



Corvette Club of Utah

# Vette Gazette

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## 2020 January & February Celebrations



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## Club News

### Latest Information

Check the Website for the most current information regarding activities, news, and events at:

<http://www.corvetteclubofutah.org>

### Wear Your CCU Name Badge

We have lots of new members in the club, and not so new members who are still getting to know people. The only way they will be able to remember your name is if you wear your CCU name badge. We strongly encourage wearing of name badges to activities and meetings. Please wear your badge!

### Events

Please contact the Special Events Chair, Kori Jensen, regarding upcoming events.

Please contact the Secretary, Nola Emery, regarding event attendance and meeting minutes.

### Membership

If you change your contact information, please send an email to [ccu.membership@corvetteclubofutah.org](mailto:ccu.membership@corvetteclubofutah.org).

### Treasurer

Contact Diane Williams regarding membership renewals and payments for upcoming events. See Diane at our monthly member meetings for club financial break downs by quarter. The club's financial information is available if you are interested.

### Embroidered shirts

Available through Creative Graphics. Contact Andrea Bitton at 801-266-7273 or [andrea@cgprinting.com](mailto:andrea@cgprinting.com). Or visit their website at [www.cgprinting.com](http://www.cgprinting.com). Judy Corgiat has a catalog.

### Facebook

Join us on-line at [www.facebook.com/CorvetteClubOfUtah](http://www.facebook.com/CorvetteClubOfUtah).

### 2020 Charity

The charity voted for this year is the Utah Food Bank.

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## From the President

It has been an exciting year already! We have had two great Birthday Celebrations that were well attended. All the officers are planning a trip/pop-up/cruise or event for this year! Some retro, some new! If any of the members have any cruises or an event they would like to see happen, please contact our Special Events Chair, Kori Jensen. We have a great team of officers this year working together, moving forward. I have personally met with Greg Johnson, Manager of Larry H Miller, and he is excited to sponsor us again this year. The dealership is offering our club members discounts for service, and for new and used cars. Let's all get our cars serviced and ready to go for this year. Punxsutawney Phil, our little furry friend, did not see his shadow so we are supposed to see spring very soon! We have a pop-up scheduled for April, so check the web site and get signed up! I will do my best to make this a safe, fun-filled year for all members. Your enjoyment in the Corvette Club of Utah is very important to me. Looking forward to seeing you all soon.

Scott Jensen

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## New Members

**Craig & Elaine Browning** Ogden  
2001 Red Coupe

**Craig Knudsen** South Ogden  
2007 Red Coupe

**Gavin Krushensky** Eagle Mountain  
2996 Silver Other

**Dennis & Cathy Racine** Salt Lake City  
2015 Red ZR1

### Member's Birthdays

#### March

1 Dennis Barker  
2 Chuck Baker  
2 Kathleen Barker  
2 Scott Stanford  
6 Bonnie France  
10 Char Ohlson  
11 Kathy Rocco  
11 Luke Whipple  
13 Chris Hulse  
14 Scott Wilde  
15 Sally Allen  
15 Craig Knudsen  
18 Kathryn Ezell  
19 Ken Frailey  
19 Kathee Richardson  
21 Juleanne Dawson  
21 Nona Ellis  
24 Kenneth Pribble  
24 Debbie Richards  
25 Raymond Bennett  
27 Janet Tillotson  
31 Bernie Warburton  
31 Teddy Wardle

#### April

2 Karl Campbell  
3 Dianne Allen  
4 David Nagel  
6 Marie Liston  
10 Jim McCombs  
12 Jackie Howell  
12 Jean Nelsen  
12 Dane Hargrave  
16 Angie Jolley  
19 Luke Hoefnagel  
22 Jena Steinmann  
22 Karen DeSmet  
23 Jason Henry  
25 Robert Callaway  
27 Lynne Hicks  
29 Kim Wilde  
30 Donald Sommers



SUNDAY, JUNE 7<sup>th</sup>, 2020 (RAIN, SNOW OR SHINE)  
SANDRIDGE PARK 2075 WEST 4400 SOUTH ROY, UTAH

**PICNIC REGISTRATION FEE:**

ENTRY FEE: Subscription to MWSN and Picnic Registration  
\$25.00 before May 25<sup>th</sup>, 2020 \$30.00 after May 25<sup>th</sup>, 2020  
Picnic registration only

\$ 5.00 before May 25<sup>th</sup>, 2020 \$10.00 after May 25<sup>th</sup>, 2020

**NOTE:** If you have a current subscription to MWSN and it does not expire at this time of year, your subscription will be renewed at the time of expiration.

