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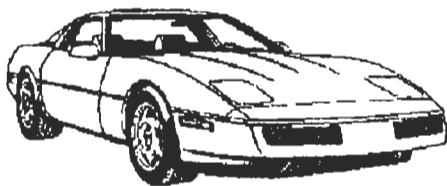


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Dear Members:

While not very profitable (at least for Ken and myself), the CCCC outing to Sports Creek for dinner and some harness racing proved very enjoyable. The evening was very pleasant and it was also fun riding our own horsepower down there (though only two corvettes were driven). The food was rather good on the buffet and I felt at the end of dinner as though I needed to take a couple of laps around the track.

We are winding down the year's activities, particularly for doing anything in our corvettes before the weather turns. However, we have one more mystery dinner on Saturday, November 7th. Elaine and Dennis O'Hara will lead the way to our mystery destination. So shine up your Corvette one last time this season and join us. For further details see the enclosed flyer.

As another year draws nearer to a close it is once again time to elect our club's Board of Directors. We will again be having nominations for positions on the board at the November General Membership Meeting. If you've been thinking about becoming more involved this is a perfect opportunity.

T'is the season, and with November comes Thanksgiving, and not far behind is December and Christmas. This gives us an opportunity for gathering with friends and family, and in the holiday spirit the CCCC holiday dinner on Wednesday, December 2nd will replace the December General Membership Meeting. Please see the enclosed flyer for more details.

Lastly, anyone wishing to have their article in the December Newsletter please submit it by Friday, November 20th. Please address your articles to Christine Krisztian, 4600 Oakwood Drive, Okemos, Michigan 48864, e-mail me (call before trying this) or call 517/347-6701 to make other arrangements to drop off your article.

Chris

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☛ MEETING NOTICE ☛

The November General Membership Meeting will be held Wednesday,
November 4 at 7:00 p.m.
at Richard's Food and Drink
(4105 North East Street, Lansing)
DINNER ORDERED AT 7:15



From the president . . .

Loretta Spinrad

The trees are turning, the flowers are slowly falling by the wayside, and most of us have put our cars away, that doesn't mean we will be lacking for things to do. We will just be pursuing other activities.

This past weekend an adventurous part of our group traveled to Swartz Creek to partake in horseracing. Thanks to the work of Nancy Dodson we had front row seats, all the better to see with. It is too bad it didn't help in our betting capabilities. I would say some had a better time than others, based on the weight of your pocket when you left. It is always fun to try different things, travel to unknown places especially when you are with friends. Regardless of the winnings (or losses) I think everyone had a good time.

If you have an idea that you would like us to pursue, don't be shy, let us know.

Elaine and Dennis O'Hara will be hosting the November 7 Mystery Dinner so be sure to put this date on your calendar. Mystery dinners are always great fun. If you have not attended before it is really quite simple. We meet at the designated place and caravan to an unknown location. It is strictly social, providing a great opportunity to visit with friends.

Phil Zeller and Angie Zea are planning our December 2 Holiday Dinner. This is also a social event, which encourages to begin the holidays with friends. So be sure to mark November 7 and December 2 on your calendar as very special days.

We will also be electing our 1999 Officers at the December Dinner. We opened nominations at the October Membership Meeting. If you are interested in serving on the Board of our organization, it is not too late. We really need someone to take over the responsibilities of Newsletter Editor and Points Director. If you have an interest in either of these positions, please let me know.

The Points Director is responsible for the club points standings each month. A roster is kept for each member and monthly standings are to be posted in the newsletter each month.

The Newsletter Editor is responsible for coordinating the articles for each issue, putting the newsletter together, and mailing to the membership.

Every office in the club takes commitment and a desire to be involved. While the pay is not good, the rewards come in knowing your commitment made a difference.

I have been president and competition director for a number of years now and it is very time consuming. Some people think I am crazy, but I feel the commitment is worthwhile. We have successful competition events that most members enjoy. We are very active in a number of areas, areas you may not have pursued if it weren't for the club affiliation and according to some, my relentless encouragement. Whatever the reason, my rewards are seeing you participate, having a good time, and meeting other people with the same interests. During the years I was editor, there were some late nights, but it was fun to be creative when the opportunity presented itself.

What I am trying to say is, what you make out of the job is what you put into it. If you enjoy being involved, if you enjoy making a difference, being an officer of our club can be very rewarding. Every position is important to the overall welfare and success of our club and you can make a difference. It is your choice!

