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# The Connection

The Newsletter of Capital City Corvette Club

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## Let's Cruise!

### August Activities

#### Triple Play event

August 1 • Meet at 3:30 PM • Ingham County Medical Care Facility  
3860 Dobie Road • Okemos

#### General Membership Meeting

August 6 • Social/Dinner - 5:45 pm • Meeting - 7:00 pm  
Delhi Café • 4625 Willoughby Road • Holt

#### Picnic & Party

August 9 • 1:00 to 5:00 PM • Rayner Park  
622 East Ash • Mason

#### Board Meeting

August 20 • Dinner - 5:30 pm • Meeting - 6:30 pm  
Delhi Café • 4625 Willoughby Road • Holt

#### Summer Get Away in Mackinaw

August 21 - 24 • Corvette Crossroads Car Show August 23  
Mackinaw, MI

*Please check the CCCC Web Site for additional information.*

*Contact Janet Litrenta if you would like to organize a social event.*

### August Birthdays

*Please accept my apology if your birthday was missed.*

Laurie Nelson	Aug-06	Howard Hein	Aug-22
Harold Twining	Aug-06	Cindy Hollenbeck	Aug-14
Ted Lasher	Aug-13	Howard Blackwood	Aug-28
Frances Sowders	Aug-20	Laurie Nelson	Aug-06
Dominique Palacio	Aug-21		

Please submit newsletter articles to 4c . editor @ cccorvette . org by the 24<sup>th</sup> of each month.



# August 1<sup>st</sup> - It's a Triple Play

## 1<sup>st</sup> Base

3:30 – 4:30

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### Ingham County Medical Care Facility

3860 Dobie Road, Okemos

*We've been invited to cruise out to the ICMCF and show our classic rides to the residents in an effort to rekindle fond memories of years gone by. We will stay about 45 minutes to an hour.*

## 2<sup>nd</sup> Base

5:00 – 8:00

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### Corvette Night at Tripper's

350 Frandor Ave, Lansing

*Park out back by the patio. Tripper's will have a one man band to entertain us beginning at 6:00. [www.tripperslansing.com](http://www.tripperslansing.com)*

## 3<sup>rd</sup> Base

8:00

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### Spagnuolo's for Ice Cream!

16800 Chandler Road, East Lansing

*After we leave Tripper's we will cruise over to Spagnuolo's for ice cream and gourmet chocolates. [www.spagnuoloschocolates.com](http://www.spagnuoloschocolates.com)*

**And then make a run for home!**



**Join us for one, two or all three of these stops on Friday, August 1, 2014.**

*Timing is loosey-goosey. Contact Sandy Bechtel or Gloria Reiffer if you have questions.*

**RSVP**

**Gloria at [mrsnomis1 @ att.net](mailto:mrsnomis1@att.net)**

## From Our President

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It's August – can you believe it! Based on all the smiling faces I see, we're having great fun this summer with our Corvettes. There have been car shows, rallies, breakfasts, cruise-ins, drive & dines, and our Spartan Speedway low-speed event. And, the fun isn't over! We start off this month with a picnic and party to send Julie & Ted Lasher off to their new home in Arkansas. After that, it's time to head up north to Mackinaw City for Corvette Crossroads. We'll top off the month with the hospice car show.

Really, why do all of this? Sure, we like driving our Corvettes whenever we can. (In Michigan, we do have to cram a lot of driving into a few months.) But, it's more than that. It's the people we meet – no, it's the friends we make along the way. We can never have enough of them.

Whether they're from the Jackson, Irish Hills, Battle Creek, Calhoun County clubs, or beyond, I don't think you can meet nicer people than Corvette people. Within our own club – well, I hardly know where to begin. We just flat out really care about each other. We travel together to the museum in Kentucky, the Black Hills of South Dakota, the Tail of the Dragon in Tennessee, or the NCCC national conventions in, well, all over the country. Just name it, we've made friends at every gathering. Finally, let's not forget the Muscle Car Club – metal cars aside, it's wonderful to join them in support of hospice.

