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HAPPY NEW YEAR AND WELCOME TO
1993!!!!!!

We finally made it! As you can see after several months of planning we have a new Newsletter Cover. I hope everyone is pleased and I would like to thank everyone that helped make this a reality.

A new cover is not all that is new for 1993. We have several things coming up that we hope will interest almost everyone. The first being the General Membership Meeting scheduled for January 6th.

This will be our first meeting of the New Year, and in addition our first social event of the year. That's right - "social"!

Please see enclosed details for time and place of the meeting.

Elections were held the first meeting of December and the office of Editor is still open if anyone is interested in doing this wonderful job. Please contact me for further details.

Loretta Ames, Former and Current Editor by Default

* * * * * MEETING NOTICE * * * * *

CAPITAL CITY CORVETTE CLUB

GENERAL MEMBERSHIP MEETING

WEDNESDAY, JANUARY 6, 1993

7:00 P.M.

**DINNER IMMEDIATELY FOLLOWING MEETING
(APPROXIMATELY 8:00 P.M.)**

TRIPPER'S

(FRANDOR SHOPPING CENTER)

1993 January

The Aura of Michigan's Winters

SUNDAY

MONDAY

TUESDAY

WEDNESDAY

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FRIDAY

SATURDAY

DECEMBER

FEBRUARY

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Sorry NO PARTY
FOR NEW YEARS

1 HAPPY NEW
YEAR!!!
SnoFly - the First Kite Fly
of '93/Kalamazoo
Turkey applications available
for Spring
Deer Bow Season Ends
Spearing Season - Pike
NEW YEAR'S DAY

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General Membership
Meeting - 7:00 p.m.
Trippers (Frandon)
Meeting Room

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*Maasto Hiihto Annual Cross Country
Ski Races/Hancock
Mackinaw Mush Sled Dog
Race/Mackinaw

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Manistee County Winterfest
Manistee County
Great Lakes Snowmobile Challenge
& Championship/Muskegon

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Saginaw Snow Show/Saginaw

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Tip-Up Town U.S.A./Houghton Lake
Sled Dog Races/Les Cheneaux Islands
White Lake Perch Festival/Muskegon
Shiver on the River Walleye
Contest/Saginaw

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MARTIN LUTHER
KING DAY
(Observed)

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Board Meeting
7:00 P.M.
Steve and Loretta's
Home

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*Brockway Mountain Challenge Cross
Country Ski Race/Copper Harbor
Tip-Up Town U.S.A./Houghton Lake

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*Copper Island Classic Cross Country
Sk. Race/Calumet

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Winterfest/Gun Lake
Cabin Fever Reliever/Onkama

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CCCC Awards
Banquet-Brookshire
Inn-Williamston
Tip-Up - Bow Beese Lake/Houghton

Antique Arms & Period
Craft Show - Freeland
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Michigan Tech University Winter
Carnival/Houghton

Capital City Corvette Club Points thru December 10, 1992

Ames, Loretta	860	Middleton, Gary	20
Becker, Neil	14	Middleton, Annette	20
Becker, Van	4	Miller, Art	10
Benko, Bob	16	Myers, Jim	39
Benko, Mary	4	Myers, Penny	41
Carpenter, Earl	48	Nowicki, Bob	40
Carpenter, Sandi	552	Nowicki, Jamie	0
Carroccio, Frank	0	Oberlin, Jerry	0
Caudell, John	2	O'Hara, Elaine	53
Christian, Bernard	49	O'Hara, Dennis	55
Christian, Cheryl	10	Pavlic, Steve	119
Clark, Bill	0	Platte, Joe	136
Cripe, Dave	107	Reeve, Bob	141
Cripe, Pat	65	Riel, Linda	48
Doty, Art	738	Riel, Marty	46
Doty, Nancy	735	Selleck, Jerry	0
Eifert, Charlie	127	Sewell, Steve	18
Eifert, Janet	76	Shreve, Marvin	48
Fate, Bill	0	Shuman, Richard	100
Ferris, Scott	28	Smith, Jack	21
Hanses, Phil	131	Spinrad, Pat	2
Hayhoe, John	0	Spinrad, Tamah	185
Hurrell, Steve	0	Spinrad, Steve	790
Huss, Ralph	44	Swift, Al	28
Huss, Kari	12	Swift, Linda	26
Konen, Douglas	0	Tillson, Matt	254
Konen, Julie	0	Tillson, Maryann	332
Krzewinski, Jerry	0	Walsh, Mike	44
Krzewinski, Betty	0	Weaver, Linda	44
Lang, Connie	88		
Lightfoot, Gary	0		
Lightfoot, Sandy	0		

