

Convette Club of Utah

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To submit information for publication in the Sept/Oct 2018 issue of the Vette Gazette, please submit your information to the Gazette Editor, Annamarie Forbes, no later than Friday, Oct 19th. Email address: ccu.gazette@corvett eclubofutah.org



Here we are presenting our \$5,000 check to The Utah Food Bank – September 24<sup>th</sup>. A proud moment indeed!

## From the President

Dear Members,

As our summer winds down, I look back at a very fun and successful summer. We had trips, parades, car shows and fun birthday events. We had great dinners with our meetings. We had many new members join us. It truly has been a great summer!

I want to thank those that attended the Utah Food Bank check presentation. We had 18 cars and a lot of people. What a great opportunity it is to support such a worthy cause. I encourage each of you to attend at least one of the food distributions. I am sure that you will come away grateful for what you have and proud of what we have accomplished. Please bring your Corvette if weather permits,

I want to thank everyone that contributed in any way. Many of you contributed money and time to help us reach our goal of \$5000.00. I couldn't be more proud of our club and our members.

We still have a lot of activities to look forward to in the coming weeks. We have more trips, more birthday celebrations, and the Halloween party. We have great things planned for the holidays as well. We look forward to seeing everyone there!

As October approaches, please be thinking about serving as an officer for the coming year. We will need several new officers. This is your chance to help shape the future of the Corvette Club of Utah!

Thanks for a great summer,

John Forbes Corvette Club of Utah President



Dear Corvette Club of Utah,

Thank you so much for helping us recruiting volunteers to make our Mobile School Pantry (MSP) run smoothly. Here is the information needed. Please be aware the time listed on the Date list attached to this email is the distribution time, but volunteers are needed 30 minutes before and 30 minutes after to help set up before and clean up.

I have you scheduled with 6/10 volunteers at each distribution.

Please arrive on time. Upon arrival, please meet our UFB Mobile Pantry Coordinator at the school parking lot. He or She will direct you from there.

Here is some additional info:

- Keep safety in mind and ensure that those in your group are as well
- · As part of safety rules, Closed-toe shoes are required
- Volunteer work tends to be somewhat physical in nature, typically requiring one to be on their feet for long periods of time and have the ability to do some light to moderate lifting
- Volunteer need to be at least 16 years' old
- To maintain a healthy environment, if individuals in your group are feeling ill please encourage them to stay home and volunteer in another opportunity.
- Distribution will take place outside or inside depending of the weather condition

Thank you for all you do and we look forward for one more year of success!

Zeny Uribe-Cardenas Agency Relations/Mobile Pantry Coordinator

### Sponsor, Corvette Club of Utah

# J.C. Freemont Elementary School Mobile Pantry

## 2018-2019 School Year

4249 Atherton Dr. Taylorsville, UT 84123 Distribution is from 1:30pm to 2:30pm or till supplies are out 3<sup>rd</sup> full week of each month on Friday, see dates below:

Month	Date
September	21
October	5th Make Up Day for the 19th
November	9th Make Up Day for the 23rd
December	21
January	25
February	22
March	8th Make Up Day for the 22nd
April	19
May	17th Make Up Day for the 24th
June	Out for summer
July	Out for summer
August	Out for summer

Dates may be subject to change and deliveries may be canceled in cases of extreme circumstances.

## 2018 Corvette Club of Utah Officers

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2018 Charity – Utah Food Bank

## **Corvette Club of Utah News**



Nominations for next year's officers will be taken at October's meeting. It's time to decide about serving as an officer in the club in 2019.

To e-mail a CCU Officer, go to <u>http://www.corvetteclubofutah.org/</u> and click on 2018 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, Karen DeSmet, regarding upcoming events. Contact the Treasurer, Diane Williams regarding renewals and payments for upcoming events. Please contact the Secretary, Nola Emery, regarding event attendance and meeting minutes.

The club's financial information is available if you are interested. See Diane Williams at our monthly member meetings. She can provide that information to anyone interested.

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

Join us on-line at <u>www.corvetteclubofutah.org</u> or like us on Facebook at https:// www.facebook.com/CorvettecClubOfUtah.