Friends – we laugh together, work together, sometimes cry together – the point is, we support each other's causes and have fun along the way. All of this started because of the Corvette, "America's Sports Car". How cool is that!

Save the wave,

*Sandy Bechtel*

## News for Members

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### ***Editor's Notes:***

The Z06 ratings were updated in the July 7<sup>th</sup> issue of *Autoweek*. Now spec'd at 650 HP and 650 lb/ft torque by the Society of Automotive Engineers. The 6.2 liter supercharged LT4 has more torque than the Ferrari F12 Berlinetta, Porsche 911 Turbo S and the McLaren 650S. Now that's some tough company!

For all you C7 owners and future owners, the latest Eckler's catalog features 18 pages of items for the C7. Happy browsing.

The September issue of *Corvette Magazine* features an article on the Callaway B2K 25<sup>th</sup> anniversary Grand Sport and the 1968 L88 corvette. For more info on the L88 check out the Tech Tips page.

### ***Our CCCC Sponsor:***

Bud Kouts Chevrolet is the official sponsor of Capital City Corvette Club and is one of the area's finest Chevrolet dealers.

Please join in welcoming the Feldman Automotive Group the new majority share owners of Bud Kouts Chevrolet.



[www.budkoutschevy.com](http://www.budkoutschevy.com)



**Bloomington Gold 2014 Cruise**  
(Photo provided by our Webmaster)

# PICNIC & PARTY

You are invited to a  
Picnic/Going-Away Party for *Ted and Julie Lasher*

**Saturday, August 9<sup>th</sup>**

1:00 PM – 5:00 PM

**Rayner Park**

622 East Ash

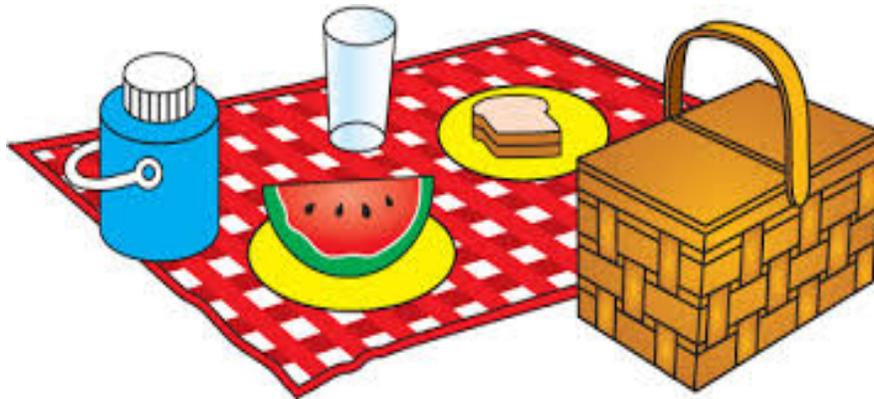
Mason , Michigan

Bring a dish to pass and your favorite non-alcoholic beverage.

Burgers and hotdogs will be provided.

Be prepared to have fun.

There will be a pavilion, so party is rain or shine.



Contact Janet or Craig Iansiti  
517-282-3342 or 282-0940  
or sign up at club meetings

## Vette News

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### 2015 Corvette Stingray Gets New Atlantic & Pacific Design Packages (GM news release)

Now, those who want their Corvette to look as good as it runs will have a new pair of design packages to choose from: Atlantic and Pacific. So what makes each package so coastal? Nothing, particularly--there are no surfboards involved. Instead, the bi-coastal naming system reflects the separation between the two themes.

Introduced last fall at SEMA as concepts, the Stingray Atlantic convertible and Pacific coupe have inspired the appearance and feature packages that bear the same names. The Atlantic design package is luxury-focused, aiming to bring a new grade of style to the Stingray and push it more toward the grand touring end of the car's spectrum. Some of the upgrades include a Z06-style splitter, unique Chrome Torque wheels, custom luggage, and subtle interior and exterior trim.



