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'GLASS GAZETTE

DuCard Winery Tour

By: Shawn Waddell

Nineteen Corvettes!!! So we started at Home Depot in South Riding. Headed towards Aldie and Middleburg. Hit the Plains road thinking Smokey and the Bandit but more like Driving Miss Daisy. We unfortunately were behind a motorcycle with a gentlemen and lady on it. I think the motorcycle was stuck in gear and I think his rear view mirrors were broken. So we headed down 55 thru Marshall (25mph). Then the pièce de résistance, Crest Hill Road. The Corvettes seemed possessed at times and had a mind of their own. Kris came on the Walkie and said go faster so that's what we did (45mph).



The scenery was outstanding the mountain peaks gorgeous the weather could not have been more beautiful. What a fantastic day. We seemed to have lost Marsha she ran out of gas and had to refill, BUT she caught us up when we were pulling into the winery. Hmm she must have had a police escort...

So the reason we went, we arrived at DuCard, Scott El-liff the owner and Marty Mitchell manager extraordinaire arranged VIP parking. Everyone arrived safely and happy. After chatting for a while, we all went into DuCard and did a tasting. There was a lot of wine that we all shared, there was a nice person who purchased that. They had BBQ ready for us, a tent was put out for NVCC, they had



a blue grass band, and plenty of dogs and cats for adoption. Awesome day, roads and especially the members of NVCC. Thank you everyone!



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THE 4TH OF JULY LEESBURG PARADE

By: Bob Devery



A few NVCC members joined 20 fellow Corvette owners from Old Dominion Corvette Club for the annual parade in Leesburg on July 4. The blue sky day allowed for tops down for many of the vehicles.

Randy Taylor, Dick Hammaker, Yas and Doreen Kinashi and Carol/I were in the line of Corvettes that formed. It was interesting to note that we were once again "sandwiched in" between the Teslas and the Jeeps in the pre-parade section!

I have not seen a parade route as crowded in any of the years that we have done it. Nice to see the participation, especially among the young folk.

Later that evening, a number of us ... Rick Poage & his Mom, Paul Cestone, Carol and I, Mike Gilliland/ Candace and Audrey Cupples headed over to Artie's in Fairfax for dinner and then went to the fireworks at Fairfax High School where we agreed that we saw one of the best fireworks displays ever. A good day for both events!



THE PRESIDENT'S CORNER—JULY 2019



The September 2019 issue of Corvette Magazine has an interesting article on a throwback build of a 1983 Corvette concept car (the year that Corvette did not release a car for production). Of course the only 'real' 1983 Corvette is at the NCM (it was one of the test mules that was not destroyed). The build car in question used a 1985 'distressed' survivor for its baseline. It is the subject of a July History Channel show that many of us will see. Since 1983 would have been the 30th Anniversary year the build car has some styling peculiarities, like the split rear window and analog instrumentation on the dash (rather than the C4 digital dashboard). A blower on the 1985 L98 engine produces ridiculous power for any 1983 production model. Still, it's an aspirational build for what we all know to be an aspirational car. We love our Corvettes and tend to find ways to make them our own.

Meanwhile the tension is growing for the 2020 Corvette reveal. I for one am hoping there will be one at the NCM, for those of us headed to Bowling Green, but we have no guarantee. Thanks again to Dick Hammaker, Jerry Lelansky and Bob Devery for pulling this together.

At his writing we are looking forward to the annual Picnic. It promises to be a good one with over 40 members signed up. We should have a lot of fun. We have been corresponding with Richard and know that he looks forward to seeing all of us. Many thanks to all of those that are helping this year with set up, cooking and cleaning. You folks are the very best.

For all those who are joining the Starks for our 1969 party, Candace and I look forward to seeing you there. Our special thanks goes out to John and Lynn Stark for putting this together. I believe you will see John Stark and myself dressed as Rowin and Martin for the occasion (I will be saying goodnight Dick over and over again). Please jump in where you can to help, I know John and Lynn will appreciate that.

Thanks to Yas Kinashi for the recurring Corvettes and Coffee at Cascades. Let's all get out on the 29th and support this great NVCC and Old Dominion get together. This one takes place a little later on Saturday morning so sleeping late shouldn't keep you from stopping by.



The Shawn Waddell NVCC Barrel Oak Vineyards cruise is planned for August 4th. Shawn always makes this one special. Last year we took over the side room and turned it into an all day NVCC party. I'm guessing we will do the same this year.

Again, for all of you going to Carlisle, we look forward to seeing you at the club tent. There will be parking for all the club members and volunteers that have signed up prior to June 22nd. For those who signed up your packet will have a letter with directions to our NVCC parking area. We plan a Friday night get together at our hotel; we hope to see many of you there. Thanks to Jane for setting up our accommodations and Friday dinner. I am interested in how many of us want to join the Saturday night parade at Carlisle, please let me know if you want to join in. My personal thanks again to all of you who have volunteered to man our club tent on the Carlisle grounds.

Dick Hammaker and Kris McCandless are looking for to a big turnout for the September Fall Rallye. Again, if you can't find a navigator, please contact Dick and Kris for help teaming you up. I am hoping to be a participant in this one for a change. These events are a lot of work and deserve your participation.

For all those attending Free State Corvette Club's Corvette Weekend at Ocean City in October, please get your rooms reserved soon. We hope to have a big group parading on the Boardwalk with the NVCC group this year (the NVCC will get prime space near the front thanks to Rich Mars). Again, we plan on a meet and greet after the parade.

Whether it's a celebration of anniversaries past or present, or your Corvette is a classic or just off the line, I want to thank you for all you do to honor your cars and your Club. Your support and friendship is priceless. Once again, that's it for this month. Here's hoping for blue skies and unblemished highways and byways for the remainder of our 50th NVCC year!

