

THE CONNECTION



The Newsletter of the
Capital City Corvette Club

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Quick Hits from the Editor ~

GENERAL MEMBERSHIP MEETING

March 1st - 7:00 pm

Delhi Café

4625 Willoughby Rd.

Holt

Board Meeting

March 15th - 7:00 pm

Delhi Café

**Please send any articles you'd like to have
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From the President . . .

Greetings!

As I am writing this we have just finished one of the coldest days this winter. By the time this reaches your mail box the weather should start to look like spring is not too far off.

With spring just around the corner most of us will be thinking about getting our cars out of winter storage. Our thoughts are about the coming events this spring and summer and which ones we want to participate in.

But let's stop and make sure that our cars are ready for the driving season ahead. Be sure you check the air in your tires and be sure to check for nesting creatures before starting your cars the first time. If your car has been in storage, pop the hood and take a look around the engine bay for anything that shouldn't be there.

Now that everything looks normal it's time to take that Corvette out for a spin. Well not so fast! Did you remember to call your insurance agent and put coverage back on the car? Now that you have insurance on the car, take it out for an easy drive. Let everything warm up and then sit back, relax and enjoy your first drive of the season.

Our calendar is filling up quickly with Drive & Dines, an Ice Cream Night, Turkeyville for dinner and a play, and of course the Michigan Region Banquet. Did I mention the word food? Our Drive & Dines are probably the most popular events of the year.

I hope everyone likes to eat.

Now for some general information on a few things that still need to be addressed before we can really get down to business. As most of you know we introduced what we called "functional teams" last year. This was Kurt Schwamberger's idea and it worked really well for the club and especially for the event Chairpersons. The functional teams for this year consist of: Pre-registration, Registration, Concessions and Goodie bag items. The chairperson would be responsible for their particular function in the capacity that is necessary for each of our events. Not every event would require participation from all of the functional teams. It would be up to the Functional Team Chairperson to recruit enough people to carry out their duties for each event.

We already have Chairpersons in place for: Pre-registration and Registration. But we need Chairpersons for Goodie Bags and for Concessions. If you would like to help our club be successful, please volunteer to chair one of these teams or volunteer to assist one of the Functional Team Chairpersons.

If you are not sure what to do, there are club members who are more than willing to help you. All you have to do is contact me for help and I will steer you in the right direction. We have a wonderful group of dedicated individuals that make this club what it is. But we need the involvement of many to make it a great club.

Save the Wave,
Dave Kuempel

CCCC General Membership Meeting February 1, 2006

Meeting called to order at 7:00 p.m.

PRESIDENT: Condolences given to Pat and Ellie Lickfeldt for the loss of his mother and to the loss of Ron Scott, a founding member of the Capital City Corvette Club. Thanks to Janet Johnston for her great job with the Awards Banquet. Gloria is selling CD's of the club's year-long activities. The money will be donated to the Greater Lansing Food Bank. Dave asked if anyone would be interested in a Black Hills trip or a trip to Arkansas for a show on Oct. 5-9. Colleen Bratchi and Joy Hardman volunteered to run for the office of Membership Director. Craig Iansiti made a motion to accept their names on the ballots. Motion seconded and passed.

SECRETARY: No additions or corrections. Don Johnston made a motion to accept the minutes. Motion seconded and passed.

COMPETITION: Mark Hansen acknowledged the awards that were given out. April 22 will be a low-speed training event in Kalamazoo. Discussion of car shows coming up. Randy Putmon brought and proudly showed off his "Turkey Award". This award will be passed around annually to a "deserving" member in the club.

GOVERNOR: Regional meeting is February 21 at LaSenorita's. Everyone is welcome. There will be a discussion of the National Convention brought to Michigan in 2009. March 25 is the Regional Banquet. Deadline for registration is March 10. Shalimar Maynard was given congratulations for finishing 8th in the Region.

PUBLIC RELATIONS: If anyone is interested in advertising in our newsletter or knows of anyone who might be interested, let Gary know. Gary and Kathy Wyma will celebrate 40 years of marriage.

TREASURER: Report given. Don Johnston made a motion to pay the bills. Motion seconded and passed.

SOCIAL: February 11 Drive'n Dine, March 3 Ice Cream night. Turkeyville is April 8 (Dine & play). Janet read a letter of "thank you" from our adoptive family thru the Salvation Army. Janet asked if anyone would be interested in taking pictures of all our events (formerly Gloria's undertaking). Dawn Mitzel volunteered. Jeremy Kapella renewed his membership tonight

MEMBERSHIP: 133 members & 57 F.C.O.A.

POINTS: Points will be posted in the next few days on the website. Up-date on Spring Get-away in Bowling Green. Lugnuts game on July 14, Friday. Jeff has reserved 40 seats.