## **New Members**

Lance and Trudy Andrewsen – 2012 red ZR1 1969 yellow Stingray Karl Campbell – 2009 blue Coupe Bob and Anita Mekkelson – 2000 white Coupe Don and Cyndi Schmidt – 2010 Gran Sport Tom and Dee Glenn – 2014 yellow Z51 Roadster

# BIRTHDAYS

#### SEPTEMBER

#### **OCTOBER**

- 01 Wendel Burt05 Gabriele Hackbarth
- 05 Reed Price
- 07 Kimberlee Reynolds
- 09 Nola Emery
- 10 Audrey Frailey
- 13 Joanne Munson
- 13 Phil Rocco
- 13 Brent Williams
- 14 Steve DeSmet
- 16 Gail Draper
- 17 David Hess
- 18 LaRue Linderman
- 19 Kori Jensen
- 20 Nancy Moench
- 22 Barry Winegar
- 24 Kelly Vining
- 27 Jim McCarthy
- 27 Vickie Honey
- 28 Bernie Poelzl
- 28 Kevin Jolley
- 29 Vaughn Williams

Debbie Bell

- 02 Ardell Brown
- 05 Mario Valencia
- 05 Don Schmidt
- 06 Robert Anderson
- 06 Dale Bess
- 07 Claudia Ruseler
- 15 Connie Derrick
- 17 Darrell Moench
- 21 Carol Salzetti
- 24 Bob Clayton
- 25 Horst Hackbarth
- 25 Robert Jensen
- 25 Nancy Parker
- 26 Trudy Andrewsen
- 27 Lance Andrewsen
- 28 Ned Anderson
- 28 Shirlynn Gildea
- 28 Dennis Salzetti
- 28 Gin Strong
- 29 Kerry Burt
- 29 Lloyd Laycock
- 31 Jalee Cox







The following news comes from the NCM enews, the weekly email newsletter of the national corvette museum. Subscribe to NCM E-News on the NCM Website for more news and the details. Corvette News

### Museum Events Registration Open for Vets 'n Vettes presented by Mobil1

If you've never participated in the annual Vets 'n Vettes event at the National Corvette Museum and NCM Motorsports Park, you are REALLY missing out! Winding down event season at the Museum, this three day event kicks off on Thursday, November 8 with a full day at the Motorsports Park. Registered event attendees get free laps at the track in exchange for offering Corvette rides to veterans! A complimentary lunch is served as well.

Friday and Saturday, November 9-10, feature a Meet 'n Greet, road tours, a lunch at the VFW and participation in the Bowling Green Veterans Day Parade. General registration is only \$20.

Automotive News

The 'Most American' Car You Can Buy

Corvette has long had the nickname 'America's Sports Car' and according to the annual Kogod Made in America Auto Index, it is also the 'Most American' made vehicle. With a top score of 83.5 points, Corvette earned bragging rights by racking up the points within seven criteria including profit margin; labor; research and development; inventory, capital and other expenses; engine; transmission; and body, chassis and electrical components.

#### **Corvette Raffle**

#### 2019 Blade Silver Corvette Winner Drawn

Congratulations to Steve Bruce of Newburgh, IN - winner of today's raffle of a 2019 Silver Stingray Convertible Corvette with ticket number 255. We sold all 1,500 available tickets! Steve currently owns a 1982 Collector's Edition Corvette, and his wife purchase the raffle ticket for him.

Want to pick your Corvette's model, color and options? The winner of our August 16 raffle will get to do just that! We're raffling off a 2019 "Build Your Own" Zo6 or Grand Sport Corvette (with \$70,000 cash option). Tickets are \$250 and the raffle is limited to 1,000 tickets.

## NCM Motorsports Park News

#### Have an Experience in a Stingray!

The NCM High Performance Drivers Education program August 25-26 focuses on the three keys to becoming a better driver – Education, Safety, and Fun! Students are separated into groups based on road course driving experience, with most being assigned experienced driving instructors to help teach and enhance driving skill and enjoyment. You get to drive your car as fast as you can in a controlled, safe atmosphere! Along with the on-track instruction, our program offers second to none classroom sessions to finetune the technique and theory of high performance driving.

#### 2019 National Corvette Caravan

Don Herzer, Publications Director for the Western States Corvette Council (WSCC) who served as Captain of the NorCal section of the 2014 Caravan, has been asked to to be our Captain for 2019.

He has elected to give our section a nickname – Pacific Central Corvette Caravan – which is easily further shortened to Pacific Central and PCCC. This is much less cumbersome than listing the whole three states. Also, if it is shortened to NorCal (as done in 2014), then N. Nevada and Utah feel left out.

