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It's May, which means "get my car cleaned and ready for the Classic." I hope you've done that already, and are just sitting back and waiting for the fun to begin.

Speaking of fun, let's talk about rules and procedures. Just kidding, I don't find that fun either, but sometimes it's necessary. At the April Club Meeting, we went over couple of areas where there is often confusion: charitable donations and Board of Director Meetings.

Charitable Donations: our "40/40/20 rule" - that says donations are split 40% to Speedway Children's Charities, 40% to The National Corvette Museum, and 20% to the Club Rotating Charity applies ONLY to funds generated by the Live and Silent Auction during the Lone Star Corvette Classic. Many years ago, the Club Membership decided that SCC and the NCM would be permanent beneficiaries of the Classic, and a third beneficiary would be chosen by the Membership each year to share in the proceeds. The Club makes charitable contributions to other organizations, upon request from a Club member. The Operating Budget approved each year by the Membership includes funds for donations. Requesting a donation is simple: send an email to the President, stating the name of the organization, the \$ amount requested, and some info about what the entity does. The Board of Directors will consider the request at its next meeting.

Board Meetings: all Board Meetings are open for any Club member to audit. Several Club Members do that already. The Board meets at 9:30 on Club Meeting days, and uses an empty room wherever we happen to be meeting. If the door is closed, it's usually because restaurants can get very noisy early in the morning as they get ready for the day. If the Board is scheduled to discuss a specific member, non-voting members may be asked to step out, but that's the only time. In September, we will hold an Open Board Meeting. More details to follow.

Right now, I need to shine my exhausts andclean those headlights. **See ya at the Track!**



Calling on LSCC members!

Your help is needed. Shows and road trips require members to get engaged. The Classic is around the corner and there are many, many volunteer slots that need to be filled. John Raiden, Classic Coordinator is also serving as registration coordinator. A club with over 1,200 members should not continually be asking for support. Involvement is the best way to meet new people and make friends.

The annual trip to the TCA show at Boerne was a huge success as usual. Hats off to Glen Averhoff for his leadership once again. Glen, after many years as coordinator, is stepping down due to his other commitments to LSCC.

Back to the trip, for those who caravanned, about the time dark clouds passed over us without rain and we turned south on Highway 16, off and on precipitation began which got our cars really messy. After our fill of great BBQ at Coopers Old Time Pit Bar-B-Que, we headed on to Boerne. South out of Llano, the bluebonnets and other wild flowers were plentiful and so beautiful. From Fredericksburg to Boerne it poured. The rain stopped enough after the reception that many of us removed the first layer of grime. Saturday, we continued to clean cars and the weather cooperated by not raining until the award ceremony concluded. There were over 400 cars registered. LSCC had about 45 cars and we were well represented at the winner's circle. Congratulations to our winners!

The agenda for next month is: 9:30 am: Board Meeting, Marriott Hotel. 11:30 am - Members' Meet and Greet at the Media Center near Fuzzy's Taco Building(TMS south entrance). 12:15 pm - Business Meeting. There will not be a social meeting to allow coordinators time to meet with volunteers.

Classic 2015 Registration packets will be available for pick up. If you have not registered, you can save time by paying online and also sign up to volunteer.

There will be no food or beverage service.

Bring Auction Items, Food & Drink, and Chairs

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Z06s

We need your ZO6 for display at the Classic

Contact Curt Troster



NCM News

Every year the National Corvette Museum honors its donors with a special event in April. It is described below, but first, a reminder that the deadline is looming for joining our club trip to the NCM.

NCM Visit

Our club trip to the NCM, Hendrick Motorsports, and a number of other interesting destinations begins June 20. It promises to be one of our best trips ever.

We hope you can join us for the entire 12 days. If not, at Every year the NCM hosts a dinner to honor all these doleast visit the Museum with us. You can depart with us on Saturday and be home on Wednesday.

We have been to the NCM under several different circumstances: just the two of us, with a few friends, with huge groups at a major event such as the Bash or last year's Caravan and Anniversary. Our favorite times have been the club visits. The Museum is not crowded and LSCC members are honored guests.

Of course there will be Corvette plant tours. Then we will receive special Museum tours and area road tours to local attractions are available. Maker's Mark distillery is a favorite. We will have our own track day at the Motorsports Park. Even if you are not into track driving, you will enjoy a few touring laps. Finally, we will culminate our visit with a private dinner in the Museum with some special guests to be announced later.

So, come with us to the NCM. We guarantee you will be glad you did.

NCM Support

A rumor has persisted since its opening 20 years ago that the NCM is owned or financially supported by General Motors. This is not true. As an example, the cars raffled by the Museum are purchased at dealer invoice. Also, the Corvettes furnished by GM for display are on loan, not donated. The Museum Delivery option offered by Corvette is great for the Museum, but NCM personnel do the work and the Museum is compensated for that.

GM does help in many ways other than dollars. Corvette employees give time, ideas and use their influence to help the Museum and their members. An example would be Corvette plant manager Dave Tatman bringing the first C7 in Texas to the LSCC Classic to benefit the event which indirectly benefitted the NCM.

