popular? I found an article in Car and Driver that answers those questions. The answer are estimates based on insurance policy information. Before you peek at the second list, note that six of the top ten are Chevys. Pretty cool.

Largest Population of Collector Car Owners

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| 1. | California |
| 2. | Michigan |
| 3. | New York |
| 4. | Florida |
| 5. | Texas |

Most Common Collector Models

- | | |
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| 1. | Chevrolet Corvette |
| 2. | Ford Mustang |
| 3. | Chevrolet Camaro |
| 4. | Chevrolet BelAir |
| 5. | Ford Model A |
| 6. | Ford Thunderbird |
| 7. | Volkswagen Beetle |
| 8. | Chevrolet C10 Pickup |
| 9. | Chevrolet Impala |
| 10. | Chevrolet Chevelle |

Eureka Springs

This does not directly relate to the NCM. However, I want to take this opportunity to thank all the LSCC members who travelled to Arkansas with us for the Eureka Springs Corvette Weekend.

Eureka Springs has been a club trip since 1998. This was our 20th year. Edie and I have been on every trip. For 19 years in a row Tulsa Vette Set won first in Club Participation. LSCC finished second most years, third once or twice. Last year we had about 38 cars registered and Tulsa was in the low 40s.

We decided to promote the event more this year to try to get 50 cars. Phil and Kristina Davies worked very hard, members responded and it looked as if we would at least reach our goal.

The Tulsa club found out what we were doing and took steps to increase their number to thwart our plan.

At the car show on Saturday the results were announced. The Tulsa Vette Set did well, with 61 cars. Lone Star did better with 65! After 19 years of losing, this is a huge deal for us. Thanks so much to all that made this happen.

For information about anything NCM, or to join this great organization at special pricing, please contact me, Johnny Downs, 903/564-3069, 214/384-8565 or ediewoww@aol.com.

NATIONAL CORVETTE MUSEUM



[HOURS AND DIRECTIONS](#)

Open 8am-5pm CT, 7 Days a Week*. The last admission tickets are sold at 4:30pm

Museum: 350 Corvette Drive

Plant: 600 Corvette Drive

Bowling Green, Kentucky 42101

I-65 Exit 28

Phone: 270.781.7973



[Click on any link below to:](#)

[VISIT THE MUSEUM](#)

[BECOME A MEMBER](#)

[RECEIVE THE NCM NEWSLETTER](#)

[ADMISSION](#)

[CORVETTE PLANT TOUR](#)

**Closed New Year's Day, Easter, Thanksgiving Day, Christmas Eve, Christmas Day*

Competitive Events

Dennis Corder, Competitive Events Officer

As I write this, the last **Drag Racing** event for the year is being held, winding down the season!

Track events are winding down for winter too. Check the ECR Calendar regularly for their monthly open track day. Also check PCA and Apex Schedules for DE Track events.

The **SCCA for Road Rally's** has one event scheduled for Dec. 2 called the Children's Book Run. It starts in Richardson at this time and entry fee includes a donation of a book.

Our **Autocross** season will end with the running of a make-up rain date on Nov. 18. Watch the calendar to make sure this is still a go or if rain or cold weather will cancel again.

But this does not mean that we can't start thinking about next year. Open road racing starts on Jan. 1st. The 2017 **Big Bend Open Road Race** dates are April 18th – 21st, mark your calendar. Talk to Mike Black, open road racing coordinator and past winner of this event. And as always, watch our web site for more information. Have a safe winter season.



The special "**LSCC Members Only**" event at Eagles Canyon Raceway on Saturday, November 4th has been cancelled. See the [LSCC Website for details](#).



[As always, watch these web pages on our club site for updates and new listings.](#)

New Coordinators Needed!

It's time for you to get involved!

Corvette Club members, you may be aware the time is fast approaching for our annual Election of Officers. The Officers are limited to two terms and there will be a lot of vacancies to fill. I want to make you aware our **Coordinators** have no term limits and many of these great Corvette friends have been in their position for several years, consistently serving the Club month after month. These Corvette friends have done a great job with extreme dedication while in their positions. It's time to give them some much-needed thanks and relief. We've already heard from the Coordinators for Autocross, Raffle, and Merchandise. You can show them your appreciation by following in their footsteps as the Coordinator for those positions, giving them the chance to relax and enjoy the Club the way you do. You will have big shoes to fill, however your Club needs new blood to work all positions, Officers and Coordinators alike. Whether you have experience or not, let a Board Member know you are willing to serve. We have all learned on the job and now is the time for you to step forward and learn from these people before they leave. So, raise your hand and say, "Yes, I can do it!"



GO-FUND-ME THANK YOU

I would like to say thank you to all of my friends at Lone Star Corvette Club for your generosity over the past few months. It has been a little over 6 months since my injury. I continue to go to physical and occupational therapy each week to work on my recovery. I am trying my best to stay positive and working hard to recover from my injury. I hope to see you all soon at the next club meeting.