The Pacific design package goes for track-themed looks, with satin black racing stripes, satin black Z51 wheels, carbon fiber ground effects and roof, red brake calipers, Competition Sport Seats, and carbon fiber interior trim among other tweaks.

The 2015 Chevrolet Corvette Stingray Atlantic and Pacific design packages will go on sale later this year alongside the full 2015 Stingray range.

### **Hosting an Event:**

Have you ever thought you might like to host or chair an event but weren't sure what it would take? Questions like, how do I put a flyer together, who do I call, what do I have to set up and with whom.

Well we've got you covered. If you're interested or just curious about what's involved here are some contacts for you.

If it's a social event (drive and dine, breakfast, etc.) just contact our social director Janet Litrenta and she can provide the details and put you in touch with someone who can assist you. If it's a competition event (rally, drag race, etc.) just contact our competition director Mike Sprague and he can provide the details and put you in touch with someone who can assist you.

And if it's an event that was done the previous year, you can contact the host of that event for the how two's. For instance Sandy Bechtel our president hosted HP at the Zoo last year. She has a binder with all the details that she can pass along to the next host.

Need assistance with a flyer? We have some great resources. Scott Bauries, a former newsletter editor can help. He's a busy guy, so if he isn't available, Gloria our webmaster can assist. She also has contact information for Scott.

It's as simple as that. We are always looking for folks to host or chair an event, so take the plunge; it can be a fun and a rewarding experience.



MILLER LITE  
LONG NECKS  
ALL DAY \$2

COORS LIGHT  
ALL DAY \$2

JOIN US ON OUR  
PATIO FRIDAY  
AUGUST 1ST

CAPITAL CITY  
CORVETTE CLUB  
AUTOS ON DISPLAY  
5PM-8PM

ENJOY THE  
MUSIC OF TERRY  
STEVENSON  
5PM -10PM

# Corvette Crossroads ~ August 21 – 24, 2014

## Summer Getaway to Mackinaw City



There will be lots of socializing including eating, daily ice cream runs and our bonfires on the beach at night.

With all of the Corvettes arriving, downtown Mackinaw City is the place to be on Friday night. The Pancake Chef has a nice buffet dinner and can accommodate our large group so we usually enjoy dinner there on Friday. Robert Ribar is organizing a drive and dine for Saturday evening.

### Caravan Details

Caravan details will be highlighted soon.

### Lodging Details

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#### Beachcomber Motel

1011 S Huron Ave. (US 23)  
Mackinaw City, MI 49701

1.800.968.1383 (Laurie)

#### Mackinaw City Lakefront Motels

Includes: Sunrise Beach, Northwinds,  
Bells' Melody, Bridgeview, Starlite  
Budget Inn & Capri Motels

1.800.334.7280 (Sue)

#### Waterfront Inn

1009 S Huron Ave. (US 23)  
Mackinaw City, MI 49701

1.866.330.6266

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This year the Beachcomber Motel and Mackinaw City Lakefront Motel properties are eager to provide accommodations for our club during this event. Laurie (Beachcomber) and Sue (Mackinaw City Lakefront) have offered competitive rates that are in line with previous years, be sure to ask for them when making reservations and tell them you are with Capital City Corvette Club, Lansing. The Beachcomber Motel allows pets. If you did not receive the email containing the room rates for these properties, please email Chris at [Prz922@aol.com](mailto:Prz922@aol.com) and she will forward the information to you.

Contact Chris or Tom Wieczorek at 616.551.2460 or 313.590.9795 with any questions about the event. We hope you can join us for this weekend of fun!

