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First State Corvette Club

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The FSCC Meeting was held Wednesday March 5, 2014 Abbott's Grill in Milford, DE. President Bruce Ballard called the meeting to order at 7:20 pm.

Pledge of Allegiance
Reading and Approval of Minutes.
Motioned by Tyler Bullock, seconded by Jeff Ortiz and approved unanimously.



NEW MEMBERS

Bob & Cindy Horton
Milford, DE
2014 Laguna Blue Coupe

James & Kathy Beird
Lewes, DE
1962 Red Convertible
2014 Lime Rock Green Coupe

Wayne & Michelle Esposito
Milton, DE
2010 Silver Convertible

President: We had a past member visit us – Fred Schatz, joined in 2002 and left in 2005. Fred was our member that could not hear or speak and always had a notebook in his hand. It was nice to see him and his notebook at the meeting. He currently lives in Ohio and belongs to an all Deaf Corvette club.

Bruce wanted to remind members that if they sign up for an activity and **cannot go**, they should call or email the person in charge of the activity. There are many plans that go into an activity, especially an accurate count of those attending. Restaurants and facilities appreciate this.....

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www.firststatecorvetteclub.org

Vice-President: Chatty reported that the Home of the Brave has signed a lease on a property to house 8 female veterans. Our donation to this organization was much needed and helped in getting this home. This organization will be our charity at this year's car show again.

Upcoming meeting places:

Wed. Apr 2 Roma Italian Rest, Dover

Wed. May 7 Grotto Pizza, Dover

Wed. Jun 4 Dover Downs Buffet

Secretary: Always check the website for newest activities and past happenings. And with so many new members, please remember to sign the attendance sheet at all meetings. The check-off goes BEFORE your name.

Treasurer: Submitted by Kathy Olechny

Beginning Balance

Deposits

Withdrawals

Ending Balance

A motion was made by Norm Kiaunis, seconded by Ken Morytko to accept the treasurer's report as read. Passed Unanimously.

Membership: We currently have 174 members.

Corresponding Secretary: no report

Publicity. No report

Parade Chairman: Jeff reported that a signup sheet was out for the Dover St. Patrick's Day Parade on Saturday March 15th. This is a 2pm parade this year. We will meet at the old Delaware State News building at the corner of Webbs Lane and New Burton Road at 11:45 to travel as a group into Spence's Bazaar to lineup. We have reservations at the Green Turtle afterwards for those wanting to go for a late lunch. Bring your decorations....

There are also parades coming up for Dover Days on Sunday May 3rd and don't forget the Dover 4th of July parade. Anyone wanting to carry a veteran this year should contact Jeff – they appreciate being in the parade and riding in a Vette.

Quartermaster – Sandy has a supply of visors and short sleeved t-shirts on the table. If you want a long sleeved t-shirt, she is taking orders.

National Corvette Museum – Check out the museum website for pictures of the recovery effort for the cars in the sink hole. Also on the website are all the raffles for this month – everyone wants a new Vette. www.corvettemuseum.com.

Committee Reports:

Car Show Committee: Chatty and a few other members will be going to the Millsboro Fire Company on Saturday for the All Clubs Breakfast where each club can hand out flyers for the upcoming car show season.

We also need to start selling booklet ads for the Car Show Advertisement Booklet. Forms are available on the FSCC website under NEWS, top of the page. If each member of the club sold only ONE ad, we would have thousands to give to the Home of the Brave this year. Return paperwork of ads sold to Bruce Ballard so he can keep a running list of contributors. Make sure you get their art work for the booklet.

Anyone needing flyers for the FSCC Show in September can either see Chatty or print your own off our website. Under NEWS, you will see the Flyer tag at the top of the page. Spread the news.....

The next car show meeting is Thursday April 17th at 6:30pm at Chatty's office, 612 Mary St. in Dover. Everyone has an idea to share.

Past Events

Sun. Feb 16 – Bowling at the Milford Bowling Lanes. Lori and Keith Koyanagi . The gathering was sparse but we had 6 bowlers, and 4 spectators. Everyone had a great time but you should probably ask how they all felt the next day. There was a lot of moaning and groaning. Afterwards we had lunch at Ruby Tuesdays in Milford and another good time.

Upcoming Events

Sat. Mar 22 – Bus trip to the World Trade Center Memorial. OK, Norm says the trip is coming up really quick. All monies have been paid and the trip is ON.... Shirts have been ordered, they will be picked up on the 10th and between Norm and Bruce, they will be delivered to owners before the trip. Norm will be sending out instructions for the trip this week – but be forewarned, we are meeting at the old Blue Hen Mall in Dover at 6:30am.