**ALL VEHICLES ARE WELCOME!**

FREE TEE SHIRT FOR THE FIRST 25 TO PRE-REGISTER  
DASH PLAQUES & GOODIE BAGS TO THE FIRST 200 TO REGISTER

\$100.00 CASH DRAWING FOR ENTRIES RECEIVED ON OR BEFORE MAY 25<sup>TH</sup>  
(VEHICLE OWNER MUST BE PRESENT AT TIME OF DRAWING)

**REGISTRATION FOR THE PICNIC BEGINS AT 8:00 a.m.**

BRING YOUR OWN LUNCH IF YOU LIKE. FOOD WILL BE AVAILABLE AT THE  
PARK FOR YOUR CONVIENCE.

REMEMBER, THIS IS A PICNIC TO SUPPORT M.W.S.N.

**THIS IS NOT A CAR SHOW.**

ACTIVITIES GET UNDER WAY AROUND 10:00 A.M. PRIZES AT 2:00 P.M.

**ANNUAL FOOD DRIVE!** We would like to help the Joyce Hansen/Catholic Community Food Bank again this year! 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 41<sup>ST</sup> ANNIVERSARY PICNIC ONE OF THE BIGGEST & BEST EVER!

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION, CONTACT:  
M.W.S.N. P.O. BOX 172, ROY, UTAH 84067  
OR CALL (801) 725-8784 OR (801) 773-8438

JUNE 7, 2020



ENTRY # \_\_\_\_\_  
SUB/PICNIC \_\_\_\_\_  
PICNIC ONLY \_\_\_\_\_

REGISTRATION FORM  
MOUNTAIN WEST STREET NEWS PICNIC 2020  
PLEASE PRE-REGISTER BEFORE MAY 25<sup>TH</sup>, 2020  
PLEASE DO NOT MAIL AFTER MAY 25<sup>TH</sup>, 2020

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CITY \_\_\_\_\_ STATE \_\_\_\_\_ ZIP \_\_\_\_\_

ENTRY: \_\_\_\_\_  
YEAR MAKE MODEL

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.

Signature \_\_\_\_\_

Date \_\_\_\_\_

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IF SUBSCRIBING, IS THIS A RENEWAL \_\_\_\_\_ OR A NEW SUBSCRIPTION \_\_\_\_\_

AMOUNT ENCLOSED \$ \_\_\_\_\_

MAIL TO: M.W.S.N. P.O. BOX 172 ROY, UTAH 84067



## January Birthday Celebration



We held our January Birthday Celebration at the Golden Corral in Layton on January 11, 2020. We had a great turn out! The members were recognized and Paul Cox was drawn for the prize. The Birthday Celebrations are for ALL members, not just those with birthdays.

After breakfast, Bill and Judy Witcher invited the officers and new members to their lovely home for a "Welcome to the Club" social. I think this is a great idea to implement going forward! Thanks Bill, for this great idea and to both you and Judy for hosting!

## January Membership Meeting

The January Membership Meeting was held at Larry H Miller on January 15. Regarding the change of officers positions: Per the By Laws, a vote was taken at the Officers meeting on January 8, 2020 to replace the resigned President and to determine which Vice President will become President. Scott Jensen was voted in. There was a reversal of officer positions of Diane Williams, former Treasurer, and Karl Campbell, new Treasurer. Diane explained the programs she uses to maintain monies collected. She has worked hard to update our receipt and recording of funds, as well as a program she uses to send out mass emails to the members. Karl was unfamiliar with these. There would be a disadvantage of using other programs and would result

in stepping backward in the collection and recording of monies. Karl was asked if he would be more comfortable being a Vice President and allow Diane to resume her former duties as Treasurer. A vote of the officers was taken on January 8, 2020 at the officers meeting according to the By Laws. Karl was elected Vice President. A vote from the Club members was taken on January 15<sup>th</sup> at the Club meeting according to the By Laws, and Diane was elected as Treasurer. At the club meeting, Diane reminded members that they have until the end of February to pay their dues and avoid the \$10 late fee. Diane also reviewed the year end report.