All of this background is to emphasize that the NCM depends on its members and Corvette enthusiasts for its survival. These folks, including our club members, visit the Museum, shop in the store, buy raffle tickets, buy bricks, become members and make donations.

To honor those people that do the most to help keep the Museum's doors open, three groups were formed.

> Winners Circle – honors contributors of \$1,000 and above in the previous calendar year.

The Zora Arkus-Duntov Society – honors those who recognize the importance of investing in the National Corvette Museum and have included the Museum in their estate plans.

The Spire Society – honors those who have made cumulative gifts of \$25,000 or more over the last eleven years.

nors. This year the dinner was held on April 24. LSCC was well represented. Those receiving recognition include -

Winner's Circle

Lone Star Corvette Club Linda Ullom Johnny & Edie Downs Andrew & Kelly Guinn Dick Krull Wendell & Jan Strode Rick & Virginia Herrick **Robert & Linda Shellberg** Adam & Kelly Boca

The Zora Arkus-Duntov Society

George Dupont

The Spire Society

Lone Star Corvette Club Dick Coup Johnny & Edie Downs Andrew & Kelly Guinn

Every person in the three donor groups was recognized. All those in attendance were presented a token of appreciation. Sincere thanks were expressed by Wendell Strode, Executive Director, representing the Museum staff and Johnny Downs, Chairman, representing the Board.

For NCM membership, bricks and information, please contact Johnny Downs, 214/384-8565, 903/564-3069 or ediewoww@aol.com.

Competitive

Mike Krieger, Competitive Events Officer

I have gotten a lot of feedback on our upcoming trip to the new road course track at NCM. I have been in contact with Matt Busby (track manager) and we have discussed the best way to make use of our time, knowing that most of the people will not have prior track experience. The following is what we have come up with:

Day 1 - Most of the day will consist of something like Auto-X but not nearly as complicated. It's called "Track-X"; you will drive at your own speed over the 3.15 mile course following cones to position you on the proper track line and gates to slow you down to a safe speed. Click "HERE" for an idea of what Track-X is all about. Depending on the number of people wanting to participate in track driving, we may divide up into two groups; while one group is on the track, the other will have classroom time and then we will rotate groups every hour or so.

Day 2 - The day all of you hot shoes are waiting for! We will divide into groups per experience level and run the track without the Track-X cones. Instructors will be riding with the beginners until Soloed or moved up into the intermediate group. All other drivers (intermediate and advance) will have a check ride with an instructor before being signed off as Solo.

Fear not all of you Rag Top owners! We will have at least a single run group for you on day 2 along with anyone else who prefers more of a touring (lead and follow) speed around the course. There will be no passing in this group and speeds will be held down on the straights for insurance purposes. Here's a video of the full track at "Parade" lap speed (much slower than touring speed). Be sure to kill the sound so you don't have to listen to Terri and me!

If you are thinking of participating in this club event and have yet to sign up, please do so right now; we need an accurate count to make this come off without a hitch.

Now for a few O&A's:

1. Yes, all passengers will need to wear a helmet while on the track; if you have one, bring it. If you need a loaner, please let me know by the end of May.

- 2. Yes, you may participate in a convertible; you will be limited to Track-X and Touring laps......You WILL NOT participate in any of the open track groups unless your car is equipped with an SCCA approved Roll Bar.
- 3. NO, you do not need any prior track experience to enjoy this event, BUT be forewarned, it is EXTREMELY ADDICTIVE and may cause sudden impulses in the near future for another track adrenaline fix!

If you have any questions at all, please contact me.

Autocross

John Slaughter, Coordinator

The LSCC autocross will be held on the third Saturday of each month beginning in March and ending in November. The exception will be May where we will run the Saturday after the LSCC Classic.

We will be holding our events at Brookhaven College. Brookhaven is located at 3939 Valley View Lane (Valley View Lane and Alpha Road) in Farmers Branch. We will be racing on parking lot P2. P2 has about the same useable area as the lot we raced on last year and is concrete rather than asphalt. The link of the Brookhaven <u>campus map</u>.

Setup will begin at 8:30 am. For those helping with set up, be there at 8:30 am. The more help we have the quicker we get to start. Drivers should be there no later than 9:00 am to register and sign waivers. We begin racing at 9:30 am.

The fee to drive is \$15 per car. All drivers and passengers must be members of LSCC. Drivers and passengers must wear a helmet when on the course. Non-members must remain in a designated spectator area and may not enter the pits when anyone is on the course.

Dates for the autocross in 2015 are: **May 23, June 20, July18** (if temperature permits), **August 15** (if temperature permits), **September 19, October 17** and **November 21** (rain date).

I look forward to seeing you there.

Recreational

Curt Troster, Recreational Events Officer

Cars to Cure Cancer Car Show and Relay for Life of Rockwall at Wilkerson Sanders Stadium, Rockwall, Texas, Saturday May 2nd: This year's car show is open to all makes and models of cars, trucks and motorcycles and is being held at the same time as the Relay for Life inside the stadium. Registration is from 1-2 pm with awards at 4 pm. Lots of fun for the whole family with food, vendors and live music. There will be 16 classes with 3 best of show and a people's choice awards. Registration is \$20 with all proceeds going to Relay for Life of Rockwall, benefitting The American Cancer Society. Sign up on the website or contact Curt Troster at Curtis.Troster@xerox.com, for information.