Our next meeting is November 4 at Richards, I plan to have some fun videos, so I hope you will be able to join us! Until then, take care!

Capital City Corvette Club General Membership Meeting
Minutes for Wednesday, October , 1998

Acceptance of Minutes.

President Report – 1999 competition events will soon be bid on. The region officer elections are upcoming, officer positions are not contested. A bid has yet to be placed for the region banquet. CCM is the largest club in Michigan, and is currently third in points for the nation.

Membership Report – 67 CCCC members. Please begin submitting club membership renewals.

Governor Report – The election of National Officers will be held in November. NCCC has 13,709 members. NCCC ran an advertisement in Corvette Monthly. Information regarding 1999 Denver was discussed and passed around to club members. Great Lakes Rallye will be held on October 25, 1998 at 11:30am, flyer was passed around.

Social Report – The golf outing was a success, the rain held off; the ice cream was good too. The Sports Creek event, hosted by Mike and Nancy Dodson, will be Saturday, October 24, 1998.

Public Relations Report – Congratulations to Steve and Loretta each won their respective Drag event at Convention. Also congratulations to Phil and Cindy who placed 10th in the Fun Rallye and 2nd in the Game Rallye at Convention.

Points Director Report – Absent

Treasurer Report – balances reported.

Editor Report – Newsletter due date is October 22, 1998. The new covers have been received.

Secretary Report – no report.

Old Business – Convention discussed, Shanty Creek has lowered the room price to \$99.00 per night. Notice of changes will be sent with minutes to club governors and in Blue Bars.

Adjournment

Capital City Corvette Club Board Meeting
Minutes for Tuesday, October 20, 1998

Presidents Report – The Shanty Creek contract has been received, Rooms are \$99.00 per night. CCCC continues to work with other clubs to set up 1999 speed events.

Public Relations Report – Steve Spinrad is working with Spartan Speedway, to secure use of the track for next year. 1999 general membership meetings will continue to be held at Richards.

Social Director Report – Sports Creek event is coming up on Saturday. Dennis and Elaine O'Hara will host the November 7 mystery dinner. CCCC Holiday will be held on December 2, 1998, at the Rooftop Landing, in Williamston. Please see flyers for additional details on social events.

Membership Report – The membership total stands at 67 members. Renewal membership information is out, please renew membership by November meeting.

Governor Report – Please get in your membership renewal information.

Treasurer Report – Balance reported. Please submit payment for newsletter advertisements.

Editor – The new newsletter covers have been received. The copier is in need of repair. The newsletter deadline is October 22, 1998.

New Business – Web site possibilities were discussed.

