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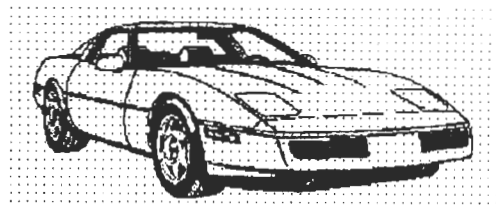


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Dear Members:

Happy New Year! While the weather outside is frightful, inside thoughts of once again corvetteing are delightful. I know right now it looks like a while before we take our corvettes out of storage, however to keep us in the proper mind frame, Loretta will lead us forward in planning the Year 2000 - National Convention. There is much to do in the next year and a half, and the entire memberships' time, energy and talents will be needed in order to bring this Convention to fruition.

The club's 1999 Board of Directors was elected at the December Holiday Dinner and Meeting. Loretta Spinrad, Mike Dodson, Angie Zea, Nancy Dodson, Phil Zeller, and Steve Spinrad were all re-elected to their posts. Joining them will be Phil Hanses as Points Director, who has held this position in the past, and new board Officer Irene Quick as Treasurer. The position of Editor is currently vacant. Ken and I have learned a lot about the club and corvettes by being on the board and wish them well as CCCC enters a new year. I'm sure if someone showed some interest in the Editor's position, it would make the board members jobs easier and I would be happy to do what I can to make the transition as smooth as possible.

The Annual Awards Banquet will be held Saturday, January 30th. For more information please see the enclosed flyer.

Lastly, anyone wishing to have their article in the February Newsletter please submit it by mail to Capital City Corvette Club, P.O. Box 27295, Lansing, MI 48909.

Chris

1999 BOARD OF DIRECTORS

Loretta Spinrad -

President/Competition, 372-4380

Mike Dodson -

Governor, 669-9698

Angie Zea -

Secretary, 676-6609

Irene Quick -

Treasurer, 669-5794

Nancy Dodson -

Membership Director, 669-9698

Phil Zeller -

Social Director, 676-6609

Editor's Position -

Vacant

Steve Spinrad -

Public Relations Director, 372-4380

Phil Hanses -

Points Director, 517/587-3422

MEETING NOTICE

The January General Membership Meeting will be held Wednesday,
January 6 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 New Year will soon be upon us bringing a whole array of new challenges and hopefully prosperity to all. Before the clock strikes twelve and the bells ring bringing in the New Year, please take a moment to remember this past year. Your friends, family, and those that made this year special.

I would like to begin by thanking the officers of our club that worked so hard throughout the year to make things happen. There may be times you wonder what these people do, what their jobs entail, I can assure you they work very hard all year long.

Mike Dodson, our Governor is our representative at the national level. He attends the National Governor's Meeting 5 times per year and tries to represent our interests at that level. If you wonder what goes on at the national level, sit down and talk to Mike about it.

Nancy Dodson, our Membership Director is responsible for recruiting new members and keeping our membership records up to date. Nancy also writes our monthly "Spotlight" on Members, providing you with information on other club members.

Phil Zeller, our Social Director is responsible for coordinating all our social events. As our club sponsors

more social events, Phil's job continues to expand.

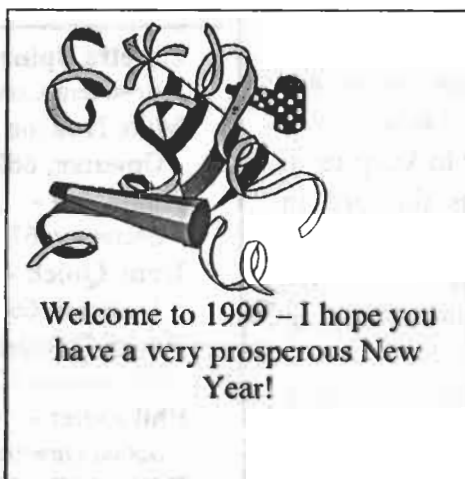
Steve Spinrad, is our PR guru. It is his responsibility to settle the waters after I create the waves, at least that is what he tells me. Steve works with our outside contacts arranging our meeting rooms, events at Spartan, and any other special events we have. He also works with Holt Auto Sales and other vendors that support our newsletter and donate door prizes at our events.

Bob Metzger has had the job of keeping track of points, which he found to be more difficult than one would think. And having your life interrupted by moving to another city didn't help.