Sincerely,

Shawn



Recreational Events

Tony Pittman, Recreational Events Officer

November 2017

October 2017

December 2017

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24	25	26	27	28	29	30
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29	30	31	1	2	3	4

S	M	T	W	T	F	S
26	27	28	29	30	1	2
3	4	5	6	7	8	9
10	11	12	13	14	15	16
17	18	19	20	21	22	23
24	25	26	27	28	29	30
31	1	2	3	4	5	6

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
29 8:00 AM - .8 Am - Drag Racing At Texas Motorplex In Ennis	30	31	1	2	3	4 8:00 AM - HPDE Eagles Canyon Raceway CANCELLED
5	6	7	8	9	10 8:00 AM - Dallas Veterans Day Parade 8:00 AM - Veterans Day 2017 Official Observation	11 8:00 AM - Classic 24 @ Daytona - Cars And Coffee 11:30 AM - LSCC Monthly Meeting - Brookhaven College
12	13	14	15	16	17	18 9:00 AM - Autocross At Brookhaven College (Rain Date)
19	20	21	22	23 	24	25
26	27	28	29	30	1	2 6:00 PM - LSCC Christmas

HPDE at Eagles Canyon Raceway on Saturday, November 4th has been CANCELLED. [Click here for details.](#)

Dallas Veterans Day Parade on Friday November 10th, 8:00 AM to 4:00 PM. [Click here for details.](#)

Classic Historic Sportscar Racing at Daytona International Speedway. [Click here for details.](#)

Autocross at Brookhaven College (Rain Date) on Saturday, November 18th, 9:00 AM until 2:00 PM. [Click here for details.](#)

LSCC Christmas Party at Texas Motor Speedway on Saturday, December 2nd, 6:00 PM to 11:00 PM. [Click here for details.](#)

Dallas Veterans Day Parade

An opportunity for you to honor those who have served

Rick Herrick - Coordinator

Friday, November 10th



Lone Star Corvette Club needs 70 Corvette Convertibles or Coupes (with their tops stowed) to drive veterans in the Dallas Veterans Day Parade on Friday, November 11. We are driving 40 WWII veterans and 30 Korean veterans.



Dyno Day at LG Motorsports!

Saturday, November 18th
10 am

Dynojet RWD Dyno
3-PULLS FOR \$50
Food and drinks will be served at 12pm!



LG Motorsports
704 E Houston St.
Anna, TX 75409

LSCC Christmas Party at Texas Motor Speedway



***Register NOW for Our
Annual LSCC Christmas
Dinner & Party!
December 2nd
6:00 pm until 10:00 pm***

***On the Top Floor of the
Speedway Club at TMS
Splendid Dinner Buffet
DJ and Dancing
Exciting Door Prizes***

[Register Here or on the LSCC Website](#)

What Can We Do To Help?

By Linda Shellberg

One of the purposes for which Lone Star Corvette Club was organized is to “Promote community involvement through charitable activities.” Giving back to our community through volunteer activities and donations is a core value of our Club. In order to make community involvement accessible to all Members, the Board of Directors is proposing the establishment of a program called “What Can We Do To Help?”

On a quarterly basis, Officers will review a list, submitted by Club Members, of worthwhile organizations that will benefit from volunteers or donations from the Club.

The organizations considered would meet these criteria:

- Operate as a 501C(3) entity.
- Serve their local community.
- Welcome assistance from Lone Star Corvette Club.

The Club Member submitting the organization for consideration would do the following:

- Sponsor the organization and act as liaison between the organization and LSCC.
- Conduct due diligence on the organizations mission and service to the community.
- Serve as coordinator or assistant coordinator for the LSCC volunteers, or coordinate delivery of items donated to the organization.
- Submit a request in writing, including full information about the organization and a specific request for assistance, to the Club President.

Requests for assistance will be reviewed prior to the 1st month of each calendar quarter, and the approved requests will be announced at the 1st Club Meeting of each quarter. At that meeting, plans for providing assistance to the approved organization will be presented to the Membership.

2018 Rotating Charity

It's time to start thinking about helping your favorite charity. Each year, LSCC selects a non-profit organization to receive a portion of the Auction proceeds from the Lone Star Corvette Classic. In 2018, the selection process will take place in February. Articles from nominated organizations will be due approximately January 20th and will be published in the February newsletter. Presentations from the nominated organizations will be part of the February Club Meeting agenda, and voting will take place online shortly thereafter.

Following the guidelines will give your nominee the best chance of being selected; please print a copy and share with your organization. This document is also posted on the Club website under the Information tab and can be downloaded, and will be available in paper form at the November and December Club meetings. Specific deadlines for submitting your nomination will be forthcoming later this year. There are lots of deserving charities who can use our help, so let's get started!

[Tips for Successful Rotating Charity Presentations](#)



Tips For A Successful Rotating Charity Presentation

Lone Star Corvette Club

One of the core values of Lone Star Corvette Club (LSCC) is giving back to our community. Each year, LSCC members select a Rotating Charity, which will receive a portion of the funds raised in the Auctions at our annual event, the Lone Star Corvette Classic. The Classic takes place in May of each year, and proceeds from the Auction are distributed to the Club's beneficiaries in the Fall.

LSCC hosts presentations from Rotating Charity candidates at a Club Meeting in the 1st quarter of the year. Following the presentations, members vote, and the organization receiving the most votes is named the Rotating Charity for that year.

These are the requirements for an organization to be considered by the membership:

- Each organization must be sponsored by an LSCC Member
- Each organization must submit proof that it has a 501C(3) designation from the IRS
- Each organization must make a presentation at the designated Club meeting
- Each organization must submit a short article for the Club newsletter describing their mission, goals, activities and beneficiaries

Here's a few tips to make your organization stand out:

- Put your best foot forward at the presentation: videos, slideshows ,demonstrations, testimonials, and brochures featuring your organization are all encouraged
- Make sure your presentation clearly answers these questions:
 - What is your mission?
 - What percentage of your organization's revenue goes toward your mission?
 - Who receives assistance from your group? How do you select your recipients?
 - How are you funded? Do you receive funds from national organizations?
 - Do you use volunteers? Where and how do you get volunteers?