LWorth, Texas, May 15th-17th: This is our big event of the year. Sign up, volunteer and help us raise most of our money we raise for our charities. Car shows, cruises, track events, auctions, vendors, VIP seminars and dinners make up this 3 day event. Go to our website to find where you can help to make this the best Classic we have ever had.

Cruise To Nocona, in Nocona, Texas on May 23rd:
Nocona is the home of the Pete Horton car collection. When we visited two years ago, he had 100 cars.
The count has now surpassed 200! Most of them are
Corvettes. We will cruise the back roads to Nocona on
Saturday morning and tour the collection. Lunch will
follow at the Times Forgotten Steakhouse. In the afternoon we will head north past Lake Nocona on a scenic
drive that will end in Muenster, Texas for some shopping
at Fischer's Meat Market. We may arrange a dinner finale
at one of the German Restaurants in Muenster if there
is adequate interest. There is a limit on the number that
can be served at lunch, so sign up now. More details will
follow as we get closer to the cruise.

Corvettes Cruisin Galveston in Galveston, Texas, May 29th-31st: Hundreds of Corvettes will converge on Galveston for this inaugural event. Lots of activities including a car show on the Strand, many vendors and an 80 mile cruise down the beach. We want to have a good turnout at this event, so go to our website for more information, to sign up, and links to their site.

Vettes and Jets on the Lex 2015 in Corpus Christi, Texas in October: This will more than likely be the last year for this event as the Lady Lex is getting

old and they don't know how much longer her elevators will keep working. Display your Corvette on the deck of the aircraft carrier Lexington. The Lexington has agreed upon a date of 17 and 18 October 2015 but they have NOT finalized the event. Most likely registration will start on May 1 and this event fills fast, so go to www.vettesandjets.org for all the latest updates.

Always check out the LSCC Events Calendar for more information on these events and others and to register. There are always new trips, shows, and volunteer opportunities for your enjoyment. If you have found a show that you like and would be willing to take a group of LSCC members with you the next time you go, let us know and we will add the information to the events calendar.

In-Town Events

Markham Jones, Coordinator

May brings us another nice month of cool weather for the DFW local car show and cruise night season. Hope you have had a chance to attend a few shows and add to your own trophy wall! This month we focus on our own Lone Star Corvette Classic Weekend, but do not forget about all the other shows, events and gatherings held in and around the area. Details about these events and other local shows are available at the Car Shows - Lone Star Corvette Club on both the website and in this newsletter. Remember to check out the members only forum page for any shows that others may already be attending or post up your own plans to attend one as well. If you have any questions or comments, please email me, Markham Jones, at LsccCruiseNights@yahoo.com

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Road*Trips*

Phil Davies, Out-of-Town Events Coordinator

The trip plan is solidifying. All members who signed up have received hotel accommodation information and a spread sheet of activities and sites by day. If you did not receive this information or if you are interested in making this trip, please contact me(Phil Davies). The information below details the locations and sights we will see on the trip. Check out the links below for additional information. Our trip will start 20 June and we will be back to DFW metroplex on 1 July. There are so many cool places to visit; you could say there are five trips packed into one. We will experience Country Music, Corvettes, NASCAR, America's big house, motorcycle history, country roads and most importantly, get better acquainted with other LSCC members. This trip is planned in such a way that you can go for the full ticket or any part of it. Here are some sights we will take in:

Nashville, TN:

- **Gaylord Opryland** I really wanted to stay at this hotel, but the contract and pricing just was not worth the sizzle.
- Country Hall of Fame and Museum Music and history lovers can mix and mingle over the exhibits and peruse the plaques dedicated to country music's finest. There is the two-story wall plastered with every gold and platinum country record produced, and then you can head to Studio B. One of the world's most influential recording studios and a Music Row Landmark, Studio B produced more than 35,000 songs by legends like Dolly Parton, Waylon Jennings and Roy Orbison. For an interactive history lesson on the roots and evolution of country music, take a self-guided walk through the Sing Me Back Home: A Journey Through Country Music exhibit, which spans two floors of the museum. http://countrymusichalloffame.org/ContentPages/visit
- Ryman Auditorium Known as the mother church of country music, this building has become a Nashville institution and part of many country music legends' careers. http://ryman.com/history

Bowling Green, KY:

 NCM Motorsport Park - LSCC has exclusive use of the new NCM racetrack facilities for two days which means we can set up our own schedule. As Mike Krieger shared in last month's LSCC Newsletter: "Think of this as a "Street Survival"