TOP TEN

1) Loretta Ames	860	6) Maryann Tillson	332
2) Steve Spinrad	790	7) Matt Tillson	254
3) Art Doty	738	8) Tammy Spinrad	185
4) Nancy Doty	735	9) Bob Reeve	141
5) Sandi Carpenter	552	10) Joe Platte	136

Event chairpersons/hosts are responsible for giving me an attendance list so I can update the points list. If a member attends an event that is not sponsored by CCCC but is eligible for CCCC points, it is the responsibility of the member to notify the points director.

Phil Hanses
1992 Points Director
P.O. Box 204
Westphalia, MI 48894-0204
(517) 587-3422

NOTICE

IF YOU HAVE NOT TURNED IN YOUR 1992 POINTS, PLEASE NOTIFY ME NO LATER THAN JANUARY 15 SO THAT THEY MAY BE INCLUDED IN THE 1992 FINAL POINT TOTALS.

YESTERDAY, TODAY, AND TOMORROW

1993 PROMISES TO BE A VERY GOOD YEAR! We are going to have various competition and social events too numerous to mention. However, before we jump right into 1993 lets take a step back and take a brief trip down Memory Lane remembering our many accomplishments during 1992.

Do you remember the Lansing Center Car Show and the terrible, terrible weather we had to overcome just to get the cars in and out? What a weekend -

"*** to all club and family members who gave of their time, patience, sanity, expertise, money, ingenuity and, in some cases sleep, in order to make the weekend a success for the Club. Thanks for wearing your club shirts - it really made the Club look distinctive and professional. We had a super crew of people who set-up, manned the display and broke it down! It couldn't have happened without YOU!"

-excerpt from February Newsletter, Society Page

February started the season for Swap Meets and Maryann planned the Club's first caravan of the year to the Kalamazoo swap meet.

"... the caravan down to the Kalamazoo swap meet was quite impressive. Yes, it was tough keeping everyone together, but we managed to make it out to the Kalamazoo Fairgrounds without losing anybody!"

-excerpt from March Newsletter, Society Page

If you remember, Matt and Maryann had a caravan consisting of one car and two people. However, things did get better. Coming home the caravan consisted of one car, two tow vehicles, and two trailers. It was just like Kris Kristopherson's Convoy, the caravan just grew and grew (a slight exaggeration I know).

March was a month for parties and more parties. The Club had its Annual Awards Banquet at the Pour House and the Region held its banquet at Benton Harbor. If you will recall several of our members received awards from the Region for their participation in Region events throughout the previous year.

One of the more memorable Membership Meetings was held March 18th where Matt held an auction consisting of various membership articles.

April was the month for great social events. How about the Slot Car Races at Fun City on April 8th. Art Doty took Men's Top Eliminator and Elaine O'Hara had the honors for the Women. We found out that April was probably not the ideal month for an Ice Cream Rallye. Several of us tried though, the idea was great; however, as usual the weather would not cooperate, so instead of Ice Cream we ended up next door for Pizza.

May was definitely one of our busiest months. The Swap Meet on May 9th was a success in spite of the weather. Then we went right into the race season.

Congratulations once again to Drag Record holders - Steve Spinrad and Loretta Ames.

"It is a good thing Steve and I didn't have to run against each other. We can't both drive the same car at the same time and I don't think Steve would be the one to run down the track while I drove his car. (Do You?)"

Our club sponsored races at Spartan Speedway and Maryann introduced the Garbage Class (non-Corvette participate). She was trying to out do us with the Saturn and didn't do too badly either.

June brought more races, car shows, cruise nights at the USA Cafe, and yes Bloomington. The club had quite a turn out at all these events including Bloomington.