EDITOR: Deadline for the March newsletter is February 20.

NCM AMBASSADOR: Report given by Dave Kuempel. John is checking into a scholarship in the automotive field. The Capital Area Career Center will administer the money from our club. There is a discussion of possibly finding additional sponsors. Jeff McQuade made a motion to go ahead with the scholarship. Motion seconded and passed.

HISTORIAN: Absent

WEBMASTER: Now there will be an email address for each individual board member, (cccorvette.org) domain name. Jim is getting the website organized.

OLD BUSINESS: We need chairpersons for our functional teams. Will discuss next month.

NEW BUSINESS: We decided April 28, Friday; we will volunteer to do WKAR Auction. 5:30 – 9:00p.m. There is a possibility we may be invited to the Lowell Show Boat and display our cars.

50-50 RAFFLE: won by Mike Britz. Bracelet donated by Margaret Terwilliger won by Colleen Bratchi.

Simon Reiffer made a motion to adjourn the meeting. Motion seconded & passed. Meeting adjourned at 8:03 p.m.

CCCC Board Meeting February 15, 2006

Meeting called to order at 6:56 p.m.

Absent: Angie Kranz

PRESIDENT: Ballots will be printed to vote for Membership Director at the March Membership meeting. Jim Simmons explained about the new email addresses for the Board members. Cindy Sanchez contacted Dave for dates of our shows to put in her catalog, Michigan Auto Events Calendar. Horsepower at the Zoo will be September 17. Gary Wyma will contact the zoo for confirmation.

SECRETARY: No additions or corrections. Gary Wyma made a motion to accept minutes as is. Motion seconded & passed.

COMPETITION: Mark has checked locations for a low-speed event. Best location so far is Spartan Speedway. We need to pay \$100 to hold the date of July 15 for our low-speed event. If anyone has any ideas of a place to hold a low-speed event let Mark Hansen know. Discussion on calendar events. We also need numbers for our non-sanctioned shows. Mark suggested we might want to charge for a link on our website. Further discussion. It was decided that Mark would do some further investigating. Kalamazoo low-speed training has lost their site. The training may be canceled.

GOVERNOR: Don passed out insurance information for our shows. Region banquet is March 25. Registration deadline is March 10. Next Tuesday is Region meeting at LaSenorita's

PUBLIC RELATIONS: No report

TREASURER: Report given. Sponsors are coming in for ads in newsletter.

SOCIAL: 35 people attended February Drive'n Dine. March 3 will be ice cream at Stone Cold Creamery. April will be Turkeyville, Maple Syrup Parade and Drive'n Dine

MEMBERSHIP: Vacant. Approximately 135 members & 57 FCOA

POINTS: Lugnuts game is July 14. Flyer will be in next newsletter. Spring Get-away flyer will also be in next newsletter.

EDITOR: Deadline for the March newsletter is February 20. Margaret is still having printer problems.

AMBASSADOR: No report given on ambassadorship. Discussion brought forward of scholarship. There was a question of whether a computer should be purchased for a student with the scholarship money or not. The Career Center will distribute the money any way we would like it done. Students will be selected by a "need & ability" process decided by the Center. Students will submit a document telling why they think they would deserve a scholarship. Center will make decision. John will check into it further. Discussion on sponsors working in conjunction with our club for more scholarships.

OLD BUSINESS: Functional teams. Shalimar Maynard volunteered to do pre-registration & Diana Kuempel volunteered to do registration. We still need someone for concessions and goodie bags. Dave will touch on the functional teams in his President's letter. Discussion of car shows.

Gary Wyma made a motion to adjourn the meeting. Motion seconded and passed. Meeting adjourned at 8:28 p.m.

