



Vette Gazette

May/June 2015



Corvette Club of Utah
P.O. Box 1134
Sandy, UT 84091
www.corvetteclubofutah.org



Front Cover Photo Credit	3
Vette Gazette Submission Information	3
From The President	4
2015 Corvette Club of Utah Officers	5
Birthdays	6
Event Summary	7
Getting to Know the Members	9
Kyle Bushnell.....	9
Hannah Laine and Rick Priddis	9
Joe and Laurie Vervaecke	9
Kelly Vining.....	10
New Members.....	10
Museum Debuts Vehicle Maintenance and Preservation Department	10
CORVETTE RACING AT 24 HOURS OF LE MANS	12
Mountain West Street News (MWSN)	13
Corvette Club of Utah News	13
Wear Your CCU Name Badge	13
Not Hearing About Upcoming Events.....	13
Club Member Significant Family Events.....	13
Corvette Club Clothing	14
CCU March Birthday Brunch	14
CCU March Membership Meeting	15
May 2015 Calendar	16
June 2015 Calendar	17
Utah Parts Plus Autorama - Mar 19th - 22nd	18
CCU April Birthday Lunch.....	19
CCU April Membership Meeting	19
May Events	20
Route 66 Fun Run - Apr 30th to May 4th.....	20
May Birthday Breakfast – May 9th	21
“Thank A Veteran” Charity Poker Run - May 15, 16, 17th	21
CCU Membership Meeting – May 20th	22

June Events	22
June Birthday Breakfast – Jun 6th	22
RC Willey Car Show - Jun 6th.....	22
Mountain West Street News Picnic - June 7th	23
4th Annual Sounds of Freedom Car Show - June 13th.....	23
CCU Membership Meeting – Jun 17th	24
10th Annual Porterville Car Rally - Jun 27th.....	24
Future Events	25
5th Annual Corvette Car Show - July 3rd	25
Utah Shakespeare Festival Cruise - July 9th to 12th	25
Jackson Cruise - July 17th to 19th	27
Peach Days - Sept 11th to 12th.....	27
Hawaii Cruise - Nov 28th to Dec 13th	28
Vette Gazette Advertising Rates	29
Advertisements	30

Front Cover Photo Credit

The Ardell Brown’s Corvette at the 2015 Autorama. This is the last time you will see it. It’s headed overseas.

***Vette Gazette* Submission Information**

To submit information for publication in the Jul/Aug 2015 issue of the *Vette Gazette*, please submit your information to the Gazette Editor, no later than June 15th.

To change your mailing address for the *Vette Gazette*, send an e-mail to ccu.membership@corvetteclubofutah.org.

From The President

It has been a long winter, but the spring buds on the trees are out and some of the flowers are blooming! This means it is time to get the cars out, start shining them up, and get to driving our beauties. Car shows are coming, parades are coming, and pop-ups are just around the corner.

Speaking of car shows, the Auto-Rama has come and gone, and we had a great turn out of beautiful cars. Mike Crawford brought his display and cars, and many of the members cars were first timers for being exhibited. Bob and Jo Clayton put their brand new C-7 in the show. I think they even won a trophy!

I was at the Hurricane Easter Car Show and talked to Ken Rice, who had two vehicles entered. He said to say hi to all of you and he will try and get up here to attend a few of our trips and outings. We saw several other CCU members there, as well.

Our Facebook page is getting a tremendous amount of "likes" and people commenting on what they see. If you have any digital photographs of your vehicle, send them to Steve Kalm so he can your vehicle onto our Facebook page.

I hope all of you had a wonderful Easter and are getting ready for the upcoming events and outings. Michelle and I are excited this year because she has convinced me to attend Burning Man with her. I wonder if I am up for this.

Hope all is well with you and yours, and we will see you at the upcoming events. Drive safely and remember to wave at the people while you are in your Vette! They are wishing they had one, too!

