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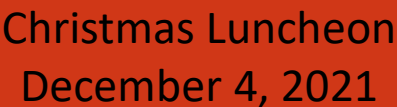
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**2 Honorary Members**



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# ACTIVITIES FOR JANUARY

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- **General Membership Meeting** **Jan 5**
  - **Zoom Meeting**
- **Board Meeting** **Jan 19**
- **Let's Meet for Breakfast** **Feb 12**

# JANUARY BIRTHDAYS

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**Janet Litrenta**  
**January 2**



**Carol Putmon**  
**January 21**



**Mike Britz**  
**January 4**



**Kyle Felts**  
**January 24**



**Suzanne Politza**  
**January 6**



**Bill Hass**  
**January 28**



**Kevin Mead**  
**January 12**





# Let's meet for breakfast!

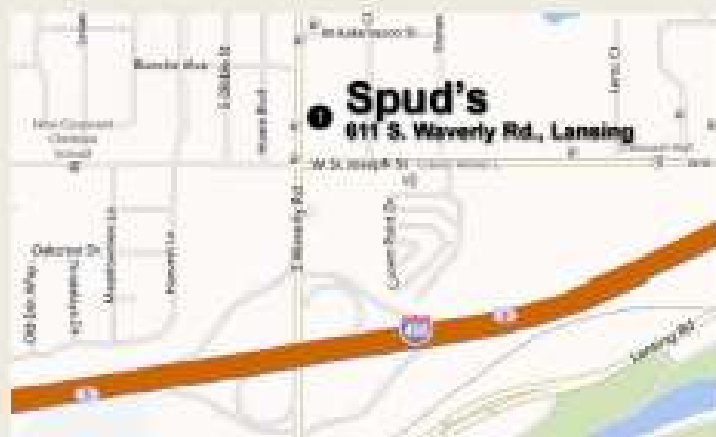
**When:** Saturday, February 12 @ 9:30 a.m.

**Where:** Spud's Family Restaurant  
611 S. Waverly Rd., Lansing (just north of 496)

Contact Gloria Reiffer by noon on Thursday, February 10 if you plan to join us!

E-mail [mrsnomis1@att.net](mailto:mrsnomis1@att.net) or call 517.763.1365.

Face masks are required  
for unvaccinated guests.





# President's Page



Members,

Happy 2022! I have heard a saying very frequently the last few days I don't remember hearing much before and it sums up the last few years quite well. The days are long, but the years are short. It is January 2022 and we are still dealing with new developments of the COVID-19 pandemic. While we have had to address COVID protocols and it has been a constant topic of conversation making each event a bit more difficult to attend, nearly 2 years have passed. Unfortunately the Omicron variant has presented a new surge in cases and has prompted the cancellation of holding our January Membership in person. Just as in 2020 and 2021 the club will make every reasonable effort to safely conduct business and will take all recommended precautions while holding events. Personally, I hope providing COVID updates for the club comes to an end in the near future.

Looking forward to 2022 should be a more positive note. As a club we had a strong 2021 on the local, regional, and national stage. We finished in the Top 40 Nationally as a club, were well represented at convention, had a male and female competitor finish in the Top 10 in the Michigan Region, and had a very active social calendar with strong turnout. Carrying this momentum into 2022, we will maintain a very active calendar and I hope to see others at the regional competitions. I am seeing a rejuvenated energy in NCCC competition from our club and have faith our new Competition Director, Kevin Mead, will continue to foster growth and get more members out to participate.

My wife and I will not be attending the National Convention this year, but I would encourage you to attend if you are able. We had a great time last year in Cleveland and will attend in coming years. While it is early to bring this up, it is best to start planning and booking early. Convention prices increase closer to the event date and events start filling up. Booking early allows you to set your schedule how you would like and save a few dollars.

Save the Wave!