- course to improve your everyday driving skills. There will be some classroom time, along with seat time practicing collision avoidance, freeway speed maneuvers, lead and follow track time at a slower freeway speed (for the nonadrenaline junkies) and some open lap time for those who wish to exercise all the ponies under the right foot." http://www.motorsportspark.org/facility/track-map/
- **NCM Experience** LSCC will have the opportunity to participate in the "NCM Xperience" which can be arranged through Johnny Downs. Your Corvette receives an exterior cleaning and is then displayed on the floor of the Museum delivery area, similar to the highly requested NCM delivery (R8C) Program. You will be given a VIP plant tour and Museum tour as part of the program, and are also given a one-year individual membership to the Museum, commemorative plaque, silver decal recognizing participation in the program, and an individual photograph in front of the Museum - weather permitting. Cost of the Xperience program is \$500. There is special merchandise that can be purchased showcasing the "NCM Xperience" logo and you can purchase bricks in a special commemorative section. http://www.corvettemuseum.org/experience/index.shtml
- Corvette Assembly Plant tour GM began production of the esteemed Corvette in Bowling Green in 1981, and the facility has remained the exclusive home of the Corvette. We will watch the fascinating assembly process of America's favorite sports car. On this walking tour, we will witness an engineering marvel as the chassis and body come together in "marriage" and brand new Corvettes roll off the assembly line. http://www.corvettemuseum.org/plant_tours/index.shtml and http://www.corvettemuseum.org/yiptour/
- NCM tour Corvette enthusiasts from all over the world kindly and lovingly refer to the NCM as their home ... Their Mecca. A guided tour of the Museum will take us on a stroll through Corvette's history, its racing heritage, and give you a glimpse at the Corvette lifestyle. We will be taken behind the scenes to look at the National Corvette Museum Delivery and prep area where all of the Museum delivery cars are detailed and inspected before the new owners come for their scheduled delivery, plus a peek behind the exhibit area where many cars are stored when not on display.
- Kentucky Country Tour There are several sidetrip options on your own: bourbon distillery,

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cheese factory, cave tours.

Charlotte, NC:

- **Rick Hendrick's car collection** The Hendrick Heritage Center is a breathtaking 58,000 square foot museum dedicated to the heritage of Rick Hendrick and his passion for classic and highperformance cars. This museum is not open to the public, so being invited to see it is an honor. Stepping inside the door will take you back to when American muscle cars ruled the street and gas was only 31 cents a gallon. The Heritage Center currently houses more than 100 of the finest and rarest automobiles you will ever see in one place. It is hard to find pictures, but this link is for Brad Paisley's "Old Alabama" video, which was shot in the Heritage Center, local area and used cars from the collection. https://www.youtube. com/watch?v=ZDRfrVMrV6Q
- Hendrick Motorsports Since 1984, Hendrick Motorsports has earned a record 11 car owner championships in NASCAR's premier division, the Sprint Cup Series. The organization fields four full-time Chevrolet teams on the Sprint Cup circuit with drivers Kasey Kahne, Jeff Gordon, Jimmie Johnson and Dale Earnhardt Jr. Kasey **Kahne (#5)** enters his fourth year with Hendrick Motorsports and has 17 wins and 84 top 5 finishes. **Jeff Gordon (#24)** is a four-time NASCAR Series champion, a three-time Daytona 500 winner, a five-time Brickyard 400 winner and is the third all-time most winning NASCAR driver. This will be Jeff's last year of racing, so if you are a fan, you will want see his garage area. **Jimmy** Johnson (#48) continues to chase history entering the 2015 NASCAR Sprint Cup season with six championship titles (he needs one more title to catch NASCAR Hall of Famers Dale Earnhardt Sr. and Richard Petty). **Dale Earnhardt Jr** is a thirdgeneration driver in a family forever connected to the sport of stock-car racing; race fans have selected him a record 12 consecutive times as the winner of NASCAR's Most Popular Driver award. http://www.hendrickmotorsports.com/
- RCR Museum Richard Childress Racing is compiled of Richard's grandson, Austin Dillon #3, Paul Menard (#27) and Ryan Newman (#31) and is home of the Goodwrench Chevrolet that Dale Earnhardt Sr. piloted for 17 years and earned seven NASCAR championship titles. http://www.rcrracing.com/about/?cid=45946
- Childress Vineyards Childress Vineyards features 72 acres of vineyards. White varieties include Viognier, Chardonnay, Pinot Gris, Sauvi-

- gnon Blanc and Riesling. The red varieties are Merlot, Cabernet Sauvignon, Cabernet Franc, Petit Verdot, Malbec and Syrah. They have an outstanding restaurant and wine shop; so guess where we'll have lunch! http://www.childress-vineyards.com/
- Charlotte Motor Speedway The Over the Wall Tour is designed for the hard-core NASCAR fan. This intimate group tour includes all the details of the Feel the Thrill Tour. In addition to a detailed visit to the zMAX Dragway and The Dirt Track at Charlotte, we will have a walking tour through The Speedway Club and visit one of the 113 suites, Performance Racing Network (PRN) studios, and experience the breathtaking view of Charlotte Motor Speedway from the top of the Ford Grandstand. Later we will cruise down pit road and experience first-hand the feel of the 24 degree banking. We can tour the Media Center and take a walk down memory lane as we view timeless photos of CMS history. http://www. charlottemotorspeedway.com/dragway/tours/
- Billy Graham Library (optional) Famous evangelist Billy Graham started his ministry in 1949.
 His library is a public museum documenting his life and ministry and includes a dairy bar café, bookstore and lovely grounds. http://www.billygrahamlibrary.org/