Don't forget to register for the Corvette show on Saturday. Registration forms are available at: <http://www.mackinawchamber.com/images/stories/documents/corvetteapp.pdf>

### 25th Annual Corvette Crossroads ~ August 23, 2014

The show takes place on a paved parking lot behind Mackinaw Crossings Mall from 10:00 a.m. to 2 p.m. Saturday, August 23, 2014 with the awards presentation at 3:00 p.m. Cost to enter the show is \$25 if pre-registered by August 1, 2014; \$35 thereafter. Pre-registration packets can be picked up at the Chamber Office at 226 E. Central (next to Scalawags) between 10:00 a.m. – 6 p.m. Friday, or at the show Saturday.

Saturday evening the Corvettes parade through the downtown district and then cross the Mackinac Bridge. Parade participation is free to registered Corvettes; \$5 if taking part in the parade only.

## Activities coming up in 2014

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### Back to the Bricks

The Back to the Bricks week long event in Flint is scheduled for August 12th – August 16th. The Corvette reunion car show is Saturday August 16th

### Dream Cruise

The annual Woodward avenue car cruise is scheduled for Saturday August 16th.

### Corvettes at Carlisle

The 3 day Corvettes at Carlisle NCCC judged car show and swap meet is scheduled for August 22nd – 24th.

### Corvette Caravan

A Corvette Caravan to Bowling Green, KY from all over the United States

When

Leaving Michigan Tuesday August 26, 2014 and arriving in Bowling Green, Kentucky on Wednesday August 27, 2014.

More Information Available at

<http://www.nationalcorvettecaravan.com>

### NCCC Convention

The convention will be on August 25th through August 29th in Savannah, GA. More information at [www.corvettesnccc.org](http://www.corvettesnccc.org)

### Corvette Museum

Labor Day weekend 2014 marks a major milestone in Corvette and Museum history; Corvette, the longest running single marquee, is in its 7th generation and the Museum, a member driven organization, celebrates the 20th Anniversary of the Grand Opening.

### Summer Getaway & Corvette Crossroads

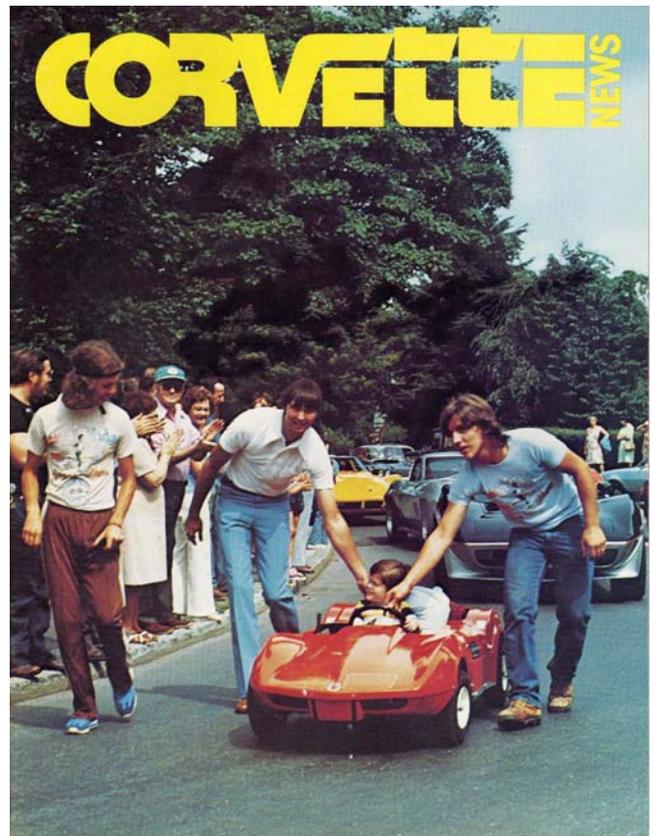
The summer getaway to Mackinaw City, MI and 25<sup>th</sup> annual Corvette Crossroads car show is scheduled for August 22 – 24. The car show is on August 23 from 10:00AM to 2:00 PM.