Secretary – no report

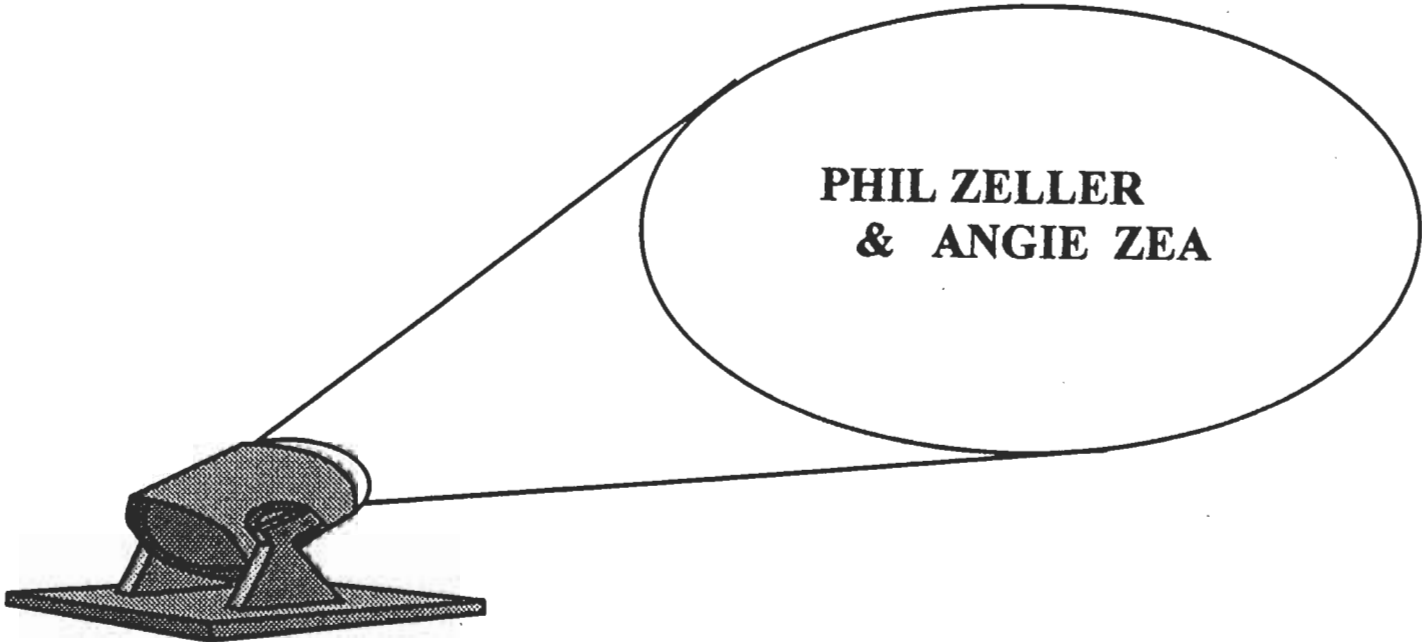
SPOTLIGHT ON OUR MEMBERS

PHIL AND ANGIE MET 6 YEARS AGO AT A RESTAURANT AND JOINED CAPITAL CITY CORVETTE CLUB IN 1994. THEY LIVE IN MASON. PHIL IS ORIGINALLY FROM EATON RAPIDS. ANGIE IS ORIGINALLY FROM THE LAS ANGELES AREA. THEY HAVE 1 CAT. THEY ENJOY THEIR 1979 COUPE.

PHIL IS EMPLOYED WITH ENTRE COMPUTERS. HE HAS BEEN WITH THEM FOR 7 YEARS AND WITH IBM PRIOR TO THAT. HE IS AN EDUCATION SPECIALIST, CONSULTING WITH SCHOOLS ON THEIR TECHNICAL NEEDS. PHIL HAS A BA FROM MSU AND IS WORKING ON HIS MASTERS FROM CMU. PHIL IS AN ASSISTANT INSTRUCTOR FOR THE DALE CARNEGIE INSTITUTE. HE IS AN ADVISOR TO THE LCC SALES MARKETING DIVISION. IN HIS SPARE TIME HE ENJOYS ALL SPORTS. HE IS OUR CLUB SOCIAL DIRECTOR.

ANGIE IS EMPLOYED WITH COMMUNITY FIRST BANK. SHE JUST RECENTLY JOINED THEM AND IS AN OUTSIDE COMMERCIAL LOAN OFFICER. PRIOR TO THAT SHE WAS WITH MICHIGAN NATIONAL BANK. ANGIE GRADUATED LAST MONTH WITH A BA FROM NORTHWOOD UNIVERSITY. ANGIE ENJOYS SKIING AND RIGHT NOW IS BUSY PLANNING THEIR WEDDING. ANGIE IS A PAST POINTS DIRECTOR AND CURRENT CLUB SECRETARY.

TOGETHER PHIL AND ANGIE ENJOY TRAVELING. ESPECIALLY TRIPS TO LAS VEGAS AND CALIFORNIA. THEY LIKE CORVETTE ACTIVITIES AND ARE VERY INVOLVED IN OUR CLUB. THEY ARE PLANNING A DECEMBER 1999 CRUISE WHERE THEY WILL BE MARRIED. IT'S GREAT HAVING THEM IN OUR CLUB.



**PHIL ZELLER
& ANGIE ZEA**

DON'T WAIT TO RENEW YOUR MEMBERSHIP!!!!

The deadline for membership renewal is November 4th. Our club goal is to have 100% NCCC membership.

Consider renewing at the October 7th , or November 4th General Membership Meetings.

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Thank you for your cooperation.