He will be working on blocking sets of rooms at hotels along the route, but don't expect

registration to be available until approximately fall of 2018.

He will be compiling all this and much more into a Route Book that will be available to registered



Don Herzer Pacific Central Captain 25<sup>th</sup> Anniversary NATIONAL CORVETTE CARAVAN

Info: http://www.corvettecaravan.com

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participants Spring 2019.

You can help promote the Caravan by decorating your car with a window sticker, flag(s), and/or a rear window "Follow Me To Bowling Green" decal – all available from Don. Contact Don for pricing/availability.

If you would like to volunteer to help him in this venture, he would welcome that. He will also be looking for sponsors to help defray some of the costs.

What can you expect from the 2019 National Corvette Caravan:

Registration for the caravan will occur on-line at the National Corvette Museum (NCM) website. If you are not a member of NCM, you will have to join NCM as part of the registration process. We will send out a notice when it's time to register.

Go to the Corvette Caravan Facebook page and join the group. This is how you will receive information regarding the caravan from NCM and our Captain.

Sign-up for a Corvette Factory Tour on the Thursday or Friday of the week that we will be at the NCM. This is one of the highlights during the caravan. These go fast so sign-up early. The NCM website has a link to the factory tour reservations page.

Bob Clayton and Bob Tillotson will be the CCU Co-Captains for the CCU portion of the caravan. They will share the planning and and take turns leading CCU to and from the NCM.

Just a quick note from Don on Aug 3rd to let you know that he hasn't forgotten about you hanging out there.

"Exciting news! - Pacific Central currently has 78 interested parties. He thinks that we're going to be considerably larger than 2014 and will easily be leaving CA with 100 or more Corvettes, and gathering more along the way.

He hopes to be able to open up hotel booking shortly, which you should be able to do with one phone call/email.

Since we will be hitting the road relatively early on Aug. 22 - 9:30 am at latest, he would like to get a feel if he should set up some rooms in the Fairfield area the night before. If enough people are interested, we could even have a

pre-launch dinner/party/reception. Thanks for your interest in this exciting event."

You can also choose to start with the caravan in Fairfield, CA if you want to do US-50 across California and Nevada. Bob Clayton is traveling to California to attend the pre-launch festivities in Fairfield and anyone that would like to join him are more than welcome. Just send him an email so he can forward travel information on the California portion of the caravan.

Pacific Central Tentative Caravan Itinerary

Day 1 - Thurs. Aug, 22nd Launch - TBD (somewhere in Fairfield area) on road by 9:30am Special Lunch in Carson City Visit to Fallon NAS; Optional dinner at Officer's Club Overnight in Fallon, NV

Day 2- Friday, Aug. 23rd Cross Nevada on "Nation's Loneliest Highway" Optional fun activities Overnight in Salina, UT

Day 3 - Saturday, Aug. 24th Cross Utah into Colorado Optional visits to Moab/Arches National Park Overnight in Silverthorne, CO. This is the day that CCU, led by Bob Tilotson, will be leaving the Salt Lake City area and joining the caravan at Silverthorne, CO.

Day 4 - Sunday, Aug. 25th Activities in CO Drive through Rocky Mountain National Park Optional visits to Coors / Railway Museum Overnight in Limon, CO

Day 5 - Monday, Aug. 26th Out of CO into MO Optional museum visits Overnight Kansas City, MO

Day 6 - Tuesday, Aug. 27th Cross MO Link up with So. CA group in Cape Girardeau, MO Special dinner/activities Overnight in Cape Girardeau, MO Day 7 - Wednesday, Aug. 28th Into Bowling Green, KY Stage for group parade entrance to NCM

Aug. 28 - 31 Activities at NCM / Bowling Green Area Optional seminars, road trips Possible Corvette Factory Tours

If you are serious about going on this section of the Caravan, please send Don an email so he can keep you informed about lodging and optional activities that he may set up.

About a year out, a list of hotels will be released. CCU will be using these hotels for the trip to the museum.

At the Museum

Thursday, Aug 29th thru Saturday Aug 31st - While at the NCM, we will be staying in Bowling Green. At the present time, all of the hotels that allow blocking of rooms are blocked out. Reservations will open up 52 weeks prior

to our stay. We will provide a list of hotels within a one block area at that time. The primary hotel will be a Best Western.

We expect to release lodging information for Bowling Green in early September. Once you get your notification, immediately make your Bowling Green Reservation since they will book out quickly. We will provide the return trip reservations about the same time. Just remember that it's easier to cancel a reservation than get a reservation at a later date when rooms are not available.