Historically, Rotating Charities that do these things are the most successful:

- Make your appeal personal – our members want to know who you are helping. If you can introduce us to a recipient, or can relate a personal story, it helps us understand what you do and who benefits from your work
- Tell us why you need our help specifically – are you a local group, a group that does not have access to national funding, a group that assists a small segment of society?
- Talk to the member sponsoring your organization, or contact an LSCC Officer, and get to know our Club; tailor your presentation to the LSCC membership.

We greatly appreciate your time and effort to make these presentations. If you have questions, the Club website, www.lonestarcorvetteclub.com has a Contact Us section. Feel free to call any Officer, we're happy to talk with you!

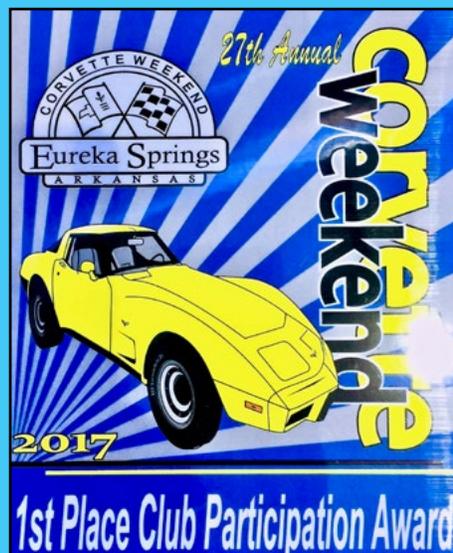
LSCC Wins Big at Eureka Springs Corvette Weekend!!

By Kristina Davies

We've just got to start off with the super great news! After 20 years of LSCC supporting the Eureka Springs Corvette Weekend, Lone Star Corvette Club finally won the club participation award by four cars! So every Corvette that registered truly DID matter! We sincerely thank you. Remember Phil sharing about the tear in Johnny's eye about never winning this award? Well, we all saw the smiles on his and everyone's face as we held up #1 fingers in Club photo below!! We did it...we did it!! Congratulations!!!



LSCC Rocks...LSCC was #1 in Eureka Springs...LSCC came through after 20 years...Thank you LSCC!!



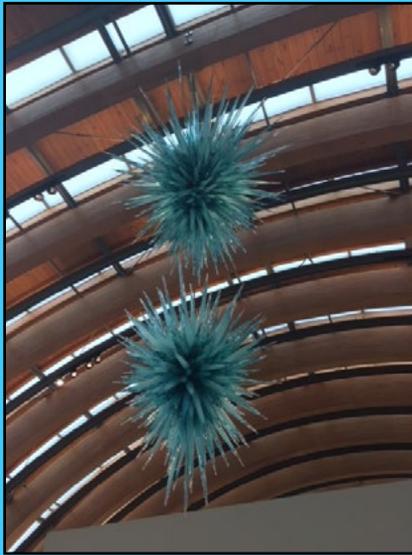
Well, back to the beginning...32 Vettes met on Wednesday October 4th at the OK Visitors Center and another 15 or so meet there on Thursday while others headed out on their own all meeting up in Eureka Springs spread out in various hotels or B&Bs. The Wednesday group headed out through the rural Oklahoma countryside to Beaver Bend State Park for lunch and on to Rogers AR detouring through the Boston Mountains Scenic Byway.



The next day we visited the Walmart Museum in Bentonville, AR where we had a personal introduction to the Museum by a delightful lady named Karen who gave out two door prizes to our group. Given the Higginbothams had a connection with Bentonville's mayor, Bob McCaslin, the mayor himself came to visit us.



Then we cruised a short distance to the Crystal Bridges Art Museum where we had a highlight tour of different types of art and then walked through a Chihuly glass exhibit outdoors including a glass blowing demonstration. The facility's architecture itself was equally interesting. By Thursday evening in Eureka Springs, several folks were lot lizarding it around the pool at Quality Inn sharing snacks and lies. It was a delightful day and we got a bit of culture along the way!



By Friday folks were scattered everywhere either on the fuel economy run (81 cars participated with the average mpg being 30.337; used a total of 1,237 gallons of fuel. The best mpg was 47.275 and the worst 12.072), shopping/ having lunch, cruising the countryside, washing cars, catching up around the pool or just chillin' enjoying the lovely setting and weather. Friday evening several LSCCRs gathered for the poker run meeting led by Dick Krull who coordinated the duties for the poker run event held Saturday after the car show.



We woke Saturday morning to cloudy weather that unloaded lots of wind and rain while everyone was setting up for the car show. Several hardy souls headed for cover but didn't abandon the event. Luckily by mid-day the weather had blown through and the sun was out in full force. (I saw Joe Carrion putting Classic flyers in cars ☺ so hopefully that will pay dividends next May!) The National Corvette Museum sold many umbrellas and sweat shirts in the morning and short sleeved shirts in the afternoon; it was a happening place. Just before the awards ceremony, all military veterans were honored individually and as a group. I'd guess about 60, many from LSCC, stepped forward just as they did years ago to serve our wonderful country!