Capital City Corvette Club

2006 Participation Points Standings

Through February 11

Carol Armstrong	3	Mark Hansen	6	Carol Putmon	5
Don Armstrong	2	Nancy Hansen	2	Randy Putmon	4
Ed Armstrong	0	Cindy Hanses	1	Gloria Reiffer	4
Evelyn Aronson	0	Phil Hanses	1	Simon Reiffer	4
Pat Bailey	1	Janet Hardin	3	Robert Ribar	3
Roy Bailey	1	Joy Hardman	1	Norman Saari	1
Adele Bancroft	0	Brad Hutton	2	Brenda Sage	0
Kurt Bancroft	0	Carrie Hutton	3	Steve Sage	0
Don Baron	0	Craig Iansiti	3	Kurt Schwamberger	1
Marie Barrett	1	Jackie Jackson	0	Sharon Schwamberger	3
John Bechtel *	2	Wayne Jackson	0	Brenda Shatkosky	1
Sandy Bechtel	2	Don Johnston	6	Richard Shatkosky	1
Pam Bohnett	0	Janet Johnston	8	Janyce Shepler	0
Colleen Bratschi	3	Tom Kania	0	John Shepler	0
Rich Bratschi	3	Jeremy Kapalla	1	Lyn Shoal	0
Connie Britz	1		0	James Simmons	3
Mike Britz	1	Greg Kapp	3	Vicki Simmons	0
David Brown	1	Linda Kinney	0	Loretta Spinrad	0
Diana Brown	1	Angela Kranz	5	Steve Spinrad	0
Chris Burke	1	Jerry Kranz	1	Dan Stremmer	0
Terry Burke	1	David Kuempel	6	Nancy Stremmer	0
Mike Busch	0	Diana Kuempel	6	Kathy Stump	3
Pam Candy	0	Margaret Lewis	0	Thomas Stump	3
Pat Carmickle	0	Mark Lewis	0	Gordon Terwilliger	3
Sheri Carmickle	0	Ellie Lickfeldt	0	Margaret Terwilliger	5
Kathy Cooper	3	Patrick Lickfeldt	0	Joseph Thomas	1
Ron Cooper	3	Bob Loucks	0	Gayle Thompson	0
Dave Cripe	3	Bob Maynard *	0	Pam Thompson	1
Pat Cripe	0	Bob Maynard	5	Jan Wasco	0
Ken David	0	Shalimar Maynard	3	Ken Wasco	0
Kim David	0	Lisa McDonald	0	Lee Webster	0
Darwin Day	4	Steve McDonald	2	Cyndy Wetzel	0
Sheila Day	2	Jeff McQuade *	4	Tammy White	0
Kellie Dean	0	Kenneth Melaragni	0	Larry Wight	1
Marilyn Dean	0	Ron Melaragni	0	Gary Wyma	6
Charlie DeYoung	0	Dawn Mitzel	2	Kathy Wyma	4
Patti DeYoung	0	Jeffrey Mitzel	3		0
Trini Dixon	2	Barb Musselman	0		0
Art Doty	3	Stephen Musselman	0		0
Nancy Doty	3	George Nelson	0		0
John Doyle	0	Bill Nezamis	3		0
Alex Earnshaw	0	Florence Nezamis	1		0
Mindi Earnshaw	0	Bob Nowlin	0		0
Jennifer Everhart	0	Diana Parks	2		0
Terry Feichtenbinder	0	Howard Parks	4		0
Kady Gisse	0	Steve Pavlik	0		0
Randy Gisse	0	Joe Platte	0		0
Bill Griffith	0	Pam Platte	1		0
Mel Hahn	0	Laurie Pulido	1		0
Barb Hall	0	Raymond Pulido	1		0

TOP Ten Participation Points

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CCCC Calendar As You Go (Tentative)

March 2006

- 1 CCCC General Membership Meeting ***
- 3 CCCC Meet for Ice Cream ***
- 15 CCCC Board Meeting ***
- 25 MI Regional Awards Banquet -Celia's Chesaning, MI 6pm-?**

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- TBD High Speed Events (8) (MI-TBD)**
Gingerman Raceway MAG
- TBD High Speed Events (4) (MI-TBD)**

April 2006

- 2 Low Speed Driving School (NS-02)**
Warren, MI CC Michigan
- 5 CCCC General Membership Meeting ***
- 8 CCCC Drive & Dine ***
- 9 Low Speed Event (NS-03)**
Hamtramck, MI CC Michigan
- 19 CCCC Board Meeting ***
- 22 Low speed driver's school (NS-01)**
Location TBD -CC Battle Creek
- 23 Rallye (NS-01) Milford, MI CC MI**
- 29 Vermontville Parade Drive & Dine ***

May 2006

- 2 Regional Meeting-LaSeniorita**
Lansing 7:00 pm
- 3 CCCC General Membership Meeting***
- 5-6 Governor's Meeting St.Louis, MO**
- 11-14 Corvette Museum Get-A-Way**
Bowling Green, Ky. CCCC *
- 13 CCCC At Home--Drive & Dine ***
- 13 People's Choice Car Show (MI-023)**
- 13 Rallye (MI-024) Owosso, MI**
Shiawassee CC
- 13 Bracket Drags (NS-05) Milan, MI**
CC Michigan
- 14 Mother's Day**
- 14 People's Choice (MI-002) Muskegon**
Royal CSW Michigan
- 17 CCCC Board Meeting ***

- 20 CCCC Blessing of the Vettes Car Show (MI-009) Culver's Ice Cream-Okemos***

- 21 People's Choice Show (MI-TBD)**
Hastings,MI Battle Creek CC
- 21 Low Speed (NS-06) Hamtramck**
CC Michigan
- 21 CCCC--After Car Show - BBQ ***
- 29 Memorial Day Parade, Marshall, MI**