More information is available at;

<http://www.mackinawcity.com/events/57/50/>



**Crossroads Car Show 2013**



**Corvette News Summer 1978**

### Fun Fest

The 4 day event sponsored by Mid America Motor works and located at their Effingham, IL facility is scheduled for September 18th – 21st. The band Bachman Turner overdrive is featured.



**CAPITAL CITY CORVETTE CLUB**  
**General Membership Meeting Minutes**  
**July 2, 2014**  
**Delhi Café, Holt, MI**  
**DRAFT**

**Social Time and Dining:** 5:00 – 7:00 P.M.

President: Sandy Bechtel called the meeting to order at 7:00 P.M. and welcomed guests **Tina Erskine**, *Blessings In A Backpack* and **Mark Hanlin**, *NCCC, Michigan Region*.

**Tina Erskine** expressed her gratitude for CCCC's *Cruizin for Kids* held in Grand Ledge on May 28, with a total of 95 cars registered. She worked closely with Sandy, Gloria and Dave on the event. *Blessings In A Backpack* started in Grand Ledge in 2012 and is 100% staffed by volunteers. It assures that 270 Grand Ledge area children have nutritional meals over the weekend.

**Tina** reported there are 37,500 homeless children in the State of Michigan. Appreciation was expressed to **Dominique** and **Jerry** for providing the hats which were awarded to winners. After all expenses were paid, CCCC's donation totaled \$2,474.11.

**Secretary: Katherine Twining** thanked Janet Iansiti for recording the May Membership Meeting Minutes and asked for approval.

MOTION was made by **Chuck Miller** and SUPPORTED by **Craig Iansiti**.

MOTION CARRIED.

**Vice President: Simon Reiffer** introduced **Mark Hanlin**, *NCCC Michigan Region Executive*.

As Regional Director, **Mark** gets feedback from the clubs and assists in addressing concerns. He reminded that CCCC is covered by NCCC insurance at all sanctioned events. NCCC is a corporation with a \$350,000+ budget. An electronic version of *Blue Bars* is still under discussion; the project needs to be a sound financial investment. **Mark** commended

CCCC on their excellent website. Location for the 2016 National Convention is still undetermined.

**Treasurer: Mike Britz** reports the club is financially healthy and that all bills are paid. He sent financials to Board Members and had a hard copy at the meeting for review, should anyone desire to look it over.

**Points: Sally Wardell** was not in attendance, but all points are up to date. Should any member have questions about their points, be sure to contact **Sally** via email so she has an email trail.

**Membership: Dave Pursel** reports membership at 108 and FCOA memberships at 48.

**Editor: Jerry Wardell** was not in attendance, but reminder was shared to submit articles for the newsletter to **Jerry** by the 24<sup>th</sup> of the month.

**Competition: Mike Sprague** gave an update on the July 26 and 27 Spartan Speedway events. He suggested checking the regional website for information on regional events. **Mike Britz** will send in the \$1,400 rental fee to Spartan Speedway; this fee covers both days and is partially reimbursed by the Jackson Club. This event is the main fundraiser for CCCC. **Craig Iansiti** is unable to attend the event, but has reserved 50 cones, which need to be picked up either Thursday or Friday. The trailer is ready to go and will also need to be picked up.

**Public Relations: Dave Averill** thanked everyone for the wonderful turnout and all the help with the *Cruizin for Kids* event for *Blessings In A Backpack*.

**Social Director: Janet Litrenta** was absent; **Angela Hyde** updated the members regarding upcoming events. Birthdays were recognized: Kiesha Plaskett, Kathy Wyma, Nancy Lee Buck, Mary Blackwood, Susan Swan, Terry Burke, Jeanne Harris, Ward Harris, and Kathleen Schultz.

**Hearts & Flowers: Angela Hyde** sent cards to Terry Burke, Carlo Litrenta and Kathy Wyma. **Angela** asked everyone to sign a special "going away" card for **Ted** and **Julie Lasher**.

