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## 2010 CORVETTE CLUB OF UTAH OFFICERS

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Vice President Luke Hoefnagel

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To e-mail a CCU Officer, go to <u>http://www.corvetteclubofutah.org/</u> and click on 2010 Officers for a list of the officers. Click on the blue underlined title of the officer to send an e-mail to that officer.

#### BIRTHDAYS

We would like extend a belated Happy Birthday to JoAnn Vigil who celebrated her birthday on Jan 29th. We regret that we accidently left her name off the January Birthday List.

#### **March Birthdays 2010**

- 1 Dean Anderson
- 1 Dennis Barker
- 2 Kathleen Barker
- 2 Scott Stanford
- 3 Ryan Holbrook
- 4 Linda Hoefnagel
- 6 Bonnie France
- 8 Janet Blood
- 10 Char Ohlson
- 11 Greg Lupus
- 12 Diana Rosenkrantz
- 13 Denny Holden
- 14 Marlene Cummings
- 14 Steve Roper
- 15 Sally Allen
- 17 Patrick Holden
- 19 Ken Frailey
- 19 Kathleen Richardson
- 21 Nona Ellis
- 21 Roberta Fox
- 21 Lance Parker
- 22 Jim Aird
- 22 Dave Meents
- 22 Betty Saxton
- 25 Scott Strong
- 27 Janet Tillotson
- 28 Peggy Larsen
- 30 Rob Probert
- 31 Bernie Warburton
- 31 Teddy Wardle

#### **April Birthdays 2010**

- 1 Garry Parker
- 3 Kathy Rocco
- 4 Guy Hall
- 4 Don Ward
- 5 Dale Cutchen
- 5 Bob Wilde
- 6 Marie Liston
- 8 Paula Poelzl
- 9 Shirley Simpler
- 10 Keith Sizemore
- 11 Kevin Wright
- 12 Jackie Howell

- 16 Marilyn Sizemore
- 17 Debra Wilde
- 17 Millie Cannon
- 19 Cal Butterfield
- 19 Luke Hoefnagel
- 22 Amy Davis
- 23 Judy Anderson
- 23 Michelle Beckstead
- 23 Keith Fritz
- 24 Melody Penrod
- 25 Robert Callaway
- 25 Vickie Foster
- 27 Lynn Hicks
- 29 Sherrie Spencer
- 30 Don Sommers

## 2010 EVENT SUMMARY

#### **MARCH 2010**

- 1 Yellowstone Snow Coach Trip West Yellowstone
- 5-7 Parts Plus AutoRama South Towne Expo Center, Sandy, UT
- 10 Officers Meeting Riley
- 17 Membership Meeting Larry Miller Chevrolet, Murray, UT
- 21 Birthday Dinner Lone Star Steakhouse, Murray, UT

#### APRIL 2010

- 14 Officers Meeting Hoefnagel
- 21 Membership Meeting Roy City Library, Roy, UT
- 24 Birthday Lunch Corbin's Grill's, Layton, UT
- 29-30 Seligman-Topock 23nd Annual Historic Route 66 Fun Run Kingman

#### MAY 2010

- 1-3 Seligman-Topock 23nd Annual Historic Route 66 Fun Run Kingman
- 5-9 WSCC Convention Tuscany Suites and Casino, Las Vegas, NV
- 8 Gateway Corvette Car Show Gateway Canyon Resort, Gateway, CO
- 12 Officers Meeting Corgait
- 14-15 Utah Valley University Auto Expo Thanksgiving Point, Lehi, UT
- 15 Birthday Brunch and Cruise TBD
- 19 Membership Meeting TBD
- 21 Wisconsin Corvette Club Get Together TBD
- 21-23 Cruise to Mesa Verde Cortez, Co

#### **JUNE 2010**

- 4 8<sup>th</sup> Annual Historic 25<sup>th</sup> Street Car & Motorcycle Show Ogden, UT
- 5 RC Willey's Car Show RC Willey's, Syracuse, UT
- 6 31<sup>st</sup> Anniversary MWSN Picnic Sandridge Park, Roy, UT
- 9 Officers Meeting Butterfield
- 12 Hugs for Life Car Show Murray City Park, Murray, UT
- 16 Membership Meeting & Potluck Municipal Park, Roy, UT
- 18-20 Cruise-In 2010 Rainbow Hotel & Casino, Wendover, NV
- 19 Birthday Breakfast Falcon Park, Sandy, UT
- 19 Manor House Car Show Legend Hills Mall, Layton, UT
- 25 Drive your Corvette to Work Day
- 26-27 Pickleville Playhouse Theater Cruise, Garden City, UT