Then the awards ceremony kicked off with lots of happy winners coming forward. We learned 453 Corvettes signed up for the 27th year of this event from 19 states and 51 clubs. Next year's event will be October 4-7. Below are the LSCC special awards, including all to the best of my knowledge, given everyone was a winner this year!!! Some of the groups were huge so getting any award was noteworthy:

FUEL ECONOMY RUN

2005-13 Z06	Preston Pollard/David Orrick	1 st place	26.657 avg mpg
2014-17 Z06	Johnny Downs/Phil Davies	1 st place	33.204 avg mpg
C4 ZR1	Dave & Dana Noble	1 st place	42.400 avg mpg
2005-13 Auto	Missy King/Robert Perez	6 th place	32.809 avg mpg
	Ron Dukes	9 th place	32.301 avg mpg
2014-17 Auto/Manual	Ken Smith	7 th place	31.029 avg mpg
	Ken & Tina Burks	8 th place	30.855 avg mpg

CAR SHOW

C4s	Mel & Lois Thomason	1 st place
C4 ZR1	Dave & Dana Noble	3 rd place
Late C5s	Phil & Kristina Davies	2 nd place
	Dennis & Teresa Keating	4 th place
Late C6s	John & Kandy Hughling	3 rd place

Many cars participated in the poker run right after the car show with several LSCC members manning the five stops and Gary and Elaine Blend helping figure out the best poker hands at the end (Saw Jeff Rosen carrying his 3rd place award!). The Saturday evening parade through town for not only those above but all award winners from other clubs was great fun, especially for those watching along the side of the road. They really got into it with glow sticks, chicken costumes, "rating" signs...!

A very special shout out to Ray and Denice Kaspar for planning Friday and Saturday evening dinners for the group! Lots of effort went into welcoming several new folks who were both new to the Club and on their first LSCC trip! We hope they continue to join in, help out and maybe even plan an event down the line.

It was a delightful group made up of several old timers, lots of newbies, and a reunion with many we don't often see. We are all so blessed and were very sorry not everyone who wanted to come was able to. Thanks again and again to everyone who supported this event in various ways from the group leaders (Johnny & Edie Downs, Nolan & Pat Graham, Rick & Virginia Herrick, Herb & Judy Corey, Joe & Gail Carrion, John & Donna Dilley and Sharon Norris & Jeff Rosen) and to those who helped with the poker run. The LSCC family joined together to contribute a great deal to the event this year and deserves to celebrate big time!!!! Hope to see y'all real soon!

Hugs,

Phil & Kristina Davies

The Scrap Book

Thank-you Thompson Group at Classic Chevrolet!



Thanks for Hosting LSCC.
Greg Thompson with a couple of old customers.



20 Year Membership Award
Rick Herrick presented Gary & Marilyn Bechtol with their 20 Year Membership pin.

Patriot Paws Service Dogs Awarded

David and "Tommy" were presented a check at October's LSCC meeting at the Thompson Group. Patriot Paws was the recipient of the 2017 LSCC Classic Rotating Charity. Tommy waved thank-you.



Brazos River Annual Car Show

By John Main

The Brazos River Corvette Club (BRCC) held their "12th Annual Corvette Show" Saturday, October 14th on Granbury's Historic Square. Their car show is exclusively for Corvettes from C1 through C7.

This year's theme honored our military veterans. Proceeds from the car show went to BRCC's primary charity, Mission Granbury and our Military Veterans.



C2 – Best in Class: **John & Suzanna Main** – 1965 Rally Red Coupe

C5 – Best in Class: **Susanne Johanson** – 2004 Magnetic Red Coupe

C6 – Best in Class: **Tom Rainey** – 2012 Carbon Flash Metallic Black Convertible

C7 – Class Award: **Steve Allison** – 2016 Shark Gray Metallic Convertible

People's Choice Award for Best License Plate: **Steve Allison** – "MY401K"

I like to give a special shout out to our friend **Chad Brownlow** from the Wichita County Corvette Association who received two awards for his 1968 big block convertible. Chad received both the Best in Class award for the C3's as well as the Best Paint award!

Congratulations to all award winners!



Cool Cars. Cool People. Good Times!

Bob Young - Coordinator



Bruce Jarrett tears up the track at Goodguys Autocross



Eureka Springs Corvette Weekend

Phil & Kristina Davies - Coordinators



Wow! LSCC won the Club Participation Award at the Eureka Springs Corvette Weekend! Let's hear it for Trip Coordinators Phil and Kristina Davies and "helpers" Johnny and Edie Downs, Club President Rick Herrick, and Club VP/Official Photographer GH Hodges. Those folks worked so hard to make it happen.

Watch a You Tube Video "2017 Eureka Springs" by Dave Noble
https://youtu.be/3_GCFS48ows





Dave & Dana Noble's 1993 Anniversary Edition ZR1



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- Carl Yeary
- Don and Judy Cast
- Dick and Olivia Krull
- Rick and Virginia Herrick
- Robert Perez and Missy King
- Nolan and Pat Graham
- Johnnie and Edie Downs
- Phil and Kristina Davies
- Butch and Colleen Dunkl
- Mark Koeurbk
- Jerry and Myra McWilliams
- Leah and Mark Bond
- Willis and Linda Jones
- Ken and Charlotte Smith
- Gary and Elaine Blend

Year after year LSCC steps up to the plate with great volunteers who help make this club top notch. THANK YOU ALL.