Asheville, NC:

- Biltmore Estate Completed in 1895, George Vanderbilt's 250-room chateau is as impressive today as it was more than a century ago. Biltmore House is truly a wonder of architecture and hospitality. We plan to tour the house, as well as the beautiful gardens and grounds surrounding it, designed by renowned landscape architect Frederick Law Olmsted. http://www.biltmore.com/
- Downtown Asheville Shop historic downtown Asheville which is known for art deco, beaux arts and neoclassical styles. Artists and street musicians add to the boutique shopping experience. http://www.exploreasheville.com/
- Lake Lure (Optional) The Lodge on Lake Lure is the only accommodation on the shores of picturesque Lake Lure. Chimney Rock Park is within 15 minutes of the Lodge. Flat Rock Playhouse, Downtown Hendersonville and the music scene of Asheville are close by. Waterfalls, State and National Parks and mountain hiking are within reach. http://www.lodgeonlakelure.com/
- Maggie Valley Visit The Wheels Through Time Museum, which is the home of the world's Continue to Road Trips on Page ...8

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premier collection of rare American Vintage motorcycles. Almost all of the historic machines on display are kept in running and operating condition. http://www.wheelsthroughtime.com/

- Moonshiner 28 It's fast becoming one of the great must-do roads of western North Carolina with very scenic sights, if you slow down enough to see them. http://moonshiner28.com/
- Tail of the Dragon Spirited drive taking in the well-known section of 318 curves in 11 miles. It's been deemed American's number one road for sports cars. The road is bordered by the Great Smoky Mountains and the Cherokee National Forest, with no intersecting roads or driveways to interrupt your drive. http://tailofthedragon.com/

Chattanooga, TN: Overnight stop on our way back home. http://www.choochoo.com/

Vicksburg, MS: Overnight stop on our way back home with happy hour in the hotel lobby waiting for us when we arrive.



Texas Chapter of the NCRS

The Texas Chapter of the NCRS extends a Texas-sized welcome to you and your family for the 2015 Lone Star Regional at the Embassy Suites Dallas / Frisco Hotel & Convention Center!

We look forward to seeing you (and your Corvette!) October 22-24, 2015 at this outstanding indoor 26,000 square foot facility in Frisco (just north of Dallas), Texas.

The latest event information will be posted to the Texas Chapter website: www.ncrstexas.org

What Does That Corvette Nickname Mean?

Click HERE to find out!!!!

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LSSC 2015 Classic Display

This year we will be featuring the **Z06** in our display at the LSCC Corvette Classic. We need a 2001 or '02 or '03 Z06 as well as a new C7 Z06 to feature in the display. Please contact Curt Troster at Curtis.troster@xerox.com. Remember all cars must be registered as either Show N Shine or judged in the Classic. These cars will be parked near the vendors at the car show Saturday.

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REVIN' UP ROANOKE

April 9th, 2015

It was a great evening at the second annual Revin' Up Roanoke! There was music, cars, downtown dining and walking down Oak Street to see the Corvette cars on display. Thank you to **Jack Ingram, Larry Joe Taylor, Katye Hamlin, Greg Biffle, Brendan Gaughan, 99.5 The Wolf, Texas Motor Speedway**, **The Thompson Group at Classic Chevrolet and the Lone Star Corvette Club** for joining us!! Special thanks to Ric Atkins for coordinating the event.













Texas Corvette Association's 23rd Annual Open Car Show Boerne, Texas

April 17th - 19th, 2015

By Glen Averhoff

On Friday morning, April 17th, 34 Corvettes caravanned to Boerne, TX for the Texas Corvette Association All Car Show. They travelled in 6 groups (led by the Atkins, Davies and Orricks, Herricks, Hodges, Sorrells and Averhoffs) from Benbrook, stopping for a great lunch at the original Cooper's BBQ in Llano. Rain was encountered along the last 20-30 miles of the trip, but it didn't dampen anyone's spirits as the group was ready for the first big LSCC outing of 2015. A Friday evening "Meet and Greet" was hosted by the TCA at Ye Kendall Inn and LSCC was well represented at the event, easily making up the largest group in attendance.

14 other LSCC cars (including 12 Corvettes, a 1970 Dodge Charger and a 1965 GTO) went "on their own" to Boerne, including our Lone Wolf caravan (Wayne and Lynnell Allen) from the Houston area.

Participants stayed at Ye Kendall Inn (all 37 rooms, which also are reserved for 2016), the Hampton Inn and the Crescent Quarters Inn.

The Texas Corvette Association reported there were 425 entries in their All Car Show, of which it was estimated that 300-325 were Corvettes.

Although steady rain came down Friday afternoon and night, the skies cleared for a beautiful, cool day for the Saturday car show held on Main Street and the Plaza. Many enjoyed checking out the eclectic shops and boutiques, along with a variety of places to eat (in addition to the food vendors at the car show).