July brought parades, more parades, picnics, and the 2nd Annual Corvette Nostalgia Night at Holt Auto Sales. As usual we had our share of rain, but we did not let it dampen our spirits.

Then there was Christmas, yes Christmas. Our Christmas in August party held at Lake Lansing was a great success. Good participation, great weather, and plenty of food. I am sure all in attendance will agree the Christmas Tree was a work of art!! And as usual we had the same fighting over the Corvette Posters. (HA! HA!)

September brought a three day weekend of parking lot events and the drag races. The star of the show had to be Matt Tillson and his 1989 Corvette. Matt, when the light turns green you are supposed to GO-Go-Go! Maryann was sure he was tuning the radio and waiting for just the right tune! That's OK Matt, everyone has to start somewhere.

As we prepared to leave summer behind and move into fall, we also prepared for the Rallye Season. Maryann's Go To Hell Rallye, where we literally went to Hell, and Linda's Halloween Rallye where there were all sorts of tricks and a few treats at the end were lots of fun, at least I think they were.

We ended this year with a Holiday gathering at DeLuca's on December 16th where I am sure a good time was had by all.

Hopefully, for most of you this recap of our 1992 events brought back fond memories and for those of you that were not able to participate it gives you some food for thought about the coming year and ... the coming year is where we what to move onto. So as we say goodbye to 1992, lets say hello to 1993 and the wonderful things we have planned.

The Board Members you have elected to lead you throughout this coming year have made a strong committment to the success of this club. We will be continually working for the betterment of our club, its events, and the image we portray to the public. In an attempt to do this we would encourage your ideas and participation.

As a start we would like to encourage everyone to attend the first General Membership Meeting of the year, January 6, 1993. The meeting will be held at Trippers, located in the Frandor Shopping Center, in the front meeting room. The meeting will start at 7:00 p.m. and dinner is planned for approximately 8:00 p.m. We will be ordering from the menu which offers a wide variety of entrees. This is a very nice facility which we feel will offer an atmosphere filled with fun and entertainment for our first social gathering of the year.

Happy New Year and we look forward to seeing you on January 6, 1993.

Loretta Ames, President Elect



The
Capital City Corvette Club

invites you to attend the

Annual Awards Banquet
&
Induction of 1993 Officers

Brookshire Inn & Country Club
205 West Church Street
Williamston, Michigan

Cocktails at 7:00 p.m.
Dinner at 8:00 p.m.

Dancing in the lounge
following award ceremonies

\$10.00 per member/\$17.50 per non-member

Please RSVP by January 15, 1993

Dinner Buffet includes

*Roast Prime Rib - carved to order
Breast of Chicken Marsala
Filet of Sole*

*Waldorf Salad
Rice Pilaf
Green Beans Almondine*

Fresh Baked Breads

Dessert

Award Ceremony Immediately Following Dinner

-----[Please return response below with payment]-----

The Capital City Corvette Club

*Annual Awards Banquet
&
Induction of 1993 Officers*

January 30, 1993

of people attending _____

Member's Name _____

Spouse/Guest(s) _____

Please make checks payable to Capital City Corvette Club

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Okemos, MI 48864*

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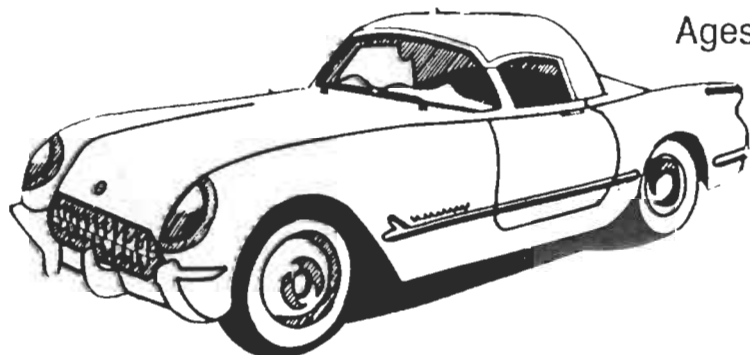
MICHIGAN'S LARGEST INDOOR CORVETTE PARTS MEET

Sunday, February 28, 1993

9:00 a.m. - 4:00 p.m.