We introduced a new member, Gavin Kruschensky. Steve Desmet reminded members if they had ordered a calendar to pick it up. Also, if you want your car in

## Awards Banquet



The annual Awards Banquet was held on January 18, 2020 at the Oakridge Country Club in Farmington. It was fun to visit with everyone and renew friendships. A great meal of Teriyaki Chicken or Roasted Pork Tenderloin was enjoyed by all. The officers from 2019 were presented appreciation certificates. The funny events awards were presented to those who were recognized.

The following members received 30 year Membership Patches:

Stacia and Ernie Carlson

Diana Cooley and Don Kent

Horst and Gabriele Hackbarth

Paul Rea and Linda Smith

The following members received 25 year Membership Patches:

Gary and Darlene Oldenwalder

Robert and Marie Liston

Bernie and Terri Warburton

The following members received 20 year Membership Patches:

Scott and Kathi Stanford

Brent and Joanne Munson

The following members received 15 year Kirk and

Sheldon Voight

Brent and Myrna Williams

Ken and Audrey Frailey

Dennis and Bonnie DeBoer

The following members received 10 year Membership Patches:

Janice Shepherd

Emil and Barb Stach

The following members received 5 year Membership Patches:

Sally Allen

LaRue Linderman

Dale and Elaine Bess

Robert and Jolayne Clayton

David and Janene Avery

Kelly Vining

Mike and Julie McFadden

Jerry and Gail Draper

John and Annamarie Forbes

George and Kimberlee Reynolds

Finally, The Member of the Year was awarded the "Traveling Trophy", Karl Campbell!

## February Birthday Celebration and Sweetheart Movie



The February Birthday Celebration was held at the Black Bear Diner in Draper. This was a "Sweet Hearts Lunch and Movie", in honor of upcoming Valentines Day. Members with February Birthdays were recognized. It was well attended and the members chose a movie they would like to go to afterward at the Cinemark Draper Movie Theater. The Birthday Celebrations are for ALL members, not just those with birthdays.

# Corvette Racing at WeatherTech Raceway Laguna Seca for 2020

In 2020, the C8R will start racing in the IMSA/WeatherTech SportsCar Championship races. They will be racing at the WeatherTech Raceway Laguna Seca near Monterey, CA from Sept 11<sup>th</sup> to Sept 13<sup>th</sup>. Join us for a week long adventure to see the races in person. It's important that you book your motel room now in Salinas or face room shortages and much higher room rates. You can always cancel if you change your mind.

Please sign up on the club website for this event. We will be notifying signed up participants when it's time to buy your tickets and your Corvette Corral pass. I will acknowledge that I have received your signup so if you don't get an acknowledgement I didn't get your signup. The agenda for the track days is tentative and will firm up after we receive the Corvette Corral and Race Agenda.



## IMSA/WeatherTech SportsCar Championship Information:

<https://sportscarchampionship.imsa.com/events/2020-weathertech-raceway-laguna-seca>



Wednesday, September 9th - We will meet at 7:45 AM and depart from the Flying J, 1605 Saddleback Blvd, Lake Point, Ut at 8:00 AM. This is the Flying J on the Tooele Exit from I-80. At Wendover, we will be heading to Ely for lunch and gas and then following US-50 (Loneliest Highway) to Fallon, NV. We will be staying overnight at the Best Western Fallon Inn & Suites, 1035 W Williams Ave, Fallon, NV 89406 Phone (775) 423-6005. AAA or Senior Rate for two queens or one king is \$107.99.