Sat. Apr 5 – Breakfast Cooking at Ronald McDonald House in Wilmington – Kathy Messer has talked to the Ronald McDonald House and we are ready to cook. We will meet on Saturday morning at the Smyrna Rest Area, to leave at 7:45am to travel up to Wilmington. The Ronald McDonald House is right next to the DuPont Children’s Hospital, short trip. They doors open at 8:30 and we are usually on the schedule to serve breakfast at 9:30. This year we limited the attendee’s to 16 people due to a request from the House. If anyone signed up and cannot go, let Kathy know since there is a silent waiting list.

Sun. Apr 6th – 1:00pm - Anyone wishing to visit the Rick Berry “Museum”, your chance is here. Rick and Linda have graciously agreed to host any members to a tour of their Corvette garage and toy room upstairs.

Sun. Apr 13th – Mystery Lunch Cruise – Donna and Philomena will be mapping out a cruise to a beachy area – good food and a TEST.. Pay attention on your trip down. We will meet at the Grotto Pizza (change) on Route 1 in Milford at 11am. The signup sheet will be out again at the April meeting. Join us.....

Wed. Apr 17th – Beachcombers Cruise Night at the Burgers-N-Beans Restaurant in Milford. Located at 907 N. DuPont Blvd, it is the shopping center just north of the Milford Bowling Alley, across from the WaWa. 6-8pm. We want to help the Beachcombers with a show from our club. Signup.

April 26th – Saturday – American Legion Family Custom Car & Bike Show. Member Jeff Ortiz is inviting the club to attend the annual car show at the American Legion on Route 13 in Harrington. Show is 9:00am to 3:00pm. \$10 registration fee. We will have a signup sheet at the April meeting.

May 3 – Sat. – Dover Days Parade – signup sheet will be at the April Meeting. We usually have a good showing for this parade.

May 4 – Sun. – Dover Days Car Show – this show is again on Legislative Mall in Dover. Noon to 4pm. \$10 pre-reg and \$15 dos. Registration forms on website – www.doverdaysfestival.com Signup sheet at the April meeting

May 2-3-4 – Apple Blossom Festival near Gettysburg - Bruce and Donna will be taking the group on a 2-night trip to Gettysburg. We will be leaving on Friday morning at 9am, travel to the Watch & Clock Museum in Columbia, PA on the way up, find attractions in and around Gettysburg for Saturday and attend the Car Show at the Apple Blossom Festival. Home on Sunday after lunch. **If you did not sign up – let Bruce or Donna know by the 20th of March. Rooms are set aside and have to be accounted for by the last day of March.**

May 10 – Sat. – Smyrna-Clayton Rotary Car Show – Flyers with information will be at the April Meeting. This show is downtown Smyrna and a great show.

May 17 – Sat. – Adopt-A-Highway roadside cleanup Those helping will meet at the corner of Hazletville Rd and Apple Grove School Rd at 9am. The road is 1 mile long and takes about 1 hour. Afterwards, those wishing will go to Hall's in Wyoming for breakfast. Signup at the April meeting.

May 17 – Sat. – Corvette Cruise-In at the Green Turtle in Dover from 5-8. In the past, we have had fun with Corvette Cruise In at the Chicago Uno Pizza but, alas, it is gone. So Chatty has arranged for us to have space at the new Green Turtle in Dover. Invites will be sent to the other Corvette Clubs in the area to join us for heavy discussions and food.

New Business

New Members

Bob and Cindy Horton of Milford De have a 2014 Laguna Blue Coupe.

James and Kathy Beird of Lewes, DE have a 1962 Red Convertible (which won our car show in 2013), and they also have a 2014 Line Rock Green Coupe.

Wayne and Michelle Esposito of Milton, De have a 2010 Silver Coupe.

A motion was made by Rick Baker, seconded by Jim Jones to accept these new members. Passed unanimously. Welcome to the FUN !!

Jim Murray reported that the National Corvette Museum is expecting it to cost near one million dollars to fix the building. Jim made a motion that the club donate \$500 to the museum for this effort, seconded by Ed Marcelle. Passed with 1 against.

Jackets – Bruce had a jacket on display that will be used as the official club jacket. It was a light weight fabric of Navy Blue with gold trim. The name First State Corvette Club will be screen printed on the back, the club logo on the front and your name, if

wanted. The price of the jacket will be \$43. Norm Kiaunis will be taking orders – we need a minimum order of 16 to start this process. The jackets will be coming through member Pete Thompson's business. If you want a jacket, contact Norm.

Townsend Brothers Chevrolet representative Tom Livinggood joined us for dinner and reported to the club all the new 2014 Corvettes available. On the floor they have a Black with Red interior 3LT with automatic transmission. Coming in soon will be a Black with Red 3LT Convertible and a Lime Rock Green 3LT Z51 listed at \$77,450. And don't forget, club members get 20% discount on parts and work done at Townsend Brothers.

Good of the Organization:

We're all good this month....

Motion made by Art Matchak, seconded by Rick Baker to adjourn the meeting.