Mike Gilliland
NVCC President
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CORVETTES AT CARLISLE 2019

OFFICIAL NVCC 50TH ANNIVERSARY EVENT

As you know, the Club has reserved a block of rooms for Corvettes at Carlisle in 2019. It will be one of the biggest NVCC 50th Anniversary celebrations - and rooms are going fast! Please see booking information below (and note these rooms are for the convenience of NVCC members only):

NVCC ROOM BLOCK FOR CORVETTES AT CARLISLE 2019

Block Name to Request: "NVCC 50th" group block

Rate: \$129.99/night + tax

Cancellation Policy: up to **48 hrs** prior to arrival

Hotel: Red Roof Inn

Phone: (717) 706-3862

Address: 1450 Harrisburg Pike, Carlisle PA 17015

of Rooms/Nights Reserved: 0 left of 15 rooms – Thursday (Aug 22)

Filled 23 of 30 rooms – Friday (Aug 23)

Filled 23 of 30 rooms – Saturday (Aug 24)

**BREAKFAST INCLUDED
EVERY DAY YUM**

**FIRST BLOCK SOLD
OUT—SO ROOMS
WERE ADDED AND
CUT OFF DATE EX-
TENDED. BOOK
YOUR ROOM BEFORE
JULY 13!**

NOTE: Group held until 7/13/19 or until sold out; the 50th committee will request additional rooms if they're not sold out.

AND ... NVCC needs volunteers to staff our hospitality tent on the Fun Field at Carlisle. We don't have exact placement yet; however, our position will be significantly improved if management sees 20+ show registrations by NVCC members. That will also earn our Club special notice, like advertising our tent location in the show program and recognition of our 50th Anniversary!

Be sure to choose your Corvette Club membership as you register online for the show.

Your participation in this event is important and appreciated - even an hour or a day helps your Club! Whether you stay at the Club hotel, or travel to and from the show on the same day, please let Vicki Scott know (email: merryva@outlook.com).

All NVCC members and guests are welcome at the Club's hospitality tent!

Thank you from the NVCC 50th Anniversary Committee

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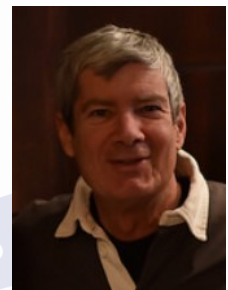
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NVCC GENERAL BUSINESS MEETING MINUTES

JUNE 25, 2019— EVELYN MCKAY, SECRETARY

Officers Present:

Mike Gilliland, President
John Scott, Vice President
Omar Gordon, Treasurer

Evelyn McKay, Secretary

The meeting began at 7:35 pm at Page Chevrolet in Alexandria, VA and was presided over by Mike Gilliland, President. Past presidents attending were Dick Hammaker, Kris McCandless, and Rick Poage. New members present were: Randy DeAngelis and Paul and Carol Caporossi. All members introduced themselves.

Approval of Minutes: The May 2019 minutes were approved.

Car Show – Mike Gilliland

The car show was incredible! Mike thanked everyone at the meeting who had participated. It was the most successful car show ever! A donation of \$6,287.82 will be made to the MS charity. All proceeds from the show go to this charity, and this is our largest donation in club history. Page Chevrolet generously donated \$5,000, and Mike mentioned that NVCC donated greater than \$1,200. All members should be proud of their work! Eighty cars were registered with 76 cars attending the day of the show.

It was noted that more walk-ins could have been accommodated. A sign advertising the car show could have been placed outside and closer to the road to attract spectators. A permit is needed to advertise on the side of the highway, and Jim Dobish can assist with securing a permit for next year's show.

George Durk (Car Show Chair) mentioned that 100 tee-shirts were ordered for the show. Approximately one-half were sold. They are now selling in the NVCC store for \$10 each. It was noted that larger sizes are needed for next year.

Dick Hammaker presented "a little something" (tee-shirt) for George's outstanding efforts chairing the show. Thank you, George!

NCM Trip – Kris McCandless and Dick Hammaker

Dick noted that details for the NCM trip are in the newsletter, and Kris discussed the cruise to the museum. The first day will have an early meet-up time at a place to be determined. There will be stops in Waynesboro, lunch in Beckley, then on to Lexington for an early dinner. Please bring your radios.

On Sunday, the Kentucky state trooper will lead the tour to Maker's Mark Distillery with some spirited driving. For participants that do not wish to keep up, Kris will provide the route. Remember to keep the cruise "tight". Also, for participants in the rear, you will find the "slinky effect" and need to drive faster to keep up. Therefore, if you wish to go at your own pace, be sure to see Kris for the route.

July 14 Picnic – Mike Gilliland

We have 26 responses for the picnic at Rich Anderson's home. At this date, we usually have more responses, and members are encouraged to attend this wonderful event with delicious home-cooked food. Rich also has a magnificent collection of collector cars including 6 Corvettes from Generations C1-C6. Rich is very welcoming, and we are looking for a good turn-out.

Kris will lead a cruise from Dulles Town Center to the picnic. He has chosen good roads and will include a gas/restroom stop. Please bring radios. Driving directions will also be posted online. The festivities end at 2 pm-3 pm.

The original drawing of Rich's 1969 Corvette will be presented to Rich at the picnic. This artwork is the same as was printed on the car show tee-shirts.

Volunteers are needed for:

- Arriving early to set-up food
- Barbeque food
- Clean Up

Please contact Vicki Scott to volunteer.

Cruise to DuCard Winery – Mike Gilliland

Shawn lead a great cruise to DuCard Winery. All attendees had a relaxing and pleasant tasting, tour and afternoon! Shawn will be leading another wine cruise in August.

Corvettes at Carlisle – Mike Gilliland

It appears that the NVCC tent will be in a premium spot (near the grandstand) at Carlisle, however Mike has not yet received a map of the exact location. Please send Mike an e-mail stating you are going so that he has an accurate member count. On Friday evening, NVCC is planning a buffet dinner at the hotel for members.

There are still hotel rooms available under the NVCC block. These rooms are approximately one-third the cost of rooms in Carlisle during Corvette weekend. July 13 is the last date to book a room under the NVCC block.