CCU Caravan Return Route

The return route will be Route 66 from Chicago to Santa Monica. A list of hotels will be released about a year out. We are still ironing out the details, but here is a rough outline.

Sunday, Sep 1st - (CCU- Bob T) Chicago and Overnight in Joilet, IL. Visit the start of Route 66 and visit some attractions on Lakeshore Drive.

Monday, Sep 2nd - (CCU - Bob C) St Louis, MO. Drive the Illinois portion of Route 66 and visit the arch.

Tuesday, Sep 3rd - (CCU - Bob T) Springfield, MO. Drive the Missouri portion of Route 66 and take in a show in Branson, Mo.

Wednesday, Sep 4th - (CCU - Bob C) Clinton, OK. Drive the Kansas and Oklahoma portion of Route 66.

Thursday, Sep 5th - (CCU - Bob T) Albuquerque, NM. Stop at the Big Texan and Cadillac Ranch in Amarillo, TX.

Friday, Sep 6th - (CCU - Bob C) Kingman, AZ. Stop at Williams and Seligman. Saturday, Sep 7th - (CCU - Bob C) Santa Monica, CA. Drive California Route 66 through Barstow and then stay overnight on Route 66 in Rancho Cucamonga, Ca.

Sunday, Sep 8th - (CCU - Bob C) Mesquite, NV. Overnight stop on the way back to Salt Lake City.

CCU NCM Ambassador News

The 2019 Torch Red Corvette Convertible raffle drawing will be on Saturday, September 1st, 2018 at 3PM CT. Good luck to those that bought tickets..

The Museum is located at I-65, exit 28 in South Central Kentucky and is open daily, 8am to 5pm Central Time.

To find out more about the National Corvette Museum and/or join as a member, contact your CCU NCM Ambassador, Bob Clayton.



CORVETTE RACING AT ROAD AMERICA: Another Double Podium for Corvette C7.Rs

Milner, Gavin place second in GTLM; Garcia, Magnussen finish third in tight championship

ELKHART LAKE, Wisconsin (August 5, 2018) – Corvette Racing's pair of Chevrolet Corvette C7.Rs raced their way to the GT Le Mans (GTLM) podium Sunday at Road America in the IMSA WeatherTech SportsCar Championship. With second- and third-place finishes in the Continental Tire Road Race Showcase, both teams solidified their championship standings **heading into the** final three events of the season.

Oliver Gavin and Tommy Milner finished second in the No. 4 Mobil 1/SiriusXM Chevrolet Corvette C7.R on Sunday, their highest finish since winning at Long Beach earlier this season. Antonio Garcia and Jan Magnussen placed third in the No. 3 Sirius/XM Corvette for their fifth straight podium finish in IMSA competition.

Garcia and Magnussen remain second in GTLM Driver's points after Sunday and just four points out of first place. The result for the No. 4 Corvette elevated Gavin and Milner one position to fourth and 10 points behind their teammates.

Chevrolet also remained second in GTLM Manufacturer's points.

Sunday's race featured a number of different strategies until the final restart with 40 minutes to go following the race's fifth and final caution. Both Corvettes gained a spot in their opening stints to second and fourth, respectively, before fuel and tire strategies came into play.

Teams elected to make anywhere from two to four pit stops in the two-hour, 40-minute race with the Corvette Racing team electing to split their strategies. Garcia drove the first 38 minutes in the No. 3 Corvette before handing off to Magnussen. The Dane entered the race sixth but gained a couple of positions before Garcia re-entered the race with 80 minutes left. Meanwhile, Gavin drove the same opening stint as Garcia and handed off to Milner, who made just one more stop with 63 minutes to go as the No. 4 team chose to gamble on having enough fuel to make it to the end.

Garcia came in for fuel and fresh Michelin tires a minute later, just as the race's fourth full-course yellow came out. He came in again to top off on fuel with 55 minutes to go. When the race began again, Milner ran fourth and Garcia seventh.

Milner moved up another position to third with 44 minutes left, and Garcia began marching his way forward to fourth inside the final 30 minutes. The Corvette Racing engineers huddled in the pit lane and decided to let Garcia take a run at the then-second place No. 67 entry in the final 15 minutes to see if he could gain another position, but the clock and opportunities ran out. Milner went back around Garcia on the last lap to solidify the final order.