#### **JULY 2010**

- 1-3 Cache Valley Cruise In Logan, UT
- 3 West Jordan Stampede Car Show West Jordan Park
- 8-10 American LeMans Miller Motor Sports Park, Toole, UT
- 10 Cruise to Wyoming Downs Evanston Wyoming
- 10 Coalville Super Car Show & Cruise Coalville, UT
- 14 Officers Meeting Tillotson
- 17-18 Cruise to North Rim Grand Canyon NP, Kanab, UT
- 21 Membership Meeting TBD

#### AUGUST 2010

- 7  $2^{nd}$  Annual Roy Days Car Show Roy, UT
- 11 Officers Meeting Gaylor
- 14 CCU Breakfast Cookout & Cruise Layton Commons Park, Layton
- 14 Wasatch Rods & Customs Car Show Layton Commons Park, Layton
- 18 Membership Meeting TBD
- 20-22 Gunnison Car Show, Gunnison Park, Gunnison, CO
- 21 Kruiser's for Kids Car Show Midvale, UT
- 28 Cruise to Crater of the Moon NP Mountain Home, ID
- 28 Air-Affair Ultimate Car Show West Valley City, UT

#### SEPTEMBER 2010

- 4 Willard Round-Up Car Show Willard, UT
- 8 Officers Meeting Clayton
- 10-11 Peach Days Poker Run & Car Show Brigham City, UT
- 15 Membership Meeting TBD
- 15-18 World of Speed Bonneville Salt Flats, Wendover, UT

- 15-19 Reno Air Race Cruise, Reno, NV
- 18 Birthday Breakfast TBD
- 18 Cruise to Tuacahn Theater St George, UT
- 25 Wings and Wheels Car Show Wendover, UT

#### **OCTOBER 2010**

- 13 Officers Meeting Barker
- 20 Membership Meeting and Officer Nominations Larry H Miller Chevrolet, Murray, UT

#### **NOVEMBER 2010**

- 7-14 Eastern Caribbean Cruise Carnival, Miami, FL
- 10 Officers Meeting Hackbarth
- 13 Birthday Breakfast TBD
- 14-21 Western Caribbean Carnival, Miami, FL
- 17 Membership Meeting and Officer Elections - Larry H Miller Chevrolet, Murray, UT

#### **DECEMBER 2010**

- 8 New/Old Officers Meeting Red Lobster, Murray, UT
- 11 CCU Christmas Party The Woods on Ninth, Midvale, UT
- 15 Membership Meeting - Larry H Miller Chevrolet, Murray, UT

#### **JANUARY 2011**

- 12 Officers Meeting TBD
- 15 CCU Awards Banquet Desert Star, Murray, UT
- 19 Membership Meeting TBD

Indicates a Non-CCU Sponsored Event

Always check the CCU Website for the latest update.

#### **New Members**

Denny and Nancy Holder - Holiday, UT 1981 Red Coupe Recruited By: Rudy Thompson

John and Michelle Beckstead - South Jordan, UT 2005 Red Coupe Recruited By: Himself

David and Diane Breisch - South Jordan, UT 1972 Yellow Coupe Recruited By: Paul Roach

Todd Hansen - Logan, UT 1986 Black Coupe Recruited By: Internet

Kathleen Roska - Taylorsville, UT 2010 Black Grand Sport Coupe Recruited By: Website

Bob and Kimberlee Sanders - South Weber, UT 1995 Green Coupe Recruited By: Website

#### **GETTING TO KNOW THE MEMBERS**

#### **DENNY AND NANCY HOLDER**

Nancy and Rudy were both born and raised in Salt Lake. Rudy graduated from Granite High and Nancy from Highland. They met in 1977 and were married in 1978. They have 2 children.

Rudy was in the Army Reserve and worked for Aero Tech Manufacturing for 10 years. He installed equipment for the newspaper industry in Europe and all around the United States in every city that had a newspaper.

He started his own business in 1983, Advanced Metal Finishing Inc. (AMFI). They do powder coating, wet painting, Anodizing, Chemical Film passivating and screen-printing, mostly for the high tech industry.

Nancy has always worked in the animal business, Central Valley Animal Hospital for 10 years when she and worked for Salt Lake County Animal services for 12 Years. She is now retired and a stay at home mother & wife.

Rudy bought his 1981 corvette in 2001 for \$8000.00 and has invested another \$23,000 into since. He has always been a Chevy guy since his first car, a 1955 Chevy. Since then he has owned three 55 Chevy's, 2 57's, a 62 impala, a 64 impala, a 68 camaro Z-28, a 78 camaro Z-28, and currently drives 2008 Impala.

#### JOHN AND MICHELLE BECKSTEAD

They have been married for 7 years. Their 1st Corvette was a beautiful 2001 Victory Red Coupe that they bought together, when they had difficulty having kids. It must have worked because 1 month later Michelle was expecting. Now they have 2 wonderful kids, Jake (4) and Brady (1). Since then, they bought a 2005 Precision Red, with some modifications. Michelle spends her time at home raising the 2 boys. John is a self-employed Financial Planner and Retirement Specialist. His company is called Lifetime Financial, a local fee-only investment management firm. They look forward to their association with the members of the club.

#### DAVID AND DIANE BREISCH

They were born and raised in Salt Lake City. They were High School Sweethearts, both went to Granite High School, and have been married 33 years this coming June. They have 3 great Children-Tenney, Curtis and Daniel and three of the cutest and smartest grandkids on the earth. Dave has always wanted a Corvette since he was in High School, it has always been a dream of his to have one and after 30 years of his dream has finally come true!!! So in July of this last year Dave located a 1972 Corvette Stingray that he loves.

They both enjoy working in Sales, Diane as a Manufactures Rep for in the Furniture Industry and Dave works in packaging-Glass, Plastic and Steel Containers. Dave coached his boys in all sports as they grew up but the highlight of his coaching was to have his youngest boy and 17 other boys that played for him in Little League, play on the 2006 undefeated Bingham High team that went 14 and 0 to win the 5A State Championship and he is also a diehard **U Of U** fan. Dave is a wonderful cook and enjoys making all kinds of great dishes, the ladies in the neighborhood call him for his recipes and he delivers his famous Carrot Cakes to everyone on their birthdays. Diane is a Master Gardner and loves to play in the dirt anytime she can. She is also a very gifted quilter and loves to spend time behind her sewing machine.

#### TODD AND JUDI HANSEN

This is Todd's first corvette. He has wanted one since high school. The corvette that he bought sat on a used car lot for 5 months. He said, "If no one wants this car, I guess I'll buy it." He did. It's a dream come true! 1986 Black Coupe.

#### **KATHLEEN ROSKA**

Kathleen was born in Idaho and grew up in Salt Lake City. She worked at IML Credit Union for nine years and twenty-one years at Pioneer Valley Hospital Accounting Department. She has two daughters, one grand-daughter and eleven step- grandchildren and is a widow. She retired from "work" but helps her daughter as a horse groomer, pooper scooper and stall washer. She is a NASCAR nut. She has been to Bristol, Charlotte, Michigan and Las Vegas race tracks. She goes to the Las Vegas race track every year, has taken a Petty Adventure Ride-a-long and couldn't go fast enough and her plans are to go to at least one Daytona 500. She had a 1986 Corvette Convertible, a 1994 25th Anniversary Trans-Am Pontiac which she sold for a 2004 Red Corvette which she traded in for her 2010 Black Grand Sport.

#### BOB AND KIMBERLEE SANDERS

Kimberlee was born in Vacaville, CA. While she did live there most of her life (at least until they met) she did spend 5 years of her childhood in the Azores Islands. Her father was the Fire Marshal at the U.S. Air Base there. While there she and her family would spend two weeks touring Europe each summer (sweet). After moving back to Vacaville and graduating from High School she became a Registered Dental Assistant. She worked in the dental field for about 12 years before starting a second job with Mary Kay Cosmetics. She has been with MK for about 20 years and is now a Senior Marketing Director. And yes she has earned the Pink Cadillac (six or seven in fact).

Bob was born in Great Falls, MT. a long time ago. His dad was a pilot in the U.S. Air Force so they moved a lot. One of their moves took them Tripoli, Libya (North Africa) where they lived for 3 years before coming

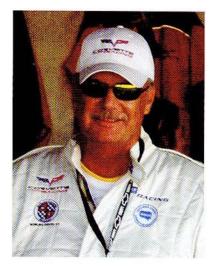
back to the states. They settled in Kansas City MO. After high school, Bob went to Missouri State College for 2 years (hated it) decided that hel needed some adventure so he joined the army and went to Nam. After the army he stayed in California and started an apprenticeship as a machinist at Mare Island Naval Ship Yard. He worked there for 20 years, 10 as a machinist and then trained to be a Nuclear Inspector and did that for almost 10 more years. Kimberlee and Bob met while he was at Mare Island. With Mare Island closing he was sent to Kelly A.F.B. in Texas. He did 5 years there before they closed that base and they were sent to Hill A.F.B. That's two base closures. They have three kids a boy and two girls all in their 30's and doing well.

This is their first Vette. They had a 94 Gold Wing but got tired of being hot in the summer and cold and in the spring and fall. And like most guys my age he always wanted a Vette so they got one. Their Vette is a 95 C-4 Dark Metallic Green.

## NATIONAL CORVETTE MUSEUM NEWS



**IS CLOSE FRIEND OF CCU** 



The National Corvette Museum has named Buzz Marston as the new Chairman of the museum's Board of Directors. Buzz has been a long time managing figure with the Western States Corvette Council (WSCC) to which CCU is an Associate Member Club and a long time NCM Board member. Buzz is also the WSCC's NCM and Public Relations Ambassador and as such has been a big help to CCU in our efforts with the American Le Mans Corvette Corrals at the Miller Motorsports Park.

Buzz assumes the Director's chair following the well known Mr. Will Cooksey who has held a Board position for the past eight years and the Chairman position for the past two years. From Buzz's Chairman's Corner page in America's Sports Car magazine he says of his friend Will, "This is a huge growth period for the NCM with the building addition completion and the re-opening of our museum during the 15th Anniversary Celebration. Will was a great help with all of this."

On behalf of the members of the Corvette Club of Utah we wish Buzz great success out of the timing lights for this new responsibility.

Experience the pride and enthusiasm of being a member of your National Corvette museum. Go on-line to,

http://www.corvettemuseum.org/

and check out your membership options. Also, see me, your NCM/CCU Ambassador for more information, and Remember the Wave.

Bob Tillotson

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## WESTERN STATES CORVETTE COUNCIL

The Corvette Club of Utah is a non-voting member of the Western States Corvette Council (WSCC). For more information, membership information, or to read the WSCC Redline Magazine go to <a href="http://www.wscc.ws/">http://www.wscc.ws/</a>. Our WSCC representative is Bob Tillotson.

WESTERN STATES CORVETTE COUNCIL is hosting a Track Day at World Famous SPRING MOUNTAIN MOTORSPORTS RANCH in Pahrump, NV on Monday, May 10th 2010, the Day after WSCC Convention in Las Vegas.

This is not part of the WSCC Convention package and you will need to register for this separately. One Full Day on the 2.2 Mile Track with three classes.

Beginners - Little to none track experience

Intermediate - Has soloed on two track events or more

Advanced - For the experienced track driver and has completed track courses

All this for \$150.00 for the whole day! Spectators/None Driving Guests: FREE. Limited to the First 60 Cars that Register. Our Friends at <u>Hooked on Driving</u> will be supporting this events with "coaches" for those who are beginners or would like some tips/help with this course.

This is a "bring your own" Corvette track day, if you want to inquire on renting a Corvette (C6 only) from Spring Mountain Motorsports, the cost is about \$2,000 a day and you will need to have been in one of their schools within the last year to qualify to rent one of their cars. Call Spring Mountain directly for details on that: TOLL FREE: 888.856.5870 or <a href="http://springmountainmotorsports.com">http://springmountainmotorsports.com</a>.

A Great Lunch Buffet will be served in the new Spring Mountain Country Club at \$17.00 per person, open to all. Registration and pre-payment is required, Registration form at: http://www.wscc.ws/RegTrackEvent.v2.pdf

## **CORVETTE RACING**

The Corvette Club of Utah fully supports the American Le Mans Racing Series (ALMS) and the ALMS Race at Miller Motorsports Park. The ALMS is back this year at the Millers Motor Sports Park on the weekend of July 10th. Corvette Coral and ticket package information will be coming. For more details about Corvette racing check out the web sites at:

http://www.corvetteracing.com

http://www.millermotorsportspark.com/index.cfm

#### **MOUNTAIN WEST STREET NEWS (MWSN)**

The Mountain West Street News (MWSN) is a local publication that promotes and advertises area events for car clubs and enthusiasts. CCU is part of this publication. Our CCU correspondent for MWSN is Bob Tillotson. You can join MWSN and receive it's bi-monthly publication by attending the MWSN Picnic each summer. MWSN, P.O. Box 172, Roy, UT 84067 or call (801) 773-8438.



## **CORVETTE CLUB OF UTAH NEWS**

#### WEAR YOUR CCU NAME BADGE

We have lots of new members in the club. The only way they will be able to remember your name is you wear your CCU name badge. To encourage you, only members wearing naming tags will get raffle tickets for the Membership Meeting door prizes. Come on, dig out those badges.

#### **SALES PRESENTATIONS**

Sales presentations at any of our membership meetings from any business or organization other than our sponsor must be approved at the Officer's Meeting the month prior. Please, no exceptions.

#### **OBLIGATION OF CLUB MONIES**

From Article VI Section 4 of the Bylaws - No obligation, debt or other liability will be incurred by the Treasurer without the specific approval of the majority of the officers and in accordance with the approved budget. Additionally, the following limits are placed to obligate Club monies; (a) five hundred dollars (\$500.00) by two-third (2/3) majority vote of the officers, (b) any expenditure exceeding five hundred dollars (\$500.00) will be voted on at a monthly Club meeting in accordance with ARTICLE IV Section 6.

#### **NOT HEARING ABOUT UPCOMING EVENTS**

We try to keep you informed with the Gazette, the CCU Website, and e-mail reminders. If you want to receive e-mail updates on events, changes to the schedule (and that does happen), you need to let us know your current e-mail address. If you change your e-mail address, you need to tell us or you won't get CCU e-mail. Please e-mail your most current e-mail address to Mike Barker at <a href="mailto:membership@corvetteclubofutah.org">membership@corvetteclubofutah.org</a>.

#### **POP-UP SOCIALS**

Tired of eating at home and need to get out of the house this winter. Come join us for the pop-up socials. Members of the club gather at a different place to eat dinner and socialize. No pressure, no points, just fun. Check the CCU website for the latest info, dates, and locations.

#### **CLUB SHIRTS, JACKETS, AND HATS**

If you would like to purchase Club shirts, jackets and hats, contact Horst at 450-5231, e-mail: <u>vette\_fun4two@yahoo.com</u>. Items must be prepaid.



#### JANUARY 2010 BIRTHDAY BREAKFAST

The CCU Birthday Breakfast was held on January 16th at Village Inn in Murray, UT. The names of members with birthdays in January were read. Birthday boys and girls got a free piece of pie courtesy of Village Inn. We had a good crowd and restaurant did a good job of getting the food out to a large crowd.

After breakfast, several of the members of the club went to the Auto Expo of Utah at the South Town Expo Center to support the club members that cleaned up their cars and brought them out for a Corvette Corral. Our thanks to Mike Crawford for bringing the props for the corral display, and the members that took the time to come out and set up the display. There was a lot of interest in the CCU Corral.

There were a lot of neat cars on display at the Auto Expo. GM brought in a ZR-1 and a Grand Sport Convertible for you to get up close to, sit in, etc. If you wanted a demo ride, the best you could do was a ride in the new Camero.

## **JANUARY 2010 MEMBERSHIP MEETING MINUTES**

The January Membership Meeting was held on Jan 20<sup>th</sup> at Larry H. Miller Chevrolet. We thank Larry H. Miller Chevrolet for their hospitality once again.

		Μ	ar 20	10		
Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
	1 Yellowstone Trip	2	3	4	5	6
7	8	9	10 CCU Officers Meeting 7:00PM	11	12	13
14 Daylight Savings Time Begins	15	16	17 CCU Membership Meeting 7:00PM	18	19	20
21 CCU Birthday Dinner 4:00PM	22	23	24	25	26	27
28	29	30	31			

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Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
				1 April Fools Day	2	3
4 Easter	5	6	7	8	9	10
11	12	13	14 CCU Officers Meeting 7:00PM	15 Tax Day	16	17
18	19	20	21 CCU Membership Meeting 7:00PM	22	23	24
25	26	27	28	29 Route 66	30 Route 66	

Mike Jensen started the meeting out buy announcing that the Larry H. Miller Dealership was starting a signup list for the C-7. As the allocations are received from GM, persons on the sign-up list will be given the first opportunity to order a C7. A deposit will have to be made at the time the order is placed.

Bob Anderson started the meeting by asking the membership to contact him or any other officer if you have suggestions regarding the club or events. He also announced that this would be another busy year for the members with planning for day cruises, weekend overnighters and trips all ready in progress. He also thanked the members who participated in the Motor Trend Car Show and especially Mike Crawford who furnished the props for the Corvette Corral.

Some Car Shows coming up are a Larry H. Miller Chevrolet Grand Opening Car Show sometime this spring, an RC Willey's Car Show in June, and the West Jordan Car Show in July.

He also announced that members who would like their cars displayed on the 2011 CCU Calendar to submit their picture or jpeg file to the Club Historian.

The club voted on the charity that the club will support for the coming year and the Utah Food Bank was the clear winner. Only monies raised through car shows will be donated to the charity. Membersship fees will not be used.

Bob Tillotson announced the Le Mans was coming to Utah in July. He introduced the Miller Motorsports Park representative that would be working with the club to set up the GM sponsored Corvette Corral and put together ticket packages for the race. He also announced the club would be making a run to Las Vegas in May for the WSCC Convention and to Roy in June for the MWSN Annual Picnic.

The other officers talked about upcoming events and Bernie told the membership to watch the website for information on Route 66. The cruise will be limited to 20 cars this year.

Mike Barker introduced the newest club members, Denny and Nancy Holder. The club then adjourned to the Village Inn for dinner.

A full copy of the meeting minutes is available from the club secretary upon request.

#### 2010 CCU AWARDS BANQUET

The annual CCU Awards banquet was held at Madeline's Steakhouse & Grill on Saturday, Jan 23rd. Service was good and the food was great. Lil and Luke presented a video of pictures taken at the previous years events. Paul Cox was presented a book that recognized his efforts as the President off CUU during the previous year. The follow members received awards during the banquet.

#### Member of the Year

Ned Anderson Judy Anderson Lynn Hicks

#### Corvette Club of Utah Awards

5 Years	
Dale & Elaine Bess	Ken & Audrey Frailey
Blake Brackenbury	LaRue Linderman
Bob & Jo Clayton	Sheldon Voigt
Jim & Marlene Cummings	Brent & Myrna Williams
Dennis & Bonnie DeBoer	Kevin & Stacy Wright
Jake Fisher	
10 Years	
Jim Elliott & Valerie Ulmer	Scott & Kathi Stanford

Brent & Joanne Munson	John & JoAnn Vigil		
Sherrie & Tom Spencer			
15 Years			
John & Kristie Berg	John & Jackie Sorensen		
Robert & Marie Liston	Bernie & Terri Warburton		
Gary & Darlene Odenwalder			
20 Years			
Stacia & Ernie Carlson	Horst & Gabby Hackbarth		
Diana Cooley & Don Kent	Paul & Linda Smith		
35 Years			
Mike & Valerie Donoso			
45 Years			
John Kennedy			
Other Awards for Things That Happened During CCU Events			
Bob & Connie Anderson	Luke & Liliane Hoefnagel		
Ned & Judy Anderson	Kim Riley		
Cal & Linda Butterfield	Scott & Kathi Stanford		
Dennis & Bonnie DeBoer	Bob Tilotson		
Lee & Nona Ellis	Vaughn & Diane Williams		
Lynn Hicks	Bernie Warburton		



## SUPER BOWL PARTY

The annual Super Bowl Party was held on Feb 7th at MacCool's Public House in South Jordan. The weather was dry, but cool, so we even had a few Corvette's in parking lot including Horst's and Gabby's new C-5 Z06. It was a good match up for the game. At half-time, it looked the Colt's were going to win it and most of us went home. But the Saints came marching in and won their first Super Bowl. Come join us next year for this annual event.

#### **FEB 2010 MEMBERSHIP MEETING MINUTES**

The Febuary Membership Meeting was held on Feb 18<sup>th</sup> at Larry H. Miller Chevrolet. We thank Larry H. Miller Chevrolet for their continued hospitality.

Bob Anderson started out the meeting by going over events coming up this month. He announced that members would receive 50% refund of what they paid for the Christmas Party due to poor food service. He also announced the sign-ups were on line for the Reno Air Races Cruise. He also announced that the late fees would start for club dues paid after the end of the month.

Mike Barker introduced new members Bob & Kimberlee Sanders, Hunsakers, and Todd & Judy Hansen. He also passed around a get well card for Gene Dotson. Bernie Warburton went over the details for the upcoming Route 66 Cruise. Bob Clayton went over the weekend overnighters for the year. Amber Gaylor went over the rest of the upcoming activities and events.

Bob Tillotson announced the MWSN Picnic coming up in June. He also went over the details for the upcoming WSCC Convention in Las Vegas including the CCU Hospitality Room. Horst Hackbarth announced he has club jackets and shirts available. Char Ohlson passed out some awards from the Awards Banquet (You can't keep from getting them by not going to the banquet). Finally, Mike Corgiat reminded members that rooms were still available for the Fall Caribbean Cruise.

A full copy of the meeting minutes is available from the club secretary upon request.

#### FEB 2010 BIRTHDAY DINNER

The December 2009 Birthday Breakfast was held on December 19th at the Golden Corral in Ogden, UT. The names of members with birthdays in December were read. You don't have to have a Birthday to attend this event. Just come out and enjoy some breakfast with other club members.

#### YELLOWSTONE SNOW COACH TRIP

On Feb 26th, hearty members of the club headed for West Yellowstone so we could see Yellowstone Park with snow and steam surrounding the geysers. On Saturday and Sunday we rode a snow coach into the park, competing with Buffalo on the trail. At night, we enjoyed dinner at some of the local restaurants in West Yellowstone. It was cold, but it was also a good break from the winter hum drums.

#### **MARCH EVENTS**

#### **BIRTHDAY DINNER - MAR 21ST**

<u>Saturday, March 21st</u> – 4:00 PM at Lone Star Steakhouse, 7176 S 900 E, Midvale, UT. Come help us celebrate the birthdays of members born in March.

Check the Corvette Club of Utah website for the latest information on date and location.

#### MAR 2010 MEMBERSHIP MEETING – MAR 17TH

<u>Wednesday, Mar 17th</u> – 7:00 PM at Larry H. Miller Chevrolet, 5650 South State St, Murray. Be sure to wear your name badges to be eligible for the door prizes. For more information contact Amber Gaylor.

Check the Corvette Club of Utah website for the latest information.

#### **APRIL EVENTS**

#### APR 2010 MEMBERSHIP MEETING – APR 21ST

<u>Wednesday, Feb 17th</u> – 7:00 PM at Larry H. Miller Chevrolet, 5650 South State St, Murray. Be sure to wear your name badges to be eligible for the door prizes. For more information contact Amber Gaylor.

Check the Corvette Club of Utah website for the latest information.

#### APR 2010 BIRTHDAY DINNER – APR 24TH

<u>Saturday, April 24th</u> – 12:30 PM at Corbin's Grill, 748 Heritage Park Blvd, Layton. Come help us celebrate the birthdays of members born in April.

Check the Corvette Club of Utah website for the latest information on date and location.

#### KINGMAN ROUTE 66 FUN RUN - APR 29TH TO MAY 3RD

The Route 66 Fun Run at Kingman, Arizona is an annual tradition for CCU. It's normally the first overnight trip of the year and a chance to get some driving time in your Corvette after the bleak and weary winter. Plus it is a chance to thaw out.

You can get more information about the Fun Run at: 2010 Fun Run Information.

You MUST register for the Fun Run, you can print the 2010 registration form at: <u>2010 Fun Run Registration</u> form. Make sure you mail them in before the date printed on the form.

You can sign up at the any Club Meeting or online at the CCU Website.

We have booked 30 rooms available to the Corvette Club of Utah. We will be meeting at the Chevron Gas Station at Thanksgiving Point, Exit 284, arriving at 8:15AM and we will depart at 8:30AM sharp. Members from the North can meet at the Layton Hills Flag Pole departing at 7:00AM.

<u>Thursday - April 29th - Page, Arizona</u> Best Western Phone: 1-928-645-2466 Price: \$65.00 + Tax

<u>Friday - April 30th - Williams, Arizona</u> Best Western Phone: 1-928-635-4400 Price: \$ 109.99 + Tax

Saturday - May 1st - Kingman, Arizona - Kings Inn Phone: 1-928-753-6101 Price: \$90.09 + Tax They have a full breakfast! Free

<u>Sunday - May 2nd - Mesquite, Nevada</u> Virgin River Phone: 1-800-896-4567 Price: \$24.98 + Tax

#### Monday - May 3rd - Home!

Be sure and book your rooms as soon as possible. They are going fast! Make sure and email us back to let us know you are registered with the hotel. If for any reason you find that you are unable to go, let us know so we can give your rooms to someone else. Trip itinerary with food stops, points of interest, daily departure times and routes will be sent to you sometime prior to departure date.

Thank You!

We will be seeing you all soon.

Bernie & Terri Warburton

Always check the CCU website for the latest information.



#### **FUTURE EVENTS**

#### WESTERN STATES CORVETTE CONVENTION 2010

Our Corvette Club of Utah will join with other western state Corvette clubs in this year's annual WSCC Convention in Las Vegas, Nevada the weekend of May 6 – 9, 2010. An adventure filled four days is scheduled which will include Thursday night's Open Mixer for all participating clubs, Friday night's Hospitality Room Social and competition, Saturday's Freemont Street Car Show and, the optional Sunday night Award Banquet. You can participate in or just watch the competitive activities like Drag Racing and Autocross at the Las Vegas Motor Speedway. There will be Go Kart Racing, Indoor Miniature Golf and numerous other events. Lodging for the convention is at the Tuscany Suites and Casino for \$49.00 per night. See the web site for Registration, Room Reservations and to sign up for the various activities. There will be lots of time too for on-your-own play time in fabulous Las Vegas.

Go to http://www.corvetteconvention.com/ for registration forms and details. A link to the Convention is also on the CCU home web page. Your caravan leaders are Bob Tillotson, 801-773-8106 and Amber Gaylor, 801-985-0701. Information and registration forms will be available at our Corvette Club of Utah meetings. The CCU caravan to the event will leave SLC on the morning of May 6, 2010.

Always check the CCU website for the latest information.