Kyle  
President  
Capital City Corvette Club



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Felts



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Reiffer



## SECRETARY

Tim  
Wells



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Mike  
Britz



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Melissa  
Felts



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Kevin  
Mead



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Harris



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Voss



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Sue  
Keith



## NCM AMBASSADOR

Casey  
Mulvany



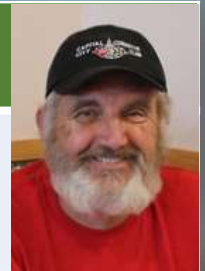
## PHOTOGRAPHER

Stella  
Wood



## QUARTERMASTER

Randy  
Putmon



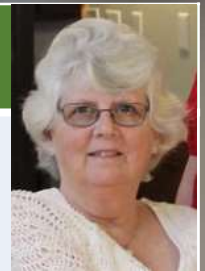
## SERGEANT AT ARMS

Geofrey  
Cradit



## WEBMASTER

Gloria  
Reiffer



## PAST PRESIDENT

Bob  
Maynard



## FACEBOOK MODERATOR

Dave  
Voss





# Membership Meeting Minutes

No Membership Meeting in December





# Board Meeting Minutes

No Board Meeting in December





# 2021 Historians Report

## Capital City Corvette Club Items Added to the Archives 2021

2020 Historian Report

2021 Membership List

Jim Hoppin Obituary

Carlo Litrenta Obituary

Peggy Herold Obituary

2020 "The Connection" Newsletters on CD

2019 & 2020 Giving - website Community Involvement page

2020 Participation Points List - as of July 24, 2020

2020 List of CCCC Events

Updated spreadsheet with 2021 Elected Officers and Appointed Positions

Kurt Schwamberger Obituary (former member)