LOCATION:

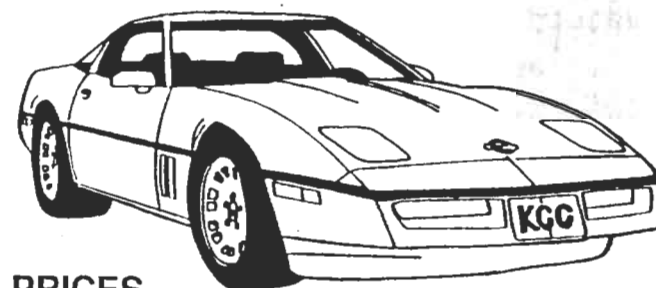
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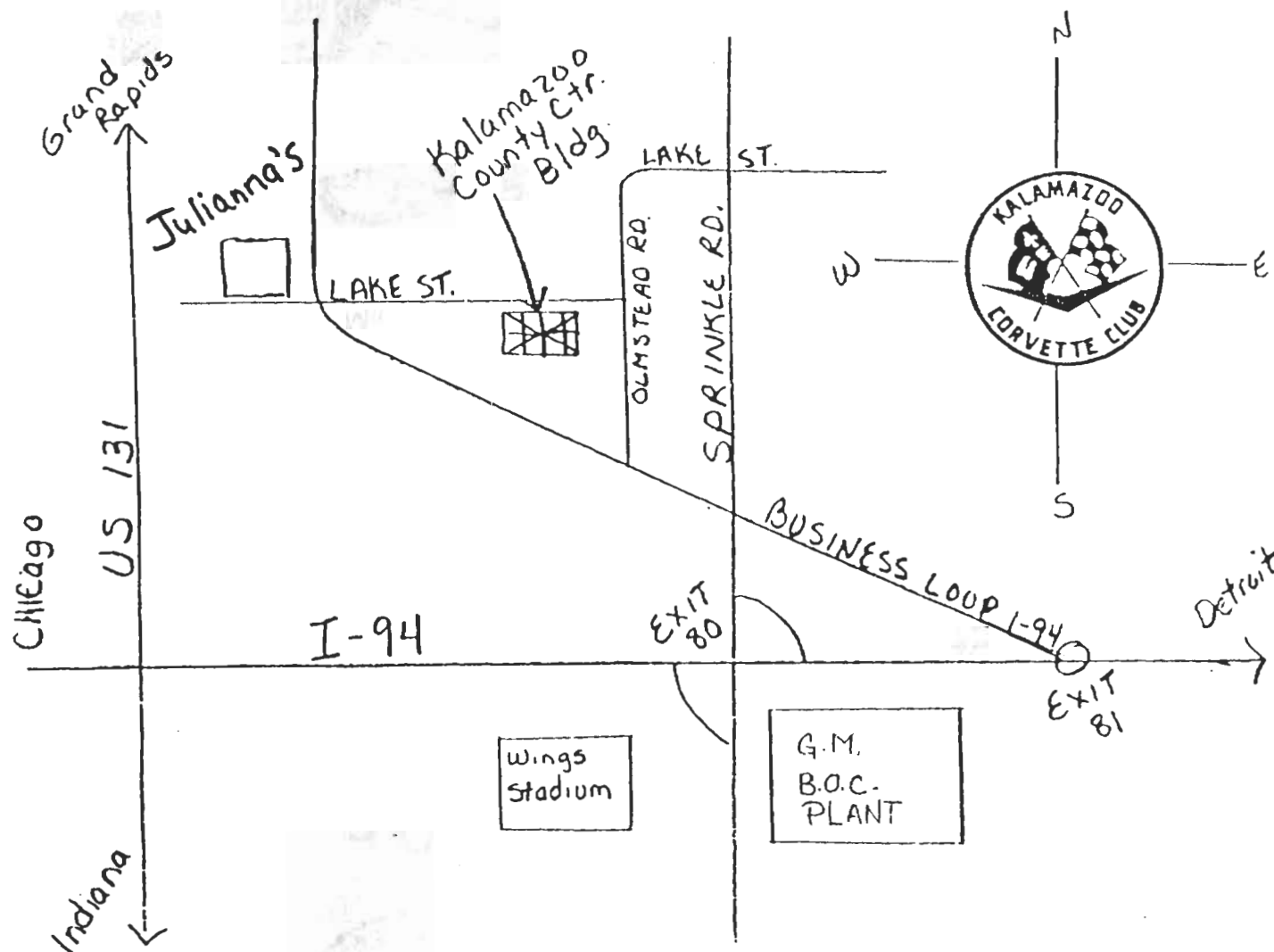
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Full 8' Table \$15.00,
after February 15, \$20.00 per table
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Tables are reserved on a first come, first
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Limited indoor space for selling cars - \$30.00
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CORVETTE COVENTRY