#### CCU CRUISE TO MESA VERDE NATIONAL PARK - MAY 21-23

Come join us for a road trip to Mesa Verde National Park on May 21st - 23rd. This was intended as an overnighter but we extended it to allow more time to relax and explore the Cliff Dwellings at Mesa Verde. We also have a side trip planned to the four corners monument the first night and Arches National Park on the way back. Brochures for both parks and the motel are available on the CCU website.

<u>Friday May 21st</u> - Members from the North will depart from the Layton Hills Mall flag pole at 8:00AM. We will meet the members from the South at the Chevron Gas Station at Thanksgiving Point and will depart from Thanksgiving Point at 9:00AM. We will stop for lunch at Moab. Should arrive at the Best Western Turquoise Inn & Suites in Cortez, Co around 3:30PM. After checking in, we will head for the Four Corners Monument for pictures of standing in four states at once. Should be back at the motel by 6:00PM.

<u>Saturday May 22nd</u> - We will depart the motel at 9:00AM for Mesa Verde National Park. We will stop at the Far View Visitor Center first so members interested in the Cliff Dwelling Tours can buy tickets. Those not going on the tour can view the Spruce Tree House cliff dwelling near the visitor center, visit the Chapin Mesa Archeological Museum, and take the Pueblo Village or Balcony House vehicle loop tours. There are several places within the park to get lunch. We will try to group up back at the visitor center around 4:00PM for the short drive back to Cortez. The entrance road to the park was under construction last year but is supposed to be finished.

<u>Sunday May 23rd</u> - We will depart the motel at 9:00AM and head for Moab for Lunch. We will take a 2 hour tour of Arches National Park Windows and view the arches in the Windows section and Delicate Arch. We should arrive in the Salt Lake Valley around 5:30PM.

Accommodations: The Best Western Turquoise Inn & Suites, (800) 547-3376, 535 E Main Street, Cortez, Co is holding 10 single queen rooms for the Corvette Club of Utah at \$89.95 per night rate. They will hold the rooms until April 20th so make your reservations early. If you are an AAA member and have access to the internet, they have a limited number of single queen rooms you can get at \$80.95 per night by booking the rooms on line.

Always check the CCU website for the latest information. There is an on-line sign-up on the CCU Website. If you don't have access to the website, catch me at a meeting, call me at home, e-mail me, or just show up if you want to go. There is no limit. If you have a room, you are good to go. For more information contact Bob Clayton at (801) 399-2557 or send an e-mail to robert.clayton@comcast.net.

Always check the CCU website for the latest information.

#### **RC WILLEY CAR SHOW - JUNE 5TH**

The Corvette Club of Utah has been asked to participate in the 2010 RC Willey Car Show. They will be paying the club \$400.00 to attend this event. Let's polish up the Corvettes an bring them out so the club can earm money for our charity.

The show will start at 11:00 AM and end at 3:00 PM.

They will have a drawing for three major gifts plus a few lesser gifts to the participates. Also, each car will receive a small gift. They have invited the Model A Club and Mustang Club to also participate. Last year each of these clubs brought 50 cars. They will provide Tents for shade and the usual hot dogs and drinks.

South members can meet at Smith's on 5300 South at 9:15 AM to leave at 9:30 AM.

North members should get to RC Willey, 1693 West 2700 South, Syracuse, UT by 10:30 - 10:45 to get their cars parked.

#### CCU CRUISE TO THE RENO, NEVADA AIR RACES - SEPT 16-20

Come join us for a trip to the Reno Air Races. We will also visit the National Car Museum and a side trip to Lake Tahoe. Additional information will be posted on the CCU web site as it becomes available.

#### ACCOMMODATIONS:

The Hilton Garden Inn Reno, (775) 850-9700, 9920 Double R Boulevard, Reno, Nevada 89521 is holding 30 rooms, 15 double queen and 15 king rooms, at \$119.00 per night rate plus tax. The rooms are being held under The Corvette Club of Utah and will be held until one (1) month prior to the arrival date. (August 16, 2010).

Please sign-up on-line on the CCU Website. There is no limit. If you have a room, you are good to go.

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#### **WEEKEND OVERNIGHTERS**

Last year we started popup overnighters. They are back again this year but this time we have them planned in advance. Here are the dates and details.

Mesa Verde NP - May 21st to 23rd

The Best Western Turquoise Inn & Suites, (800) 547-3376, 535 E Main Street, Cortez, Co

Pickleville Playhouse Summer Theater - June 26th to 27th

North Rim of Grand Canyon NP - July 17th to 18th

Best Western Red Hills, (435) 644-2675, 125 W Center Street, Kanab, UT

Crater of the Moon NP - August 28th to 29th

Best Western Foothills Motor Inn, (208) 587-8477, 1080 Highway 20, Mountain Home, ID

Tuacahn Theater - Sept 18th to 19th

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