Olivia and Dick Krull
Co-ordinators



Sulfur Springs Corvette Show

Bob Paton - Coordinator

Club Participation Award

LSCC members had a great time at the Sulphur Springs Corvette Show this weekend. The SSCC folks put on a great event. Friday dinner had a 50's theme, and LSCC won the Club Participation Award. Thanks to coordinator Bob Paton for organizing this fun trip! We'll have more pics soon, so check back!

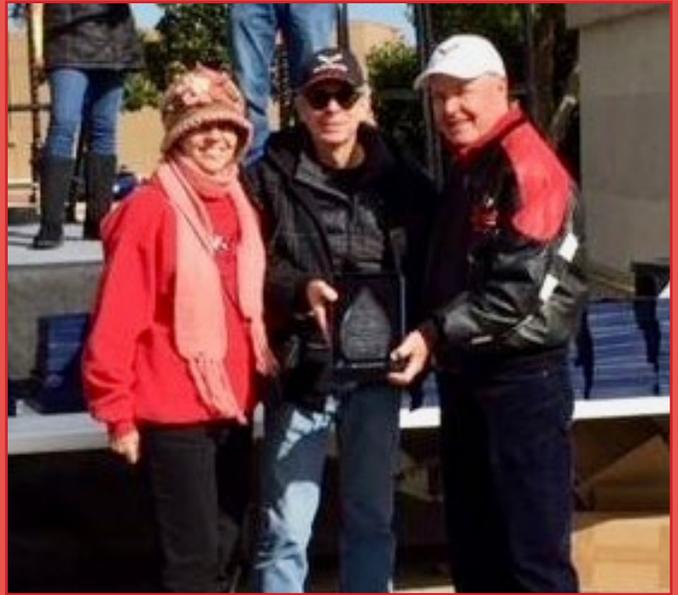


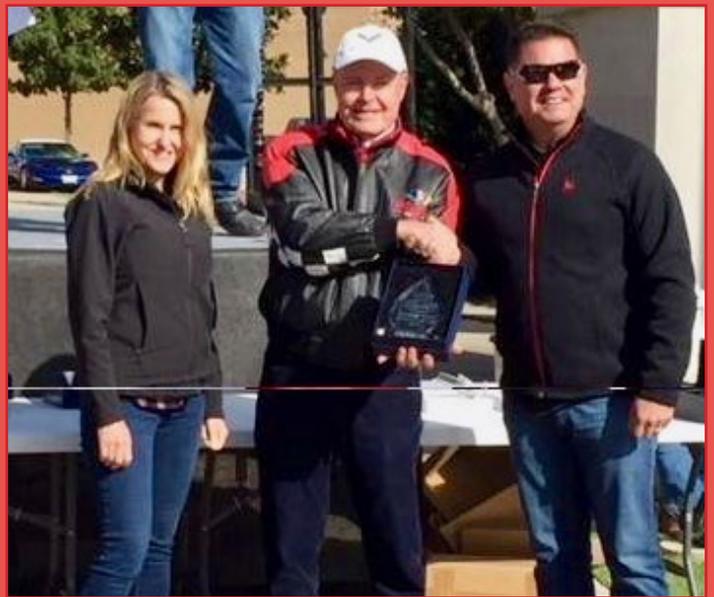












State Fair of Texas

Tony Pitman - Coordinator

LSCC was invited to take part in the State Fair of Texas Parade; of course we jumped at the chance! Club Members Dennis Corder and Steve Monahan provided fun rides, even in the rain. Steve escorted winner Patsy Crist in his 2012 Carbon Flash GS convertible, and Dennis escorted runner-up Charlotte Adams-Graves in his 2010 Yellow GS convertible. A good time was had by all!



State Fair of Texas LSCC Corvette Car Corral

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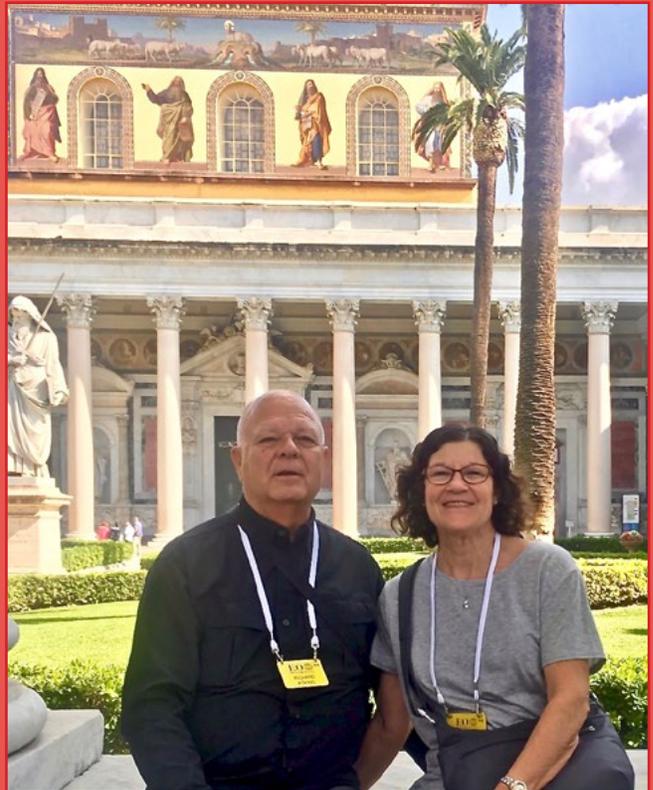


Heavenly Music

By Ric Atkins



Two-hundred sixty singers brought the music of White's Chapel to St. Peter's Basilica in Rome last weekend under the direction of WC Music Executive Director, Shaunna Fuller. This incredible ensemble was invited to lead worship at the 5 p.m. mass on Saturday, September 30. In addition to singing in the Vatican, the group toured the sites of Rome including the catacombs and the Coliseum. Around 100 singers then set sail with Bishop Mike Lowry and our pastors, Drs. John McKellar and Todd Renner on the "Fourth Journey of St Paul from Italy, to Malta and ending up in the Greek Isles. The group will return around October 11.