"1993 MICHIGAN REGION AWARDS BANQUET"

DATE: March 20, 1993

PLACE: Holiday Inn "Holidome"
Exit #28 - Off I-94
Benton Harbor, MI

REGION MEETING: 1:00 p.m. COCKTAILS: 6:30 p.m. DINNER: 7:30 p.m.

DINNER COST: \$17.50 PER PERSON
(includes tax and tip)

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Carved Round of Beef
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Full 10-Item Salad Bar
Green Beans Almondine
California Blend Vegetables (carrots, cauliflower, broccoli)
AuGratin Potatoes
Fettucine Alfredo
Dessert Bar (8 items)

Buffet includes all of the above, plus coffee, tea or milk, rolls & butter. Banquet Room will be adjacent to the main bar and the wall will open after the awards are finished, and we will be able to dance to the band at hand!

For hotel reservations please call the Benton Harbor Holiday Inn at 616/925-3234.
Rooms will be blocked - please tell them you are with the Corvette Club.

ROOM RATES: \$50.00 per night (double beds, queen or king-size)
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NAMES OF THOSE TO ATTEND AWARDS DINNER: _____

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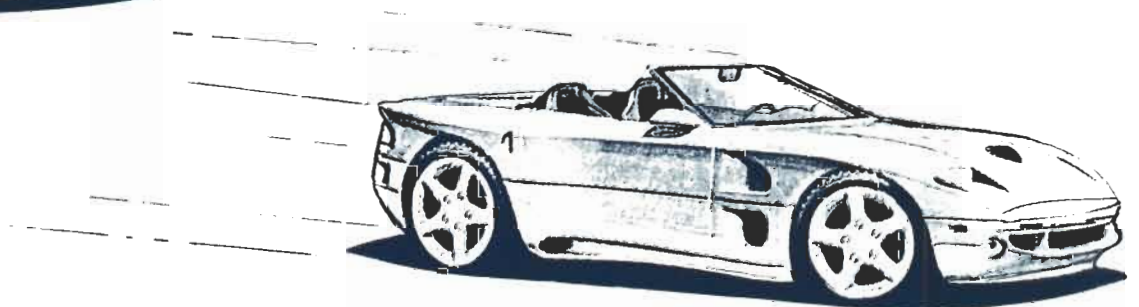
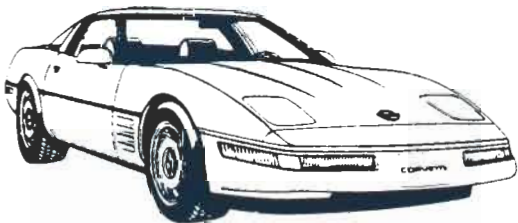
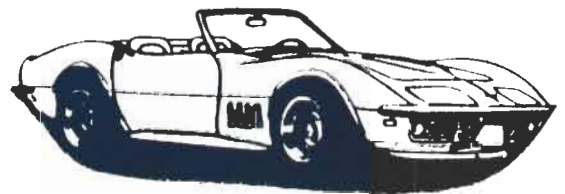
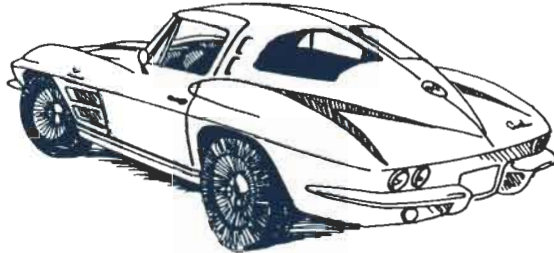


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