Thank you letter from Greater Lansing Food Bank - \$1000 donation

CCCC Most FCOA in MI Region "Blue Bars" Winter 2021

In Memoriam Carlo Litrenta "Blue Bars" Winter 2021

Corvette Crossroads article - St. Ignace News 9/3/2020

In Memoriam - Peggy Herold, Carlo Litrenta, Kurt Schwamberger

"Blue Bars" Spring 2021

CCCC Most FCOA in MI Region "Blue Bars" Spring 2021

MI Region News- CCCC Kyle Felts "Blue Bars" Spring 2021

CCCC Most FCOA in MI Region "Blue Bars" Summer 2021

David Cripe Obituary





# Capital City Corvette Club



## Participation Points as of December 29, 2021

|                    |                       |                       |                        |
|--------------------|-----------------------|-----------------------|------------------------|
| 2 Roy Bailey       | 9 Cindy Gozalka       | 0 Stanley Olson       | 0 Stephen Toth         |
| 1 Dana Beaman      | 9 Norman Gozalka      | 0 Zola Olson          | 16 Harold Twining      |
| 23 Sandy Bechtel   | 4 Cyn Gregor          | 0 Mark Otto           | 15 Katherine Twining   |
| 0 Ben Behnke **    | 15 Jeanne Harris      | 0 Howard Parks        | 2 Marge VanDyke        |
| 0 Colleen Bratschi | 23 Ward Harris        | 3 Joe Platte          | 16 Ann Voss            |
| 0 Rich Bratschi    | 27 Bill Hass          | 45 Suzanne Politza    | 17 David Voss          |
| 7 Connie Britz     | 32 Melissa Hass       | 63 Carl Polomski *    | 22 Jerry Wardell       |
| 27 Mike Britz      | 12 Skip Herold, Jr.   | 45 Carolyn Polomski * | 22 Sally Wardell       |
| 20 Daniel Burk     | 14 Skip Herold, III   | 16 David Pursel       | 12 Robert Watson       |
| 2 Laura Burk       | 93 Angela Hyde        | 1 Kathryn Pursel      | 31 Mary Wells          |
| 6 Paul Chesley     | 20 Craig Iansiti      | 33 Carol Putmon       | 46 Timothy Wells       |
| 30 Geoffrey Cradit | 31 Kim Keith          | 40 Randy Putmon       | 37 Christine Wieczorek |
| 13 Joyce Cradit    | 31 Sue Keith          | 90 Gloria Reiffer     | 37 Thomas Wieczorek    |
| 0 Frederick Darin  | 1 Janet Litrenta      | 87 Simon Reiffer      | 20 Densel Williams     |
| 0 Marlene Darin    | 20 Artie Love         | 41 Robert Ribar       | 6 Billy Wilson         |
| 5 Ralph Davis      | 0 Lee MacGillivray ** | 13 Kim Schramm        | 6 Kelly Wilson         |
| 7 Susan Davis      | 55 Bob Maynard        | 0 Ralph Shaheen **    | 62 Stella Wood         |
| 18 Art Doty *      | 40 Shalimar Maynard   | 10 Barb Sipka         |                        |
| 17 Nancy Doty *    | 14 Brian McKeveitt    | 6 Thomas Sipka        |                        |
| 60 Michelle Faupel | 49 Kevin Mead         | 3 Robert Spehar       |                        |
| 44 Tom Faupel      | 12 Patricia Mead      | 1 Janet Sprague       |                        |
| 115 Kyle Felts     | 0 Lorraine Melaragni  | 24 Michael Sprague    |                        |
| 25 Melissa Felts   | 0 Ronald Melaragni    | 56 James Sutherland   |                        |
| 4 Mike Fitzgerald  | 33 Chuck Miller       | 1 Ralph Swan          |                        |
| 4 Sally Fitzgerald | 10 Diana Mosher       | 1 Susan Swan          |                        |
| 0 Connie Foster    | 24 Casey Mulvany      | 6 Connie Taylor       |                        |
| 0 Rich Foster      | 16 Kim Mulvany        | 6 Thomas Taylor       |                        |
| 0 Bruce Gelispie   | 25 Barb Musselman     | 0 Crystal Thomas      |                        |
| 0 Maria Gelispie   | 25 Steve Musselman    | 2 Edward Thomas       |                        |

104 Members

## 2021 Top Ten

|                   |                    |                     |               |
|-------------------|--------------------|---------------------|---------------|
| 115 Kyle Felts    | 87 Simon Reiffer   | 60 Michelle Faupel  | 49 Kevin Mead |
| 93 Angela Hyde    | 63 Carl Polomski * | 56 James Sutherland |               |
| 90 Gloria Reiffer | 62 Stella Wood     | 55 Bob Maynard      |               |



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 Z H E A R W X V Z Z T R Y I N Y A L L K L G B I A  
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White