Ron Probert, President

2015 Corvette Club of Utah Officers

President

Ron Probert

ccu.president@corvetteclubofutah.org

Vice President

Judy Corgiat

ccu.vp3@corvetteclubofutah.org

Vice President

Vicki Ricketts

ccu.vp1@corvetteclubofutah.org

Vice President

Connie Statham

ccu.vp2@corvetteclubofutah.org

Secretary

Char Ohlson

ccu.secretary@corvetteclubofutah.org

Treasurer

Shirlynn Gildea

ccu.treasure@corvetteclubofutah.org

Gazette Editor

Bob Clayton

ccu.vettegazette@corvetteclubofutah.org

Special Events Chair

Larry Ricketts

ccu.events@corvetteclubofutah.org

Membership Chair

Lloyd Laycock

ccu.membership@corvetteclubofutah.org

Historian

Mike Corgiat

ccu.historian@corvetteclubofutah.org

Webmaster

Dave Ohlson

ccu.webmaster@corvetteclubofutah.org

NCM Ambassador and Public Relations Chair

Steve Kalm

ccu.ambassador@corvetteclubofutah.org

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

May Birthdays 2015

2 Dorene Strong
4 Mike Crawford
4 Herm Ruseler
5 Brenda Tippetts
6 Myrna Williams
9 Larry Elmer
9 Scott Richins
11 Cal Burgart
11 JoLayne Clayton
14 Vicki Ricketts
15 Alan Marks
17 Bruce Gildea
17 James Sim
18 Bennie Blackburn
19 Robert Luken
19 Jim Powers
21 Jean Powers
22 Judy Bailey
23 Bonnie DeBoer
25 Ann Oldroyd
25 Mark Stowers
28 Linda Butterfield
28 Rayla Simpson
29 Lee Ellis
29 Janice Moreland

June Birthdays 2015

1 Debra Wolfley
4 Delia Hawkins
6 Kelly McCarthy
6 Angela Reed
7 Blake Brackenbury
12 Will Gardner
12 Linda Smith
13 Diane Nielsen
15 Louise Johnson
17 Julie Sim
18 Don Kent
19 Fred Allen
19 Liliane Hoefnagel
20 Jerry Liguori
22 Kathleen Roska
23 Lowell Sorenson
24 Jackie Sorsensen
26 Don Huffman
27 Brian Hicks
27 Scott Jensen
28 Joel Schneeweis

Event Summary

May 2015

- 1-4 Route 66 Fun Run - Kingman, AZ
- 2 High Speed Drivers Education - Millers Motorsports Park, Tooele, UT
- 9 CCU Birthday Breakfast - The Egg and I, Holladay, UT
- 13 CCU Officers Meeting – TBD
- 15-17 Thank A Veteran Charity Poker Run - Casa Blanca, Mesquite, NV
- 20 CCU Membership Meeting – Larry H Miller Chevrolet, Murray, UT

June 2015

- 5 Historic 25th Street Car Show - Downtown 25th Street, Ogden, UT
- 6 CCU Birthday Breakfast - Pelican Restaurant & Pub, Riverdale, UT
- 6 R.C. Willey's Car Show - Riverdale Road, Riverdale, UT
- 6 High Speed Drivers Education - Millers Motorsports Park, Tooele, UT
- 7 35th MWSN Picnic - Sandridge Park, Roy, UT
- 10 CCU Officers Meeting – TBD
- 12 CCU BBQ for Larry H Miller Chevrolet Employees - Murray, UT
- 13 Sounds of Freedom Car Show - Layton Commons Park, Layton, UT
- 17 CCU Membership Meeting – Storm Mountain Park, Sandy, UT
- 19-20 Coats for Kids Car Show and Cruisin - Bountiful City Park, Bountiful, UT
- 25-28 12th Annual Corvettes at Lake Tahoe Car Show - Stateline, NV
- 27 10th Annual Porterville Car Rally - Porterville, UT