**Historian: Sue Keith** had no report.

**NCM Ambassador: Joe Thomas** was not in attendance.

**Photographer: Milton Scales** is going to get photos for the website to Gloria soon.

**Quartermaster: Craig Iansiti** reported he had new cables installed and marked for ease in set up of the sound system.

**Sergeant at Arms: Bob Ribar** had no report.

**Webmaster: Gloria Reiffer** had no report.

#### **Old Business:**

**Blessing of the Vettes: Bob Maynard** reported 43 cars at the show and 22 participating in the rallies. He read the names of all who worked the show and expressed his thanks. Suggestion was made that the dash cards be marked with C1, C2, etc., for ease in voting as some are not aware of what class cars are in. **Mike Britz** shared that he felt the show and registration went very smoothly. Everyone was in agreement that the games and rallies went well.

MOTION was made by **Mike Britz** and SUPPORTED by **Janet Iansiti** to round up the \$1,371 received to \$1,500 to be donated to the VFW Home for Children. MOTION CARRIED.

#### **New Business:**

**Gloria Reiffer** received an email from **Trippers** requesting a mini car show. Parking will be set aside by the back patio at 5:30 on August 1. In addition, the Ingham County Medical Care Facility (ICMCF) requests classic and new Corvettes for display during August. Discussion followed regarding the Trippers show following the one at the ICMCF.

**Kim Keith** shared info about the July 12 Drive N' Dine stating that everyone would be back to Lansing by 4:00.

**Milton Scales** shared info about the 1979 Corvette stolen in Detroit 33 years ago being returned to its owner.

**Randy and Carol Putmon** will host the annual hayride on Saturday, September 27. The Putmons have graciously hosted this fun event for a number of years. A signup sheet and additional information will be available soon.

**50/50** was won by Larry Wight.

#### **Adjourn:**

MOTION was made by **Mike Britz** and SUPPORTED by **Milton Scales** to adjourn at 8:25 p.m. MOTION CARRIED.

Respectfully submitted,

Katherine Twining  
Secretary

# Capital City Corvette Club Board Meeting Minutes - July 16th 2014

## Those In Attendance:

Sandy Bechtel.....President  
Simon Reiffer.....Governor/VP  
Sally Wardell.....Points  
Jerry Wardell.....Editor  
Mike Sprague.....Competition  
Janet Lintrenta.....Social

## Those not in Attendance:

Katherine Twining.....Secretary  
Mike Britz.....Treasurer  
Dave Pursel.....Membership  
Dave Averill.....Public Relations

**President:** Sandy Bechtel called the CCCC Board Meeting to order at 6:30 p.m.

**Secretary:** Katherine Twining was not in attendance. Angela Hyde filled in. Minutes from the June 18, 2014 CCCC Board Meeting had been approved via email.

**Governor/VP:** Simon Reiffer noted NCCC elections for Secretary, Treasurer and Points are coming up. Trails Committee Nominations are also coming up at the September Regional Meeting

**Treasurer:** Mike Britz not in attendance.

**Points:** Sally Wardell reports all points are up to date.

**Membership:** Dave Pursel was not in attendance.

**Editor:** Jerry Wardell reports nothing new at this time.

**Competition:** Mike Sprague reports everything is on schedule for Spartan Speedway low speed event.

**Public Relations:** Dave Averill was not in attendance.

**Social:** Janet Litrenta is working on a date for Bingo in November at Tamarack Apartments. Janet also working on details for Christmas Party. Details to come later for both Bingo and Christmas Party.

## Appointed Officer Reports:

**Hearts & Flowers:** Angela Hyde sent several cards to members celebrating Anniversaries. Sent sympathy cards to Tim Blackwood and Howard Hein. Sent a get well card to Tom Wieczorek.

**Historian:** Sue Keith was not in attendance.

**NCM Ambassador:** Joe Thomas was not in attendance.

**Photographer:** Milton Scales was not in attendance.

**Quartermaster:** Craig Iansiti was not in attendance.

**Chaplin:** Gary Wyma was not in attendance.

**Webmaster:** Gloria Reiffer was not in attendance. Per Simon, Gloria will send email blast out to membership regarding the Triple Play event the club has coming up.