Black

Dark Red Metallic

Bright Red

Bright Silver Metallic

Silver Metallic

Gray Metallic

Medium Gray Metallic

Light Blue Metallic

Medium Blue Metallic

Dark Blue Metallic

Yellow

Gold Metallic

Light Bronze Metallic

Dark Bronze Metallic

Silver Beige Metallic

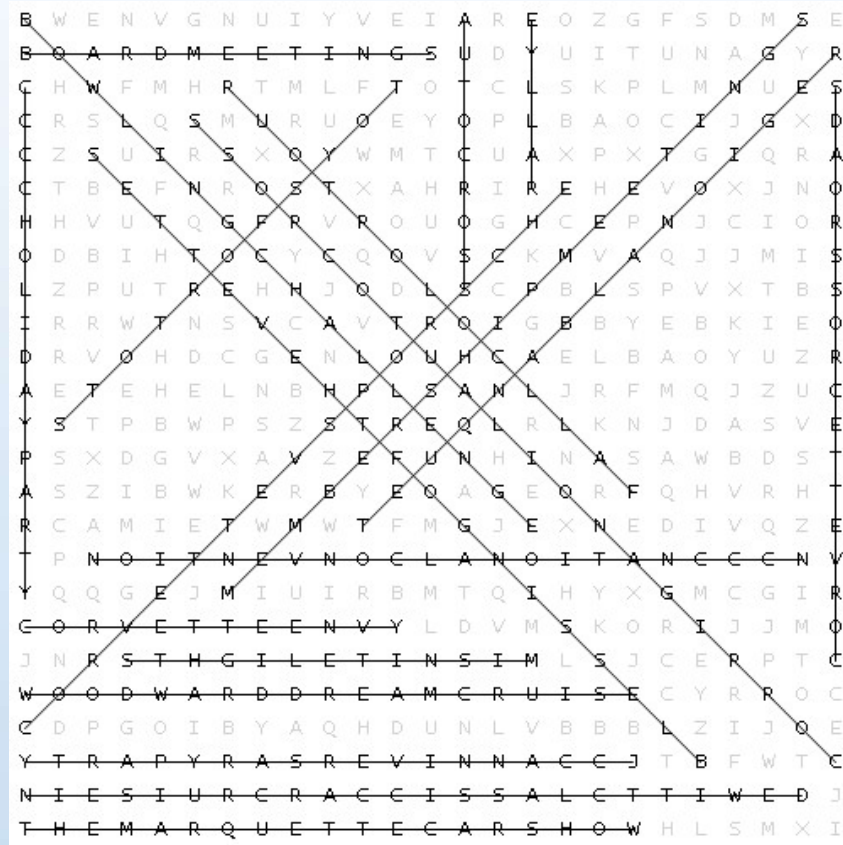
Copper Metallic

Medium Brown Metallic

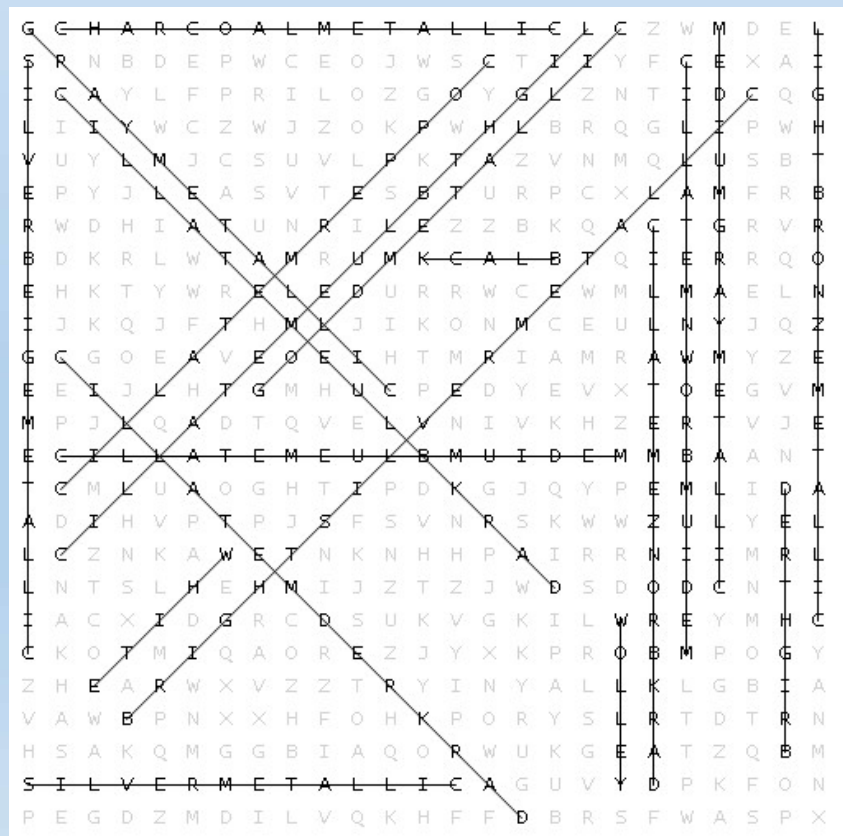
Charcoal Metallic



## Answers to the December Word Search



## Answers to the January Word Search





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