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## SEPTEMBER 2018

Sun	Mon	Tues	Wed	Thur	Fri	Sat
30 Wendover Drive						1
2	3 Miner's Day Parade	4	5 Laguna Seca Trip Sept 5-10	6	7	8 Peach Days Car Show
9	10	11	12	13	14	15 Birthday Breakfast
16	17	18	19 City & County Building - Meeting	20	21	22 Autumn Color Cruise
23 Autumn Color Cruise	24	25	26	27	28	29

## OCTOBER 2018

Sun	Mon	Tues	Wed	Thur	Fri	Sat
	1	2	3	4	5	6 Birthday Cruise & Lunch
7	8	9	10 Aviation & Tahoe Trip 10-14	11	12	13
14	15	16	17 Member Meeting	18	19	20 Halloween Party
21	22	23	24	25	26	27
28	29	30	31			

## September & October Events

#### Park City Miner's Day Parade – Monday, September 3rd

Celebrate Miner's Day on Labor Day in Park City. The Park City Rotary Club will host a day-long celebration of Park City's mining heritage when we celebrate Miner's Day. This is the town's 121st annual Miner's Day event, which honors the city's mining heritage. This event is sponsored by the Rotary Club and all profits received help to support local non-profits. CCU has been asked to join them in the parade once again. We are limited to 16 cars. Please meet in the Smith's parking lot at 655 West 5300 South in Salt Lake City at 8:30 AM; we'll leave for Park City at 8:45 AM. For more information contact Judy Corgiat at 801-718-7167. Check the Corvette Club of Utah website for the latest information.

#### Peach Days Brigham City – Saturday, September 8th

Peach Days was started in 1904 "as a day off from harvest and a time to celebrate an abundance of the best peaches in Utah." Saturday is packed full of food and fun activities. CCU will be participating in the free car show hosted by the Bonnevills Rod and Custom Car Club. Cars can register or pick up their pre-registered placards from 8:00 – 10:00 AM at the Autoliv parking lot just off Forest Street before entering Pioneer Park. The car show and parade begin at 10:00 AM. For advanced registration go online to www.bonnevillscarclub.org. Check the Corvette Club of Utah website for the latest information.

#### Mazda Raceway Laguna Seca - Wed, Sept 5th – Mon, Sept 10th

Questions - please contact Bob Tillotson at <u>bobt@skyplanner.com</u> or call 801-773-8106 (Home) or 801-866-5408 (Cell).

#### September Birthday Breakfast – Saturday, September 15th

We will be doing something a little different to celebrate birthdays for the month of September. We have the Lodge Pole Grill at the top of Daniels Summit reserved for breakfast at 9:30 am.

After breakfast we will stop at the Strawberry Reservoir Visitor Center to see the running of the Kokanee salmon up the Strawberry River. Our route will continue to Duchesne and then Highway 35 through Tabionna, Hanna and along the southern slope of the Uintah Mountains returning us to Francis and Kamas.

Getting to breakfast at the Lodge Pole Grill and will require some coordination with all members from the North to the South. Details are as follows:

North members from Farmington north are to meet at the Maverick Gas Station just off of Highway 89 at the mouth of Weber Canyon at 7:30 am departing at 7:45 am. North members will travel I-84 to I-80 and then Highway 189/40 to Heber City.

Central Members from Draper to Centerville will meet at the Walmart Parking Lot, 2705 E Parley's Way, Salt Lake City at 8:00 am departing at 8:15 am. Central members will travel I-80 up Parley's Canyon to Highway 189/40 Junction hopefully meeting up with north members to travel Highway 189/40 to Heber. South members south of Draper will meet at the Harmons Parking lot at 800 N 800 E in Orem at 8:00 am departing at 8:15 am. South members will travel Highway 189 through Provo Canyon to Heber.

All members will rendezvous at the Wal-Mart parking lot where Highway 189 and Highway 40 'Y' at the south end of Heber. We should all be rendezvousing about 8:45 am departing at 9:00 am for Daniels Summit.

It should be a nice drive and maybe the beginning of some autumn colors. Be sure to check the web site for more information and maps on where to meet and for our route.

#### CCU Membership Meeting – Wednesday, September 19th

Salt Lake City and County Building, 400 South State Street. On Wednesday, Sept 19, our regular meeting will be held at the Salt Lake City & County Building. We will enter at 400 South and 200 East. We will start arriving at 5:30 pm. Bring any food and drink with you. Also bring your folding chairs. Salt Lake City Fire Dept will be there with an engine. We have also requested police participation.