Twenty LSCC ladies had a wonderful luncheon at the Creek Restaurant, hosted by Kristina Davies. This made for a welcome break from shopping and the car show and the "chatter" was delightful to hear as new friends were made and others caught up on each other's lives. This was the third annual such event and it was truly a blast!

The awards ceremony was held at 3 o'clock and LSCC had several winners. At the conclusion of awards, the skies once again started opening up with a light spattering of rain which made for a nice cool atmosphere for lot lizard parties going on in various parts of the hotel. Saturday evening supper was enjoyed at many of the local restaurants.



Sunday dawned bright and early as everyone was left on their own to gather with friends and choose a route for the return trip to the Metroplex. Since Kerrie was headed to Midland to see her sister, I decided to once again have a look at all the beautiful bluebonnets and other wildflowers along TX Hwy 16. I was joined by John Hart in his Z06

and we enjoyed the bright clear day and a little spirited driving before stopping for a very good lunch at the Smoke-stack Restaurant on I-20. Once again our annual trip to Boerne had rejuvenated us and made us ready to return in 2016.

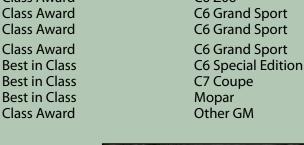
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List of winners:
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John & Suzanna Main
Don Stewart & Judy Butler
David & Jackie Orrick
Wayne & Lynnell Allen
Phil & Kristina Davies
Ed & Shelley Haven
Ray & Denice Kaspar
John & Rebecca Raiden
Pat & Roberta Amendola
Glen & Kerrie Averhoff
Phil & Connie Key
Phil & Carolyn Elmore
Ken & Jean Hill
Mark & Shellie Benton
Chris & Gabe Sorrells
Ken & Charlotte Smith

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26TH ANNUAL LONE STAR CORVETTE CLASSIC MAY 15TH - 17TH

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Schedule of Activities



Join us as we celebrate our 26th Annual Classic

Friday – May 15th: While some of you are testing your skills at the Autocross, others will want to join Dawn Stokes with *Total Driving Experience* as she conducts seminars to help you gain Road Course knowledge for Sunday's Track Day. Or you might want to see some BIG money being made with a caravan to Fort Worth and a tour of the US Bureau of Engraving and Printing. But whatever you do during the day, be sure you're at the *Texas Motor Speedway* by 6:15 pm. That's when we'll head out for the KICK UP YOUR HEELS PARTY at the *Circle R Ranch* in Flower Mound. Led by the great folks at *Texas Motor Speedway*, we'll cruise from the Oval Track at TMS to a real dude ranch, complete with longhorns! Park your Vette on the lawn at the ranch house, enjoy barbecue in the enclosed pavilion, shoot some pool in the backroom, or just relax with a drink by the campfire and catch up with your Corvette pals.

Saturday – May 16th: The Show N Shine Car Show will once again be a Top 100 format. The Top 50 cars in each Division – Member and Non-Member – will be awarded. The Judged Car Show will be by class with judging done by experienced LSCC Club members (it is not NCRS level judging) who are looking primarily for cleanliness. Both Member and Non-Member Best of Show awards will be given, as well as a Judges' Choice Award, along with several specialty awards and picks.

Wil Cooksey, former Corvette Plant Manager, is scheduled to attend. Other special guests will be announced at the show and in the Event Program. The *Texas Motor Speedway* staff will be conducting tours of the track. As always, our wide array of vendors will have lots of new items at great prices. *GM* and *Classic Chevrolet* will have the latest models on display and *GM* will also bring out some great cars for test-drives during the day. *Christian Classic Cruisers* will be playing old favorites from the '50's and '60's.

All activities at TMS will end at 3:00 pm to give you plenty of time to get ready for a fun-filled Saturday evening at the Marriott Hotel.

Saturday Evening: Starting off with Happy Hour, we'll serve a plated dinner. The Live Auction will feature our old friend and previous auctioneer, Weldon Floyd. As in the past, there will be several activities occurring at the same time after the Live Auction. For those entered in the car shows, awards will be presented in the Main Ballroom, starting with Special Awards. There will also be Texas Hold'em Poker and the Silent Auction in rooms across from the Main Ballroom. (The Silent Auction will continue until approximately 9:30 pm.) A cash bar will be available for those who want to meet and greet old friends.

Sunday - May 17th: It's Track Day, with lots of 'Vette driving activities. Enjoy some laps around the TMS Oval Track or head to the Road Course to test your driving skills or do both!