**Old Business:** Car show ballots must comply with NCCC rules. Sandy Bechtel made new ballots. New window signs for car shows were also made up by Sandy.

**New Business:** Board Nominations will be starting back up again in September. Colleen agreed to do ballots and nominations again this year. Membership renewals coming due also starting in September.

**Member Comment:** No member comments.

## Adjourn:

MOTION was made by Simon Reiffer and SUPPORTED by Janet Litrenta to adjourn at 7:33 p.m. MOTION CARRIED.

Respectfully submitted by Angela Hyde on behalf of Katherine Twining.

# ***9th Annual Backyard BBQ • Hayride Bonfire***



**When:** Saturday, September 27th

**Meeting Time:** 5:00-5:15 p.m.

**Meeting Place:** Clark Corners  
(former DeWitt Outlet Mall)

**Corner of Clark Road and Business 27**

**We will “follow the leader” to Randy & Carol Putmon’s  
home, 4900 West Pratt Road, DeWitt, MI**

**Please bring your own chairs and drinks as well as a dish  
to pass. Randy and Carol will supply the meat for all.**

**Contact Randy & Carol if you need any additional  
information or directions to their home.**

**Randy cell: 281-6421 • Carol cell: 331-4629**

## Horsepower Facts

The famous L88 (1967 to 1969) corvette is rated at 430HP. It was an all out racing engine and only 216 were built in the 3 years produced for corvettes. The nearly as famous L71 was rated at 435HP with 9,374 produced. The more popular L36 (it was cheaper) was rated at 390HP and 27,196 were produced in the 3 years it was offered.



As you horsepower junkies already know, HP is measured in two ways, either engine HP (the rating specified by the manufacture) or wheel HP. An engine dynamometer is used to measure engine HP on an engine that is removed from the vehicle. A chassis dyno is used to measure HP at the output wheels.

Back in the late 1700s, as one story goes, Scottish inventor and entrepreneur James Watt needed a way to explain to London brewery owners why his steam engines were better than the horses they used to grind the mash, and calculated the amount of work one horse could do in a minute. Thus the term "horsepower" was coined. Not only did Mr. Watt sell his steam engines, he introduced a system of measurement that is still in use today. One horsepower equals 33,000 pounds-feet per minute (4,562.41 kilogram-meters), or the energy it takes to move a 330-pound (149 kg) object 100 feet (30.5 m) in one minute.

In 1972 automotive horsepower ratings were changed from gross to net values. Gross rating was a bare engine (no accessories) running optimal timing through headers. Net ratings are what the engine produces when all accessories are in place and the proper exhaust system attached.

In 2005 the SAE standard was implemented for horsepower measuring. SAE standard J2723, eliminated a number of loopholes in the existing methodology and required an independent observer present when the measurements were taken.

## Check your Vettes HP

Want to know what your corvette is producing for horsepower? First, locate a reputable dynamometer operated that has the capability to measure the expected HP of your car. Checking the forums is a good place to start. You may want to visit and watch a test take place. Next, be sure your car is free of maintenance issues that could affect the results. Keep in mind the engine will be rev'd to red line. Finally, attend the testing and plan to spend around \$100.

