

Reflections





Newsletter Editor—Chris Dale

President's Report,

Well, autumn is upon us, which we don't get to see much of in Colorado. The leaves have been beautiful, and it wont be much longer we will have piles of leaves to clean up before it snows.

Seems like this summer has just flown by, and it was hard to get in all the Corvette events but was able to get in as many as possible. Never enough for me but must work also.

It is almost time to put the cars away for most of the winter. If you need service work before you do that, take your LGCA card to our sponsor, Emich Chevrolet, and show them your card to get a discount on the work you need done.

Tis photo is the recognition we as a club received for the Flatlanders Car Club of Sterling. They gave it to us and it now resides in the club's museum. I am not sure everyone gol to see this, so the next time you go to the ice cream social, go upstairs and see it hanging on the wall.

Save the wave!

Joe Parker



Vice President's Report

Submitted by Kathy Hall

VICE PRESIDENT KATHY HALL OCTOBER 2023 REPORT

The LGCA Fall Colors Road Trip was full of great colors, great friends, great meals and great views...October 5th – Thursday found us at Safeway parking lot in Conifer - not easy to find but once there- had bathrooms and hot coffee. We had 11 cars making a rainbow of colors ourselves and certainly were noticed on the road. We went to Fairplay for our first stop and then on to Buena Vista for lunch at Roosters Crow Café- they were delighted to see us and of course the cars were looked over – great food and warm hospitality very appreciated. Some decided to tour downtown and do the river walk; others decided to go on to Salida to hotel and/or walk downtown and also a river walk in Salida. We had a group dinner at Fiesta Mexicana Restaurant – the margaritas were gigantic! The next morning – Friday – enjoyed breakfast at the Comfort Inn together and then off to Monarch Mountain Visitor Center. The views of Aspens were glorious, and we had very little traffic to slow us down - perfect corvette travel! As we were studying the map in the Monarch visitors center – the author of the book "Colorado Campgrounds" spoke to us and clarified the map for us-our own Gil Folsom - he signed several copies for us and continued to share tidbits of his travels on our journey.

Friday nite spent at the Elevation Hotel in Crested Butte – rooms were gorgeous and ample space. At first, we thought a dog convention was going on but later learned all dogs welcome and there were a lot strolling around inside hotel. We walked around town in the afternoon as the weather was too nice to be inside and looked forward to our group dinner at Jose's in our hotel – nice not to have to drive somewhere as all tired. Next morning, we split up for breakfast and touring. Some had breakfast at hotel then on to Cottonwood Pass to Buena Vista; others returned to Roosters Crow Café in Buena Vista for terrific breakfast of French toast, biscuits and gravy. We all enjoyed the ride back home and were ever grateful to Judy Nielsen for coordinating this trip. Hopefully can do it again next year as forests were so colorful and travel weather perfect.

It's important to enjoy not only your cars but friends too and there is no better way than a road trip. We look forward to spring and see what adventures the social committee has planned for us! Stay Safe - Kathy

Business Meeting Minutes

Submitted by Sandy Seader

LOOKING GLASS CORVETTE BUSINESS MEETING

October 3, 2023

President Joe Parker called the Meeting to order at 7:00pm. Officers present were Joe Parker, president, Kathy Hall, vice-president, Sandy Seader secretary, and Bob Chelle, treasurer. Absent Bob Burroughs, public relations.

Membership Committee: Kathy Ball reintroduced Earl Parsons and Wayne Maddle to be voted into the Club. Both gentlemen were unanimously voted in.

Public Relations Officer: Bob Burroughs was absent no report.

Treasurer: Bob Chelle reported on the club's budget, year-to-date activities.

Secretary: Sandy Seader reported if she ordered name tags for anyone, please see her after the meeting.

Vice President: Kathy Hall reported on past events, the Goodland Car Show Sept. 29- Oct 1, 2023. Kathy also read the names of members who have birthdays in October.

President: Joe Parker indicated that the terms for the committee members are up this year and we need a nomination committee. Because the Annual Christmas party is December 2, 2023, there will be no Business Meeting on December 5, 2023. The Business Meeting will resume January 2, 2024, at 7:00 P.M.