Ric & Carolyn Atkins sang at the Vatican & St. Peter's Basilica 5:00 pm Mass on Sept 30th in Rome, Italy
These are videos of the choir singing for the Mass in St Peter's Basilica at the Vatican on Sept 30, 2017.

Carolyn and I were so very blessed to do do this together!

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LSCC's Award Winning Cake Baker

By Ralph Teehee



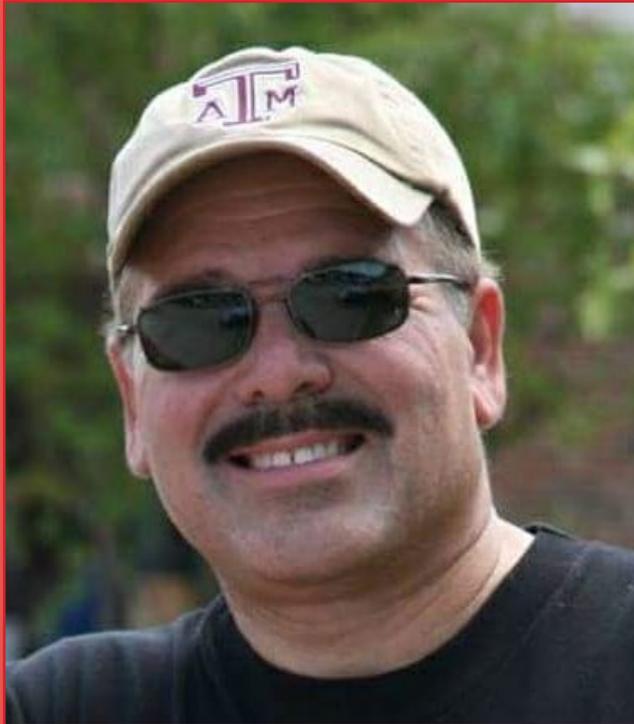
LSCC member Sonja Fontana-Teehee has entered many cake competitions, but this was her first time in the Grand National Cake Decorating contest held in Tulsa, OK this October. There were cake artists from the USA and many other countries around the world competing. There were 74 registered competitors and Sonja came in 52nd. A good showing for her first time at the top level. Sonja bakes the delicious LSCC birthday cakes for the monthly meetings. Enjoy!



Sonja with her cake next to her new delivery sedan.

LSCC Reaches the Summit

By Julio C. Toro



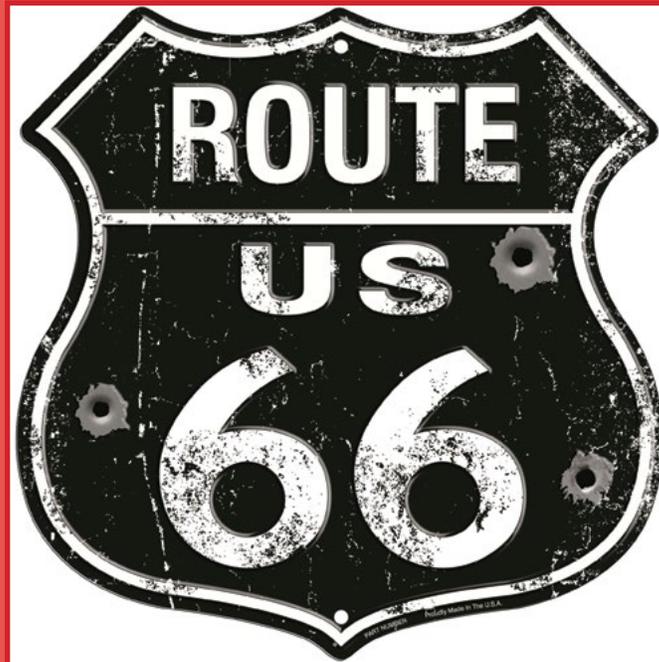
LSCC member Julio C. Toro is pleased to announce his 1969 Corvette Stingray was chosen for the coveted window turntable spot at Summit Racing's newest and largest store in Arlington, TX. Julio's Monaco Orange '69 Corvette Stingray convertible is now on display at Summit Racing through the month of November 2017.



Julio's Monaco Orange '69 Corvette Stingray

Get Your Kicks on Route 66

By Dave Noble



I thought I would send a link to the UTube Video for a trip that Dana & I completed a week ago. I inserted a time line for those who just want to hit the highlights. The video is just over an hour, but by hitting the hidden time line under "SHOW MORE" someone who might be interested to travel the Route can take a look at just the features that they want to see. It begins in Joplin, MO and ends in Albuquerque, NM.

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=tMV-buLeIYE>



LSCC Awarded at the National Corvette Museum

As part of the National Corvette Museum's 23rd Anniversary Celebration, they awarded Corvette Clubs for their efforts in marketing to not only the Corvette hobby but also the Museum. Awards were given for Best Website, Best Newsletter and Best Museum Parking Lot Banner.