This beautiful Romanesque building was completed in 1894 and has served the public since. It contains over 170,000 sq ft of space. A few years ago, a complete overhaul was completed. In meeting with the Utah Heritage Foundation, we were offered guided tours at \$10 each but with further negotiations, we got a reduction to \$5 each. We will have a short meeting before the tours start. Check the Corvette Club of Utah website for the latest information.

#### Autumn Color Overnight Cruise – August 22nd - August 23<sup>rd</sup>

After checking out the proposed route, a decision was made to change the route due to road construction and two hours of 35 mph roads through Gooseberry Canyon.

We will start off Saturday morning at Thanksgiving Point parking lot near the water tank. We will meet at 8:45 am departing at 9:00 am. North members will meet in the Harmons Parking lot at Farmington Station at 7:45 am departing at 8:00 am for Thanksgiving Point.

Our route will take us down I-15 to Cove Fort / I-70 interchange with the traditional stop at Scipio for potty breaks, snacks and drinks. Once on I-70 we will depart it as fast as we got on it. We will take the Clear Creek Canyon road to the Fremont Indian State Park and Museum.

After visiting the museum we will head for Highway 89 and south to the Big Rock Candy Mountain Resort for lunch.

Following lunch we will be headed for Panguitch, Red Canyon and then to Kodachrome Basin for photo and video opportunities.

We will then continue to Escalante where we will check into the Canyon Country Hotel, freshen up and then go to dinner at the Hell's Backbone Grill in Boulder. This will give us an opportunity to hopefully get some nice evening photos and videos on Highway 12 over the Hogs Back on the way to Boulder. After dinner we will return to Escalante for the night.

Hotel Info:

Canyon Country Lodge

760 E Highway 12

Escalante, Ut

(435) 826-4545

Mention Corvette Club of Utah, They may have one room available.

If there is nothing available at Canyon Country you can try:

Prospector Inn 380 W Main St Escalante, UT (435) 826-4653

Cowboy Country Inn 25 South 100 West Escalante, UT (435) 616-4066

On Sunday, we will depart Escante and once again run Highway 12 over the Hogs Back to Boulder. Another opportunity to get photos and videos. This time in the morning light. We will make two stops on the Hogs Back and two stops on Boulder Mountain before heading into Capitol Reef.

We will stop at the Capitol Reef Visitor Center. The orchards in Fruita should be bearing various varieties of apples and we can stop and pick apples if anyone is interested.

In the park we will be stopping at the Fruita Schoolhouse, the Petroglyphs, Behunin Cabin and then the orientation center as we exit the park for a quick potty break.

We will have lunch in Hanksville at Stan's Burger Shack before heading for Green River to get some of their famous Water Melons, Cantaloupes and Honey Dews.

From Green River we will take Highway 6 to Price and then back to Utah Valley and home. Should be a great overnight trip. If you can find a room come join us. Be sure to check out the website for the most up-to-date information.

### Sunday Summer Grand Tour Series – Fall Finale - Rainbow Bimini Buffet, Wendover

#### Sunday, August 30<sup>th</sup>

With summer officially over, this is the final in our Sunday Summer Grand Tour Series. We will head back to where we started this whole Sunday Series; Wendover, NV. This time we will try the brunch at Bimini Buffet at the Rainbow Casino.

We will depart from the Lake Point Flying J parking lot at 9:30 am MDT arriving in Wendover at approximately 10:00 am PDT. Weekend brunch runs from 9:00 am - 3:00 pm and is \$16.95/person.

Itinerary is as follows:

- North Members meet at Harmon's, Farmington Station Park at 8:15 am, depart 8:30 am

- South and Central Members meet at Smiths, 665 West 5300 South at 8:15 am, depart 8:30 am

- All members rendezvous at Lake Point Flying J for driver's meeting at 9:15 am

- Depart Lake Point at 9:30 am MDT
- Arrive Rainbow Casino ~ 10:00 am PDT
- Sunday Brunch at Rainbow Casino Bimini Buffet
- Return home at your leisure

#### October Birthday Breakfast – Saturday, October 6th

Join us for the last birthday cruise of the year. We will begin the day with a cruise over the Mt. Nebo Loop road. Maybe our last opportunity to see the colors before they disappear for the year. We will meet at Thanksgiving Point at 9:00 am. North members will meet at the Harmons parking lot at Farming Station at 8:00 am departing at 8:15 for Thanksgiving Point. After the Loop, we will head for lunch in Nephi. At this time the plan is to have lunch in Nephi. Still working out the details.