The Classic supports our LSCC beneficiaries:

Speedway Children's Charities The National Corvette Museum Rotating Charity to be announced

Host Hotel: DFW Marriott Hotel and Golf Club

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2015 Recreational Events Schedule

Date	Event	Online Signup	Location	Trip Coordinator
May 2	Cars to Cure Cancer/Relay for Life	yes	Rockwall TX	Curt Troster
May 15-17	LSCC Classic	yes	Fort Worth	John Raiden
May 23	Cruise to Nocona	yes	Nocona TX	Johnny Downs
May 29-31	Corvettes Cruisin Galveston	yes	Galveston TX	Curt Troster
June 5	Oklahoma Corvette Roundup	N/A	Edmond Ok	
June 7	Hot Rod Power Tour	yes	Illinois to Louisiana	Glen Averhoff
June 19-20	NCCO Corvettes at the Grand	yes	Shawnee Ok	John Raiden
June 20-30	NCM and Hendrick Motorsports	yes	Bowling Green-Charlotte	Phil Davies
July 11-18	Black Hills Corvette Classic	N/A	Sioux Falls/Spearfish SD	
Aug 21-23	Summers End Corvette Show		Rogers Ark	Bob Paton
Sept 16-19	Mecum Auction / Volunteers		Dallas Convention Center	Craig Satterfield
Sept 18-19	Tudor Series Race at CODA	yes	Austin TX	Chris Sorrells
Oct 1-4	Eureka Springs Corvette Weekend		Eureka Springs Ark	Phil Davies
Oct 2-4	Goodguys Fall Lone Star Nationals		Texas Motor Speedway	Ric Atkins & Bob Young
Oct 10	Brazos River Corvette Classic		Granbury TX	
Oct 17	Cowtown Corvette Classic		Ft Worth TX	
Oct 17-18	Vettes and Jets on the Lex 2015	TBD	Corpus Christi TX	TBD
Oct 23-24	Heritage Square Corvette Show		Sulphur Springs TX	Bob Paton

Welcome New Members

Membership Milestones

Mark and Debi Baker
Robert Barsamian
Priscilla Burch-Scott
Bill and Beverly Burke
Andy and Julia Burt
John and Vivian Bush
Tom and Eloise Chapman
Curtis and Angelina Daniel
Doug and Shelly Duvall
Jim and Karon Frierson
Luis Guadarrama

William and Tanika Hart
Chad and Beth Huffhines
Steve Liddell
Lorne Liechty
Tina Meeker
David Meyer
John and Bibiana Parker
Melanie and Robert Sanders
Greg and Kelli Thompson
Robbie and Richard Warrell
Mike and Michele Woolsey

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15 - Year Members

Mike and Pam Dale
Charlie and Cindy Ford
Charlie and Peggy Magill
Greg and Marcie Rumsey
Brock and Kathy Wilson
Don and Kelly Davis
Jerry and Deberah Holsworth
Dick Krull

10 - Year Members

Alton and Susan Dobbins Jimmy and Glenda O'Neal Brenda Reuland

5 - Year Members

Bob and Lori Hora
Steve and Sharon Zieverink
Kermit and Shirley Dye
Bryan and Willie Malatesta
Jerry and Teri McEachern
Will and Tammy King



MEMBERS BUSINESS MEETING MINUTES Lone Star Corvette Club Classic Chevrolet, Grapevine, TX April 11, 2015

Robert Shellberg, President, called the business meeting of the Lone Star Corvette Club to order at 12:15pm. Robert thanked Classic Chevrolet for hosting our meeting and providing lunch. Robert introduced the LSCC 2015 officers:

Rick Herrick, Vice-President Gary Nesta, Newsletter Editor Mike Kreiger, Competitive Events Officer Bryan Baines, Technology Officer Terri Kreiger, Financial Officer Sharon Troster, Treasurer Glen Averhoff, Membership Officer Curt Troster, Recreational Events Officer Carolyn Atkins, Recording Secretary Judy Garrett, Public Relations Manager Johnny Downs, NCM Ambassador

Craig Satterfield, Classic Chevy Liaison

John Raiden, Classic 2015 Officer

Standing in for the Recording Secretary, Glen Averhoff, requested a motion to approve the March Business meeting minutes as published in the April newsletter. A motion was made, seconded, with no discussion, and approved.

Terri Kreiger, Financial Officer, reported the following balances:

Savings - \$25,272.95 and Operating Fund - \$69,838.29. A motion was made, seconded, and with no discussion, approved.

Glen Averhoff, Membership Officer, reported 662 active memberships, with a total of 1248 active members. A motion was made to approve new members as published in the April newsletter, was seconded, with no discussion, and approved. Glen announced Joe and Louise Dyoub had reached their 20th anniversary in the Club and were now Lifetime members. He also presented Lifetime membership pins to Tony and Tega Pittman. Five new members/guests introduced themselves.

Robert announced an open Board of Directors meeting will be held at the September meeting. All members are invited to attend and ask questions about the operation of the Board.

Robert also addressed the Club's charitable donations distributions. The monies raised from the Classic auctions are divided as follows: 40% to the Speedway Children's Fund, 40% to the National Corvette Museum, and 20% to the member-chosen, yearly rotating charity. He explained the Club also has a budgeted amount of \$13,000.00 for additional donation requests. Any member may request a donation by making a written request containing the name, amount, and reason to the President. The President will present it at the next Board of Directors meeting for review and approval or denial.

Robert asked people with April birthdays to stand and we sang Happy Birthday to them.