July 2015

- 2-4 Cache Valley Cruise-In - Logan, UT
- 3 5th Annual Corvette Car Show - Pratt Aquatic Center, Tooele, UT
- 4 Sandy City 4th of July Parade - Sandy, UT
- 8 CCU Officers Meeting – TBD
- 9-12 CCU Utah Shakespeare Festival - Cedar City, UT
- 11 Super Cruise & Car Show - Coalville, UT
- 15 CCU Membership Meeting – Roy Municipal Park, Roy, Utah
- 17-19 CCU Jackson Cruise - Driggs, Idaho
- 25 CCU/Mustang Club BBQ
- 26 CCU Birthday Breakfast - CJ's Restaurant and Bakery - SLC, UT
- 25-26 Stags Open House and Friendship Cruise - Plain City, UT

August 2015

- 6-8 45th Yellowstone Rod Run - West Yellowstone, Montana
- 8 Under the Stars Charity Car Show - Sunset, UT

- 12 CCU Officers Meeting – TBD
- 15 Kruisers for Kids Shriners Car Show - Midvale City Park, Midvale, UT
- 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
- 18-20 High Speed Drivers Education - Millers Motorsports Park, Tooele, UT

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
- 12 CCU Christmas Party - The Cottonwood Club, Holladay, UT
- 9 CCU Officers Meeting – TBD
- 16 CCU Membership Meeting – Larry H Miller Chevrolet, Midvale, UT

August 2019

- 28-31 2019 National Corvette Caravan and 25th NCM Anniversary

Getting to Know the Members

Kyle Bushnell

I have always loved Corvettes. Years ago, I had a 1978 and always regretted selling it. I recently had the opportunity to buy a show quality 1977 that was a frame off restoration. I love it and I am excited to show it with the club at events. As for me, I am once retired but have another full time and three part time jobs, so I'm plenty busy but will find time to enjoy this car and make new friends in the Corvette community. Thanks.



Hannah Laine and Rick Priddis

I am a lover of the old Corvettes, and Rick loves the smooth-running, AC-having, reliable vettes! He's owned one model or another for many years, and I've only recently been added to the Corvette Family with the incredible gift of "Stinger", the ultimate Christmas Gift. We are looking forward to getting to know other Corvette enthusiast and having new friends in the community.

Joe and Laurie Vervaecke

We moved to Sandy UT in 2002 from Singapore. Retired from Caterpillar in 2008. Volunteer Zoo-Aide at Hogle Zoo caring for the giraffes. Volunteer Wish Granter at Make-A-Wish. Member of Thanksgiving Point Volunteer Advisory Board. Volunteer dog walker at Humane Society of Utah

Kelly Vining

Kelly joined the club in 2003 and was a member for several years and he decided to join again. He lives in Hooper, UT and has a green 2015 coupe and a orange 2008 coupe.

New Members

Kyle Bushnell - Salt Lake City, UT
1977 Orange Coupe

Hannah Laine and Rick Priddis - Lindon, UT
1971 Gray Coupe and 2003 Black Coupe

Joe and Laurie Vervaecke - Sandy, UT
2015 Crystal Red Roadster

Kelly Vining - Hooper, UT
2014 Green Coupe and 2008 Orange Coupe



Museum Debuts Vehicle Maintenance and Preservation Department

Internal Shop Will Maintain Museum's Growing Corvette Collection

2013 and 2014 were record years for car donations at the National Corvette Museum, with 13 being received last year, and 12 in 2013 bringing the grand total of Museum-owned Corvettes to 62. For several years the goal has been to launch a

department focused solely on maintenance and upkeep of these prized Corvettes. That goal is now a reality.

Phillip Wheeler and Daniel Decker have joined the Museum's new Vehicle Maintenance and Preservation Department, dedicated to maintaining cars for both the Museum and Motorsports Park.

Phil, the department manager, is excited about the opportunity. "When I was invited to join the team, it became clear very quickly that I was a part of a family. I have a lifelong love for cars and a passion for preservation and restoration that makes this a dream job. I am happy to be here."

With over 100 cars of his own (40 that are housed in his personal showroom) Phil knows how to maintain a collection of cars and looks forward to taking care of the Museum's treasured Corvettes. "We will be going over every car that has been donated to the Museum, and begin a new maintenance record for each one, making sure they are fully serviced and drivable - checking for any leaks or other issues that need to be addressed. In addition to that, we'll be making sure that the fleet of cars at the track are safe, serviced and always ready to go."