After lunch, for those who want to return home, you can make a quick run back up I-15 to home. For those who want to continue the adventure, I need your help. Back in May we made a Sunday Run to the West Desert where we found this cool silo off the side of the road. We parked our cars and I got out the drone to shoot some video. Well, the drone never recorded one second of video. I want to recreate that day so I can have some video for the yearend presentation I do for the Awards Banquet. For those wanting to continue the adventure, we will leave Nephi and head west to Jericho and then north to the silo. This time I will make sure I have video before we leave.

For those who live in Salt Lake or Utah Valley, you can head back over Eureka Pass and home. For those of us in the north we will travel the desert north to Tooele and home.

Check out the webpage for up-to-date information.

#### Aviation Round Up/Lake Tahoe – October 10th – October 14<sup>th</sup>



We will depart Wednesday, Oct 10<sup>th</sup> from the Flying J Travel Center in Lake Point, UT at 8:15 am. We will head west on I-80 to Battle Mountain, NV where we will stop for lunch before continuing on to Reno. From Reno we will turn south on I-580 to Carson City and then Highway 50 to South Lake Tahoe where we will spend two nights and the **Beach Retreat & Lodge** on the shore of South Lake Tahoe.

After breakfast Thursday morning we will head for east central California wine country of Pleasant Valley and Somerset via Highway 50 where we will tour a few wineries and have a nice lunch before returning to South Lake Tahoe via Highway 88 through Kirkwood.

On Friday, we will check out of the hotel and travel around Lake Tahoe stopping and visiting various sites and tourist attractions before heading for Gardnerville, NV where we will spend two nights at th**e Historian Inn.** 

The Aviation Roundup takes place all day Saturday and Sunday. We will attend the roundup on Saturday to view the various demonstration teams, explore the many static airplane displays before the Navy's Blue Angels round out the day. Tickets for the Aviation Roundup are \$20/person and can be purchased through their website; <u>www.aviationroudup.com</u>.

Sunday will be a full day of travelling returning home. We will have an early departure time of 7:00 am in ensure we arrive home at a decent time. Remember, we lose one hour as we travel from Pacific Daylight Time to Mountain Daylight Time.

#### Lodging Information:

Oct 10 <sup>th</sup> & 11 <sup>th</sup>	the <b>Beach Retreat &amp; Lodge</b> 3411 Lake Tahoe Blvd South Lake Tahoe, CA 96150	
	(530) 541-6722 (800) 972-8558	
through <u>www.booking.c</u>	Book on-line at: <u>www.tahoebeachretreaat.com</u> or <u>om</u> .	
(Book for two nights)	Rooms start at \$99/night plus tax and resort fee	
Oct 12 <sup>th</sup> & 13 <sup>th</sup>	the <b>Historian Inn</b> 1427 Hwy 395 North Garnerville, NV 89410 (877) 783-9910	
	Book on-line at: <u>www.historianinn.com</u>	
for two nights)	Rooms are \$109/night plus tax and resort fee (Book	
	Group Code: ROUNDUP	
Oct 12 <sup>th</sup>	Aviation Roundup Tickets: \$20/person www.aviationroundup.com	

Once you make reservations, get online and go to the CCU Aviation Roundup event page and use the sign up button so we can create a social list for the trip. For more information, contact Kelly Vining @ (801) 690-4640.

#### CCU Membership Meeting – Wednesday, October 17th

Wednesday, Oct.17th - 7:00 PM at Larry H. Miller Chevrolet, 5500 S. State Street, Murray, UT. Everyone is welcome to attend. We will be nominating 2019 future club officers, so please attend. There will be discussions relating to future events and activities followed by drawings for door prizes. Be sure to wear your name tags. For more information contact Karen DeSmet. Check the Corvette Club of Utah website for the latest information.

#### Halloween Party – Saturday, October 20th

<u>Saturday, Oct. 20th - 6:00 PM</u> at the Bicentennial Park Pavilion, 530 East 8680 South, Sandy. It's back! Mark your calendars and plan to come in costume. There will be some great photo opportunities to catch your fellow "CCUers" looking their best. Please bring soup or chili to share. If that's not your specialty, please bring rolls, chips and dip, or a dessert. Check the Corvette Club of Utah website for the latest information.