Angie Zea took over the job of Secretary from Dawn Metzger when Dawn and Bob had to move. For those of you that don't know, Dawn was caught up in the Ameritech upheaval. She and Bob moved from Grand Ledge to the Owosso Area. Angie most graciously volunteered to take over the position of secretary, publishing the minutes of our meetings in the newsletter.

Ken Terry, the keeper of our funds, has been our treasurer for the last two years and has done a fine job keeping us in the black. If anyone ever has a question about the club's treasury, Ken is the one to ask.

Chris Krisztian has most graciously served as the editor of our newsletter for the last two years which has not been an easy job. The editor is responsible for



from the president . . .

Loretta Spinrad

obtaining articles and flyers from the club officers, complying these in an organized manner and making a newsletter. There is a lot of copying, sorting, collating, stapling, and stamp sticking in getting the job done. The hardest part is probably getting the articles from the rest of us.

Then there is me, your president and competition director. I get all the left overs. I am responsible for the well being and direction of our club as a whole. If that is not enough, I am also responsible for our competition calendar and events. I have to laugh, because someone once told me they wanted to be president, because the president didn't have to do anything. I thought that was an interesting concept.

Being the officer of any organization can be taxing at times, but can also provide a number of rewards. Our officers receive an additional 20 points per year, I think we can all agree, the jobs warrant more than 20 points, so these people are ~~not~~ volunteering because of the pay. We have had a very good group of folks, willing to donate their time and efforts to make our club a success and should be congratulated on a job well done.

As hard as the officers work, we cannot ~~make things happen~~ all by ourselves. **The support and cooperation of the membership is critical** and you have been terrific. We never lack for volunteers to work or chair events. The participation at our social events has been great and your overall support has been wonderful. Everyone deserves a great pat on the back for a job well done.

As we move into the New Year, the Board will be changing somewhat. Ken and Chris will be leaving the Board (and will be missed). Irene Quick will assume Ken's responsibilities as treasurer. No one has stepped forward to take over the production of the newsletter as yet, so the board will assume those responsibilities for the time being.

As I reported in the last newsletter, we will be hosting the National Convention in July 2000 so more detailed planning will begin with our February Meeting. To help formulate our plans, we have scheduled a trip to Shanty Creek over the July 4, 1999 weekend. We really look forward to having as many club members join us as possible.

I am beginning to receive some positive comments about Convention 2000. If you will recall, I wrote an article about our plans in the last issue of Blue Bars and I am starting to receive some e-mails from members across the country expressing their support. We are also beginning to receive some support and offers to help from people within our region. Things are definitely looking up.

We are going to be very busy during the next 1 ½ years and I am looking forward to working with all of you and appreciate the confidence you have placed in me as president, to move forward with not only this project, but all our projects. Thank You!

General Membership Meeting
Wednesday, January 6, 1999
Richard's Restaurant
7:00 p.m.
Dinner order at 7:15 p.m.

Capital City Corvette Club
1998
Participation points

Bob Benko	30	Irene Quick	81
Mary Benko	27	Steve Quick	77
Kim Binney	12	Gloria Reiffer	83
Elaine Blackie	28	Simon Reiffer	88
Keith Balckie	28	Debbie Richard	05
Bill Bryant	17	John Richard	05
Kathy Bryant	17	Linda Roberts	10
Karen Carter	05	Jan Shepler	15
Tom Carter	05	John Shepler	29
Chris Cooper	21	Lorreta Spinrad	225
Dave Cripe	41	Steve Spinrad	204
Mike Dodson	185	Bill Stehouwer	80
Nancy Dodson	186	Bridget Stehouwer	80
Art Doty	30	Roger Stehouwer	21
Nancy Doty	28	Alan Swift	24
Charles Duell	03	Linda Swift	24
Donna Gibbs	37	Dianne Taulbee	60
Rick Gibbs	37	Jack Taulbee	60
Elizabeth Goodland	03	Ken Terry	137
Cindy Hanses	93	Janice Tribble	11
Phil Hanses	105	Dick Tucker	05
Dick Hartman	77	M.T. Wallet	02
Pat Hartman	74	Sharron Wasson	20
Fred Honhart	02	Ward Wasson	22
Ralph Huss	02	Betty White	05
Chris Krisztian	129	John White	05
Bob Metzger	71	Angie Zea	139
Dawn Metzger	76	Phil Zeller	158
Clyde Nash	11		
Jack Nelson	07		
Dennis O'Hara	146		
Elaine O'Hara	138		
Steve Pavlik	60		
Joe Platte	07		
Pam Platte	09		