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Thursday, September 10th - We will depart at 8:00 AM. We will continue West on US-50 to Carson City. We will head South on US-395 and then over the mountains to Jackson, CA for lunch. We will continue our backroad adventure to Stockton, CA and then join I-5 to Salinas. We will be staying four nights at the Best Western Plus Salinas Valley Inn & Suites, 187 Kern Street, Salinas, CA 93905 Phone (831) 751-6411. AAA or Senior Rate for two queens or one king is \$147.60. These rates will go up and rooms may not be available as we get closer to the races.



[https://www.bestwestern.com/en\\_US/book/hotels-in-salinas/best-western-plus-salinas-valley-inn-suites/propertyCode.05607.html](https://www.bestwestern.com/en_US/book/hotels-in-salinas/best-western-plus-salinas-valley-inn-suites/propertyCode.05607.html)

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Friday, September 11th - We will spend the morning at the Laguna Seca Raceway, validating our race credentials and locating the Corvette Corral. The Corvette Corral will sell out and if you did not buy the pass you will be stuck in general parking. At the Corvette Corral, we will check-in and sign-up for the Corvette Parade Lap. You will then have time to visit the exhibits, stores, and paddocks without the crowds. That afternoon, we will head for Monterey to do the 17 Mile Drive through Pebble Beach and have dinner in the Cannery Row.

Laguna Seca Raceway: <https://www.weathertechraceway.com>

17 Mile Drive: <https://www.pebblebeach.com/17-mile-drive/>

Cannery Row: <https://canneryrow.com>

Saturday, September 12th - We will leave for Laguna Seca Raceway early in the morning so we can be lined up for the Corvette Parade Lap and attend the Safety Briefing. If we miss either one, no parade lap on the racetrack. The rest of the day is on your own at the racetrack watching the various time trials, parade laps, meeting the drivers, and attending the corral events.

Sunday, September 13th - This is race day. We will at the racetrack early enough to participate in the race start events. Spectators are allowed to mingle with the cars and drivers on the starting line before the start of the race. After they clear the starting line, you can go to the bleachers across from the starting line to watch the start. It's impressive. The race will last 2 hours and 40 minutes so you can wander around to different vantage points to watch the race. This day will also be on your own.



Monday, September 14th - Time to head home. We will leave at 8:00 AM. Traffic will be heavy at times but we will take the roads less traveled to get around it as much as possible. We will take the same route as we came in stopping at Jackson, CA again for lunch. We will turn off US-50 outside of Fernley, NV and head for I-80. We will be staying overnight at the Best Western Fernley Inn, 1405 Newlands Drive, Fernley, NV 89408 Phone (775) 302-0148.

[https://www.bestwestern.com/en\\_US/book/hotels-in-fernley/best-western-fernley-inn/propertyCode.29069.html](https://www.bestwestern.com/en_US/book/hotels-in-fernley/best-western-fernley-inn/propertyCode.29069.html)

Tuesday, September 15th - We will depart at 8:00 AM. We will follow I-80 home with a stop in Elko for lunch and gas. Should be back in the Salt Lake Valley in time for rush hour.

For more information contact Bob Clayton (801) 399-2557 or [robert.clayton@comcast.net](mailto:robert.clayton@comcast.net).

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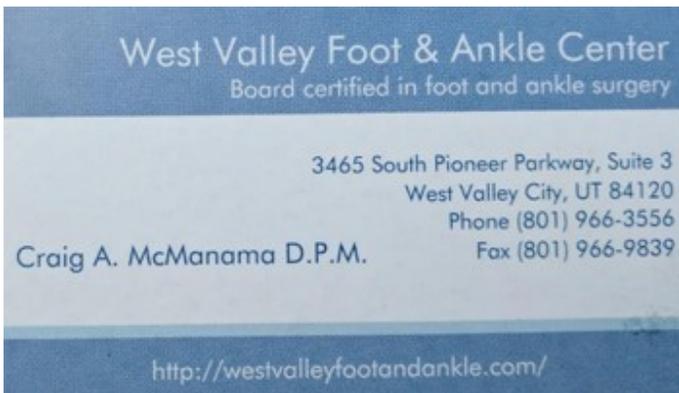


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