#### Caribbean Cruise – January 12<sup>th</sup> – 20<sup>th</sup> 2019

The next cruise will be Jan 12th - 20th 2019 on the Carnival Horizon. This cruise was already planned and the fall cruises will actually start in Nov 2019. Current prices with port fees and taxes are \$901.75 a person for an inside cabin and \$1531.75 a person for a balcony. Your booking includes a \$100 on board credit per cabin. Contact Beth Rice, our Cruise & Vacation Consultant at 801-414-9190 to reserve your cabin.

Itinerary includes:

Sat - Depart Miami, FL Sun - Fun Day at Sea Mon - Grand Turk Tue - La Romana, Dominican Republic Wed - Curacao Thu - Aruba Fri - Fun Day at Sea Sat - Fun Day at Sea Sun - Arrive Miami, FL

## **Event Summary**

#### September 2018

- 3 Miner's Day Parade, Park City, UT Judy Corgiat
- 8 Peach Days, Brigham City, UT
- 5-10 Mazda Raceway Laguna Seca, Monterey, CA Bob Tillotson/Bob Clayton
- 15 CCU Birthday Breakfast
- 12 CCU Officer's Meeting Ken Garff Honda, 64 East 900 South, SLC,6:00 PM
- 12-15 World of Speed, The Bonneville Salt Flats, Wendover\*
- 19 CCU Membership Meeting SLC County Bldg.
- 22-23 Autumn Color Overnight Cruise Kelly Vining
- 30 Sunday Summer Grand Tour Series Rainbow Bimini Buffet, Wendover

#### October 2018

- 6 CCU Birthday Lunch– Morning cruise; then lunch in Nephi
- 10 CCU Officer's Meeting Ken Garff Honda, 64 East 900 South, SLC,6:00 PM
- 17 CCU Membership Meeting Larry H. Miller Chevrolet, Murray, UT
- 20 Halloween Party at the Bicentennial Park Pavilion Sandy

#### November 2018

- 10 CCU Birthday Breakfast TBD
- 10 Vettes for Veterans, Carlsbad, CA \*
- 14 CCU Officer's Meeting Ken Garff Honda, 64 East 900 South, SLC,6:00 PM
- 21 CCU Membership Meeting and Officer's Elections Larry H. Miller Chevrolet, Murray, UT

#### December 2018

- 1 CCU Birthday Breakfast TBD
- 8 Christmas Dinner Desert Star, SLC

- 12 CCU Officer's Meeting Ken Garff Honda, 64 East 900 South, SLC,6:00 PM
- 19 CCU Membership Meeting Larry H. Miller Chevrolet, Murray, UT

#### January 2019

- 12-20 CCU Caribbean Cruises on the Carnival Horizon
- 26 Awards Dinner Oakridge Country Club, Farmington

#### August/September 2019

28-8 2019 National Corvette Caravan and 25th NCM Anniversary

\*Not CCU Event, for information only. For local car shows, cruises, and events, please see these websites: <u>www.jchacket.com</u>, <u>www.utahcarczar.com</u>, <u>www.hotrodtime.com</u>.

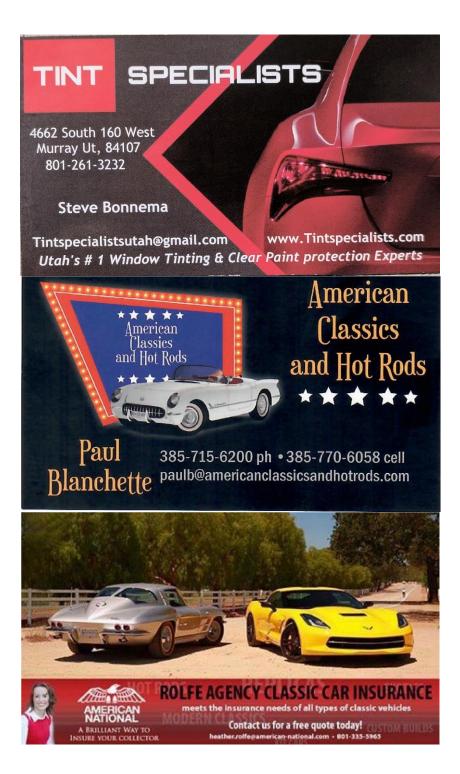


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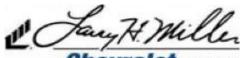






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