LSCC won 3rd Place for Best Newsletter.



NATIONAL CORVETTE MUSEUM



Johnny Downs accepting NCM'S Award for LSCC's 3rd Place win for Best Newsletter.

2019 Corvette Early Production Announced

October 12, 2017



Well, that was quick! Rumors have been confirmed that production of the 2018 Corvette will cease early for the model year. The last date to order a 2018 Corvette is November 16, and the last week of production for the 2018 model year is the week of January 22. The 2019 model year will begin rolling off the line the week of January 29, 2018. Orders for the model start November 30. (whew we need a calendar for all those dates!) Right now, planned volume for the 2018 Corvette is just shy of 9,700 units, making it one of the shortest model years.

No major changes are coming for 2019 as models, colors and options from 2018 will carry over (sans the Carbon 65 Edition). Less than 100 65th Anniversary Carbon Editions are remaining of the 650 cap for 2018. A new order guide for 2019 will be released on November 20.

Sebring Orange (G26) can now be ordered, and a small ramp up of the new hue begins the week of December 11 (in the new paint shop, we might add).

But what about the new paint shop? Production at Bowling Green Assembly starts back up November 6, and at that time the 'basics' (Black, Arctic White, Torch Red, Corvette Racing Yellow) will begin rolling through the state-of-the-art paint shop. Tintcoats will follow the basics at a later date (Admiral Blue, Blade Silver, Cyber Matrix Gray, Long Beach Red, Sebring Orange and Watkins Glen Gray).

As for the quality of the new paint – we're told customers will not be disappointed. Some even tout the quality to be better than the crème de la crème Cadillac paint.

And as for a "C8" mid-engine Corvette, no official word has been received announcing the highly anticipated model. But it has been photographed quite a bit lately. Perhaps it's GM's way of teasing us just a little bit!

Next year's Michelin NCM Bash will certainly be colorful when GM takes the stage to present on 2018 and 2019... and we know you'll want to be there to ask questions and be in the know.

October 27 – 2018 Corvette unallocated sold orders cut off

November 6 – GM Plant Re-Starts 2018 Production in the new Paint Shop

November 16 – Final date to order a 2018 Corvette

November 20 – 2019 Corvette Order Guide Released

November 30 – 2019 Corvette Orders Picked-Up

December 11 – Sebring Orange Corvettes begin

January 22 (week of) – 2018 Corvette Production Ends

January 29 – 2019 Corvette Production Starts

Volunteer Spotlight

A Special Thanks to Our Coordinators and Volunteers



Bob Young - Goodguys Coordinator



Phil & Kristina Davies - Eureka Springs Coordinators



Tony Pitman - State Fair of Texas Coordinator



Bob Paton - Sulfur Springs Corvette Classic Coordinator

Volunteers Needed

2018 Officer Nominations

As our 2018 Officer Nomination and Elections near, it's not too early to think about running for office and volunteering. Volunteering is the heart and soul of LSCC, and don't be afraid to dive in head first because you are new to the Club. It's because of you that LSCC is what it is. Good Friends, Great Cars! So, raise your hand and if you have any questions, seek out an Officer or Coordinator. Their names and contact information are located in the front of the Newsletter.

Club Officer Positions Open for Nomination and Election:

President (Rick Herrick)
Vice-President (GH Hodges)
Treasurer (Sharon Norris)
Competitive Events (Dennis Corder)
Financial Officer (Terri Krieger)
Secretary (Carolyn Adkins)
Technical Officer (Joe Hester)

Coordinators Needed

The following Coordinators will soon be needed as these people step down from their positions. They have been a blessing to LSCC and their service is greatly appreciated. Thank-you.

Autocross - John Slaughter

Raffle - Rick & Rita Hazen

Merchandise - Martha Kaus



New Members and Milestones

New Lifetime Members

117 Members

John & Kathy Brodhead

Welcome New Members

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Lyn and Alice Fly
John Holmes
Ron and Verla Honesty
Wayne and Mary Jorgensen
Clayton and Hannah Lydick
Dave and Dana Noble
Jack and Billie Rogers
Denise Romero
Trey and Kristi Simon
Pershing Wardlay

Membership Milestones

20-Year Members

John & Kathy Brodhead

15-Year Members

10-Year Members

Dale & Londa Pontius

5-Year Members

For the Record

Carolyn Atkins, Recording Secretary

LSCC MEMBERS BUSINESS MEETING MINUTES

Lone Star Corvette Club

Classic Chevrolet

October 14, 2017

Rick Herrick, President called the business meeting of the Lone Star Corvette Club to order at 12:17 p.m.

Greg Thompson thanked everyone for coming today to the club meeting at The Thompson Group Classic Chevrolet. He reminded everyone that The Thompson Group also sales retail and has their own Service Department. Names were drawn for Thompson Group raffle items.

Rick Herrick, President, and his wife Virginia presented a \$5,060.00 check from LSCC to our 2017 Rotating Charity, Patriot Paws.

Rick introduced the LSCC 2017 Officers:

Rick Herrick, President

GH Hodges, Vice President

Terri Krieger, Financial Officer

Sharon Norris, Treasurer

Joe Carrion, 2017 Classic Officer

Gary Nesta, Membership Officer

Joe Hester, Technical Officer

Tony Pittman, Recreational Events Officer

Dennis Corder, Competitive Events Officer

Carolyn Atkins, Recording Secretary

Norm Glowicz, Newsletter Officer

Johnny Downs, NCM Ambassador

Robert Shellberg, Classic Chevrolet Liaison

Linda Shellberg, Public Relations Manager

Gary Nesta, Membership Officer, introduced 5 new members/guests. He also reported LSCC has 1,245 members and 669 memberships as of October 1, 2017. A motion was made, seconded and approved without discussion for all new members listed in the October Newsletter. Anniversary members were recognized.