### 1968 Corvette L71 test results from September 1968 Car Life

SPECIFICATIONS	
Wheelbase, in.....	98.0
Overall length, in.....	182.1
width.....	69.2
height.....	48.6
No. of passengers.....	2
Frame type.....	Ladder, five crossmembers
Front suspension: Independent by s.l.a., coil springs and telescopic shock absorbers.....	
Rear suspension: Independent, lower control arms and fixed length axle shafts, transverse multileaf spring, telescopic shock absorbers, two trailing arms 0.562 in. antiroll bar.....	
Steering: Recirculating ball gear, linkage, boost, power assist, parallelogram linkage behind front wheels.....	
overall ratio.....	17.6:1
turns, lock to lock.....	2.9
turning circle, ft. curb-to-curb.....	39.9
Curb weight.....	3285
Brakes: Ventilated disc, front and rear.....	
Front and rear rotor dia. x width, in.....	11.75 x 1.25
total swept area, sq. in.....	461.2
Tires: (Firestone Super Sport Wide Oval).....	F70-15
Engine: ohv 90° V-8.....	
Bore x stroke, in.....	4.25 x 3.76
Displacement, cu. in.....	427
Compression ratio.....	11.0:1
Rated bhp @ rpm.....	435 @ 5800
Clutch: Single dry disc, diaphragm semi-centrifugal pressure plate.....	
diameter, in.....	11.0
Transmission: four-speed fully synchromesh.....	
Gear ratio 4th (1.00:1).....	3.55:1
3rd (1.27:1).....	4.50:1
2nd (1.84:1).....	5.82:1
1st (2.20:1).....	7.81:1
Lb./bhp (test weight).....	8.3
mph/1000 rpm (high gear).....	21.8
Engine revs/mile (60 mph).....	2755
Piston travel, ft./mile.....	1725
CAR LIFE Wear Index.....	47.5
ROAD TEST RESULTS	
Speedometer reading at 30 mph.....	29.2
Speedometer reading at 60 mph.....	59.0
Top speed (6500).....	142
Acceleration 0-30 mph, sec.....	3.0
0-40 mph.....	4.1
0-50 mph.....	5.3
0-60 mph.....	6.5
0-70 mph.....	7.8
0-80 mph.....	9.3
Standing 1/4 mile, sec.....	13.41
Speed at end, mph.....	109.5
Passing, 30-70 mph, sec.....	4.8
Braking: Maximum deceleration rate ft./sec. <sup>2</sup> .....	26
No. of stops from 80 mph (at 60-sec. intervals) before 20% loss in deceleration rate.....	8-no loss
Control loss: Slight. Overall brake performance.....	very good
Normal cond., mpg.....	9-13

SEPTEMBER 1968 23

Corvette engine RPO spec's and production from 1966 to1969	RPO	CI	HP	Carb	Comp	Hds	Block	1966	1967	1968	1969	total
	L36	427	390	1x4	10.25:1	Iron	Iron	5,116	3,832	7,717	10,531	27,196
	L68	427	400	3x2	10.25:1	Iron	Iron		2,101	1,932	2,072	6,105
	L71	427	435	3x2	11.00:1	Iron	Iron		3,754	2,898	2,722	9,374
	L72	427	425	1x4	11.00:1	Iron	Iron	5,258				5,258
	L88	427	430	1x4	12.50:1	Al	Iron		20	80	116	216
	L89	427	435	3x2	11.00:1	Al	Iron		16	624	390	1,030
	ZL1	427	430	1x4	12.00:1	Al	Al				2	2



# Capital City Corvette Club

## Participation Points for Year 2014



As Of: Friday, July 25, 2014

Member 108

30 David Averill	7 Ursula Averill	Jim Balla	Dana Beaman
Kim Beaman	41 Sandy Bechtel	Mary Blackwood	Tim Blackwood
5 James Boettcher	5 Mara Boettcher	17 Colleen Bratschi	16 Rich Bratschi
9 Connie Britz	36 Mike Britz	7 NancyLee Buck	6 Randy Buck
7 Terry Burke	1 Dana Conley	1 Darrell Conley	2 Fred Cowper
2 Sioux Cowper	5 Dave Cripe	1 Pat Cripe	Darwin Day
Sheila Day	12 Art Doty	12 Nancy Doty	Jennifer A Everhart
Paul Flynn	Janet Gunthorpe	Larry Gunthorpe	15 Jeanne Harris
17 Ward Harris	14 Howard Hein	11 Sheila Hein	Cindy Hollenbeck
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