June 2006

- 3 People's Choice (MI-016) Flint CC**
Flint
- 7 CCCC General Membership Meeting**
- 10 CCCC Progressive Dinner***
- 10 Rallye (MI-TBD) Grand Valley CC**
Grand Rapids
- 10 Low Speed Events (MI-TBD)**
Grand Valley CC
- 11 Low Speed (5) (MI-TBD) Battle Ck**
Kalamazoo CC
- 11 Matching Times Events (2) (MI-TBD)**
Battle Creek - Kalamazoo CC
- 17 CCCC PresKool Corvettes Car Show**
(MI-010) Okemos-PresKool *
- 18 Father's Day**
- 18 Low Speed Event- (MI-030) CCM**
Hamtramck
- 21 CCCC Board Meeting ***

July 2006

- 4 Low Speed Event (NS-07)**
Waterford - CC Michigan
- 5 CCCC General Membership Meeting ***
- 8 All Chevy Car Show - PresKool**
Okemos CCCC * (NS)
- 8 Low Speed Events (5) (MI-017**
MI-018, MI-019, MI-020, MI-021)
Flint - Flint CC
- 9 Low Speed Events (5) Owosso**
(MI-025, MI-026, MI-027, MI-028,
MI-029) Shiawassee CC

- 14 Lugnuts Game - TBD CCCC*?
- 15 Low Speed Events - Spartan
Speedway (5)-(MI-011,
MI-012, MI-013, MI-014,
MI-015) CCCC *
- 16 Low Speed Events (5) -
(MI-TBD) Jackson, JCC
- 19 CCCC Board Meeting *
- 23 Low Speed Event (MI-031)
Hamtramck, CC Michigan
- 29 MIS - JCC
- 30 MIS -JCC
- 30 Coast Guard Festival/Car Show
Grand Haven

1 Regional Meeting-LaSeniorita-Lansing
2 CCCC General Membership Meeting*
5-11 NCCC Convention-Orlando-FL
16 CCCC Board Meeting*
TBD-TBD (MI-001) America's CC
20 Low Speed Events (3) (MI-003,
MI-004, MI-005) Muskegon
Royal CSW Mich.
24-27 Corvette Crossroads Weekend
Mackinaw City - CCCC *

- 3 Low Speed Events (MI-TBD)
Jackson Speedway
- 4 Labor Day
- 5 Regional Meeting-LaSeniorita-Lansing
- 6 **CCCC General Membership Meeting***
- 8-9 Governor's Meeting St. Louis,MO
- 10 Low Speed (NS-09) Hamtramck
CC Michigan
- 14 Bracket Drags (NS-10) Milan
CC Michigan
- 17 People's Choice (NS) **CCCC ***
Horsepower at the Zoo Lansing
- 20 **CCCC Board Meeting ***
- 24 Low Speed Events-CCM
- 30 Backyard BBQ/Bon Fire **CCCC***

- 1 Rallye Events (MI-TBD) Kalamazoo CC
- 4 CCCC General Membership Meeting *
- 7 Rallye (MI-032, MI-033, MI-034
MI-035, MI-036) Milford CC Michigan
- 14 Rallye Event (MI-022) Flint - FCC
- 14-15 High Speed Events (8)(MI-TBD)
Gratten Raceway MAG
- 15 Rallye Events (5) (MI-TBD) CCM
- 18 CCCC Board Meeting *
- 21 CCCC Color Tour *
- 21 Rallye Events (4) Lansing
(MI-TBD) Great Lakes CC
- 22 Rallye Events (3) (MI-007,
MI-007, MI-008) Royal CSW
Muskegon
- 22 Low Speed Events (NS-11)
Hamtramck CC Michigan
- 28 Low Speed Event (NS-12)
Hamtramck CC Michigan
- 31 Halloween