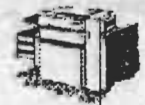
Capital City Corvette Club
1998
Competition standings

1, Loretta Spinrad	172 points
2, Steve Spinrad	170 points
3, Steve Pavlik	139 points
4, Mike Dodson	110 points
5, Phil Hanses	100 points
6, Nancy Dodson	95 points
7, Cindy Hanses	88 points
8, Angie Zea	82 points
9, Phil Zeller	82 points
10, Bridget Stehouwer	64 points
11, Chris Krisztian	56 points
12, Ken Terry	56 points
13, Roger Stehouwer	39 points
14, Bill Stehouwer	37 points
15, Simon Reiffer	14 points
16, Gloria Reiffer	14 points
17, Dick Hartman	10 points
18, Pat Hartman	10 points
19, Dennis O'Hara	9 points
20, Elaine O'Hara	6 points
21, Linda Roberts	3 points

Capital City Corvette Club
1998
Top Ten

Lorreta Spinrad
Steve Spinrad
Nancy Dodson
Mike Dodson
Phil Zeller
Dennis O'Hara
Angie Zea
Elaine O'Hara
Ken Terry
Chris Krisztian

January

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
					1 New Year's Day 	2
3	4	5	6 General Membership Meeting 	7	8	9
10	11	12	13	14	15	16
17	18	19 Board Meeting? 	20	21 Newsletter Deadline? 	22	23
24	25	26	27 Convention Planning Mtg. 7:00 at the Old Town Diner	28	29	30 Annual Awards Banquet 
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Capital City Corvette Club

1999 Tentative Calendar

JANUARY

- 6 General Membership Meeting
- ?? CCCC Board Meeting
- 30 CCCC Annual Awards Banquet

FEBRUARY

- 3 General Membership Meeting
- ?? CCCC Board Meeting

MARCH

- 3 General Membership Meeting
- 6 Region Banquet
- ?? CCCC Board Meeting



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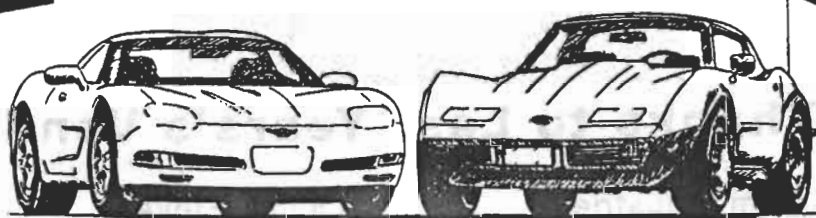
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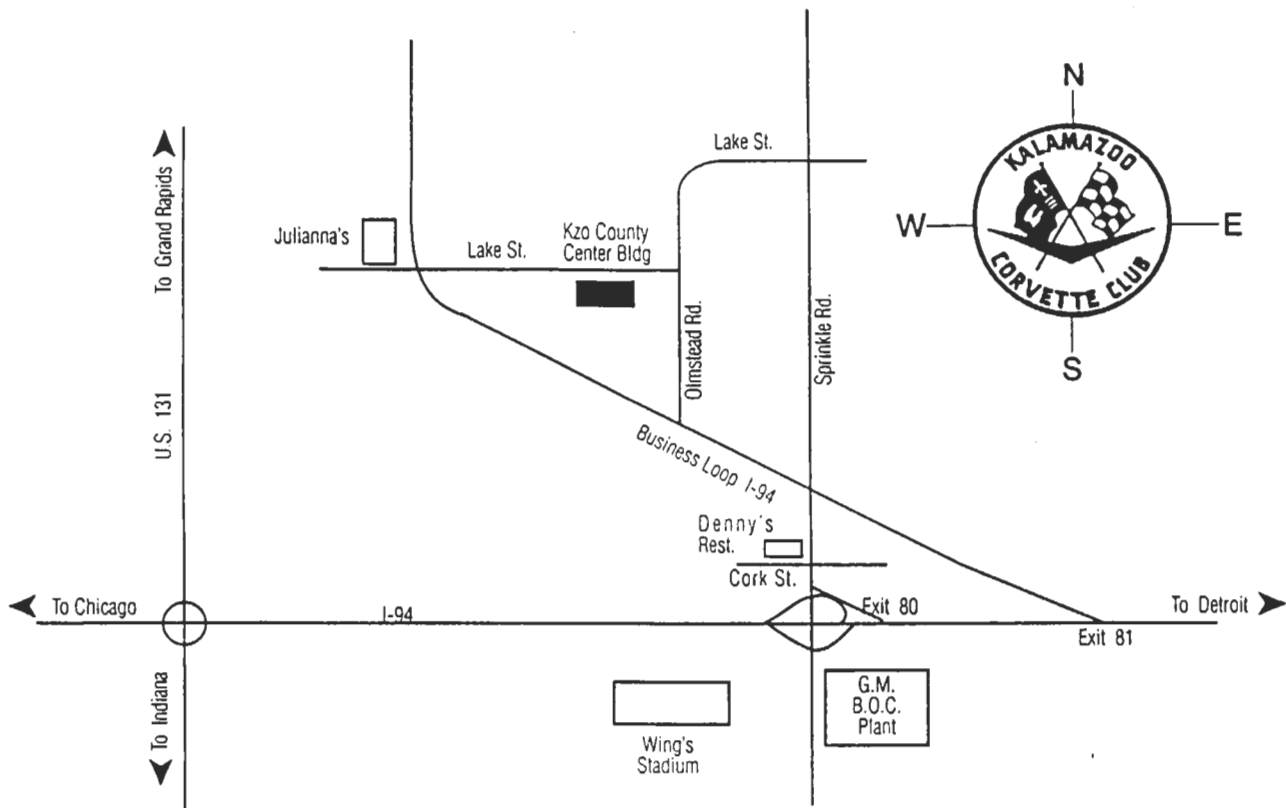
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Capital City Corvette Club's Annual Awards Banquet