Mike Dodson,
Governor

NOVEMBER

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
1	2	3	4 General Membership Meeting 	5	6	7 Mystery Dinner?? 
8	9	10 Region Meeting 	11	12	13	14
15	16	17 Board Meeting 	18	19	20 Newsletter Deadline 	21
22	23	24	25	26 Thanksgiving Day 	27 Shopping Day 	28
29	30					

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Capital City Corvette Club 1998 Tentative Calendar

NOVEMBER

- 4 General Membership Meeting
- 7 Mystery Dinner
- 10 Region Meeting
- 17 CCCC Board Meeting

DECEMBER

- 2 General Membership Meeting -
Holiday Dinner

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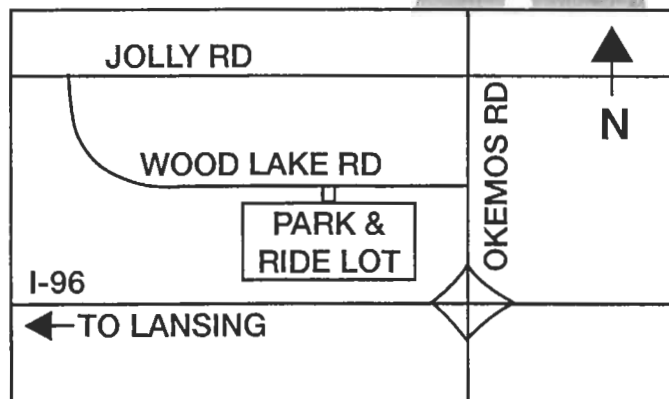
MYSTERY DINNER

Saturday, November 7, 1998

WHERE: Park & Ride Lot - Okemos Road & Jolly

WHEN: We will meet @ 6:30 p.m. and Leave @ 7:00 p.m.

WHO: RSVP to Dennis & Elaine O'Hara at 393-9025 no later than Thursday, Nov 5th, 1998, so we can provide an accurate head count to the restaurant



DON'T MISS OUT ON A FUN DINNER!!!

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**Occasion: Capital City Corvette
Club Holiday Dinner.**

Date: Wednesday, December 2, 1998
(in place of the regular general membership meeting)

Time: 7:00

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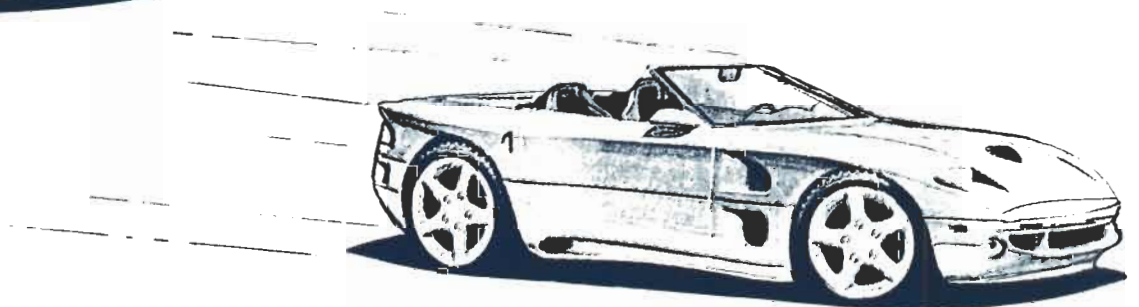
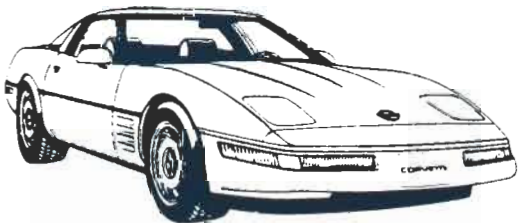
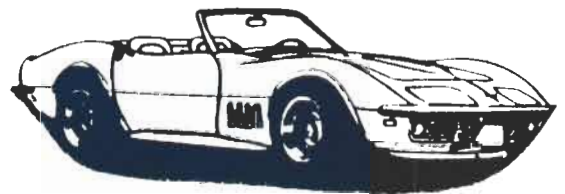
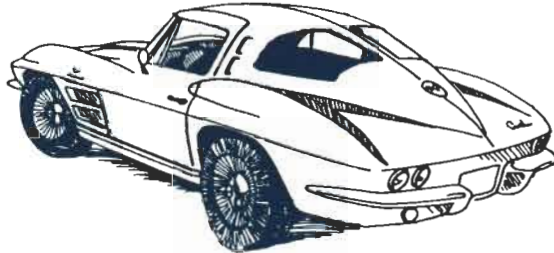


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