TBD-Bingo at Tammarack Apts.CCCC *

1 CCCC General Membership Meet.*

5 Rallye (NS-13) Northville CC Michigan

7 Regional Meeting-LaSeniorita Lansing

11-12 Governor's Meeting St. Louis, MO

15 CCCC Board Meeting *

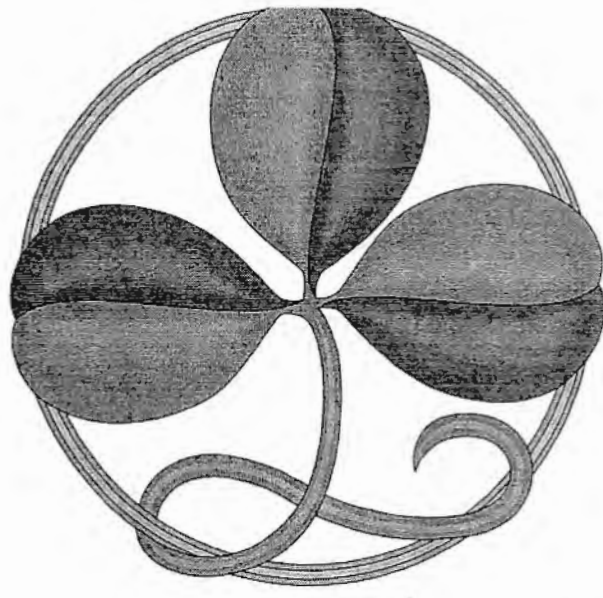
25 Thanksgiving Day

Meeting/Christmas Party ?

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 ** Voting for 2006 Membership
 Director takes place at this March
 General Membership meeting.
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March 2006

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
			1 General Membership Meeting 7:00	2	3	4 <i>Happy Birthday</i> Joe Thomas
5 <i>Happy Birthday</i> Ruth Bratschi Pat Cripe	6	7	8	9	10	11
12	13 <i>Happy Birthday</i> Bob Maynard	14	15 Board Meeting 7:00 <i>Happy Birthday</i> Pat Bailey	16	17 St. Patrick's Day <i>Happy Birthday</i> Pat Carmickle	18 <i>Happy Birthday</i> Bob Ribar
19	20 <i>Happy Birthday</i> Mike Buach Janet Hardin	21 Regional Meeting LaSensorta-Lansing	22	23	24 <i>Happy Birthday</i> Sandy Bechtel	25 Regional Awards Banquet-Chesaning
26	27 <i>Happy Birthday</i> Roy Bailey	28	29	30	31 <i>Happy Birthday</i> Kurt Bancroft	



Social Events

I noticed the other day coming home from work that it was still daylight out. It seems nice to be coming home from work and it's not dark outside. Spring is around the corner. I'm sure all of you are looking at your wish books-Mid America, Ecklers, Corvette Central, etc...thinking of what to add to your cars next.

February 11th Drive & Dine was hosted by the Johnstons. We had over 35 folks come out to LaSenorita's. Bill and Florence Nezamis went to the early movie at Eastwood, drove back to the Flying J to meet us, then went back to Eastwood for dinner. They missed us, but everyone had a great time.

March 3rd we are going to meet for ice cream at the Cold Stone Creamery on Saginaw near Meijer, before Target. It is in a strip mall there. They make their own ice cream and mix all the different flavors right in front of you on a 16 degree marble stone. Should be really neat to see. We will meet there at 7:30 pm on Friday night.

March 25th is the Region Banquet. We have some of our members getting recognition. April 8th is the Turkeyville Dinner/Theater. I will need your checks by March 27th. I have to send in one check for all who are attending. Details are in this newsletter.

April 29th is the Vermontville Maple Syrup Festival & Parade. Details in a flyer also. Looking to May 11-14, Jeff McQuade is planing a Weekend Get-a-Way to the Corvette Museum in Bowling Green, Ky. Jeff has details in the flyer, mark your calendar if you plan on attending. Sounds like he has a great weekend planned for everyone interested.

Spring is coming, keep your fingers crossed! Looking forward to another busy summer with all you wonderful folks, and all the new baby pups. Carrie Hutton and Gary have a new little one named Pepper. (I hear he looks like Toto).

Happy St. Patricks Day
Janet

Michigan Region Awards Banquet

March 25, 2006

Social Hour 6 p.m.; Cash Bar

Dinner 7 p.m.

Awards 8 p.m.



Celia's Banquet Center
12950 W. Brady Rd., Chesaning
Corner of M 57 and M 52



Menu: Baked chicken, ham, meatballs, salad bar, potatoes, gravy,
baked beans, vegetable, desserts, coffee, tea or soft drink



Cost: \$25 per person



Rooms: Brass Bell Inn
12898 W. Brady Rd., Chesaning
Corner of M 57 and M 52

Call (989) 845-2333 to make reservation

Rates: \$55 plus tax -- one person

\$60 plus tax -- two people

www.brassbellinn.com

Mail registration form and check made out to Shiawassee
Corvette Club or SCC to: Jackie Leone, 504 E. Cronk Rd.,
Owosso, MI 48867 by March 10, 2006. For more information, call
989-723-5955.



NAME(S) _____

CLUB REPRESENTING _____



Let's Go for Ice Cream

Date: MARCH 3 - FRIDAY NIGHT

TIME : 7:00

PLACE : COLD STONE CREAMERY

NEW ON SAGINAW NEAR MEIJERS

*JUST A LITTLE TIME OUT FOR THOSE WHO WANT TO
HAVE A SWEET TREAT.*

SEE YOU THERE...