The Business meeting was adjourned at 12:30pm

2015 Coordinators

Drag Racing

Martha Kaus (972) 524-7333 yikes2000ss@aol.com

Autocross

John Slaughter (972) 636-9227 jrs@slaughterfamily.com

Out-Of-Town Events

Phil Davies pkdavies@verizon.net

Open Road Racing

Mike Black mfb817@yahoo.com

HPDE Days

Mike Krieger CorvetteTrackDays@gmail.com

> **Cruise Nights & In-Town Car Displays**

Markham Jones LSCCCruiseNights@yahoo.com

Autorama/Chevy Expo

Robert Shellberg <u>Irbag@aol.com</u>

NCRS

Hugh Preacher (214) 334-4881 hughipreacher@aol.com

Dallas New Car Show

Allen Kaus (972) 467-0271 kaus11503@aol.com

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Rick & Rita Hazen rickritah@aol.com

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Martha Kaus (972) 524-7333 yikes2000ss@aol.com

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Classic Chevrolet

Craig Satterfield icucorvette02j@swbell.net

Texas Motor Speedway

Tom Snodgrass (214) 341-5065

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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

MAY 2015 EVENTS GALENDAR

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
26	27	28	29	30	1	2
						Cars To Cure
						Cancer Car
						Show
3	4	5	6	7	8	9
8 am Drag Racing -						LSCC Meeting
North Star						Texas Motor
Dragway -Denton						Speedway
10	11	12	13	14	15	16
				Classic 2015	Classic 2015 RV	Classic 2015 RV
				RV Parking	Parking	Parking
					26th Annual	26th Annual
					Lone Star	Lone Star
					Corvette Classic	Corvette Classic
					2015	2015
17	18	19	20	21	22	23
Classic 2015 RV						Cruise To
Parking						Nocona
26th Annual Lone						Autocross at
Star Corvette						Brookhaven
Classic 2015						College
					29	30
					1St Annual	1St Annual
24	25	26	27	28	Corvettes	Corvettes
					Cruisin	Cruisin
					Galveston	Galveston
31	1	2	3	4	5	6
1St Annual					Big Cypress	Big Cypress
Corvettes Cruisin					Corvette Classic -	Corvette Classic
Galveston					Jefferson TX	- Jefferson TX
						LSCC Meeting -
						Casa Cha Cha

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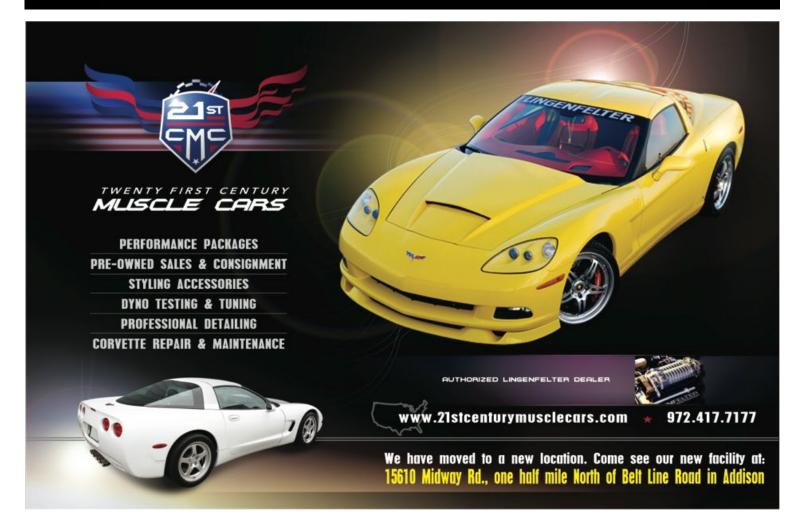
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2014 Charcoal Grey Coupe with Red leather seats. 7-Speed Manual. Low Serial Number. Optional Wheels, Red brake rotors, Optional Exhaust, Glass Roof. Mileage..5,175 Price...\$52,900 Need to sell due to health issues.

Bob Redmon...972-890-5146

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Jim at vettn71@aol.com or 214-912-9577(voice or text).



1969 Convertible, Monza Red/Red Leather. Not your typical C3, all original/numbers matching drive train, recent body on restoration incl engine/ trans rebuild, 427/390hp, 4 speed, factory AC, new RWL Goodyear bias ply tires, transistor ignition, factory side pipes (not original), PS, PB, PW, tilt-tele, AM/FM, hard top, very special car \$57,500. 214/457-5940

denjamo@sbcglobal.net



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3/14



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gine, trans, diff). New clutch, PP, and U-joints. All suspension and brake components, vacuum hoses, actuators were replaced. Headlight housings rebuilt. Complete interior. PS, PB, Tilt/Tele, AM/FM. New exhaust. All gauges rebuilt, or replaced. New dash Pads, Rally Wheels, Firestone Wide Oval tires (bias), Speakers, Rear window defogger, Luggage Rack, and pass side mirror. Max of 1,000 miles since the restoration was completed. Clean car, always garaged and covered. Must see to appreciate. \$38,000

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FOR SALE

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Call Joe @ 817-355-0407

FOR SALE

8/14*

1979 Corvette Coupe Velocity Yellow. This show-winner is for sale to make room for another project. This beautiful restoration includes interior, tires, bottom up engine and matching transmission rebuild, extra glass T-tops and customsound. Asking \$17,900

> Norm Walker 972-849-2050 norm.walker@charter.net

FOR SALE



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