Social Committee: Judy Nielsen reported on the following events:

*9-9 Ice Cream Social Austin Hardwoods *10-5-7-23 Fall Color Trip *10-19-23 Adams Mystery Playhouse *11-7-23 Thanksgiving Potluck Clements Community City *11-11-23 Chili Cookoff & Craft Fair Holy Shepherd Lutheran Church *12=2-23 Annual Christmas Party Rolling Hills Country Club

Car Shows: Phill Barnes said that Car Shows and cruise in are slowly coming to an end; Please see newsletter for Cruse-ins and Car Shows.

Bill Hall thanked everyone who worked at the Emich Car show and made it such a success.

CCCC: Tom Mansfield No report

Parades No report.

NCM Ambassador: Steve Culbertson spoke about the Kentucky One Loop that the National Corvette Museum puts on In October of every year. This is a weeklong trip for \$2500.00 meals and motels included. There are four trips each October. Steve also reported that the 30th Anniversary Celebration to sign up was already closed. Note: It was later learned that registration has not opened yet. It should open sometime this month, so if you're thinking about going keep an eye out on the NCM's website for the opening of registration.

Refreshments: Jo Charlton thanked everyone who brought goodies for the meeting.

New Business: Joe Parker mentioned the next Board Meeting will be October 17, 2023, at 10:00 A.M. Joe also mentioned that COVID is back out there and to take whatever precautions you need to stay healthy.

Old Business: Nothing to report.

The meeting was adjourned at 7:46 P.M.

Respectfully Submitted by Sandy Seader Secretary

Merchandise Committee

Report

For those of you who would like to purchase new items from Monograms by K&K go to the LGCA website (<u>www.lgcacorvette.org</u>), Members Only.

There you go into Club Merchandise.

You will be able to order clothing by size and color provided by the charts. You can also take in your personal items to the shop in Parker for logo embroidery and/or name.

Once ordered you can pick it up at the shop:

Monograms by K&K 12870 Stroh Ranch Ct. Unit 105B Parker Co 80134

Or you can have it shipped to your home for a fee.

If we find enough interest for a certain style of merchandise, we can add it to our store in the future.

HAPPY SHOPPING

Merchandise Committee Karen Cassell Gail Lambert

National Corvette Museum Report

Submitted by Steve Culbertson

Museum in Motion Events [https://www.corvettemuseum.org/explore/events]

The National Corvette Museum sponsors several events every year in various parts of the country for the enjoyment of members of the museum. Listed below are dates for events planned this year. Sharon and I have participated in three of their Museum in Motion events and highly recommend them. Check the website listed above for event descriptions and registration dates.

Daytona Rolex 24 at Daytona International Speedway – Jan 24, 2024 - closed

27th Annual Michelin NCM Bash – Apr 25 – 27, 2024

Dragon Run @ Biltmore Estates – Apr 28 – May 1, 2024 – registration not yet open

30th Anniversary Celebration & Corvette Caravan – Aug 29 – 31, 2024 – registration open in October 2023

2024 Kentucky One Lap – Dates are not yet set but if interested email Melissia (Melissia.comer@corvettemuseum.org) to be added to the wait list. This event fills quickly so get on the wait list to receive an opportunity to register early once registrations are opened.

<u>Corvette Raffles</u> (https://raffle.corvettemuseum.org)

There are several corvettes up for raffle through the museum. Check the website listed above to see if the one you want is listed and to download the entry form. Also make sure you review the requirements for submitting your entry. Kentucky requires that if you are not a resident of the state you must mail in your entry.

The cars up for raffle currently are:

2024 Hypersonic Gray Coupe – Z51	\$150	Raffle - 11/16/23	
2024 Torch Red Corvette Convertible - Z51		\$200	Raffle - 11/30/23
2024 Silver Flare Corvette Coupe		\$100	Raffle - 12/7/23
2024 Riptide Blue Corvette Convertible – Z51	\$175	Raffle - 12/14/23	
2024 Red Mist Corvette Convertible	\$20	Raffle - 04/27/24	

<u>Museum Membership</u> (https://www.corvettemuseum.org/support/membership)

Not currently a museum member? Head to the website site listed above today to join and enjoy reduced rates on museum merchandise while supporting the organization that celebrates the vehicle you enjoy driving.