JANET

Please submit your ballot by 7:00 p.m. , March 1. Vote for one individual only, for Membership Director

Membership Director:

☐ Colleen Bratshci

☐ Joy Hardman

**Turkeyville
Dinner Theatre
April 8th, 2006**

***THE PLAY:
"RUN FOR YOUR WIFE"
COMEDY SHOW***

**Cost: \$32.00 Per Person
(This includes a Full Meal & Play)**

**This will be like spring fever to drive.
Hopefully the weather will be nice. Otherwise
we will bring our metal cars.**

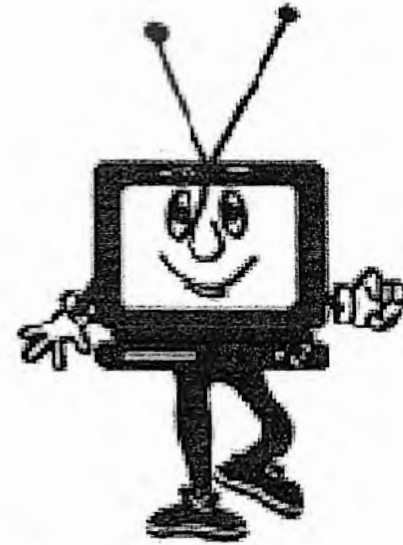
**R.S.V.P by March 27th
Our tickets need to be paid for by April 4th**

**Make checks payable to:
Capital City Corvette Club**

**Janet Johnston 517-647-2403 or
djohnston@cablespeed.com
Caravan from the Quality Dairy on Saginaw
Hwy. Leaving at 4:00pm Dinner is at
5:30/Curtain Time is 8:00**

WKAR Auction Time!

Working at the WKAR Auction has become a tradition for members of Capital City Corvette Club. Continuing our tradition, we will man the phone bank - and various other jobs - from 5:30-9:00 p.m. on Friday, April 28.



ALL volunteers need to arrive at the WKAR studios by 5:30 for training. This goes for the old pros too! They want everyone to report for training.

The positions we have committed to include:

- ▶ 15 (or more) phone bank volunteers
- ▶ 2 isle captains
- ▶ 4 staging
- ▶ 2 bid sorters

A meal will be available at \$4.00 per person during our shift so you can come straight from work that day. After the Auction, we will go out for snacks and/or dessert.

The WKAR studios are located in the Communication Arts Building on the southeast corner of Wilson and Red Cedar Roads. Parking is free in the ramp behind the studios.

Contact Simon or Gloria Reiffer at 517.646.2180 if you want to sign up in advance. A sign-up sheet will also be available at the March general membership meeting.

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Be sure to wear your blue club T-shirt. They look great on camera!

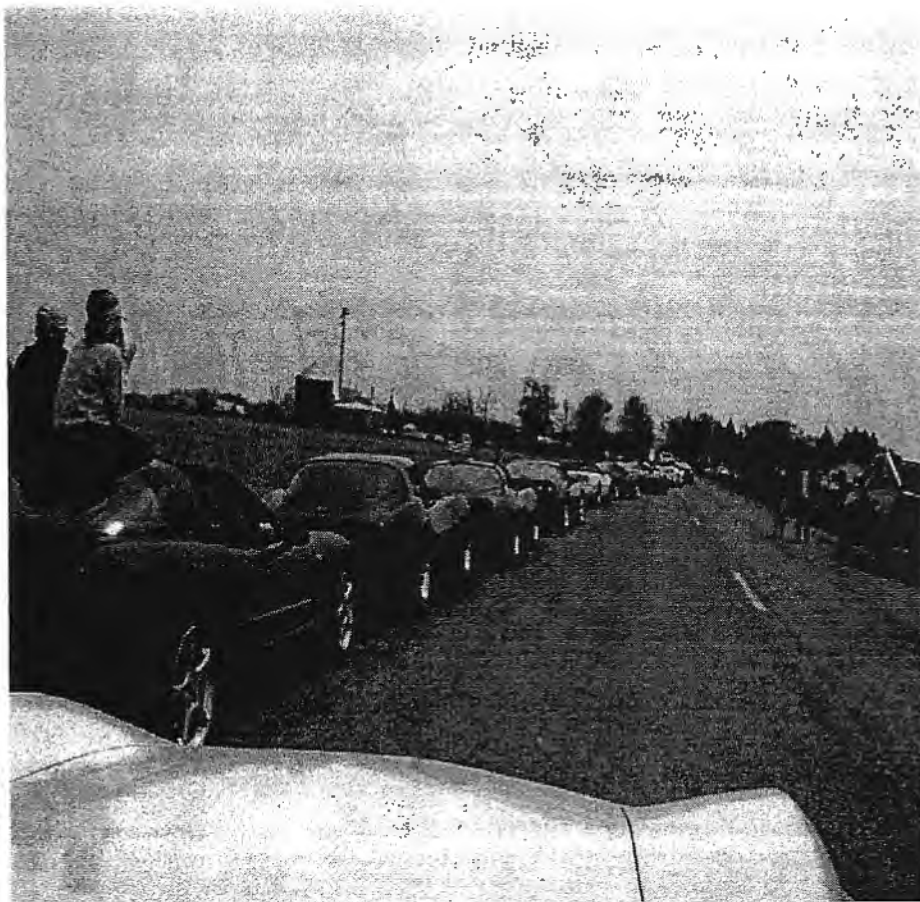
Vermontville Maple Syrup Festival Parade