Daniel has been restoring and working on cars for the last 27 years of his life. He has ASE certification in steering, suspension and brakes, he's been to paint school in Chicago, and for several years he ran the Midas shop in Bowling Green. The portfolio of cars he has restored in his own shop is a reflection of his passion for cars. "I'm excited to be here. This is a new program so we have a lot of work ahead of us. Once it is up and running, I feel like it is going to be great."

The Museum's maintenance department will initially be located just past the Engineering and Design display area, in what was once the PDI Department. Visitors to the Museum may periodically see Phil and Daniel working in the garage bay, adding another exciting element to the Museum tour experience. They are also looking forward to meeting Museum members and guests. "To anyone thinking of donating their cars to the Museum," Phil says, "I want them to know that their cars will be in good hands."



CORVETTE RACING AT 24 HOURS OF LE MANS

DETROIT - Fresh off a first- and third-place finish in the Rolex 24 At Daytona, Corvette Racing confirmed its lineup for the 83rd running of the 24 Hours of Le Mans. Two familiar faces will join Corvette Racing for its attempt at an eighth class victory since 2001 - Ryan Briscoe and Jordan Taylor.

Briscoe will reunite with Antonio Garcia and Jan Magnussen in the No. 63 Chevrolet Corvette C7.R for the world-famous endurance sports car race set for June 13-14. The same driver lineup just won the GT Le Mans (GTLM) class at the Rolex 24 Hours to open the TUDOR United SportsCar Championship. Taylor, who drove in the 24 Hours of Le Mans the last three years in the No. 73 Corvette, will team this year with Oliver Gavin and Tommy Milner for the first time in the No. 64 Corvette.

Both Corvettes will compete in the GTE Pro class at Le Mans - the equivalent of the GTLM class in the TUDOR Championship.

"Le Mans is the biggest challenge an endurance sports car driver or team can face," said Mark Kent, Director of Racing for Chevrolet. "Over the 15 years that Corvette Racing has been an annual participant at Le Mans, we have captured seven class victories. Winning at Le Mans requires not only a great race car like the Corvette C7.R and outstanding drivers, but also great execution by the entire team. In addition to victories, another measure of our success at Le Mans includes the lessons we learn by competing in this grueling race and how we transfer these learnings to our production vehicles. The Corvette C7.R and Corvette Z06 are perfect examples of technology transfer between the race track and the Chevrolet showroom."

In the 2014 Le Mans debut for the Corvette C7.R, both cars placed in the top-four in GTE Pro. Garcia, Magnussen and Taylor were runners-up in the No. 73 car while the No. 74 Corvette placed fourth.

Corvette Racing's six drivers have a combined 12 victories at Le Mans - four each for Gavin and Magnussen, three for Garcia and one for Milner. The group of six has 49 Le Mans starts between them: Magnussen 16 and Gavin 14 (all consecutive starts for both), Garcia with nine, Milner with six, Taylor with three and Briscoe with one.

"The 24 Hours of Le Mans with competitors from across the globe is one of the most important races of the year for Corvette Racing," said Jim Campbell, Chevrolet Vice President for Performance Vehicles and Motorsports. "Our team has been preparing the C7.R race cars for the past 12 months, focused on delivering the right combination of performance, durability and efficiency for this iconic sports car race."