2023 CRUISE-INS AND CAR SHOWS

Phil Barnes 10/15/23

Dates	Time	Cruise-in/Shows	Notes	
		Cruise-ins		
Tuesdays	5-8pm	Culver's Lakewood, 2035 S. Webster St. Lakewood	Every Tuesday, May-October. SE corner of Jewell & Wadsworth	
2 nd Sat. of Month	9-12pm	Espresso & Exhaust, Vehicle Vault, 18301 Lincoln Meadows Parkway, Parker, 80134	This is a year-round event. Check weather.	
2 nd Sat. of month	3 pm win 12pm sum	Littleton Cruise in Show, Old Crow's Antique Mall, 10081 W. Bowles Ave.	NW corner of Bowles and Kipling. Get a free root beer. Pretty much year- round.	
10/28, 12/2/23	9-noon	Caffeine & Chrome @ Gateway Classic Cars	Thru Sept . Free Admission. 14150 Grasslands Dr., Suite A, Englewood,80112	
Last Sat. of Every month		3479 Mountain Lion Drive, Loveland by Pharoah's Car Club of N. Colorado	March thru Oct. 2023	
		Car Shows		
10/15 11/12.	10-1pm Sundays	5 th Annual Hero's Pizzeria and Tavern, 16070 E Dartmouth Ave. (Between Chambers and Buckley Rd.)	Free	
10/24, Tue.	5-8pm	Culver's Lakewood Trunk or Treat.	Across the Street from Emich Chev. Decorate your trunk, Costume contest	

Marketplace Ads





John Rullo of Deluxe Speedometer and Cable Service is offering club members a 15% discount on ACDelco batteries. To receive your discount just show your LGCA name tag!

Thanks Phil Morgan for setting this up!

FOR SALE



For Sale: 2017 Corvette Grand Sport

2017 Grand Sport LT2 Coupe, A8, 3260 miles, Watkins Glen Gray Metallic with factory silver racing stripes, light gray interior with Lloyd's Ultimat GS embroidered logo floor and cargo area mats, new Hawk ceramic brake pads, Michelin Pilot Super Sport ZP tires, OEM Stage 2 wickers, Suntek front-facing film, full professionally-applied DPC T6+ ceramic coating including glass and wheels. Perfect condition. Numerous other accessories, listing available.

Effects of cancer and chemo force sale.

\$65,500

Ron Franks, soarin5@icloud.com

FOR SALE



FOR SALE (1 OWNER)

2015 Corvette Stingray Z51 performance package, 3LT

12,133 Miles (immaculate condition)

7 -speed rev-matching manual transmission

Both solid and transparent roof types

\$55,400

Paul Summers, former Looking Glass member (303-809-8727)

This car was a factory order per my option list, which includes many options above the fully optioned 3LT package. This car has a hard-to-find Khalahari (Tan) leather interior, which was only offered one year. Never tracked or raced.

Optional equipment on factory order \$16,490.00):

- 1. Chrome aluminum wheels
- 2. Magnetic Rice Contro with PTM (performance traction management)
- 3. Carbon fiber interior package
- 4. Laguna Blue tintcoat
- 5. Blade silver full length dual racing stripe package
- Chrome center wheel cpaps with z/51 Logo
- Battery protection package (has a pug-in (auxillary power style) to maintain battery charge when car is not driven for long periods. Located in rear cargo area. Just connect to AC power).

FOR SALE

Used Corvette C7 parts for Sale:

Lloyds/GM rear extra thick black Z06 Cargo Mat: new retail \$269.99

Sale:\$100 50 obo



"Block It" Noise reduction mat and kit: new retail \$250.

Sale \$100 50 obo



Range Technology AFM/DFM Disabler: new retail \$231.

- This device allows C7 engine to run in 8-cylinder mode at all times. Plugs into port under dash.
- Sale \$100 75 obo



Corvette trickle battery charger: new retail \$100

- Plugs into socket in right rear of cargo area.
- Sale \$50 30 obo



If interested call Phil Barnes, 303-895-9907 or philbarnes3@gmail.com.