APRIL 29, 2006

Capital City Corvette Club

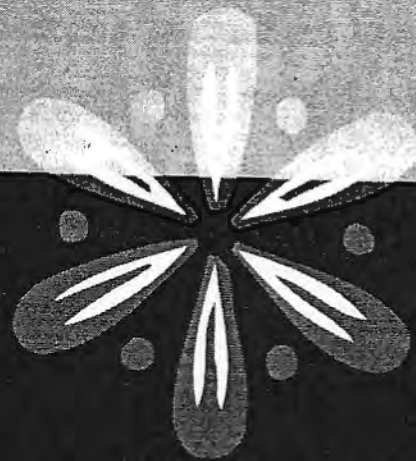
Join us for what has become an annual event for the club as we travel to Vermontville for their annual Maple Syrup Festival. The parade will start at 2:00P.M. and we **MUST** be in line by 12:00P.M. Parade line up is on North Ionia Rd. between Vermontville and Gresham Hwy. This is an excellent opportunity to showcase our club to thousands of people who will be in attendance at this event.

Contact
The Kuempel's at:
517-852-1837.
Email:
president@cccorvette.org



THE KUEMPEL'S 517-852-1837

DATE: APRIL 29, 2006



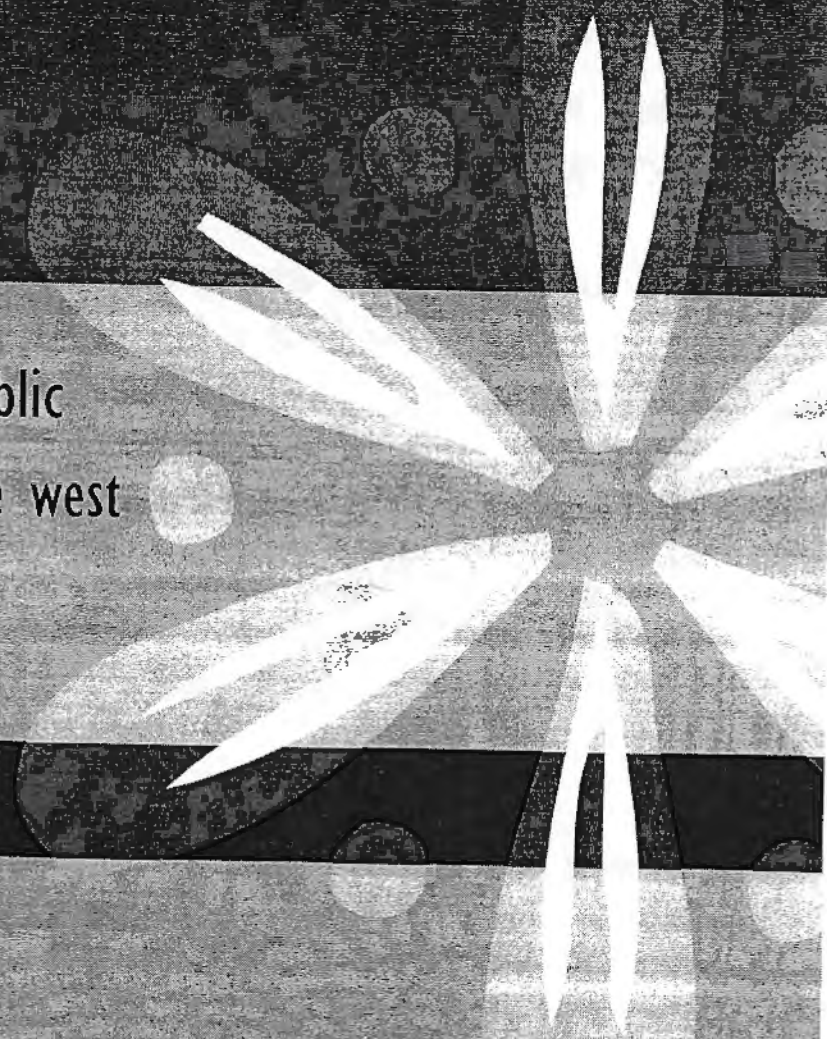
DRIVE'N DINE



Please join us for a Drive'n Dine to our favorite restaurant immediately following the Vermontville Maple Syrup Festival Parade.