July 4 Parade and Fireworks – Mike Gilliland

If you would like to participate in Leesburg's July 4 Parade with the Old Dominion Corvette Club, please reach out to them directly. And/or, if you would like to attend the fireworks display at Fairfax High School, please contact Bob Devery.

NVCC Store – Mike Gilliland

Tab is retiring as store manager and from organizing the 50/50 drawing. Thank you for a great job! The store is now moving in the direction of online ordering, and NVCC needs a volunteer to fill this position. Thanks again Tab for all your hard work!

Break

Rallye – Kris McCandless

The fall rallye will be held on September 8. It is a great route. Dick Hammaker and Kris McCandless are the rallye masters. They have fun, twisting "Corvette roads" planned. In fact, the roads are so good that there are several "free-zones" so that participants can enjoy the drive.

Kris also explained how a rallye is conducted. He also mentioned a few items to keep in mind including: (1) a driver and navigator are both ideally needed, (2) participants are given a list of 20-30 directions with no street names, (3) participants complete a form with questions pertaining to the route.

There are three choices for this rallye:

- Run the rallye
- Run the route (without answering the questions)
- Attend lunch at Glory Days

Corvettes at Ocean City (Oct. 4-5) – John Scott

There are 200 cars registered to date with the Free State Corvette Club. If you haven't reserved yet, please make your reservations soon. There is a large running event scheduled for the same weekend, and hotel rooms are at a premium. Also, if you wish to park at the inlet, you need to register for this event since there is no casual parking at the inlet this year. NVCC is scheduled to be at the front of the parade to celebrate our 50th Anniversary.

Car Clings – Vicki Scott

Vicki is looking into purchasing "meatball" car clings (round clings with NVCC's logo to display on car doors). These can be displayed for parades, shows, cruises, etc. She has received two quotes which cost about \$54 for a pair of clings. Vicki is still researching.

Trivia – Jeff Klain

(See page 15 in this newsletter)

50/50 Drawing was \$35 won by Mike Zabkowski.

Meeting adjourned at 8:55 pm.

A VOTE TO ACCEPT THESE MINUTES WILL BE TAKEN AT THE JULY 23, 2019 GBM

NVCC 50TH ANNIVERSARY SHUTTERFLY ALBUM

Have you been to any NVCC events since the beginning of this year? Did you take pictures? Would you like to share your pictures? I'm putting together a Shutterfly album to commemorate our club's 50th Anniversary and I'm looking for photos to include in the album. Everyone can participate. Whether a major event like the Annual Banquet or a cruise through the countryside, I'd love to get copies of your photos. I will be working on the album from now until the end of December and plan to have the album available in sometime in January.



Please send your photos to my email address at: doreenski312@gmail.com.

Include your name, event name, date of event and location and any short comments that you would like to add.

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first 200 Corvettes,
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on Saturday, July 27, 2019**

Held Monthly on
Last Saturday:
Next on August 31st

Rain or Shine! 10:00am to 01:00pm

Sponsored and Hosted by

**Cascades Overlook Town Center
21453 Epicerie Plaza, Sterling, VA**

(Direction: From Beltway 495 to Dulles Access 267 to Route 7 going NW toward Leesburg;
Once in Sterling turn left to Potomac View Rd, then right to Benedict Dr - see the map below)



Free and No Registration!
50-50 Raffle Tickets for Charities
Several Trophy Awards for Various Categories
Coffee Shops and Restaurants at the Town Center
(Photos of Previous Shows in Photo Gallery of olddominioncorvetteclub.org website)

*** Other Sports Cars (and Exotics) are also
Welcome in their own Reserved Parking Area**

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Greetings from the sun kissed shores of Back Creek--

Thank you to everyone that attended and assisted at the 2019 NVCC picnic. It was another great year (nobody went into the creek). Cheryl and I really appreciated seeing all of you and I appreciate the gifts that will live in the 69 vette. A special thank you to the set up and clean up crews. This saves us a great deal of labor and makes hosting this event soooo much easier.

Thanks again and have a great summer.
Rich and Cheryl Anderson



MEMBERSHIP CORNER

By: George Durk

Welcome New Members!!

No new members to report this month.

Prospective Members

Jim Erickson-Nepomuceno	'66 Trophy Blue Coupe (427)
Alexander McKay	'64 Goldwood Yellow Coupe
Todd and Elizabeth Sweet	'18 Grand Sport
Casey MaGann	'90 Convertible/'02 Electron Blue Z06
David Rodgers	Not indicated on application
Chris and Marcy Burnett	'69
TJ Ward	'18 Ceramic Matrix Gray Grand Sport (Carbon 65 Edition)
John and Karen Provost	'66 Nassau Blue Coupe/'99 Pewter Gray Coupe
Charles and Gretchen Heimann	Not indicated on application
Paul and Carol Caporossi	'16 Artic White Z51
Joe Conway	'13 Grand Sport
Aaron Nenstiel	'15 Z06
Alex Jones	'03 Z06

6 current prospective members have completed membership requirements of attending a GBM and event. Council has invited 5 for full membership and 1 is on its way!

PLEASE NOTE: For those with outstanding invitations, I will be sending a reminder in August before closing-out your membership. Members who pay in August are exempt from the following year's (2020) dues renewal.

If you are a prospective member, have attended a GBM and event, but have not received an invitation to join as full member, send me a notification specifying GBM date and event.

(membership@nvcorvetteclub.com).

New Rides?

Don't forget – shoot me an email (membership@nvcorvetteclub.com) if you change or add to your stable so I can update the Club's database and we can share the good news. Send a photo and we'll insert into the newsletter too!

P.S. Do you have a few NVCC membership cards in your wallet? If not, see me at next GBM!

NVCC 2019 Activities Calendar*Dates are subject to change.***MONTHLY EVENTS**

4th Tuesday monthly, January through November: General Business Meetings (GBMs) at Page Chevrolet in Alexandria, VA. Start time 7:30 pm; store open at 7:15 pm. Breakfast GBM twice a year.

2nd Tuesday of each month: NVCC Council Business Meetings at 7:30 pm; location

JANUARY 2019

- 22: GBM, Page Chevrolet, Alexandria, VA
- 26: Banquet, Maggiano's, Tysons Galleria, Vienna, VA

FEBRUARY 2019

- 3: 10:00 am -Test Photo Shoot; Gambrill Park & Ride
- 26: GBM, Page Chevrolet, Alexandria, VA

MARCH 2019

- 9: Pub Grub Dinner; Fiona's — Bob Devery
- 16: Cruise & Lunch to Shamrock's— George Durk
- 26: GBM, Page Chevrolet, Alexandria, VA
- 31: Corvettes & Crabs Rallye — Kris and Mike

APRIL 2019

- 6: Trivia Night with Optimists — Bob Devery
- 7: Club Photo Shoot-Gunston Hall - Jerry Lelansky
- 11: ERNCCC Event at NCM Motor Sports Park
- 14: Cap'n Billy's Crab Cruise; Stafford, VA
- 20: Corvettes & Coffee at Cascades—Yas Kinashi
- 23: GBM, Page Chevrolet, Alexandria, VA
- 24: Weekday Warriors — Bob Devery
- 27: ODCC Detail Clinic—Dick Hammaker

MAY 2019

- 2-4: Outer Banks Rod/Custom Festival — Jim McKay
- 3: Track Time @ Summit Point — Dave Kuhn
- 4: Kentucky Derby Day — Bob Devery
- 5: ODCC LaGrange Winery - 12 noon; Haymarket,
- 18: Breakfast GBM @ Amphora—Herndon, VA
- 25: Corvettes & Coffee at Cascades—Yas Kinashi

JUNE 2019

- 2: 5th Annual Corvettes Care Car Show; Page Chevy
- 15: Old 55 Seneca Rocks Cruise—George Durk
- 22: DuCard Vineyards Cruise, — Shawn Waddell
- 25: GBM, Page Chevrolet, Alexandria, VA
- 27: Corvettes & Coffee at Cascades—Yas Kinashi

JULY 2019

- 4: Dinner and Fireworks @ Fairfax HS — Bob Devery

14: 10 am caravan and 12 noon NVCC Picnic at the Anderson Farm — Ganotown, WV

20-23: National Corvette Museum; Bowling Green, KY— Dick Hammaker

23: GBM, Page Chevrolet, Alexandria, VA

27: Summer of '69 Party—John & Lynn Stark

29: Corvettes & Coffee at Cascades—Yas Kinashi

AUGUST 2019

4: Barrel Oak Winery Cruise, 9:00 am @ Home Depot, Chantilly — Shawn Waddell

10: 30th All Corvette Cruise In, ODCC; Manassas, VA

17: Wine Tasting at "Chateau Devereux" — 7:00 pm

22-25: Corvettes at Carlisle—Mike Gilliland

27: GBM, Page Chevrolet, Alexandria, VA

31: Corvettes & Coffee at Cascades—Yas Kinashi

SEPTEMBER 2019

7: Wounded Warriors Car Show (CCA) — Omar Gordon

8: Fall & Country Rallye—Dick Hammaker

21: Vettes in the Vineyard — Omar Gordon

22: NRA 5th Annual Car/Truck Show — Fairfax

24: GBM, Page Chevrolet, Alexandria, VA

28: Corvettes & Coffee at Cascades—Yas Kinashi

OCTOBER 2019

4-5: Corvettes on the Boardwalk, OC MD-Dave Kuhn

13: Flying Circus Picnic, Bealeton, VA—TBD

20: Police Appreciation Day — Bob Devery

22: GBM, Page Chevrolet, Alexandria, VA

23: Vienna Halloween Parade — Lori Benish

26: Corvettes & Coffee at Cascades—Yas Kinashi

NOVEMBER 2019

24: Bavarian Inn Cruise/Lunch — George Durk

26: GBM, Page Chevrolet, Alexandria, VA

DECEMBER 2019

8: Christmas in Manhattan — Bob Devery

NO DECEMBER GBM



NVCC 50th Anniversary Gathering at Carlisle

Join the NVCC for 3 days of fun with NVCC friends and show cars at Corvettes at Carlisle. We will be promoting the NVCC at the biggest Corvette only car show in the East. Contact for details:
gilliland_michael@yahoo.com

August 23, 24 & 25 2019

Carlisle Room Reservations: (717) 706-3862 (NVCC group)
Carlisle Reserved/Fun Field (Club NVCC):
www.carlisleevents.com/carlisle-events/corvettes-at-carlisle/



Summer of '69 Cruise & Party Saturday, July 27, 2019

- *Cruise*
 - *Meet at Kelly Leadership Center
14715 Bristow Rd (accessible from VA 234)
Manassas, VA 20112*
 - *Drivers meeting 4:00*
 - *Depart 4:30*
- *Party at the home of
John & Lynn Stark*
BBQ dinner
Arrival approx 5:30
- *RSVP by Wed July 24 to
starkja82@gmail.com*

*Bring a photo of yourself from '69
Also, Costume contest
Were the 60s good to you?*



TRIVIA

By Jeff Klain



GETTING READY TO WELCOME THE C8!



Since there is no information on the C8, let's talk about other mid-engine cars.

Question 1: Debuting in 1966, this was the first exotic high-performance mid-engine, rear-wheel-drive road car. The car was powered by a transverse mounted V12. It's headlights later inspired the designer of the Porsche 928. What was it?

Answer: Lamborghini Miura

Question 2: Produced from 1984-1988 this was the first and only mass-produced mid-engine sports car by a U.S. manufacturer. One writer described it as a sports car on an installment plan with the first year delivering the looks, the second year the engine, and the third year the handling. A steel space-frame and plastic body panels were innovative features. What was it?

Answer: Pontiac Fiero

Question 3: Produced from 1984 through 2007, in three distinct generations, this imported mid-engine car competed directly with the Fiero but featured far better build quality and much better engineering at the expense of exterior styling that appeared to be lifted from a push mower. Significant testing was performed on race circuits including Willow Springs, where former Formula One driver Dan Gurney tested the car.

Answer: Toyota MR2



TONYA SLOAN & JEFF SCRUGGS
PRESENTS...

Vettes IN THE Vineyard



@DEJON VINEYARD
September 21, 2019
5300 HYDES RD, HYDES, MD 21082



Hosted by Tonya, Jeff & Batman

Registration & Cocktails
Thursday, Sept 19TH
Delta Hotel Bar 3pm - 6pm
Cigars & Cocktails - 9pm
Four Seasons Hotel
@Bygone Lounge 29TH floor

Welcome/Meet & Greet Reception
Friday, Sept 20TH
Car Show Registration 3pm - 6pm
@Polo Lounge & Bar
Pool Party 7pm - 11pm
Free Car Washing in rear lot
Mobile Detailing Available

Vettes in the Vineyard
Saturday, Sept 21ST
Corvette Car Show 10am - 3pm
@Dejon Vineyard **\$25 All Vettes**
Top 100 Awards & Specialty Awards
Live Music by ReMix Band & DJ
•Wine Tasting •Cigar Bar •Raffles
Wine Down Happy Hour 3pm - 6pm
@Liquid Libs (9515 Deereco Road)
After the Show Party @ 8pm
Delta Hotel Garden Room & Patio
Music & Cash Bar

Delta Hotel Hunt Valley (Host Hotel)
(A Marriott Affiliate)
245 Shawan Road, Hunt Valley, MD
\$119 Singles / Doubles
Breakfast Included
Booking: "Vettes in the Vineyard"
Deadline 8/19/19
For lodging details call 410-785-7000

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Vettes IN THE Vineyard



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BUCKET LIST: BARRETT JACKSON AUCTIONS

By: Joanna Hicks

It's always fun to check off an item from my Bucket List!



Attend Barrett-Jackson Auction

In January of this year, a friend called and asked if I wanted to go and spend two days at the auction held at Mohegan Sun-Casino & Resort in Connecticut in June, which neither of us had ever attended. I said, "Yes, let's go!" before I even knew any other details.

In May, I heard that the last production C7, a black Z06, was to be auctioned at this event. That news just ramped up my excitement about going!

When we arrived at the auction, it was a festive, busy place! We saw some amazing cars on display throughout the casino before even getting to the auction's staging area.

There were vendors, new vehicles of every sort and driving simulators inside the convention center. The outside tents housed vehicles that had been sold or were going to be sold, making everything available for the public to see.

First on the agenda was to find out when that last production C7 was to be auctioned. 5:30 p.m. that evening was the set time. So, we spent time looking through the tents, parking garage and standing in line waiting our turn to do some drifting in a Dodge Hellcat or hot laps in a Ford Mustang Shelby or Bullitt. We rode in both, even drifted in the Dodge twice, all of which were very exhilarating!

Finally, we made our way into the arena to get seats to watch the auction. After watching several amazing vehicles being auctioned, the greatly anticipated, metallic black with adrenaline red interior, 7-speed manual, C7 Z06 rolled onto the stage to be auctioned. The bidding began at \$100,000 and quickly escalated up to the final 2.7 million dollar bid! It was very impressive!

I was hoping someone in the arena, rather than a phone or Internet bidder would win that car. One bidder was in the arena, but tapped out at 2.65 million. The buyer, we would find out a few days later, was Dan Snyder of Dan Snyder Motorsports – not the Redskins' owner!



Even though I was able to see many amazing Corvettes at the venue, on display or being auctioned, seeing that Corvette sell for 2.7 million dollars is something I will never forget. GM set the record for a donated charity car that day.

I think every Corvette is awesome, but 2.7 million dollars awesome? Even for the last production C7? What made this particular one extraordinary is that GM donated the car to the Stephen Siller Tunnel to Towers Foundation, which was created to honor firefighter Stephen Siller who laid down his



life to save others on September 11, 2001. The Foundation builds smart homes to benefit catastrophically-injured veterans and their families. Barrett-Jackson didn't take their cut on the sale of this Corvette since it was donated. So, 100% of the hammer price went to the charity Foundation.

You can watch the full video of the C7 auction here: <https://www.barrett-jackson.com/Media/Home/Reader/2019-northeast-auction-day-threehighlights/>

I went to the auction not knowing what to expect or how much I would enjoy it. I left the auction wanting to go back again having enjoyed every part of it! I even received a little education on the differences between original, restored or modified. I had no idea there were so many types of restorations: nut & bolt, frame off, rotisserie, resto-mod, etc.! I found out that I like some modified cars and could get carried away with making some resto-mods out of old Corvettes if I had the funds.

I don't know much about the how or why cars go fast or perform like they do, but I do know if I like how they look or not. I was not disappointed with the views at every turn.

Some of my favorites that sold were the Serial #1 2019 Yenko Corvette, several Eleanor Tribute Edition Mustangs, Dodge Vipers, a Ford Shelby GT500, so many cool Jeeps; a beautiful pair of 1967 Corvettes, one coupe and one convertible that were auctioned back-to-back, and a classic IROC-Z. I can't list all of the Corvettes I liked, takes up too much space!

It seemed that almost every year, make, model, color of vehicle you can imagine was represented. There were a lot of "things on wheels" that I've never seen or even heard of before. I saw several that I didn't even know I wanted, but I think I need them now. Some of them made me question how anyone could love such a creature, but one thing I learned from this bucket-list experience is that there is a person out there for every car.

I've watched these auctions on TV for years, but to see it in person was incredible! My suggestion is to update your bucket list and add "Go to Barrett-Jackson Auction." Then, have fun marking it off of the list! You won't regret seeing this event first-hand!



NATIONAL CORVETTE MUSEUM

By: NCM Ambassador Dick Hammaker

NVCC sponsored a Fund-a-Field Trip providing the Warren County Day Treatment Center in Bowling Green, KY, with an orientation and career day at the National Corvette Museum. NCM Staff including the Controller, Guest Services, Education, Social Media Coordinator, Cafe, Reception, Facilities, Security, Vehicle Preservation, and Curator talked to the students and faculty about their areas of responsibility and a possible career. A Letter of Appreciation from the Warren County Day Treatment Center follows.

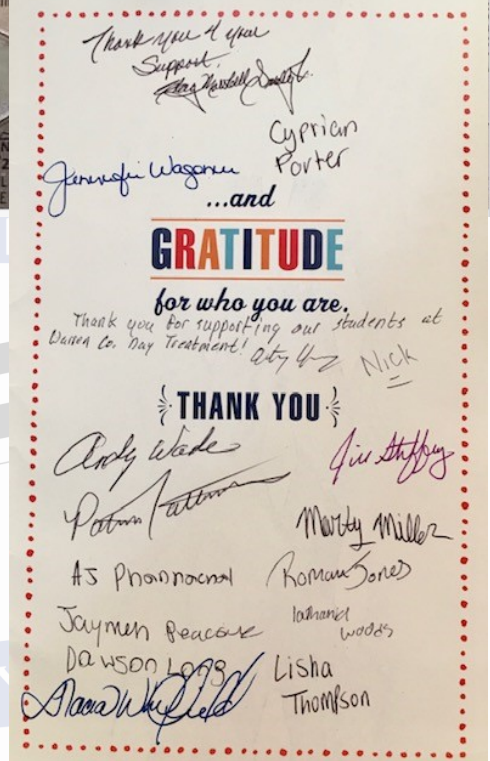
Dear Northern Virginia Corvette Club,

On behalf of the students and faculty at Warren County Day Treatment, I personally want to thank you for sponsoring our field trip to the National Corvette Museum. This opportunity every year gives our students an opportunity to talk and discuss career opportunities at the Corvette Plant as well as touring this fantastic facility. Day Treatment is part of Warren County Schools and is limited to 30 students. Students generally stay between four to ten months, with an average stay of seven and a half months. The staff consists of eight, including one director, three mental health counselors, a recreational therapist/mental health counselor, two teachers, two aides, and a compliance officer. Day Treatment offers community based treatment and education for youth experiencing behavioral difficulties, court adjudicated offenders, as well as youth transitioning back into the community from a more restrictive setting. Our program provides opportunities that promotes growth and development and to reach their potential as well as an alternative to residential treatment.

Thank you again,

Clay Marshall Smalley Jr.
Recreation Therapist/Mental health Counselor

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Dick "HAM" Hammaker
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**Contacts:**

Registration: Jim and Sally Batchelder (703) 339-2064

Show Chairman: Darryll Baker (571) 294-7853

Vendors and Car Corral: Tom Trail (540) 221-3052



44th Edgar Rohr Antique Auto Show

Saturday, September 21, 2019

Manassas Museum, 9101 Prince William St., Manassas, VA.
10:00 AM - 3:00 PM; Car registration 8:00 AM - 11:00 AM

- ✓ Collector vehicles including antique, street rods & modified
- ✓ Dash plaques for first 175 registrations
- ✓ Opening Ceremony at 11:30 am
- ✓ Participant Judging – 50 class awards, 14 Special Awards!
- ✓ New category: 3 participant-judged awards for post-1994 vehicles
- ✓ Free spectator admission & free admission to the Manassas Museum
- ✓ Free parking in garage and trailer parking at Osbourn high school
- ✓ Model T assembly/disassembly demonstrations
- ✓ Food/drinks provided by the Washington Sangerbund
- ✓ One block from Farmer's Market & International Food Festival
- ✓ Free Entertainment
- ✓ Door prizes + 50/50 raffle + silent auction + car corral + flea market
- ✓ Rain or shine!

1935 Auburn 653 Phaeton
Owners: Bill and Nancy Winter,
2018 Arthur Ault Award Winner



Visit past shows on the web at www.bullrunaaca.org

MEET RULES:

- All antique vehicles must be model year 1994 or earlier.
- All antique vehicles will be classed as Stock or Modified upon arrival by Bull Run Region and determination is final
- Stock vehicles must reflect equipment available for the year and model vehicle except for minor upgrades and safety modifications.
- Vehicles may be displayed as the owner wishes but must fit within the space allotted and not interfere with other participants. Hoods open for judged vehicles
- All vehicles must have a fire extinguisher
- Vehicles must be driven onto the show field under their own power
- Once parked, vehicles must remain turned off until the meet is over approximately 3:00 pm
- Vehicles needing to exit earlier must be escorted off the field. Contact a Bull Run member.
- Cars with "For Sale" and/or "Raffle" signs must be in the Car Corral
- Results of the vote tally are final
- No alcoholic beverages are permitted
- No food sales unless authorized in advance by Bull Run Region
- Pre-registration fees are non-refundable

TOP 50 Class A & B Awards*

- Class A – All Stock vehicles up to 1994
- Class B – All Modified/Street Rod vehicles up to 1994
- Class C – Post-1994 Veh (3 participant judged awards)
- Best of Show Ford
- Best of Show GM
- Best of Show Chrysler
- Best of Show Independent
- Best of Show Foreign
- Best of Show Modified
- Best of Show Stock Pre-War
- Best of Show Stock Post- War (1946 to 1967)
- Best of Show Post-War (1968 – 1994)
- Best of Show Original/Unrestored
- Youth Award – Selected by Boy Scouts/Explorers
- Mayor's Choice Award – Selected by Manassas Mayor
- President's Award – Selected by Bull Run President
- Edgar Rohr Memorial Award – Selected by Chip Rohr

*Class awards are based on the top participant vote getters. The number of awards in each class is determined by the percent the class represents of the total vehicles.
Best of Show awards are chosen by Bull Run Region Chief Judge committee

DIRECTIONS (for map see "bullrunaaca.org")

From I-95: Travel I-95 to Exit 152B - Route 234 North (Manassas). Drive about 14.5 miles and make a right at the second light onto Business 234. Drive another 2.5 miles and take a right at the light onto Prince William Street, (before railroad underpass) — follow signs to show car entrance

From I-66 (coming from the west): Travel I-66 to Exit 44 - Route 234 By-Pass (Manassas). Drive about 6 miles and make a left at the light onto Business 234 (Dumfries Rd.) Go another 2.5 miles, take a right at the light onto Prince William Street, (before railroad underpass) — follow signs to show car entrance.

From I-66 (coming from the east): Take I-66 to exit 53A and follow Rte. 28 south, 7.8 miles into Manassas. Turn left onto Grant Ave. (Business 234), go under railroad overpass and left onto Prince William Street at first light. Follow sign to show car entrance.

From Prince William Parkway (Dale City / Woodbridge): At Liberia Avenue light (where Parkway makes left turn) continue straight onto Wellington Rd. Go 1.3 miles to Grant Ave., and turn right. Turn right at second light onto Prince William St.; follow signs to show car entrance.

Trailers: Instructions above are for show cars. Trailered cars should enter into the Osbourn HS parking lot off Main Street, just south of Prince William Street. Show cars can then be driven to the show entrance.

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REGISTRATION

Make checks payable to "Bull Run Region";

Send to Jim and Sally Batchelder, 7702 Cashland Ct., Alexandria, VA 22315

Bull Run Region and Manassas Museum will not be responsible for damages or personal injuries on the show grounds.

Bull Run Region and Manassas Museum reserve the right to refuse admission.

Car pre-registration (by 9-14-2019): \$15
 Show-day registration: \$20
 Car Corral registration: \$15
 Flea Market vendor registration (no food sales allowed): \$25 for 10' x 15' space

Name _____ Phone _____

Address _____ E-mail _____

City _____ State _____ Zip _____

Check appropriate box(es): Vehicle Registration Stock Modified Modern Flea Market Vendor Car Corral

Make _____ Model _____ Year _____

**NVCC annual trip to BOW!!!
3623 Grove Lane, Delaplane Va 20144
Sunday, August 4th, 2019**

One of Virginia's most popular wineries welcomes NVCC with a complimentary wine tasting.
Dogs and children are welcome as is outside food. We will be following last years route!!!
Barrel Oak Winery has awesome brick fired pizza, beer and of course wine!!!
We will be assembling at Home Depot 28000 Loudon County Parkway, Chantilly Va
We will arrive at 9:00 drivers meeting 9:15 departure 9:30 Arrive at BOW 11:00
Any questions email Shawn at dr-wadd@msn.com



**JOIN THE NVCC FALL AND
COUNTRY RALLYE**

Join the NVCC for a classic timed, measured, rallye through scenic Virginia countryside beginning and ending at Glory Days, Stone Ridge Location. Good Fun, Good Food, Prizes, and Great People.

Date: Sunday, September 8, 2019

Place: Glory Days Grill, 42010 Village Center Plaza, Stone Ridge, VA 20105

Sign in Time: 9:30 am to 10:15 am

Driver/Navigator Briefing: 10:15 am

First Car Out: 10:30

End Point: Glory Days Grill, 42010 Village Center Plaza, Stone Ridge, VA 20105

Price: \$10 Members (Lunch at Glory Day is not included)

Options One - Participate in the "Gimmick" Rallye and Glory Days Social.

Option Two - Drive the Rallye route, no questions to answer, enjoy the roads & scenery, and Glory Days Social.

Option Three - Meet at Glory Days about 12:30pm for the Social.

RSVP by September 4, 2019 to dick.hamaker@cox.net

TENTATIVE EVENTS

Oct. 19 — Graves Mountain Farm Apple Harvest —
Organizer: Bob Devery

Oct. 27 — Fall Foliage Cruise/Lunch in Luray — Or-
ganizer: George Durk

Nov. 2 — Dueling Pianos at National Harbor — Organ-
izer: Bob Devery

Nov. 16 — NVCC Military and DoD Veterans Lunch/
Cruise — Organizer: Bob Devery



**INTERESTED IN LEADING AN EVENT?
PLEASE CONTACT BOB DEVERY AT:
SOCIAL@NVCORVETTECLUB.COM**

HAPPY BIRTHDAY GENERAL LEE

In 1969, Dukes of Hazzard producers destroyed over 300 1969 Dodge Chargers — all for the purpose of filming the hit TV series.



CELEBRATING 50 YEARS

“He [Roger Smith] had us going off and looking at mid-engines and at all sorts of far-out stuff that really doesn’t apply at all. We wasted a lot of time looking at things that we’ll never, ever do.”

Schefter, James. *All Corvettes Are Red: The Rebirth of An American Legend*. New York: Simon & Schuster, 1996.

NVCC's 50th Anniversary Events

In addition to our regular events, NVCC will host these Official 50th Anniversary events during 2019:

Summer of '69 Cruise & Party in Fredericksburg, VA: July 27th

John and Lynn Stark will host a 1969-themed party at their home in Fredericksburg, VA – preceded by a Club cruise led by John. More detail soon. *Get your groove on, Baby!*

YOUR 50TH ANNIVERSARY COMMITTEE HARD AT WORK

Corvettes at Carlisle, PA: August 22nd – 25th

This massive, Corvettes-only event will provide an opportunity to enjoy hot cars, a wide range of activities, merchandise, parts, and vendor offerings – and a Club hospitality tent! A block of rooms has been reserved by NVCC – email 50thCommittee@nvcorvetteclub.com for more information.



Corvettes Weekend (Freestate Corvette Club) – Ocean City, MD: October 4th & 5th

A major Mid-Atlantic Corvette event sponsored by Freestate Corvette Club. Join in this fun-packed weekend getaway to celebrate the Club's 50th! Along with all the event attractions and activities, NVCC will host a hospitality suite, club dinner, and special placement in the boardwalk parade!

Please Note: If you'd like to help the 50th Anniversary Committee plan and/or staff any event, email Vicki Scott at:

merryva@outlook.com for details about our next monthly dinner meeting.



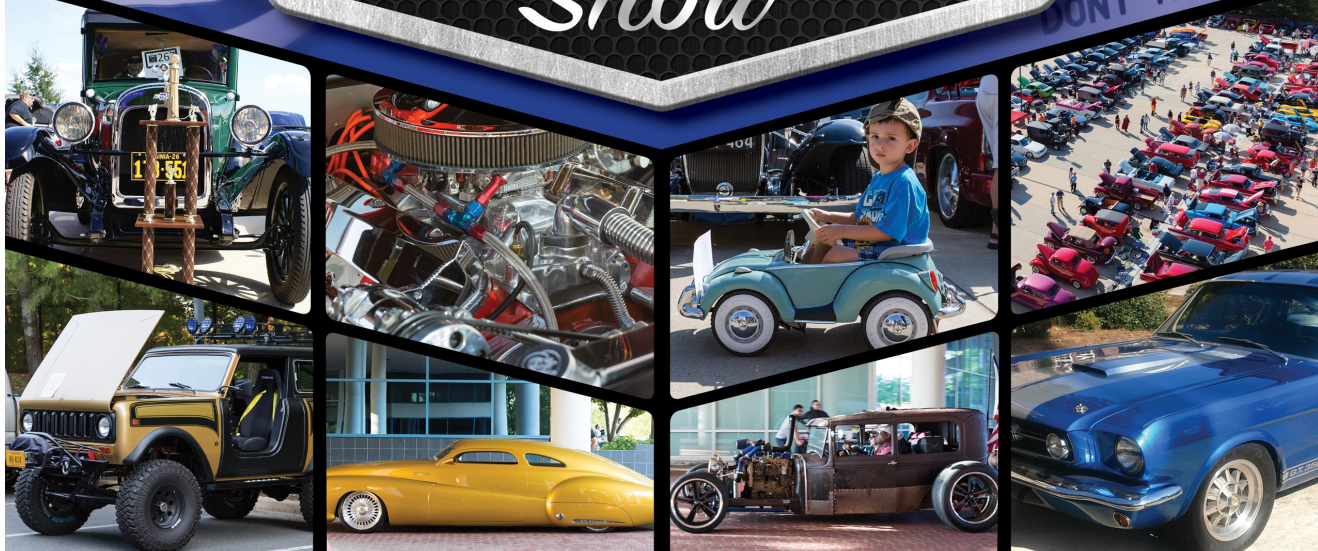
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Fairfax, VA 22030

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\$20 Vehicle Entry Fee

FREE NRA Gift Packages given to 50 random pre-registered vehicle owners.

FREE NRA Museum Tours on the hour from 10:00 am to 2:00 pm.

NRA Café & NRA Store will be OPEN during the show.

Vendor Inquiries & Event Questions:

Contact Michael Johns at 703.267.1489 or email Mjohns@nrahq.org

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410 Vehicles & 3,500+ Attendees in 2017!

Show Attendees—FREE!

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| Vintage Ford | Classic Corvette | Modern Mopar |
| Vintage GM | Classic Mopar | Best Truck |
| Vintage Mopar | Antiques/Pre-1950 | Best Import |
| Classic Mustang | Modern Ford | Best Motorcycle |
| Classic Camaro | Modern GM | Best Resto/HotRod |

Show Registration: Email Vehicle Photo/Info to Mjohns@nrahq.org

Save the Date
Oct 4-5, 2019

FREE STATE CORVETTE CLUB
CORVETTE
Weekend

Corvette Weekend is an annual event held in Ocean City Maryland.

Every year over 1,500 registrants take part in our:

Boardwalk Parade
Friday Night Dance Party
Saturday Night Awards Ceremony
NCCC Sanctioned Car Shows and Rallyes

Come join us again and be part of the fun!

Stay Connected



The Spartans are Coming

Ocean City has informed us that a Spartan Sprint race will be taking place at the Inlet at the same time as our Corvette Weekend event - October 4-5.

Ocean City estimates the weekend will conceivably be bringing in several thousand additional people to town competing for hotel rooms. In light of this, we are urging our participants to consider making hotel reservations for this year's event sooner rather than later in order to guarantee you have lodging secured at your favorite location.

Announcing our 2019 Event

"Driving The American Dream!"

Our 33rd annual Corvette Weekend is set for October 4th and 5th, 2019 in Ocean City, Maryland.

The full details of the 2019 Corvette Weekend can be found on our event web site: www.CorvetteWeekend.com.

If you're planning on staying at our host hotel, [Clarion Resort Fontainebleau Hotel](#), we've blocked a set of rooms for Corvette Weekend participants. Be sure to call the hotel directly at 800-638-2100 and mention you're attending Free State Corvette Club's Corvette Weekend to book one of these rooms. With the Spartan Race the same weekend, hotel rooms will go fast.

Registration opens June 1st!

Registration will open June 1st. You can register using our on-line registration tool available from our [web page](#).



After you complete your registration on-line, you can chose to pay by check or credit card. Credit card payments are processed without leaving the on-line tool.

Stay tuned for more information in upcoming newsletters...

Contact FSCC

Email: Registration@freestatecorvette.com

Web: CorvetteWeekend.com

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HELP WANTED!

Position(s) now available for members wishing to take part in some additional club duties.

Qualifications for the first and most important position, if approved, will be as a member of the General Council group. This position must be filled by a member in good standing in the club with a background in honesty, integrity and ingenuity, an enthusiastic member with new ideas and tireless energy. A member in this position is expected to meet with other council members to make suggestions and decisions regarding the direction of the NVCC. It's also suggested that this member attend the GBM each month to keep their finger on the pulse of the general membership.

The second position is storekeeper. Qualifications for this position are the ability to order items that everyone can't do without, that cost a pittance and that the membership will rush to purchase as though it's a "blue light special".

The third position is to be held by a member of impeccable character and honesty and integrity who can conduct a game of chance and ensure that everyone is a winner!

Please consider these positions as an opportunity to be involved in the Club's future.

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