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

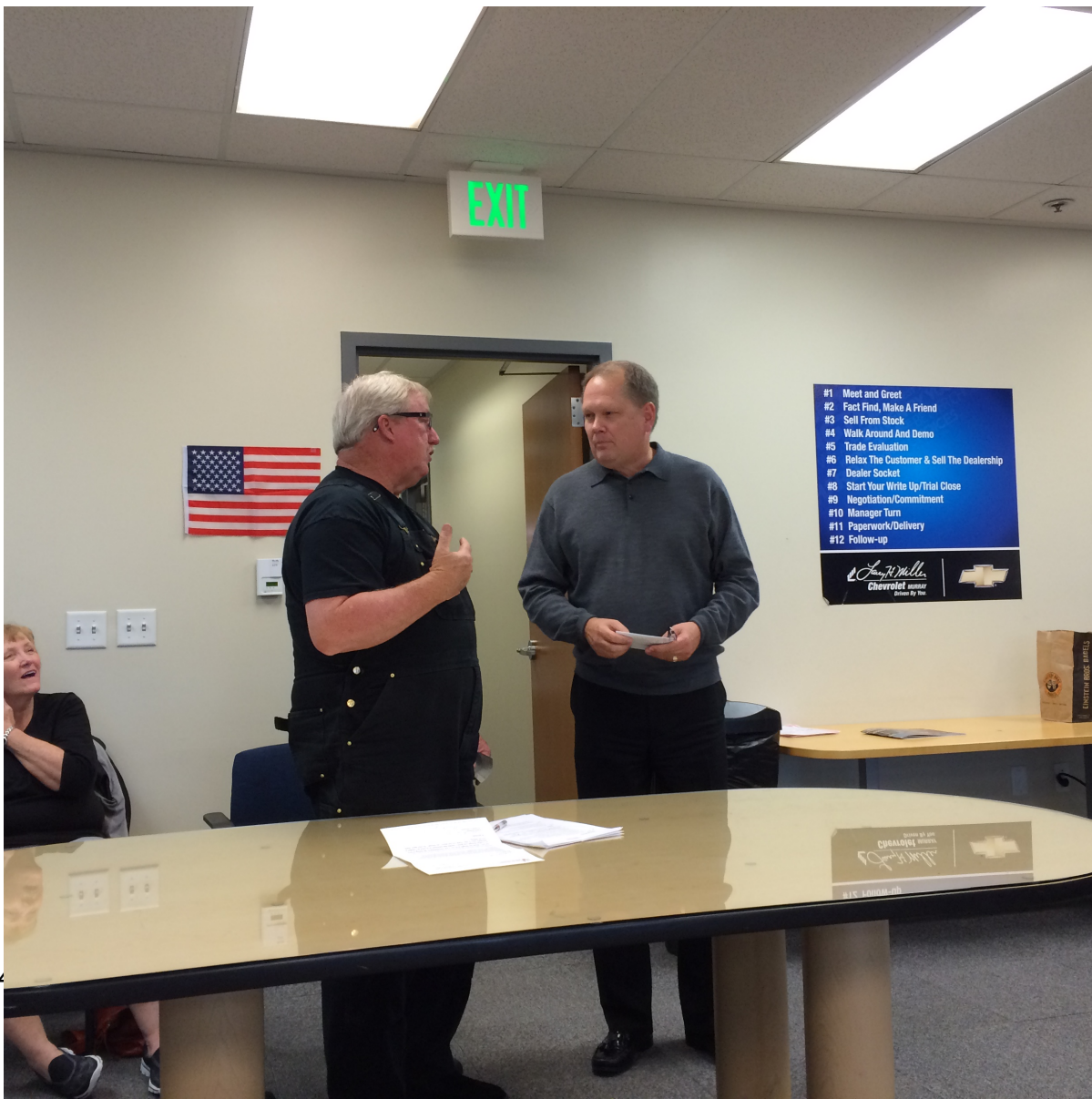
If you know of another member who is ill, having surgery or has had a death in the family, please let the CCU Secretary or another officer know, so a card can be mailed from the club.

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 March Birthday Brunch

On Saturday, March 14th, the March Birthday Brunch was held at the Red Rock Brewery in Murray, UT. After breakfast, the names of members with birthdays in January were read and the birthday door prize was drawn. We had a great attendance and were glad to see some members out that we had not seen since summer. An extra treat was the Lego Exhibit in the South Town Mall that most of us wandered through after the brunch. Amazing what you can do with Legos. Thanks for coming out on your busy Saturday.



CCU March Membership Meeting

On Wednesday, Mar 18th, the March Membership Meeting was held at Larry H Miller Chevrolet in Murray, UT. Three more new members, Kyle Busnell, Alex and Louise Johnson, and Joe Vervaecke were introduced to the membership. Ron announced upcoming events to include Route 66 the first week of May, RC Willey Car Show in June, the Sounds of Freedom Car Show in June, the Sandy City Parade on July 4th, and the Shakespeare Cruise in July. Both the RC Willey, Sounds of Freedom car show and the Sandy City 4th of July Parade are paid events with the proceeds going to our charity. We need maximum participation for these events. He also announce the opportunity for someone to organize a Sunday Cruise. A local Bakery Shop will provide donuts, you just have to organize the drive. Contact Ron to set it up.

The highlight of the night was Jim Yorganson, CEO of the Utah Food Bank who came to the meeting to receive the check from last years fundraisers. He explained how our donations impact their efforts and thanked us for the continuing support. We donated \$2056.41 to the Utah Food Bank this year. Ron also read a letter from the Ronald McDonald House thanking us for the toiletries we collect from motels on our Trips. Don Bohema has been collecting those donations and delivering them to the house.

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

May 2015 Calendar

Sun	Mon	Tues	Wed	Thur	Fri	Sat
					1 Route 66	2 Route 66
3 Route 66	4 Route 66	5	6	7	8	9 CCU Birthday Breakfast
10 Mothers Day	11	12	13 CCU Officers Meeting	14	15 Thank a Veteran Poker Run	16 Thank a Veteran Poker Run
17 Thank a Veteran Poker Run	18	19	20 CCU Membership Meeting	21	22	23
24	25 Memorial Day	26	27	28	29	30
31						

June 2015 Calendar

Sun	Mon	Tues	Wed	Thur	Fri	Sat
	1	2	3	4	5	6 CCU Birthday Breakfast RC Willey Car Show
7 MWSN Picnic	8	9	10 CCU Officers Meeting	11	12 CCU BBQ for Larry H Miller Chevrolet Employee's	13 Sounds of Freedom Car Show
14	15	16	17 CCU Membership Meeting	18	19	20
21 Fathers Day	22	23	24	25	26	27
28	29	30				



Utah Parts Plus Autorama - Mar 19th - 22nd

On March 19th through March 22nd, the club had 12 Corvettes on display at the Autorama in the South Town Expo Center. The ones with the fancy floor and display was the "West Wendover Chapter" of the Corvette Club of Utah. Their elaborate display one them a prize and \$100 cash. The one with no display and just the cars was the main Corvette Club of Utah.

The Corvettes did well. All participants won a trophy for their class. We had some other members who participated individually and they won in their class too. Even the Dare Car took home a trophy.

Both displays drew lots of visitors. Our thanks to all of the participants for spending the time to prepare and maintain the cars throughout the three day car show. Special thanks to Larry Ricketts and Mike Crawford and gang for the extra work setting up and tearing down the displays. If you are interested in doing this next year, sign up early with events chair.



Check out pictures of the other cars on Corvette Club of Utah Facebook.

CCU April Birthday Lunch

On Saturday, April 11th, the April Birthday Lunch was held at the El Matador in Bountiful, UT. Members with birthdays in February were recognized. Once again, we had great attendance and filled the restaurant.

CCU April Membership Meeting

On Wednesday, Apr 15th, the April Membership Meeting was held at Larry H. Miller Chevrolet in Murray, UT. Future events were announced by Ron. The BBQ for Larry H Miller Chevrolet employees will be Jun 12th. The Corvette/Mustang Club BBQ will be July 25th. You can now pay for things on the CCU Website using Pay Pal. A CCU flag is being made to show at car shows. The membership present at the meeting voted to sell or give away the car show items used for Autorama instead of paying for storage to store them. Future participation at Autorama will be individual and not as a club.

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

May Events

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, 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 OR CALL (801) 598-2278.

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

May Birthday Breakfast – May 9th

Saturday, May 9th – 9:00 AM, at The Egg and I, 1919E Murray-Holliday Road, Holladay, UT. Come help us celebrate the birthdays of members born in May. 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.



“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 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

CCU Membership Meeting – May 20th

Wednesday, May 20th – 7:00 PM at Larry H Miller Chevrolet, 5500 South State St, Murray, UT. Be sure to wear your name tags. For more information contact Larry Ricketts.

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

June Events

June Birthday Breakfast – Jun 6th

Saturday, Jun 6th – 9:00 AM, at Pelican Restaurant and Pub, 4029 Riverdale Rd, Riverdale, UT. Come help us celebrate the birthdays of members born in June. We will go to the RC Willey Car Show following breakfast. For more information contact Larry Ricketts.

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

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.

4th Annual Sounds of Freedom Car Show - June 13th

Saturday, Jun 13th - 7:00 AM Car Show and Vendor Set Up, Layton Commons Park, Layton, UT. This is another paid event with the donation going to our charity. We need maximum participation please.

Sounds of Freedom 2015 will be known as the "Day They Deserve" and will be honoring the Vietnam Veteran. The day will start with a HUGE parade showing our HEROES the DAY THEY DESERVED so long ago. Our parade will end at the Layton Commons Park where you will find 400+ show cars, 300+ motorcycles, 90+ vendors booths, an array of food, music and giveaways. At noon we will have guest speakers, flag ceremony and a military flyby. This amazing day remembering our heroes will end with a concert at 6:00 pm, making this a true "Day They Deserve".

Activity Schedule

0700- Car Show* and Vendor Set Up
1100- Vietnam Parade
1200- Open Ceremony & Flag Ceremony
1300- Car Show Judging
1400- Retro Wear Fashion Show
1630- Grand Prize Drawing
1700- Awards
1800- FREE CONCERT!!!!

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

CCU Membership Meeting – Jun 17th

Wednesday, Jun 17th – 7:00 PM at Storm Mountain Park, 11450 S 1000 E, Sandy, UT. Be sure to wear your name tags. For more information contact Larry Ricketts.

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

10th Annual Porterville Car Rally - Jun 27th

Saturday, Jun 27th - 11:00 AM to 4:00 PM at the neighboring homes of Jack and Jean Harris and Olif and Virginia Burmwell at 3095 S and 5085 S Morgan Valley Drive in Porterville, UT. The first 75 participating cars will get a free dash plaque! Hot dogs, salad, drinks and popsicles will be provided.

Please, No Alcohol. Thanks.

Bring your own Car, Lawn Chairs and Chips or Cookies to share.

Lunch will be served from 12:00 PM to 1:00 PM at the Harris beautiful new Red Barn/ Garage. You've got to see it.

Morgan County Food Bank last year was a big hit. Let's be generous. Bring non-perishable canned items, or paper products e.g. toilet paper, tissues, paper towels, etc. Thanks !

Check the Corvette Club of Utah Website for the latest information

Future Events

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.

Utah Shakespeare Festival Cruise - July 9th to 12th

Come join us on a trip to the Utah Shakespeare Festival in Cedar City, Utah (July 9-12). During the days side trips to St. George and Zion National Parks are planned.#

For the Shakespeare Festival, those interested in attending the plays will need to get tickets through the Utah Shakespeare Festival Web Site, by [clicking here](#).

Attend one, two or all three, your choice. Ticket prices range from \$27-\$72 depending on seat selection. There are also plays during the day if you chose not to take the day trips. Please look at the festival calendar to see what events are going on. [clicking here](#).

Will and Maurie would like to know how many are going to accompany them, please sign up for the cruise on-line by [clicking here](#), or at a club meeting.

Hotel:

Best Western Town & Country Inn
189 North Main Street
Cedar City, UT 84720 (435) 586-9900

I called the hotel and blocked off 10 room at a rate of \$90 per night plus tax (Normally \$114.99/night). If people identify themselves as being part of the Corvette Club Of Utah, they can get a room at this rate. The only rate that was cheaper was the Military Rate if anyone qualifies for that. The military rate that I got was \$75.00 per night.

Departure Point:

Layton Flag pole around 8:00 AM

Tower Deli parking log at the Thanksgiving Point exit around 9:30 AM

3003 Thanksgiving Way

Lehi, UT 84040

Tentative Itinerary:

Thursday, July 9th - After gathering everyone together, we will begin our drive to Cedar City. Quick rest stop in Nephi, and lunch in Fillmore, cheese shop in Beaver. Then continue on to Cedar City, and check into the hotel. On Thursday evening prior to going over to the play, let's gather around the pool for a social hour. Bring a snack if you'd like. Maurie will be bringing her 2 favorite bottles of wine. (one is to share) Will is going to have a case of Diet Coke. (He always shares.) You are welcome to do the same. Hopefully we will gather by the pool if the weather is favorable. We might even order out for pizza. If not pizza, we will have a dinner somewhere before the show.

Friday, July 10th - After breakfast will head out of Cedar City, and circle around to the back side of Zion National Park. Drive through the park with a few picture stops, and on to lunch at Wildcat Willie's. After lunch, with time permitting, an imax movie (hopefully one about Zion National Park). Following this, back to the hotel. Relax, dinner and a show.

Saturday, July 11th - About mid-morning will head west out of Cedar City, turn south at Beryl Junction, through Enterprise and continue south. Plan is to stop at Fish Rock Grille just north of St. George for lunch. After lunch, drive through St. George and stop at the outlet mall for an hour of shopping. Then back to the hotel. Relax, dinner and a show.

Sunday July 12th - After breakfast, we head for home. Lunch stop will be decided in route.

Now this is all subject to change, but main thing is to have some fun.

Looking forward to seeing all of you.

For more information contact Will or Maurie Gardner at 801-774-2597 or e-mail [Will and Maurie](#).

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. Best Western Teton West is now full. Call Super 8, 1361 North Hwy 33, Driggs, ID 83422 (208) 354-8888. Two queen bed rooms are \$120. There are only 4 rooms left. The last motel in Driggs is the Pine Motel (208) 354-2774. 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.

Hawaii Cruise - Nov 28th to Dec 13th

A chain of secluded tropical islands sitting all alone in the middle of the Pacific, Hawaii is just waiting for you to discover them. When you cruise Hawaii, Carnival offers so much to do... with ports spread across four Hawaiian islands, you can be sure you're seeing a whole lot of this stunning, unique state.

Departs from
Los Angeles, CA

Aboard
Carnival Miracle

Interior	Ocean View	Balcony	Suites
\$1,314.00	\$1,499.00	\$1,749.00	\$2,749.00

Ports Of Call:

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 , 1-800-764-7419, or contact your own travel agent. For more information contact Bob Clayton or Mike Corgait.

Vette Gazette Advertising Rates

Business Card Ad: \$30

Half Page Ad: \$60

Third Page Ad: \$40

Full Page Ad: \$85

Ads will be published for Corvette Club members by the Corvette Club of Utah in the *Vette Gazette* and on the CCU website. Please send your ads and your check payable to CCU Advertising to Corvette Club of Utah, P.O. Box 1134, Sandy, UT 84091. Ads will be published in the next available issue.

Advertisements

Please support our advertisers.

Welcome to



Contact Information:

Larry H. Miller Chevrolet
5500 S State Street
Murray, UT 84107
Sales: (866) 667-2204
Service: 866-789-1427
Parts: 866-789-7965



Ardell Brown

Office: 801-255-1602 • Cell: 801-232-5959 • Fax: 801-255-1769
ardell@ardellscars.com
www.ardellscars.com

Sales Office:
8452 S. State Street
Midvale, UT 84047

Showroom:
865 East 12000 South
Draper, UT 84020

AMERICAN NATIONAL
A BRILLIANT WAY TO INSURE YOUR COLLECTOR

ROLFE AGENCY CLASSIC CAR INSURANCE
meets the insurance needs of all types of classic vehicles
Contact us for a free quote today!
heather.rolfe@american-national.com • 801-335-5965

Tint Specialists .com

Steve Bonnema

**Utah's #1
Window Tint
& Clear Bra Experts**



4662 South 160 West
Murray, UT 84107

(801) 261-3232 www.tintspecialists.com

Window Tinting for Auto, Residential, Boat, Commercial, RV

Corvette Club of Utah
P.O. Box 1134
Sandy, UT 84091

