

May 2015



First State Corvette Club

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The FSCC Meeting was held Wednesday May 6, 2015 at Roma Restaurant in Dover, DE. President Bruce Ballard called the meeting to order at 7:30 pm..

Pledge of Allegiance

Reading and Approval of Minutes.

Motioned by Carole Kisner seconded by Jeff Ortiz and approved unanimously.



NEW MEMBER
Milton & Janey Benton
Felton, DE
1987 Black Coupe

Bryan & Melissa Utz
Wyoming, DE
1999 Black FRC

Charles & Charlotte Kosiek
Middletown, DE
2015 Dk Orange Z06 Conv.

President: Bruce was looking for members to create a Picnic Committee. For the past few years, Bruce and Donna have undertaken the task of getting all the foods and drinks for the picnic. They also thought up games and ideas to keep everyone entertained. Bruce is now looking for others to take over this task, add some new ideas to the picnic. If interested, contact Bruce.

Bruce has selected his Nominating Committee for the 2015-2016 Club year. They will be Rick Berry, Pete Thompson and Jim Murray. They are charged to contact members and find out if anyone is interested in running for an elected office. They are also charged to contact existing officers to see if they wish to step down or continue in their office. If you are interested in running for an office, be sure to speak

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up and let the nominating committee know your desires. We have five elected offices: President, Vice-President, Secretary, Treasurer, and Officer at Large who handle membership.

Bruce also asked members planning to attend a car show or event, that did not sign up at a meeting, to let him know in advance so spaces will be saved for you, or the group will not wait for you at a gathering.

Bruce mentioned that most members now have smart phones and wanted to know if anyone would like to be notified of changes, cancellations, etc by text instead of checking the club website. He will be sending out an email about any interest.

Vice-President:

- Wed. Jun 3 Grotto Pizza, Dover**
- Wed. Jul 1 Roma Restaurant, Dover**
- Wed. Aug 5 Grotto Pizza, Dover, