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The ZR-1 from the International Car Show

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# 2009 CORVETTE CLUB OF UTAH OFFICERS

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To e-mail a CCU Officer, go to <u>http://www.corvetteclubofutah.org/</u> and click on 2009 Officers for a list of the officers. Click on the blue underlined title of the officer to send an e-mail to that officer.

#### **BIRTHDAYS**

May 2009

5/2 Beverly Roach

5/2 Doreen Strong

5/4 Herm Ruseler

5/5 Mike Crawford

5/5 Terry Thompson

- 5/6 Myrna Williams
- 5/9 Larry Elmer

5/11 JoLayne Clayton

5/13 Sherry Sieber

5/14 Lois Price

5/14 Vicki Ricketts

- 5/15 Alan Marks
- 5/15 Gary Whiteley

5/17 Bruce Guldea

- 5/17 James Sim
- 5/18 Dawn Jensen
- 5/19 Robert Luken
- 5/23 Bonnie DeBoer
- 5/24 Mike Kladis
- 5/25 Jay Marsh
- 5/25 Ann Oldroyd
- 5/25 Mark Stowers
- 5/25 Bert Sieber
- 5/26 Gary Lowe
- 5/26 Ray McManus
- 5/28 Linda Butterfield
- 5/29 Lee Ellis
- 5/30 Jeff England

#### June 2009

- 6/1 David Jensen
- 6/1 Debbie Wolfley
- 6/4 Delia Hawkins
- 6/5 Ken Bauman
- 6/7 Blake Brackenbury
- 6/7 Karen Fritz
- 6/10 Jeane Taylor

- 6/12 Linda Smith
- 6/16 Blaine Linck
- 6/17 Julie Sim
- 6/18 Don Kent
- 6/18 Hope Nibley
- 6/19 Lilliane Hoefnagel
- 6/22 Judy Bailey
- 6/22 Valerie Ulmer
- 6/23 Jackie Sorensen
- 6/24 Gene Dodson
- 6/24 Mark Meents
- 6/25 Marlyne Pearson
- 6/25 Cal Schenk
- 6/26 Don Huffman
- 6/27 Scott Jensen
- 6/28 Joel Schneeweis
- 6/28 Lowell Sorenson
- 6/29 Tuffany Smith

# 2009 EVENT SUMMARY

#### **MAY 2009**

- 1-4 Seligman-Topock Historic Route 66 Fun Run Kingman, AZ
- 7-11 WSCC Viva Las Vegas Convention Las Vegas, NV
- 13 Officers Meeting Hackbarth's
- 15-16 Utah Valley Cruise In & Car Show Thanksgiving Point, Lehi, UT
- 15-17 American Le Mans Series Millers Motor Sports Park, Tooele, UT
- 16-24 California Cruise Santa Barbara, Ca
- 20 Membership Meeting Larry H. Miller Chevrolet, Murray, UT
- 21 Texas Roadhouse Cruzin' Night Texas Roadhouse, Ogden, UT
- 24 Rocky Mountain Corvette Club Social Hill AFB Museum, Roy, UT
- 29-30 Hugs for Life Car Show Murray Park, Murray, UT
- 31 Birthday Breakfast (South) and Cruise Golden Corral, Orem, UT
- 31 Legend Hill Car Show Legend Hills, Clearfield, UT

#### **JUNE 2009**

- 5 Historic 25<sup>th</sup> Street Car & Motorcycle Show 25<sup>th</sup> Street, Ogden, UT
- 6 RC Willey Car Show Syracuse, UT
- 7 Mountain West Street News Picnic Sandridge Park, Roy, UT
- 10 Officers Meeting Anderson
- 12-13 Coats for Kids Bountiful City Park, Bountiful, UT
- 13 Birthday Dinner and Cruise Bella's, Farr West, UT
- 17 Membership Meeting Municipal Park, Roy, UT
- 19-21 Cruise-In 2009/Rainbow Hotel & Casino Wendover, NV
- 22-28 Montana Ghost Town/Little Bighorn Cruise Montana

#### **JULY 2009**

- 2-4 Cache Valley Cruise In Logan, UT
- 4 West Jordan City Car Show West Jordan, UT
- 8 Officers Meeting Tillotson's
- 11 Coalville Super, Cruise Coalville, UT
- 11 45<sup>th</sup> Club Recognition Event River Front Park, South Jordan, UT
- 15 Membership Meeting TBD
- 18 Keep On Rollin Car Show Brighton Ski Resort, UT
- 19 Birthday Breakfast (South) and Cruise TBD
- 30 Patriot Guard Riders Car Show Ogden, UT

#### AUGUST 2009

- 1 Eye Care for Kids Car Show Diamond Lil's Restaurant, SLC, UT
- 1 Patriot Guard Riders Show Ogden, UT
- 1 Evanston Car Cruise, Evanston, WY
- 7-8 Stars of the Past Car Show Layton Commons Park, Layton, UT
- 8-9 Lehman Caves Cruise Great Basin National Park, UT
- 12 Officers Meeting Gecko's
- 14-15 Great Salt Lake Truck and Car Show Thanksgiving Point, Lehi, UT
- 15 Kruiser's for Kids Shriner's Hospital Charity Car Show- Midvale, UT
- 19 Membership Meeting Ardell Brown, Draper, UT
- 21-22 Concourse Delegance Thanksgiving Point, Lehi, UT
- 22 Birthday Breakfast and Cruise Golden Corral Ogden, UT
- 30-31 2009 National Corvette Caravan Bowling Green, KY

#### SEPTEMBER 2009

- 1-5 2009 National Corvette Caravan Bowling Green, KY
- 7 Labor Day Car Show Magna Park, Magna, UT
- 11-12 Peach Days Car Show and Poker Run Brigham City, UT
- 16 Officer/Membership Meeting TBD
- 19 Cruisin for a Cure Ardell Brown's, Draper, UT
- 19 Wings and Wheels Car Show Wendover Air Field, Wendover, UT
- 20 Birthday Dinner (South) and Cruise, TBD
- 28-30 Hawaii Cruise Carnival Cruise Lines, Hawaii

#### OCTOBER 2009

- 1-10 Hawaii Cruise Carnival Cruise Lines, Hawaii
- 14 Officers Meeting Ohlson's

- 21 Membership Meeting/Officer Nominations Larry H. Miller, Murray
- 25 Birthday Dinner (North) and Cruise TBD

# NOVEMBER 2009

- 11 Officers Meeting Laycock's
- 14 Birthday Breakfast (South) TBD
- 18 Membership Meeting/Officer Elections Larry H. Miller, Murray, UT

#### DECEMBER 2009

- 12 Christmas Party Davis Convention Center, Layton, UT
- 16 New/Old Officers Meeting Red Lobster, Midvale, UT
- 19 Birthday Dinner (North) TBD
- 23 Membership Meeting TBD

# JANUARY 2010

- 13 Officers Meeting TBD
- 20 Membership Meeting TBD
- 23 Awards Banquet Madeline's Steakhouse, South Jordan, UT
- 30 Birthday Breakfast (South) TBD

#### FEBRUARY 2010

- 10 Officers Meeting TBD
- 17 Membership Meeting TBD
- 21 Birthday Dinner (North) TBD

\*\*\*Always Check the CCU Website for the Most Current Information\*\*\*

#### **NEW MEMBERS**

Jim McCarthy – Sandy, UT 2003 Yellow Coupe Recruited By: Website

Pat Holden – Cottonwood Heights, UT 1999 Maroon Coupe Recruited By: Website

Lance Parker – Taylorville, UT 1986 Black Coupe Recruited By: Website

Greg Lupus and Ranae McCune – Orem, UT 2007 Silver Convertible Recruited By: Website

Richard and Sally McDaniel – South Jordan, UT 1992 Red Coupe Recruited By: Website

Laura Beckstead and John Irwin – Sandy, UT 1975 Purple Coupe Recruited By: Lee Turner

# **GETTING TO KNOW THE MEMBERS**

#### PAT HOLDEN

Pat lived in Ogden until he was11 yrs old. Then his family moved to Wash. and he lived in and around the Seattle area for about 40 yrs. He spent 2 and a half years in Vietnam.

He works for Fedex as the senior lead at the Salt Lake ramp. He has worked for Fedex for 17 yrs. Pat like to fish and play golf, but he has the best luck fishing. He has 2 children and 4 grandchildren.

This is his first vette. It took him about 3 months to find it. He has wanted a vette since I was 15 yrs old but never seemed to be able to get one before he turned 60. He made it by 59. His other vehicle is a 2000 Chev S-10 ZR-2 which his daily driver.

#### **G**REG LUPUS

Greg has six kids, all married, and sixteen grandchildren. He loves to hunt and all outdoor sports. He grew up in Orem, Utah and currently lives in Midway. He runs Bonneville Industrial Supply. He has been in business for 33 years. He likes to work and play hard. This is Greg's third Corvette. He likes to travel and is a Harley rider.

#### LANCE PARKER

Lance has lived in Taylorsville, Utah for the past 20 years. Hewas born and raised in SLC and grew up in the Sugarhouse area. He went to South High school and graduated in 1973. He has 1 daughter and 3 grandchildren. He also has 4 step kids. His step daughter has 3 children. His wife passed away a year ago December so he lives alone with his 2 dogs and 2 birds. Lance is a bus salesman and travels all over Utah and Wyoming. He has always liked Corvettes but this is his first one. He likes to collect old Utah license plates. He is looking forward to meeting new people in the Corvette club. He likes to camp and travel.

#### RICHARD AND SALLY MCDANIEL

Sally and Richard have known each other for about twenty one years and have been married for nineteen years. Between their families they have eight children, twenty six grand kids and six great grand kids.

Richard was born and raised in Tulsa, Ok. He works for a Mining engineering company in the capacity as a construction manager, field engineer and several other caps. He enjoys golf and has a great looking golf cart that is red (of course) with a lift kit and some other goodies on it. They live on the Glen Moore golf course and that's where he plays mostly.

His wife, Sally was born and raised in Riverton, Ut. and has spent her life in various locations including Anchorage, Al. She enjoys working in the yard, taking care of the home and looking forward to our annual trip to Cabo San Lucas each year.

Richard had a 1961 corvette in 1965 when he was single, it was a great car with a 1965 fi engine. The car came from California where the engine was rebult, balanced and blueprinted.

#### LAURA BECKSTEAD AND JOHN IRWIN

John and Laura have lived in SLC all of their lives and have been together over 25 years, 17 of that married. John graduated from Highland High and Laura from Cottonwood.

Laura is retired from Salt Lake City Police Dept. as their Technical Support Director, and has owned her own security business and trucking business. John still owns his own trucking co. doing heavy haul currently. They both love their garden, and have completely remodeled their home. John loves all power tools, while Laura tries to keep her hands out of mischief with cross stitch and reading. They are both die hard Dodge fans, and we forgive the Corvette for being a Chevy, because we love it!

Laura has always dreamed of owning a Corvette, and knowing that, John's two adult boys every Christmas would purchase a small die cast for her.

Four years ago, her husband called and said she needed to go to the trucking shop as he needed to show her something on one of the trucks, when she arrived, she found all the drivers and several friends as well as John's boys. John opened up one of the bays to reveal her very own "life size" Corvette. Since then they have been lovingly restoring and enjoying it.



# NATIONAL CORVETTE MUSEUM

#### - NEWS -



The National Corvette Museum was established in 1994 as a 501(c)3 nonprofit foundation with a mission of celebrating the ingenuity of America's only true

sports car, the Corvette, and to the sustaining of it's past, present and future. The museum has become a focal point for all Corvette enthusiasts to meet and participate in events, rallies, autocross, autograph sessions, information resource, seminars, road tours, banquets and BBQs and much more.

Your membership with the museum helps to maintain the only non-profit museum dedicated to a single automotive marque. Your membership helps to bring together enthusiasts of all ages from all 50 states and around the world. Our museum promotes the traditions of the Corvette for today's generations and those to come and preserves the legendary history and secures the future of America's sports car.

In April 2008, the official ground breaking ceremony on the 47,000 sq. ft. expansion for the museum was implemented. Scheduled for completion this year, this expansion project will include a Corvette Café, library and archive, additional display space, conference rooms and more. CCU members participating in this Fall's 15th Anniversary Corvette Caravan to Bowling Green will be able to see and enjoy the fruits of all the hard work and the dollars spent on this amazing project. Some of the many accomplishments of the NCM in 2008 include:

- 6,600 new members which raised the total NCM membership to over 32,000
- NCM Ambassadorship grew to 312 Corvette Chapters and Clubs
- Ten major events were hosted drawing Corvette enthusiasts from all 50 states
- Fourteen brand new C6 Corvettes were given away through the museum's fund-raising raffles
- 957 new Corvettes were delivered to their owners through the museum's R8C Program

• The Build Sheet/Window Sticker program, offered through the museum's Resource Center, grew to a record number . . . and much more.

Experience the pride and enthusiasm of being a member of your National Corvette museum. Go on-line to, <u>http://www.corvettemuseum.org/</u> and check out your membership options. Also, see me, your NCM/CCU Ambassador for more information, and "Remember the Wave".

Bob Tillotson

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# WESTERN STATES CORVETTE COUNCIL

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

# **CORVETTE RACING**

The Corvette Club of Utah fully supports the American Le Mans Racing Series (ALMS) and the ALMS Race at Miller Motorsports Park. For more details about Corvette racing check out the web sites at:

http://www.corvetteracing.com

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

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

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



# **CORVETTE CLUB OF UTAH NEWS**

#### WEAR YOUR CCU NAME BADGE

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

#### **SALES PRESENTATIONS**

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

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

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

#### CLUB SHIRTS, JACKETS, AND HATS

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

#### MARCH MEMBERSHIP MEETING

The March membership meeting was held on March 18th at Larry Miller Chevrolet. We thank our sponsor providing us a place to meet in the winter months. Upcoming events were discussed as well as the Corvette Caravan 2009. The members from the North will start meeting at the Layton Hills Mall flag pole to travel together to club events in the South. Usually, departure will be one hour prior to the event start time. Once again, the club collected non-perishable foods for delivery to the food bank.

#### MARCH BIRTHDAY BREAKFAST

The March birthday dinner was held at the Madeline's in South Jordan on March 21st. The names of members with birthdays in March were read and recognized. Come and join us for these events each month.

#### PARTS PLUS - 2009 AUTORAMA

A Corvette Corral was established at the AutoRama again this year from March 27<sup>th</sup> to 29<sup>th</sup> for members to display their cars. Lots of neat cars and the Corvette's looked great. Thanks Teddy, Mike, Lee, Bob and others who made it happen.

#### **APRIL MEMBERSHIP MEETING**

The April Membership Meeting was held on April 15th at Larry H. Miller Chevrolet in Murray. Paul Cox thanked Mike Crawford and company for the outstanding Corvette display at the 2009 Autorama. He also announced the club has purchased a BBQ grill and plan to start using it for breakfasts and dinners in the parks this summer. Char Ohlson announced the club is still collecting pull tabs from drink cans. Bring them to any membership meeting. The club will start collecting small toiletries in May. Mike Barker announced they can't get RMR to commit for a night for club drag racing. They are now exploring with Mike Crawford about going to Wendover for club drag racing. Mike also introduced two new couples to the club. He also reminded Corvette Caravan 2009 participants to go on-line and signup for the Corvette Museum 15<sup>th</sup> Anniversary celebration, Corvette Plant Tours, and events being held while we are at the museum. Also the caravan flags and clings are now on sale through the club.

#### **APRIL BIRTHDAY BREAKFAST**

The April Birthday Dinner was held on April 19<sup>th</sup> at the Home Town Buffet in Layton. It was followed by a multi-club cruise and car show. Members with birthdays in April were recognized. If you are suffering from Cabin Fever, come join us for the birthday recognition meals.

#### **MAY EVENTS**

# **ROUTE 66 – APR 30<sup>TH</sup> TO MAY 4<sup>TH</sup>**

<u>Thursday, April 30<sup>th</sup></u> - The Route 66 Fun Run at Kingman, Arizona is an annual tradition for CCU. It's normally the first overnight trip of the year and a chance to get some driving time in your Corvette after the bleak and weary winter. Plus it is a chance to thaw out. The event was limited to 20 cars and is full.

#### WSCC VIVA LAS VEGAS CORVETTE CONVENTION - MAY 7<sup>TH</sup>-11<sup>TH</sup>

<u>Thursday, May 7<sup>th</sup></u> - Hot Nevada Vettes is proud to host the 2009 Western States Corvette Council (WSCC) Viva Las Vegas Corvette Convention in fabulous Las Vegas, Nevada May 7th-11th. This is the Corvette Convention you do not want to miss! An action packed weekend is planned for Corvette enthusiasts from all over the Western states. The event is highlighted with a all Corvette track day at the Las Vegas Motor Speedway and a all Corvette car show under the canopy at the world famous Fremont Street Experience. Whether you enjoy corvette drag racing, poker rallyes, corvette autocross or just socializing with fellow Corvette owners you find something to do at the convention. Be sure and check out our event schedule above along with the other links so you get a since of the fun waiting for you in Las Vegas. You'll see that there will be something for everyone! You don't have to be a member of WSCC to attend the convention.

Please contact Ken Bauman at kbauman99@comcast.net or 801.580.4843 if you wish to attend.

WSCC Convention Website: <u>http://www.corvetteconvention.com</u>

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# California Coast Cruise to Hearst Castle – May $16^{TH}$ to $24^{TH}$

PLEASE NOTE: THIS CRUISE IS LIMITED TO 25 CARS.

<u>Saturday, May 16<sup>th</sup></u> - North members will depart at 8:00am from the Layton Hills Flagpole. We will meet South members at Smith's on 5300 South 655 West at 9am. I have blocked 25 rooms at the following hotels. Please note all hotel reservations needs to be booked 30 days in advance (April 16th)

<u>Saturday, May 16th</u> – The Holiday Inn Express/I-215 Beltway, 6220 S. Rainbow Blvd, Las Vegas. Rate is \$85 plus tax, one king or two queen beds, continental breakfast included. Call 1-702-871-4453 rooms are being held under Diane Williams, Corvette Club of Utah.

<u>Sunday, May 17th</u> – The Holiday Inn Express Ventura Harbor, 1080 Navigation Dr, Ventura. Rate is \$119 plus tax, one king or two queen beds, continental breakfast included. Call 1-805-856-9533 rooms are being held under Diane Williams, Corvette Club of Utah.

<u>Monday, May 18th & Tuesday, May 19th</u> – King Frederik Best Western, 1617 Copenhagen Dr, Solvang. Rate is \$79 plus tax, one king or two queen beds, Danish & coffee breakfast included (while supply lasts).

<u>Wednesday, May 20th</u> – Best Western Fireside Inn, 6700 Moonstone Beach Dr, Cambria. Rate is \$129 plus tax, one king or two queen beds, continental breakfast included. Call 1-805-927-8661 rooms are being held under Diane Williams, Corvette Club of Utah.

<u>Thursday, May 21st & Friday May 22nd</u> – The Best Western Beachside Inn, 336 W. Cabrillo Blvd, Santa Barbara. Rate is \$195 plus tax, one king

May 2009										
Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat				
					Route 66	2 Route 66				
3 Route 66	4 Route 66	5	6	7 WSCC Viva Las Vegas	8 WSCC Viva Las Vegas	9 WSCC Viva Las Vegas				
10 Mothers Day WSCC Viva Las Vegas	11 WSCC Viva Las Vegas	12	13 7:00PM Officers Meeting	14	15	16 California Coast				
17 California Coast	18 California Coast	19 California Coast	20 7:00PM Membership Meeting California Coast	21 California Coast	22 California Coast	23 California Coast				
24 California Coast	25 Memorial Day	26	27	28	29	30				
31 Birthday Breakfast										

June 2009										
Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat				
	1	2	3	4	5	6 RC Willey Car Show				
7 MWSN Picnic	8	9	10 7:00PM Officers Meeting	11	12 Cruisin the Boulevard for Kids	13 Birthday Dinner Cruisin the Boulevard for Kids				
14	15	16	17 7:00PM Membership Meeting	18	19	20				
21 Fathers Day	22 Montana Old West	23 Montana Old West	24 Montana Old West	25 Montana Old West	26 Montana Old West	27 Montana Old West				
28 Montana Old West	29	30								

or two queen beds, continental breakfast included. Call 1-805-965-6556 rooms are being held under Diane Williams, Corvette Club of Utah

<u>Saturday, May 23rd</u> – The Holiday Inn Express/I-215 Beltway, 6220 S. Rainbow Blvd, Las Vegas. Rate is \$85 plus tax, one king or two queen beds, continental breakfast included. Call 1-702-871-4453 rooms are being held under Diane Williams, Corvette Club of Utah.

Sunday, May 24<sup>th</sup> - we will meet for breakfast at 8:00am. We will head home following breakfast

Vaughn or Diane Williams at 801-944-1208 or cell 901-634-7260, or E-mail, dwilliams@companionsystems.com

#### MAY 2009 MEMBERSHIP MEETING - MAY 20TH

<u>Wednesday, May 20th</u> – 7:00 PM at Larry H. Miller Chevrolet, 5650 S State Street, Murray, UT. We have asked them not to provide food for the meeting. Be sure to wear your name badges to be eligible for the door prizes. North members meet and depart from the Layton Hills Mall flagpole at 6:00 PM. For more information contact Kim Riley, 255-2662 or <u>vetnwild@comcast.net</u>.

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

#### ROCKY MOUNTAIN CORVETTE CLUB SOCIAL – MAY 24<sup>TH</sup>

<u>Sunday, May 24th</u> – 9:00 AM at the Hill AFB Museum in Roy, UT. The Rocky Mountain Corvette Social Club out of Colorado Springs have invited us to join them to tour the air museum and the mine at Kennecott. This is their tentative schedule: They plan to arrive at Hill AFB Museum at 9am. Then have lunch at 11:30am at Famous Dave's BBQ in Layton. They plan to arrive at the Kennecott Copper Mine at 2pm. This would be fun to meet some members from Colorado. Call Kim Riley 801-255-2662 for more information.

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

#### BIRTHDAY BREAKFAST - MAY 31ST

<u>Sunday, May 31st</u> – 9:00 AM at Golden Corral in Orem, UT. Come help us celebrate birthdays of members in March. North members meet and depart from the Layton Hills Mall flagpole at 8:00 AM. Will take a cruise up Provo Canyon and into Heber and Park City (weather permitting). For more information contact Lloyd Laycock.

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

#### LEGEND HILLS CAR SHOW – MAY 31<sup>ST</sup>

Sunday, May 31<sup>st</sup> – 1:00 PM at Legend Hills in Clearfield, UT. Car show is from 1:00 PM to 5:00 PM. Everyone who puts a car in the show will receive a 2 for 1 gift certificate for dinner at Tepanyaki's Restaurant in Roy. They open at five so we can all go to dinner together after the show. Check the web site for the exact address and for more information. Contact Kim Riley 801-255-2662 or the latest details.

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

#### JUNE EVENTS

#### RC WILLEY 5<sup>TH</sup> ANNUAL CAR SHOW - JUNE 6TH

The show will be featuring the Northern Utah Mustang Owners Association, The Corvette Club of Utah and Beehive Model A Club but any person who wants to show their car or truck in our show, regardless of club affiliation, are invited to attend and participate in the festivities.

Time: 11:00 AM until 3:00 PM

Phone 801-774-2800

Place: Syracuse RC Willey Home Furnishings Store, Located at 1693 W 2700 S Syracuse Utah 84075 (You may come down either Gordon Av 4.3 miles from Main Street or come down Antelope Dr and follow the signs)

You can do your free car entry registration when you get to the store (no need to register prior to the morning of the show) and they will give you a ticket to put in the drawing box for the prizes we are drawing out for.

They will be giving away 3 main prizes one of which will be a King or Queen size mattress, your choice of size, as our first prize. There will be two other major gifts given away as well. This drawing is for the car show participants only.

They will have a DJ here spinning the oldies.

They will have hot dogs and drinks as well.

They will have some canopy's to give us some shade. (I HOPE WE NEED IT)

They are offering the car show participants a special discount for them and the family they bring with them. We will give each participant a 50.00 discount on any purchase of 499.99 or higher (which is a 10% discount at that price point). They will give that discount to a family member who may be with you but there will be a limit of 1 coupon per account. The offer will be valid only that day June 6th 2009 and ONLY AT THE SYRACUSE LOCATION. Some exclusion do apply because of manufacturer protected pricing on some items, on computers and a few items so you will need to see sales people for the details.

#### MOUNTAIN WEST STREET NEWS PICNIC - JUNE 7<sup>TH</sup>

Sunday, Jun7th – The Mountain West Street News picnic will be held (Rain or Shine) at the Sandridge Park, 2075 West 4400 South, Roy, Utah.

Entry Fee: Subscription to MWSN and Picinic Registration \$30.00 before May 30<sup>th</sup>. \$35.00 after May 30<sup>th</sup>. Picnic registration only is \$12.00 before May30th. \$17.00 after May 30<sup>th</sup>.

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. Because this is the 30<sup>th</sup> anniversary of MWSN there will be a special drawing for a neat 30<sup>th</sup> anniversary prize for the first 30 to pre-register and subscribe to MWSN (Vehicle owner must be present at time of drawing).

Dash plaques to the first 300 to register. NSRA safety inspections for 2009 will be available. \$130.00 cash drawing for entries received on or before May 30<sup>th</sup> (Vehicle owner must be present at time of drawing).

Registration for the picnic begins at 9:00 AM. Bring your own lunch if you like. Food will be available at the park for your convience. Remember, this is a picnic to support MWSN. This is not a car show.

Activities get under way around 11:00 AM. Prizes at 3:00 PM. Mountain West Street News needs your support to continue this publication. Remember, we are a non-profit publication. Please help us make our 30<sup>th</sup> anniversary picnic one of the biggest and best ever!

For information or applications contact Bob Tillotson by phone or e-mail or MWSN, P.O. Box 172, Roy, Utah 84067 or call (801) 773-8438.

# CRUISIN' THE BOULEVARD COATS FOR KIDS – JUNE $12^{TH}$ & $13^{TH}$

<u>Friday, June 12<sup>th</sup></u> - "Cruisin' the Boulevard Coats for Kids" is a charitable event sponsored by the Bountiful Rotary Club. This year marks the 10th anniversary of this event dedicated to aiding our local children. Elementary school Principals in cooperation with the teachers and the PTA identify children in need of winter clothing from the Bountiful area schools. Once a child is identified, the principal presents a voucher to the parents. With the voucher, the child and parents can go to the Woods Cross K-Mart Store and pick out a new coat, boots and mittens.

Since our first Car Show in 1998 over 3500 children have received new winter coats, boots and mittens.

Location

Friday June 12th - Bountiful Main Street

Saturday June 13th - Bountiful City Park

Entry Fee - \$20.00 Must be postmarked by May 20th

There will be a \$5.00 Late fee after May 20<sup>th</sup>

Entry Fee includes Souvenir Cruisin' T-Shirt, Dash Plaque, Pin and One Kids Buck.

#### BIRTHDAY BREAKFAST AND DINNER – JUN 13TH

<u>Saturday, Jun 13th</u> – 1:00 PM at the Flying J in Willard. We will cruise up Sardine Canyon to the Scentinel Candle Company in Logan. After a short stop, we will head back to Farr West on the state roads though Wellsville, Mendon, Deweyville, Brigham City, Perry and Willard. This will be a leisurely cruise through some small towns to show off the cars. Dinner will be at Bella's, formerly Melina's at 2650 N 1850 W in Farr West. For more information contact Bob Clayton at robert.clayton@comcast.net.

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

#### JUN 2009 MEMBERSHIP MEETING - JUN 17TH

<u>Wednesday, Jun 17th</u> – 7:00 PM at Municipal Park, 2200 W 5900 S in Roy, UT. This will be a potluck dinner. The club will furnish brats, hot dogs, and condiments. Be sure to wear your name badges to be eligible for the door prizes. For more information contact Kim Riley, 255-2662 or <u>vetnwild@comcast.net</u>.

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

#### MONTANA GHOST TOWN/LITTLE BIGHORN CRUISE - JUN 22<sup>ND</sup> - 28<sup>TH</sup>

Monday, June 22<sup>nd</sup> - Come and See:"MUSEUMS, GHOST TOWNS & CUSTER'S LAST STAND REENACTMENT.

PLEASE NOTE: This cruise is limited to 20 cars.

South members will depart at 8:00am from Smith's on 5300 South 655 West. We will meet North members at the Flying J at Willard/Perry, exit 347 at 9am.

Monday, June 22nd - we will travel to Deer Lodge, Montana and stay two nights.

<u>Tuesday, June 23rd</u> - we will spend the day in Deer Lodge and the "Old Prison Museums" (1 ENTRY TICKET PER PERSON AT GROUP RATE) which includes: Old Montana Prison, Montana Auto Museum, Yesterday's Playthings, Frontier Montana, Desert John's Saloon, Cottonwood City and Powell County Museum.

<u>Wednesday, June 24th</u> - we will travel to Ennis, Montana and stay the night. Ennis, Montana. On the way to Ennis we will visit Nevada City - A town sized open air museum with over 100 buildings from the gold rush era and Virginia City - A vast National Historic Landmark hosting collections of old-west artifacts. America's finest collection of 1860s "boomtown" buildings on their original sites. Wednesday night we plan to attend the Brewery Follies.

<u>Thursday, June 25th</u> - we will travel to Billings, Montana and stay two nights. Billings, Montana. Thursday afternoon we will visit the "Little Bighorn Battlefield National Monument" Visitor Center and Custer Battlefield.

Friday, June 26th - we will attend "Custer's Last Stand Reenactment".

<u>Saturday, June 27th</u> - we will travel to Jackson, Wyoming. We will travel from Billings over the scenic Bear Tooth Highway to the North East entrance to Yellowstone Park and travel through the park to Jackson.

<u>Sunday, June 28th</u> - we will have breakfast at Jedediahs at 7:00am and travel back home following breakfast.

For more information contact <u>Bob Anderson</u> or by phone 801-231-4000.

#### **FUTURE EVENTS**

#### **GREAT BASIN NATIONAL PARK - AUG 8<sup>TH</sup> & 9<sup>TH</sup>**

<u>Saturday, August 8<sup>th</sup></u> - We will meet Saturday morning, August 8th at Thanksgiving Point (Exit 1-15 at Highland/Alpine) at the gas station just west of the freeway. We will leave at 7am SHARP.

Come join us on a tour of one of the most beautiful caves in America at the Great Basin National Park. The group ticket price for a one-hour tour is \$8.00 for adults, and \$4.00 for children and seniors with a Golden Age Passport. I must have your passport number when I make the reservations. I will need to collect your money by July 15th if you plan to tour the caves. I have schedule tours starting at noon (Pacific Time). We will stop for lunch in Delta before we get to the caves.

The elevation at the cave entrance is 6,825 ft. The temperature in the cave is a constant 50 degrees year round so a light jacket is recommended. Please wear shoes with good traction as trails may be wet and slippery. The caves are well lit and have trails and you will have a guide. It is an easy walk. The only items visitors may bring in the cave with them is a camera, jacket and flashlight. All other items, including purses, backpacks, tripods, camera bags, food, water, tobacco, and gum, are not allowed.

We have a block of rooms at the Prospector Hotel and Casino, 1501 Aultman, Ely, Nevada. For reservations call 1-800-750-0557 and be sure to tell them you are with the Corvette Club of Utah. Group Rates are \$80.10 for single or double occupancy. You will need to make your own room reservations. Rooms will be held until July 31st. Please complete the sign-up sheet on our web site when you make your reservations.

For more information contact Kim Riley, 255-2662, vetnwild@comcast.net

#### KRUISER'S FOR KIDS CAR SHOW – AUG 15<sup>TH</sup>

<u>Saturday, August 15<sup>th</sup></u> – Kruiser's for Kids Shriner's Hospital Charity Car Show at the Midvale City Park in Midvale, Utah. The only car show that I know of that is judged by the kids. It's a nice shady park with breakfast, lunch, raffles, all going to support the kids at the Shriner's Hospital.

#### NATIONAL CORVETTE CARAVAN - AUG. 30<sup>TH</sup> - SEPT 5<sup>TH</sup>



Get Your Hotel Reservations Now -Nine months from now our club caravan will be on the road to the 15th Anniversary Celebration of the

National Corvette Museum. I know that many of you have registered, http://nationalcorvettecaravan.com/, for the event and most of those have made their hotel lodging reservations. We have been in contact with the hotels along the way and in Bowling Green and as of December 1, we only have 11 rooms left in our club block of 40. No more are available. We have heard that every hotel in the surrounding area is booked for that week in September, so do not wait any longer to arrange for your lodging.

<u>Sunday August 30, 2009</u>, the Corvette caravans from California and the surrounding north western states will converge on Utah for their second night's stop along the way. We hope to bring all of the club caravans together at the Miller Motorsports Park raceway that afternoon. We hope to include dinner and a parade lap for the participants. Sunday's night stay will be in Salt Lake City, Utah. The host hotel is the Airport Hilton. We have booked 175 rooms at a rate of \$75.00 + tax for the night. O NLY if you are registered with the Corvette Museum for the Caravan will you be given this rate. All other will be charged the normal room rate of over \$120.00/night. Each individual or couple must make their own reservations by calling 1-800-999-3736 on or before 6/31/2009. You must identify yourself as members of the Corvette Caravan 2009.

<u>Monday August 31, 2009</u>, all of the club caravans, including the Corvette Club of Utah caravan, will leave the Salt Lake City area in the morning. The departure point for our club and the visiting Corvette clubs will be from the Airport Hilton West parking lot at 7:00am. Our destination for the first day of travel will be Denver, CO. Our lodging for that night will be the same hotel used in the 2003 Bowling Green caravan, the Crystal Inn Hotel in Aurora, CO. Crystal Inn Hotel and Suites, 3300 N. Ouray Street, Aurora, CO, (303) 340-3800. The reservation block is under the name, Corvette Club of Utah. Sonia Vanderworth is our Sales Coordinator.

<u>Tuesday September 1, 2009</u>, The CCU caravan's second day's travel will take us approx. 470 miles east on I-70 to our hotel in Junction City, KS. We have a 40 room block reservation at the Courtyard Marriott, 310 Hammons Drive, Junction City, KS 66441. The room rate is \$89.00, and includes an indoor pool and hot tub, courtyard café and market. We have asked for a single King Size bed in the room, but you can request a change to that if you like when you book your reservation. The block is under Corvette Club of Utah and the number to call is 785-210-1500. Our sales assistant was Penny McDonald.

<u>Wednesday September 2, 2009</u>, Our third day out will take us approx. 455 miles to The Hampton Inn, 221 Potomac Blvd., Mt. Vernon, IL. The room rate is \$85.00 and this one includes a full breakfast, pool and hot tub. The reservation block is again in the name of Corvette Club of Utah. Call 618-244-2323 for reservations, ask for Phyllis.

<u>Thursday thru Saturday, September 3 – 5, 2009</u>, Microtel Inn and Suites, 1980 Mel Browning Rd., Bowling Green, KY 42104, (270) 745-9922. The reservation block is under Corvette Club of Utah. Our reservation coordinator is Preetesh Patel.

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

#### NATIONAL CORVETTE CARAVAN 2009 RETURN TRIPS

Our Caravan Captains are responsible only for the trip to the museum. . If you are planning a trip home and would like to share the trip with other members then send me your itinerary and I'll place it in the Gazette. Please contact the return trip planner if you would like to join them.

Bob & Jo Clayton, (801) 399-2557, robert.clayton@comcast.net

Sunday & Monday, Sept 6-7, 2009, Holiday Inn Express, 4000 Market St, Hannibal, Mo (573) 406-0300 - Nauvoo, IL

Tuesday Sept 8<sup>th</sup>, Holiday Inn Express, 1970 W Hwy 76, Branson, MO (417) 336-1100 – Branson sites and shows

Wednesday Sept 9<sup>th</sup>, Holiday Inn Express, 10804 S. 15<sup>th</sup> St, Bellevue, NE (402) 502-4500 – Independence, MO

Thursday Sept 10<sup>th</sup>, Holiday Inn Express, 810 E Spruce Street, Mitchell, SD (605) 292-9292 – Mormon Trail Center & Corn Palace

Friday Sept 11<sup>th</sup>, Holiday Inn Express, 433 West Mount Rushmore Rd, Custer, SD (888) 465-4329 – Wall's Drug, Mount Rushmore

Saturday Sept 12<sup>th</sup>, - Handcart Visitor Center and Home

#### Guy and Joyce Hall, (801) 728-0532

We plan to travel from Bowling Green to Graceland in Memphis, the distance is 275 miles on the 6'th and stay at the Heartbreak Hotel. They have several tour packages to choose from, their site address is <a href="http://www.elvis.com/">http://www.elvis.com/</a>, or phone # is 1-877-777-0606, they are not taking reservations until November 2008\*.\* We plan to do the 2 day 1 night Graceland VIP entourage package, the web site has all the details. Then after the tour on the 7'th, depending on the time, we'll ether stay one more night or head toward Oklahoma City, then to Albuquerque, then home up through southern Utah. I have to be back for work on Friday the 11<sup>th</sup>. I know that ismore miles per day than most of the club members like to drive, so we'll probably have to split up after Graceland. We would love to have any of the other club members join us for the Graceland tour. It should be awesome. If there's any other info you need please contact me.

#### 15TH NATIONAL CORVETTE MUSEUM CELEBRATION

Dear CCU Caravan Members,

We just received information from the National Corvette Museum stating that we can now begin individual registration for events and activities for this September's 15th Museum Anniversary celebration.

Included here is the original message we received from the museum, (NCM members will have already received this). By clicking on the "register online" link, it will take you to the Celebration page. About 2/3 way down that page you will find a link stating "Click here for Preliminary Agenda". Do that and just under the top heading you will see the blue line stating "To obtain plant tour information,... etc". You can click "Skip Intro" and go directly to the registration page. I heard that a number of CCU members have already signed up for a morning tour of the Assembly Plant on Friday September 4. You may try for that or pick which times and events you like. You can print out the full 16 page Agenda and choose which events you want to enjoy.

This link should take you directly to the Agenda Page:

http://www.corvettemuseum.com/registration/celebration/agenda.shtml

Lookin' forward, remember the Wave.

Bob T.

# 31<sup>ST</sup> ANNUAL PEACH DAYS CAR SHOW – SEPT 12<sup>TH</sup>

<u>Saturday, Sept 12<sup>th</sup></u> – 31<sup>st</sup> Annual Peach Days Car Show & Fun Run in Brigham City, Utah. Start the weekend out with a poker run on Friday, Sept 11<sup>th</sup>. The next morning is the annual Peach Days Parade followed by the Car Show. This is one of the biggest free car shows in Northern Utah. Come and enjoy Peach Days and the Car Show on this weekend

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