To be held at *Signatures American Grill*,
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30th. Arrive between 7:00 to 7:30,
dinner to be ordered at 7:30 p.m.



Entree choices:

- Sizzler Sirloin Steak
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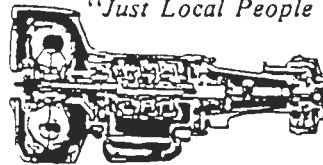
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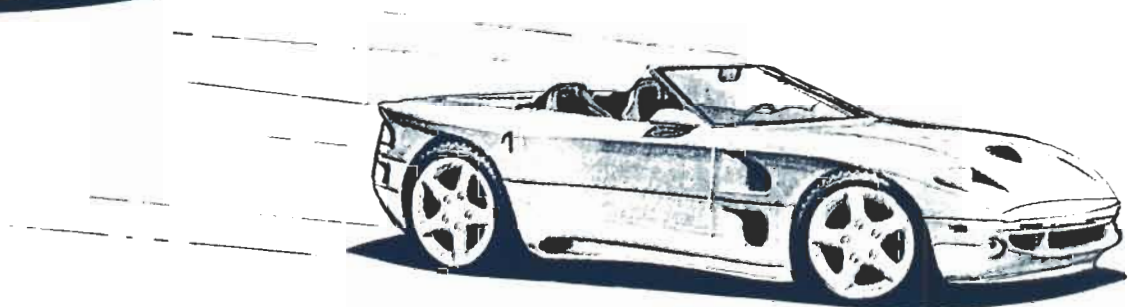
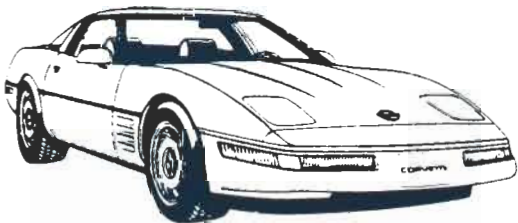
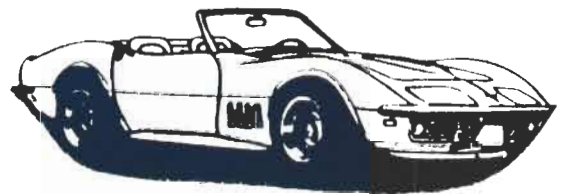
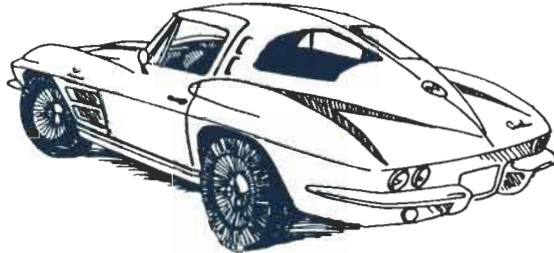


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