*Meeting Adjourned at 8:00 pm
Respectfully Submitted,
Donna Ballard, FSCC Secretary*

No Trivia this meeting

**50/50 Won By
Julie Moran \$99**

Thanks to Jack Powell and Ken Morytko for selling tickets

Peek into the Past



Scavenger Hunt 2010

Darlene and Marianne found so many things they had to wear a few.

March Birthdays

- 1 Bob Edgell
- 2 Lynn Edgell
- 3 Aleta Kane
- 4 Bob Yacono
- 6 Linda Silvaggio
- 11 Linda Cooke
- 12 Billy Vorwald
- 13 Stephanie Litscher
- 14 Jon Lynn
- 15 Patricia Mansour
- 15 Mary Martin
- 22 Kathy Olechny
- 23 Lori Koyanagi
- 24 Mike Kane
- 28 Rick Baker
- 28 John Cullen
- 28 Dave Solloway
- 29 Buster Neeman

Club Anniversaries

March

Bob & Midge Yacono	5 yrs
Mike Gentile	2 yrs
John & Sharon Klos	2 yrs
Jay & Penny Reynolds	2 yrs
Rob & Jen Wright	2 yrs
Joe & Pat Hughes	1 yr

NEXT MEETING

Wednesday April 2, 2014
Roma Italian Restaurant
3 Presidents Drive
Dover, DE

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 Contact Carole Ann Kisner
 302-492-8115

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Sandy Powell (302) 539-2012
Quartermaster
Club Flags are \$13 each
Club Patches are \$3.00 each
Window Clings - \$1.00

Club Embroidery

If you wish to have items embroidered with the First State Corvette Club logo, or purchase a shirt, jacket, etc, contact any location below:

Signature Stitches
29 W. Loockerman
Dover
736-6500

RWM Embroidery
Main St
Smyrna
653-8384

Pete Thompson
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734-4677

For Sale

Fitted C5 Corvette Cover. \$25.00.
Contact Bill Olechny at 302-678-8742 or
kwolechny@aol.com

2010 Corvette Grand Sport, Coupe, Cyber Gray (like new, excellent condition), 6.2 liter, 436 hp, 6 speed automatic paddle shift. Two tone Titanium Gray/Ebony leather interior. Z51 brakes and suspension, 3LT package, navigation, heads up display, memory, Bose system, much too numerous to mention, plus a few extras. Has Mild to Wild exhaust. Mileage 57,074. Selling price \$36,000 (firm) Norm 410-209-0711

Townsend Brothers Chevrolet has a 2008 Corvette 2LT Coupe, Machine Silver Metallic with Ebony Interior and only 6800 miles. Contact Tom Livingood.

tlivingood@townsendchevy.com

Townsend Brothers Chevrolet has a 2007 Corvette 3LT Convertible, Black and only 7000 miles. Contact Tom Livingood.

tlivingood@townsendchevy.com

For Sale

Member Jim Erb has the following item for sale: Side Exhaust Pipes. 327 2.5 inch Aluminized - Loud. They are for a 1963-1967 Corvette. Asking \$650 or BO. In Good Shape. Contact Jim at 1-302-735-4744 or prolabire@aol.com

For Sale

2005 Corvette C6 Coupe, 45k miles, Magnetic Red, 3 LT package includes all convenience options including NAV., No paint work ever Garaged always, Mint Condition, Original window sticker. Carfax. All service records

\$25,000 - Thanks!! Mike Marks
631-681-4400

FOR SALE

1979 Corvette (L-48) Beige w/Doe Skin interior (recent paint & interior) 61K miles, Garage Kept w/cover. Nice C3 era car. 302-674-2324 or kbinde@verizon.net previous FSCC mbr.



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ATTENDANCE:

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- Bruce & Donna Ballard**
- Rick & Linda Berry**
- James Bierd**
- Tyler Bullock**
- Jim Chapman & Cindy Wall**
- Richard & Linda Cooke**
- John Cullen**
- Dan & Sue Dziombak**
- Jim Erb**
- Wayne Esposito**
- Randy Goodlett & Joan**
- John Gula & Chase**
- Don & Sue Hammond**
- Fred Henckel**
- Bob & Cindy Horton**
- Dennis Hummel**
- Darlene Hurley**
- Chuck Hutchings**
- Jim Jones**
- Norm & Cathy Kiaunis**
- John & Sharon Klos**
- Stan & Laura Lavend**
- Ed Marcelle & Sue Lehman**
- Art & Ann Matichak**
- Philomena Meehan & Jeff Ortiz**
- Tom & Lucy Mehl**
- Ken & Kathy Messer**
- Lee & Julie Moran**
- Ken Morytko**
- Bob & Tammy Mounts**
- Jim & Lois Murray**
- Bill & Kathy Olechny**
- Jack & Sandy Powell**
- Chatty Reed**
- Donnie & Dorothy Ringgold**
- Billy & JoAnn Vorwald**
- Rob Wright**
- Guests: Tom Livinggood**
- Fred Schatz**

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