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## **Front Cover Photo Credit**

At Sea World in San Diego during our Spring Break Cruise in April 2014.

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## From The President

I am trying to come up with something bright to say but this has been a very sad month for our club. We have lost two long-time members, Amber Gaylor, and Don Ward. As a club we attended to their wishes and either came to the Mortuary or escorted them to the cemetery. I appreciate all who assisted in this final send off to these members.

This warm weather has all of us itching to get out and go places, but I wonder what we will be drinking or watering our lawns with if we don't get some more snow! I have had the vette out several times already this year and, like you have enjoyed the warm sun, and just driving.

We have another new C-7 Corvette in the club in the form of Steve Kalm's new Z06. It is a beautiful car, and the color is really beautiful! Take time to ask Steve to look at it. We are waiting for Mike and Mary Barker to get theirs as we speak.

I am looking forward to getting out and doing some of the cruises, car shows, and tours we have planned. We have an exciting line up of cruises coming, and you can see all of them on the web. We post almost everything we are doing, either on our Facebook account, or on the website. Please plan on joining us for some of these events!

Thanks to all of you who help, and keep the Corvette Club the best club around!

### Ron Probert, President





## 2015 Corvette Club of Utah Officers

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To e-mail a CCU Officer, go to <http://www.corvetteclubofutah.org/> and click on 2015 Officers for a list of the officers. Click on the blue underlined title of the officer to send an e-mail to that officer.

Please contact the Special Events Chair, Larry Ricketts, regarding upcoming events. Contact the Treasurer, Shirlynn Gildea regarding renewals and payments for upcoming events. Please contact the Secretary, Char Ohlson, regarding event attendance and meeting minutes.

# Birthdays

## March Birthdays 2015

1 Dennis Barker  
2 Chuck Baker  
2 Kathleen Barker  
2 Scott Stanford  
2 Cheryl Woolston  
4 Andrea Hughes  
6 Bonnie France  
8 Janet Blood  
8 Christy Floor  
10 Char Ohlson  
14 Marlene Cummings  
15 Sally Allen  
19 Ken Frailey  
19 Brenda Peters  
19 Kathee Richardson  
20 Jeff Zornow  
21 Nona Ellis  
21 Lance Parker  
22 Jim Aird  
22 Betty Saxton  
22 Dave Meents  
25 Bryon Simpson  
25 Scott Strong  
25 Mike Warren  
27 Lynn Spencer  
27 Janet Tillotson  
28 Peggy Larsen  
30 Ron Probert  
31 Jim Dickson  
31 Bernie Warburton  
31 Teddy Wardle

## April Birthdays 2015

3 Dianne Allen  
4 David Nagel  
6 Marie Liston  
9 Shirley Harrington  
11 Judy Hand  
11 Mark Massey  
12 Jackie Howell  
19 Cal Butterfield  
19 Luke Hoefnagel  
22 Carol Coles  
23 Judy Anderson  
23 Karen DeSmet  
23 Patrick Reed  
25 Robert Callaway  
27 Lynne Hicks  
29 Cecelia Symons  
29 Sherrie Warren  
30 Liana Lucero  
30 Don Sommers

# Event Summary

## March 2015

- 11 CCU Officers Meeting – TBD
- 18 CCU Membership Meeting – Larry H Miller Chevrolet, Midvale, UT
- 20-23 41st Annual Auto Rama - South Towne Expo Center, Sandy, Utah

## April 2015

- 8 CCU Officers Meeting – TBD
- 15 CCU Membership Meeting – Larry H Miller Chevrolet, Midvale, UT

## May 2015

- 1-3 Route 66 Fun Run - Kingman, AZ
- 13 CCU Officers Meeting – TBD
- 15-17 Thank A Veteran Charity Poker Run - Mesquite, NV
- 20 CCU Membership Meeting – TBD

## June 2015

- 5 Historic 25th Street Car Show - Downtown 25th Street, Ogden, UT
- 6 R.C. Willey's Car Show - Riverdale Road, Riverdale, UT
- 7 35th MWSN Picnic - Sandridge Park, Roy, UT
- 10 CCU Officers Meeting – TBD
- 13 Sounds of Freedom Car Show - Layton Commons Park, Layton, UT
- 17 CCU Membership Meeting – TBD

## July 2015

- 2-5 Cache Valley Cruise-In - Logan, UT
- 3 5th Annual Corvette Car Show - Pratt Aquatic Center, Tooele, UT
- 8 CCU Officers Meeting – TBD
- 15 CCU Membership Meeting – Roy Municipal Park, Roy, Utah
- 17-19 CCU Jackson Cruise - Driggs, Idaho
- 25-26 Stags Open House and Friendship Cruise - Plain City, UT

## August 2015

- 6-8 45th Yellowstone Rod Run - West Yellowstone, Montana
- 12 CCU Officers Meeting – TBD
- 19 CCU Membership Meeting – TBD

## September 2015

- 9 CCU Officers Meeting – TBD
- 11-12 Peach Days Poker Run, Parade, and Car Show - Brigham City, UT
- 16 CCU Membership Meeting – TBD

**October 2015**

- 14 CCU Officers Meeting – TBD
- 21 CCU Membership Meeting/Officer Nominations – Larry H Miller Chevrolet

**November 2015**

- 11 CCU Officers Meeting – TBD
- 18 CCU Membership Meeting/Officer Elections – Larry H Miller Chevrolet
- 28-30 Hawaii Cruise - Long Beach, CA

**December 2015**

- 1-13 Hawaii Cruise - Long Beach, CA
- 9 CCU Officers Meeting – TBD
- 16 CCU Membership Meeting – Larry H Miller Chevrolet, Midvale, UT

# Getting to Know the Members

## Mark Massey

My 82 Stingray! My life began as the son of a private pilot, Robert Massey, of Revere Copper and Brass, whom when I was young showed me the world from heights that were astounding! He died at the helm at the Salt Lake City Airport, December 16, 1969, at my tender age of 13. My mother was an employee of a major local paper in Ellicott City, Maryland, where she met and married my stepdad Robert S. Bucklew Sr. He came to start an advertising agency and was involved in many political and business campaigns. My parents, including my stepdad, are recently passed away also. My interests in guitar and remodeling homes, set me on the path that keeps me alive to this day.

I currently live in Glendale, Utah and have had to admire, and desire to know what it would be like to only drive but to own a vehicle like my neighbors. You see I am not only a neighbor, but have been able to become a friend, who seems to know quite a few others who drive the almighty Corvette! A.k.a El Jefe. So one day I notice a nostalgic looking specimen in Rob Probert's driveway that was somewhat immaculate. Being the nosy neighbor that i am, when the opportunity arose I inquired about the vintage vehicle. As my life grows older and my kids away from home, I found I needed something to invest myself into. My recreational time is used helping others in recovery, practicing music and trying to be creative. My home improvement skills take a lot of my life to a creative level, but its nice to look out at Gods Creations from the seat of a vehicle as such.

My thanks to the man who put a lot of time and effort into preserving such a piece of history. Also to my step sister Belinda, who has owned 2 Corvettes in her life, and helped me with my decision on the purchase. It's been years since someone talked about a vehicle that I owned unless they were pointing at a flat tire, or an unexpected leaking fluid. Just Kidding!

## Brad and Ellen McBride

I've been interested in cars and particularly Corvettes all my life. I was born 10 days after the first Corvette rolled off the assembly line. I've owned a 1993 40th Anniversary for about 2 1/2 years. I am also building a kit for which a Corvette is the donor car.

## Janice Moreland

My interest in Corvettes started with Darrell and Nancy Moench. Nancy is my sister and she and Darrell tell me all about the Corvette cruises and how much fun they have on them. So when they decided to get a new Corvette and sell their current one I was all

about buying their red Corvette and joining the Corvette Club. I have had so much fun driving my new 2007 red Corvette and am anxious to get to know others who love their car too. I have lived in Utah for almost 2 years. I previously lived in Houston, Texas for 25 years where I raised my 4 children, 1 daughter and 3 sons. My two oldest children are married and between them they have provided me with 3 awesome grandsons; Jett, Dax and Finn who are, of course, the cutest kids ever! All 3 of my grandchildren live in Salt Lake City with their parents! I am a Nutrition Consultant/Health Coach. I love helping people return to health and give them the hope of a bright future and a happy, long and vibrant life. In the winter I love to snow ski, especially at Alta. I very often bring my sister, Nancy with me who is also a very good skier. We have a lot of fun together. In the summer I like to go hiking and getting outside. I love our beautiful beautiful mountains! I'm excited to join the Corvette Club of Utah and go cruising in my beautiful car.

## **Ivan Soroka**

I loved corvettes the first time I rode in one, but it took 53 years to get one of my own. I found my 1987 vette and was sad and mad to see the condition of the car but made an offer below blue book and they accepted it. I think I am the 5<sup>th</sup> owner of the car, according to the paper work. It is my money pit but I own it and am happy to have a corvette.

## **Ronald and Shawna Stewart**

I have been a Corvette owner from 1971 with my first Corvette being a 1962 327 300 hp non (ex fuelie) I worked in and out of body shops so the original color was Roman Red but because it needed some body work it was changed to Steel Cities Gray with a black interior. I sold it in 1975 and purchased my present car a 1972 350 that has changed colors over the years and is presently silver and maroon. The car is in a fifth restoration and I hope to put it back on the road sometime this summer. I work at Miller Motorsports Park as the on track manager. My wife Shawna also works at the track as a race control worker, but her main job is a trainer of educational products for Pearson International. I enjoy all cars and have owned approximately 65 autos in my life but have owned Corvettes the longest. I love car racing and have been a SCCA member since 1988 but a race track junkie when my dad took me to the fairgrounds round-rounds when I was 8. My wife and I hope to make a lot of new friends in the club.

## **New Members**

Mark Massey - Salt Lake City, UT  
1982 Red Coupe

Brad and Ellen McBride - West Valley City, UT  
1993 Red Coupe



Janice Moreland - Centerville, UT  
2007 Red Coupe

Ron and Shawna Stewart - Murray, UT  
1972 Coupe



## **National Corvette Museum Reports Highest Attendance in History**

The National Corvette Museum (NCM), located just off I-65 in Bowling Green, KY, has reported achieving their highest attendance in history at 251,258 visitors for the year. Previously the Museum's highest attendance was 200,900 in 1999 (the Museum's 5th Anniversary).

While the Corvette-swallowing sinkhole became an international news media sensation, attracting the majority of the additional guests for the year, the Museum also celebrated its 20th Anniversary and grand opening of the new NCM Motorsports Park, boasting over 38,000 attendance for the festivities. In addition, the continued interest in the new seventh generation Corvette (with Plant tours re-opening in October, 2013) gave visitors yet another exciting reason to visit the Home of Corvette in 2014.

"The bar has certainly been raised for all of us as we now focus on 2015," said Wendell Strode, Executive Director of the NCM. "Continuing our commitment to make sure each visitor has an experience that exceeds their expectations will ensure our 2015 will be a success."

The GM Corvette Assembly Plant also reported an increase in visitation for 2014, with a total of 55,785 guests touring the facility. The Plant began tracking visitation numbers in 2006, with 45,845 guests that year. Museum attendance was 150,462 in 2013, making 2014's numbers a 100,000 or 67% increase.



## Corvette Racing at Daytona: Rolex 24 GTLM Win for Corvette C7.R



Corvette Racing returned to Victory Lane for the Rolex 24 At Daytona on Sunday, scoring a hard-earned GT Le Mans class victory in the opening race of the 2015 TUDOR United SportsCar Championship. Antonio Garcia, Jan Magnussen and Ryan Briscoe won in their No. 3 Chevrolet Corvette C7.R in Corvette Racing's second race back at Daytona since 2001.

Garcia crossed the finish line by 0.478 seconds. The winning trio completed 725 laps â€“ 2,581 miles - for the team's second Rolex 24 victory. Corvette Racing captured and Rolex 24 overall win 14 years ago but didn't race at Daytona again until last season in the first race for the TUDOR Championship as well as the Corvette C7.R. GTLM pole-sitter Oliver Gavin, Tommy Milner and Simon Pagenaud placed third in class following a strong run.

## **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 if you wear your CCU name badge. To encourage you, only members wearing name tags will get raffle tickets for the Membership Meeting door prizes. Come on, dig out those badges.

### **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.

### **Club Member Significant Family Events**

If you know of another member who is ill, having surgery or has had a death in the family, please let the CCU Secretary or another officer know, so a card can be mailed from the club.

### **Corvette Club Clothing**

Keep an eye on the CCU website. In the very near future, there will be a link to club, shirts, jackets, hats, and other mementos. From the comfort of your home, you will be able to view, select, and buy club items using your computer, notebook, or smart phone. Items ordered this way will be shipped directly to your home.

## **CCU January Birthday Breakfast**

On Saturday, Jan 9th, the January Birthday Breakfast was held at the Golden Corral in Midvale, UT. After breakfast, the names of members with birthdays in January were read and the birthday door prize was drawn. Thanks for coming out on your busy Saturday.

## **CCU January Membership Meeting**

On Wednesday, Jan 21st, the January membership meeting was held at Larry H Miller Chevrolet in Murray, UT. Three new members, Brad and Ellen McBride, Jerry and Sherry Liguori, and Janice Moreland were introduced to the membership by Lloyd Laycock. Ron announced upcoming events to include the AutoRama in March and the Thanks to a Veteran Poker Run in May. He also announced each officer will plan a cruise and will be looking for a member to plan the trip with them. Bernie announced the details of the Route 66 Fun Run in May. Signup on the CCU Website so Bernie can determine if he needs to block more rooms. Signup early to make sure you have a room. The summer membership meeting in Roy will be on July 15th. Connie announced she is still trying to set up a work night at the Utah Foodbank so we can present our check from last year. Russell Baldwin from Larry Miller Chevrolet announced that they have a Red 2014 Stingray Convertible available now and a Gray Z06 on the way. Larry Miller Motor Sports Parks is looking for corner workers for the upcoming race season. If you are interested, go to their website and signup. The Porsche Club has invited CCU to participate in a driving program in May. Ecklers offered a club promotional program which included event liability insurance for \$225 per year. The membership unanimously approved the participation in the program. Char reminded everyone that dues are no due. Betty Saxton announced she was selling her Corvette and would not be renewing her membership. She thanked the membership for the many years of friendship. Please park on the side and rear of the building when we meet at the Larry H Miller Chevrolet building. The parking spots in the front of the building are reserved for customers. Finally, if you have purchased CCU Anniversary Medals, please come to a meeting or event and pick them up. I have about 20 of them to be picked up.

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

## March 2015 Calendar

Sun	Mon	Tues	Wed	Thur	Fri	Sat
1	2	3	4	5	6	7
8 Daylight Savings Time Starts	9	10	11 CCU Officers Meeting	12	13	14
15	16	17 St Patricks Day	18 CCU Membership Meeting	19	20 Auto-Rama	21 Auto-Rama
22 Auto-Rama	23	24	25	26	27	28
29	30					



## April 2015 Calendar

Sun	Mon	Tues	Wed	Thur	Fri	Sat
			1	2	3	4
5 Easter	6	7	8 CCU Officers Meeting	9	10	11
12	13	14	15 CCU Membership Meeting	16	17	18
19	20	21	22	23	24	25
26	27	28	29	30 CCU Route 66		



## **CCU Awards Banquet**

On Saturday, January 24th, we met at the Oakridge Country Club in Farmington, UT to pass out awards to members that earned them during 2014. The night started out with a social hour and very nice dinner. Service and food were excellent. After dinner, we started out with the special awards for things that happened to members during our club events. I thought I had escaped recognition, but my little incident when my car filled up with red dust because I forgot to roll the windows up in a dust storm were brought up as an example of things that didn't get reported. If something happens at an event, go to the CCU web page and report it. Next on the agenda was the appreciation certificates for the 2014 Officers. Then we handed out the years of service patches to club members who have been in the club for more than 5 years. Finally, the member of the

year and runners up were announced. Jo Clayton took the Member of the Year award for 2014. After the awards, some very nice door prizes were handed out to those in attendance. Join us next year for a very fun evening.

## **CCU February Birthday Breakfast**

On Saturday, Feb 7th, the February Birthday Breakfast was held at the Corner Bakery outside the Fashion Place Mall in Murray, UT. Members with birthdays in February were recognized. Once again, we had great attendance and filled the restaurant.

## **CCU February Membership Meeting**

On Wednesday, Feb 17th, the February Membership Meeting was held at Larry H. Miller Chevrolet in Murray, UT. Ron announced the loss of two members, Amber Gaylor and Don Ward. Both Kirt Gaylor and Karen Ward were in attendance at the meeting. He also announced that Larry H Miller Chevrolet would continue their sponsorship of the club for 2015. If you want a C-7 and are waiting for the prices to drop, contact Larry H Miller Chevrolet and they can pull in the 2014 Stingrays from other dealerships at significant savings. New members David and Janene Avery introduced themselves. The Hardware Ranch Cruise scheduled for this month was cancelled due to lack of snow which kept the Elk up high in the mountains. Ron covered upcoming events which included Route 66, Lava Hot Spring Cruise, Shakespeare Festival Cruise, and the Jackson Cruise. Watch the CCU website for more details and sign-ups. RC Willey has also invited us back for their Car Show at the Riverdale Store on June 6th. This is a major fundraiser for our charity so please plan on bringing your Corvettes in and displaying them. We need a big showing for it.

A full copy of the meeting minutes can be requested from the club secretary.

## **March Events**

### **March Birthday Breakfast – Mar 14th**

Saturday, Mar 14th – 10:30 AM, at Red Rock, Fashion Place Mall, 6227 South State Street, Salt Lake City, UT. Come help us celebrate the birthdays of members born in March. Everyone is invited to attend and wish them a happy birthday. For more information contact Larry Ricketts.

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

## **CCU Membership Meeting – Mar 18th**

Wednesday, Mar 18th – 7:00 PM at Larry H Miller Chevrolet, 5500 South State, Murray UT. Be sure to wear your name tags. We have been asked by Miller Chevrolet that we not park in front of the building while we are attending the meeting at Miller Chevrolet. We are asked to park on the north side of the building. Your cooperation is appreciated. For more information contact Larry Ricketts.

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

## **Utah Parts Plus Autorama - Mar 19th - 22nd**

The Utah Parts Plus Autorama will be held at the South Town Expo Center, 9575 S. State Street in Sandy, UT. There will be 10 Corvette's from our club displayed. Come see some great cars. For more information contact Larry Ricketts.

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

## **April Events**

### **April Birthday Lunch – Apr 11th**

Saturday, Apr 11th – 11:00 AM, at the El Matador, 606 South Main, Bountiful, UT. Come help us celebrate the birthdays of members born in April. For more information contact Larry Ricketts.

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

### **CCU Membership Meeting – Apr 15<sup>th</sup>**

Wednesday, Apr 15<sup>th</sup> – 7:00 PM at Larry H Miller Chevrolet, 5500 South State, Murray, UT. Be sure to wear your name tags. We have been asked by Miller Chevrolet that we not park in front of the building while we are attending the meeting at Miller Chevrolet. We are asked to park on the north side of the building. Your cooperation is appreciated. For more information contact Larry Ricketts.

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## Route 66 Fun Run - Apr 30th to May 4th

Come join us on our Historic Route 66 Cruise.

### Thursday April 30:

Meet at Thanksgiving Point parking lot at 8:45am drivers meeting depart at 9:00am drive to St. George for lunch about an hour depart destination Boulder City, NV. To the newly renovated Hoover Dam Lodge, Hwy 93, Boulder, NV 89005.

Room rate: \$53.95 plus tax.

Our booking is under Corvette Club of Utah (702) 293-5000.

### Friday May 1:

Drivers meeting at 9:30am depart headed for Kingman AZ. To the Power Plant to pick up fun run package and have lunch. On the way we will stop at the Keepers of the wild animal sanctuary to stretch and look around. After lunch cruise around Kingman. We will be staying at the Kings Inn for two nights.

2932 east Rt 66.

Room rate: King \$103.49 /two Queens \$107.99

(928) 753-6101. Our booking is under Corvette Club of Utah ask for Karen or Patti.

### Saturday May 2

Drivers meeting at 7:45am depart heading to Seligman for the parade with the fun run on Route 66 back to Kingman for festivities. Car show and downtown activities.

We will meet at the Dam Bar at 6:45 pm for our annual steak dinner order at 7: 00pm.

### Sunday May 3

Drivers meeting at 8:30am depart Kingman on Route 66 to Oatman, AZ. And on to Topock to the Senior Center for snacks and drinks for about an hour then on to Mesquite, NV via Las Vegas. We will be staying at the Casa Blanca Hotel & Casino.

Room rate: \$54.00 plus tax.

(877)438-2929

Group Code # 1CCU5

### Monday May 4

The ham steak breakfast is a great deal. 8:15am at the Virgin River. Terri and myself are leaving the Virgin River parking lot at 9:30am for SLC. Join us.

YOU MUST REGISTER WITH HISTORIC ROUTE 66 at [www.azrt66.com](http://www.azrt66.com), or can JAN @ (928) 751-5001 MAKE SURE YOU TELL THEM YOU ARE WITH THE CORVETTE CLUB OF UTAH. COST IS \$50.00 TO REGISTER FOR YOUR PACKET. MAKE SURE YOU TELL THEM YOU ARE PICKING UP OUR PACKETS IN KINGMAN. AFTER YOU HAVE YOUR REGISTRATION, E-MAIL BERNIE AT [tbuckethemi@gmail.com](mailto:tbuckethemi@gmail.com) OR CALL (801) 598-2278.

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

## Future Events



### **“Thank A Veteran” Charity Poker Run - May 15, 16, 17th**

Friday, May 15th - Arrive at the Casa Blanca Resort and Casino in Mesquite, NV.

3:00 to 5:00 pm            Registration will start in the Ball Room  
5:00 to 7:00 pm            Reception - Hors D' Oeuvres and “Cash bar”

Dinner on your own at one of the many restaurants at the hotel.

Saturday, May 16th

8:30 am            Registration continues

9:30 am            Start of the Poker Run from the Casa Blanca Resort & Casino. An info Packet & directions of Poker Run will be given at the Registration Site.

Approximate time of the Run is 2 1/2 – 3 hrs. The run include parts of Nevada, Arizona and Utah. Judges have final decision on poker hand winners. Any questions contact Doug Rosa at [onlyvet@yahoo.com](mailto:onlyvet@yahoo.com) or 435-634-1207.

5:00 pm            All participants must be back by 5 PM.

6:00 pm            Awards Banquet (large raffle prizes and 50/50 drawing) at the Casa Blanca Resort Casino show room. Secured Corvette parking.

Sunday, May 17th            Depart for home

Complete registration and flyer are also available on line at [www.colorcountrycorvettes.org](http://www.colorcountrycorvettes.org)



## **RC Willey Car Show - Jun 6th**

Saturday, Jun 6th - 11:00 AM at RC Willey, 4045 Riverdale Road, Riverdale, UT. The Corvette Club of Utah has been asked to participate in the 2015 RC Willey Car Show. # They will be paying the club \$400.00 to attend this event. Let's polish up the Corvettes and bring them out so the club can earn money for 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 participants. 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.

Please be at RC Willey by 10:30 AM to park your cars.

## **Mountain West Street News Picnic - June 7th**

Sunday, June 7th - 9:00 AM at Sandridge Park, 2075 West 4400 South, Roy, UT. Come to the annual MWSN Picnic. Picnic registration fee is \$27 for both the picnic and annual subscription to MWSN if registered before May 30th. It is \$32 at the gate. Picnic registration only is \$7 in advance or \$12 at the gate.

All vehicles are welcome. Free Tee Shirt for the first 25 to pre-register. Dash plaques to the first 250 to register. NSRA Safety Inspections for 2015 will be available. \$150 cash drawing for entries received before May 30th (Must be present to win).

Bring your own lunch if you like. Food will be available at the park for your convince. Remember, this is a picnic to support MWSN. This is not a car show. Activities get under way around 11:00 AM and prizes are at 3:00 PM.

New this Year! We would like to help the Joyce Hansen/Catholic Community Food Bank. For each non-perishable food item you bring, we will give you one free raffle ticket. (Limit 10 tickets per person) Help us fill their food barrels.

Mountain West Street News needs your support to continue this publication. Remember, we are a non-profit publication. Please help us make our 35th Anniversary Picnic one of the biggest & best ever!

For more information, contact Bob Tillotson our MWSN correspondent.

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



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I WOULD LIKE TO HAVE MY VEHICLE NSRA SAFETY INSPECTED                
YES NO

ENTRY & ADVERTISING RELEASE: Owner, wife and/or guests agree to permit Mountain West Street News to use their names, pictures and other information for publicity, advertising or commercial purposes before, during and after the MWSN Picnic.

LIABILITY: Entrants, participants, & spectators hereby release Mountain West Street News, the City of Roy, the County of Weber, the State of Utah and the editors and staff of MWSN and picnic from any and all damages, injuries, losses and claims suffered by entrant, family or guests to his person or property. Entrants who will participate in this picnic agree to follow any and all safety rules and regulations.

I have read and agree to all the conditions and rules governing this picnic including all games & activities. I agree all music will be provided by J.C. Hackett. Individual stereo systems will not be allowed. I agree to observe all decisions of the picnic management, the Mountain West Street News Picnic Staff. I understand if I pre-register and do not attend, packets will not be forwarded. I also understand that the picnic staff and their vehicles are admitted to the picnic area before the registered cars so they can set up for the day's events. I understand that if I have an Easy Up, I must have it secured safely to the ground.

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Date

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## **5th Annual Corvette Car Show - July 3rd**

Friday, July 3rd - 6:00 PM at Pratt Aquatic Center, 55 N 200 West, Tooele, UT. Come join us for the 5th Annual Corvette Car Show in great big Tooele. It will run from 6:00 PM to 9:00 PM on July 3rd. Address is 55 North 200 West (Pratt Aquatic Center). We will have live entertainment (Karaoke Contest). We will have specialty awards and everyone will receive a trophy. The best part is parking on the nice green grass at the park. Tooele really enjoys your beautiful cars. No entry fees. Bring your chairs. We do have a pavilion in the shade. We will love to see you all there. For more information contact Ruben Trujillo at 435-840-3847 or 435-882-5496. You do not need to register. Come enjoy the evening.

If you would like to cruise in together, meet at the McDonalds at the I-80 Tooele Exit at 5:00 PM. We will depart between 5:15 PM and 5:30PM.

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

## **Jackson Cruise - July 17th to 19th**

It's time for a weekend cruise. Last year, we went south. This year, we are heading north. Instead of driving straight to Jackson, we are going to Driggs, Idaho and visit some new places in Idaho. On Saturday, we will head over the pass to Grand Teton NP and spend the afternoon in Jackson, Wyoming.

Friday, July 17th - 8:00 AM members from the South depart from Smiths, 665 W 5300 S in Murray, UT and join up with the members from the north at the Flying J, 600 W 750 N, I-15 Exit 357 in Willard, UT for a 9:00 AM departure. We will cruise up to Rexburg, Idaho where we will stop for lunch. After lunch we will visit and drive our Corvette's through Yellowstone Bear World. Then it's off to the Best Western Teton West, 476 N Main, Driggs ID 83422 (208) 354-2363 where we will stay for the weekend. AAA and AARP rates are \$108 for 2 queen beds or \$103.50 for a single king bed. That evening we will go to The Spud Drive in Movie Theater for a movie. When is the last time you have been to a drive-in movie? You can eat dinner before we go or at the movie theater snack bar.

Saturday, July 18th - 8:00 AM departure for Grand Teton National Park. We will spend the morning looking for wildlife and getting those calendar shots of your Corvette with the Grand Tetons in the background. Around lunch time, we will head back into Jackson, Wyoming where you can enjoy the afternoon and an early dinner. Near sunset, we will head back to Driggs, Idaho for the night.

Sunday, July 19th - 9:00 AM departure for home. We will head towards Afton, Wyoming and over a real fun Corvette road to Soda Springs, Idaho. From there, we head to Preston, Idaho and then back on I-15 near Malad City, Idaho. Should be back in the valley that afternoon.

Please sign-up on the CCU web page if you want to be listed on the social roster for the trip. As always, if you have a room, you are good to go on the trip. You can show up at the last minute if you want.

For more information contact Bob Clayton at (801) 399-2557 or robert.clayton@comcast.net.

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

## **Peach Days - Sept 11th to 12th**

Everyone is invited to celebrate Brigham City Peach Days on Sept. 11 - 12th.

### Fun Run Friday Sept. 11th

There will be a Fun Run (Poker Run) on Friday evening starting at

Hansen Chevrolet  
5th West 1100 South  
Brigham City, UT

Registration- 6:00 - 7:30

Start time- 6:30 - 7:30

Cost is \$5.00 per hand.

Fun Run information can be found by clicking on [Fun Run](#).

### Parade Saturday Sept. 12th

We have not made any arrangement to participate in the parade this year. If you are interested as individuals, you can make those arrangement through the Brigham city Chamber of Commerce

### Car Show Saturday Sept. 12th

The main car entrance will be off Forest Street heading East toward historic downtown Brigham City. Take the Forest Street Exit off I-15 and head East toward the mountains. Cars can register or pick up their pre-registered placards at the Autoliv parking lot just off Forest Street - then continue heading East on Forest until you reach Pioneer Park / Watkins Park for the show.

Car Show 10:00 AM to 5:00 PM at Watkins Park, 6th West and Forest St

Awards at 4:00 PM

For those that would like to cruise together to this, we will be meeting at Smith's at 655 West 5300 South at 8:00 AM to leave as a group at 8:15 AM.

**IMPORTANT CHANGE!** Enter from Forest Street - Take the FOREST STREET EXIT.

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

## **Intermountain Porsche Club's High Speed Drivers Education**

The Intermountain Region Porsche Club of America has invited members of The Corvette Club of Utah to participate with them in a series of Driving Events at Miller Motorsports Park. # More information follows.

I am contacting you regarding a driving program that your club members may be interested in. I am the volunteer chairman for the Intermountain Porsche Club's High Speed Drivers Education program. Three times per year we offer the chance for novice and experienced drivers alike to drive their cars on the Miller Motorsports Park track. All makes and models are welcome as long as they are mechanically safe and have passed a safety inspection. This is an educational experience and not a racing program and we are very safety conscious.

In a nutshell, we pair everyone with an instructor to help them learn the basics of driving on the racetrack at a higher rate of speed in a safe manner. Passing is strictly controlled! Drivers may drive solo only when they have been passed off by one of our instructors for adequate driving and safety skills. I have to tell you, it is a FANTASTIC experience. I started myself in 2006 and was quickly addicted! Some of our drivers simply want to be better drivers, some want to "see what their car can really do" and some just love to drive at speed. Either way, it's a blast!

Our dates this year will be on May 2nd, June 6th and September 18-20th. **(Track experience required for the Sept. event)** We welcome your club members to come join us. You can contact me for more detailed information or any of your members can email me to get on our email list. You can also look for information on [www.irpca.org](http://www.irpca.org) or [www.motorsportreg.com](http://www.motorsportreg.com) and search for PCA + drivers school. We are finalizing some details so nothing is visible until later next week but I want to get this to you early so folks can explore and put it on their calendar if they choose.

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## Hawaii Cruise - Nov 28th to Dec 13th



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DAY	PORT ARRIVE		DEPART
Day 1	Los Angeles (Long Beach), CA		4:30 PM
Day 2...	Fun Day At Sea		
Day 3...	Fun Day At Sea		
Day 4...	Fun Day At Sea		
Day 5...	Fun Day At Sea		
Day 6	Maui (Kahului), HI	10:00 AM	11:00 PM
Day 7	Honolulu, HI	9:00 AM	11:00 PM
Day 8	Kauai (Nawiliwili), HI	7:30 AM	5:30 PM
Day 9	Kona, HI	10:00 AM	6:00 PM
Day 10	Hilo, HI	8:00 AM	5:00 PM
Day 11...	Fun Day At Sea		
Day 12...	Fun Day At Sea		
Day 13...	Fun Day At Sea		
Day 14...	Fun Day At Sea		



Day 15	Ensenada, Mexico	3:00 PM	8:00 PM
Day 16	Los Angeles (Long Beach), CA	9:00 AM	

The fall Carnival Cruise's are back. Several of the CCU members have gotten together every fall to take a fall cruise to the Caribbean. Last year we had a setback when the Travel Agent who set these up for us passed away. This year, we are going to do a long cruise and go to Hawaii. If you would like to join us, it will be on the Carnival Miracle departing on a 15 day Hawaii cruise on Nov 28th out of Long Beach. You can book the cruise at [www.carnival.com](http://www.carnival.com) , 1-800-764-7419, or contact your own travel agent. For more information contact Bob Clayton or Mike Corgait.

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