We will meet in Nashville in the public parking lot behind the stores on the west side of Main St.

TIME: APPROXIMATELY 3:30P.M.



Capital City Corvette Club

**Spring Get-A-Way
TO
Bowling Green , Kentucky**

When: May 11 – 14 , 2006



We'll be staying at the Country Hearth Inn , across from the Museum.

You'll need to contact the hotel at (270) 783-4443 and mention Capital City Corvette Club to reserve your room. Rates are : 1 – Queen \$48.88 , 2 Queens \$57.80 , King w/Jacuzzi \$76.00, tax is not included in this price.

We'll leave the Lansing area on Thursday Morning— TBA ; Lunch Stop ; Arrival ; and Museum?
Friday Morning— Breakfast and private Plant Tour is scheduled for 11:15 w/photos in front of the Plant. Then we will have Lunch and follow that with the Museum Visit. And more Photos at the Museum.

The Afternoon will be yours to visit Area Attractions..

Friday Evening— We'll be having a BBQ at the Museum Directors B&B.(Cost — TBD)

Saturday— Breakfast, then the Road Tour begins. Lunch stop. Sight seeing and ending with Supper.

Sunday Morning— Breakfast, another trip to Museum if you want ,and the Drive home.

Plant Tour cost: \$5.00 per person , GM Employees or Retirees/Family are FREE
Museum Cost will be : \$8.00 and \$3.00 for Museum Members. (this includes a Badge w/lanyard and unlimited Museum Visits.)



Capital City Corvette Club night!

Friday, July 14, 2006 - 7:05 pm

Lansing Lugnuts vs. Fort Wayne Wizards

go nuts together!

Sit together in a block of box or reserved seats held especially for the Capital City Corvette Club!

tickets...autographs!

Just \$9.00 each for box seats, and \$8.00 each for reserved seats. Free player autographs before the game (6:15-6:45 p.m.)!

win a prize!

You might be the winner! Someone from our club will win a great Lugnuts gift in the group raffle!

For more information,
contact Jeff McQuade
at (517) 541-1951

space is limited!
reserve your
tickets today!

recognition!

A chance for our club to be recognized on the scoreboard and over the P.A. by the community at Olds Park!

laFCU fireworks!

Come out and see the crowd-pleasing L.A.F.C.U. fireworks directly following the game!

limited seating!

Our group has a limited supply of tickets... the whole club is going nuts.



where everyone gets to play!

ticket order form

Order deadline: June 7, 2006

name: _____

address: _____

phone: _____

number of tickets: _____ @ \$9.00 = _____

number of tickets: _____ @ \$8.00 = _____

please return order forms with payment to: Jeff McQuade

make checks payable to: Capital City Corvette Club

hurry!...the last day to order is June 7th!





Capital City Corvette Club

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Low Speed Training – April 22

For those interested in participating in a non-sanctioned (and fun) low speed training, the Michigan Region is planning to hold a session in the Marshall area, on April 22. We expect only about 4 or 5 clubs to participate, including CCCC which has been active on the planning committee.

Here is what you need to know:

1. This training is for new drivers with no experience or who have not completed more than 6 speed events in the last two years (i.e., novice drivers only).
2. The training will be held in a parking lot, using orange cones to mark the course which basically means that even your fastest speed will be less than 25-30 mph.
3. Entry fees will be \$40.00 per person for pre-registration, and \$50.00 per person the day of the event.
4. The training is limited to the first 25 drivers, with no more than 5 to 6 drivers per instructor.
5. Each club is expected to provide at least 5 workers who are not planning to participate in the training.
6. This is tentatively planned to be an all day event (likely 9am to 4pm or so) with training and driving in both the morning and afternoon.
7. Watch the CCCC website calendar for details, flyer, and registration form.

This training will include a chance to ride with an instructor while being coached on all aspects of low speed driving. As a trainee, you will then drive on the course alone under the observation of the instructor, with feedback provided after your run. An electric timer will be used so that you will be able to see your progress.

This should be a lot of fun as well as a perfect opportunity for those who are interested in trying a low speed event. If you have questions about this training, or just need some encouragement, contact Mark Hansen at (517) 627-3866 or Kurt Schwamberger at (231) 972-7880.

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Occasionally Club Members Classified Ads will appear in the newsletter, like this:

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