Carolyn Atkins, Recording Secretary requested a motion to approve the September 2017 Business meeting minutes as published in the October Newsletter. A motion was made, seconded and approved without discussion.

Terri Krieger, Financial Officer, reported on the checking and savings account balances. A motion was made, seconded and approved to accept her report without discussion.

Johnny Downs, NCM Ambassador, presented a 3rd place NCM Newsletter Award plaque to Norm Glowicz.

Johnny Downs, NCM Ambassador, informed the LSCC Members that the 2018 Corvette will cease production in January 2018.

Johnny Downs, NCM Ambassador, reported LSCC won 1st Place for the Club Participation this year at the Eureka Springs Car Show.

Rick Herrick, President, gave an update on the Veteran's Day parade. He still needs some Corvettes.

Rick Herrick, President, presented an award from the N. Texas Corvette Roundup to Tony Pittman. Tony received the Lipscomb Chevrolet Sponsor's Choice Award.

Tom Snodgrass took 2018 Officer Nominations from the LSCC members. Nominations will also be taken at the November meeting.

The following 2018 Officer Nominations are:

President – GH Hodges

Vice-President – John Raiden

Treasurer – Carolyn Atkins

Competitive Events –

Recreational Events – Tony Pittman

Financial Officer – Carolyn Elmore

Technical Officer –

Membership – Gary Nesta

Recording Secretary – Janet Glowicz

Newsletter Editor – Norm Glowicz

Classic Officer 2019 -

Rick asked all LSCC members with birthdays in October to stand and we all sang Happy Birthday to them.

With no further business to discuss, the Business meeting was adjourned at 1:02 p.m.

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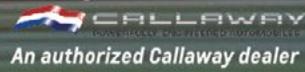
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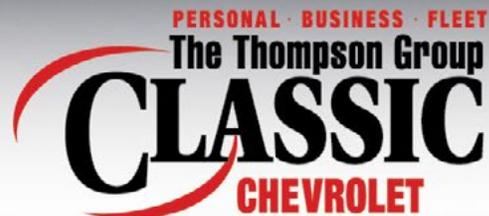
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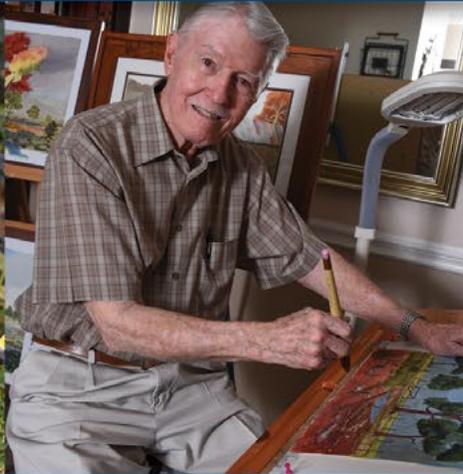


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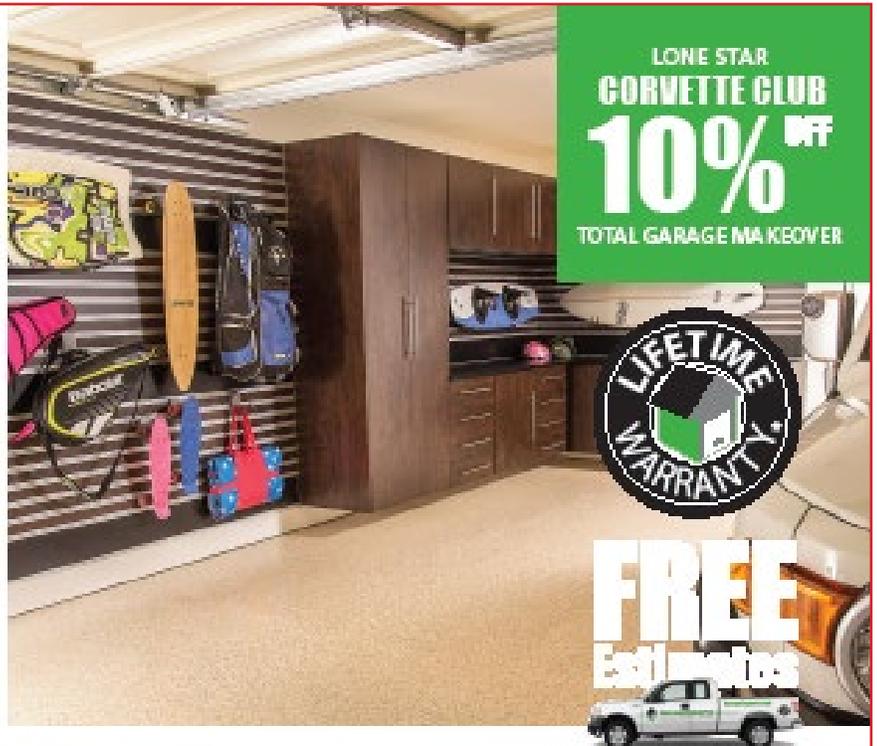
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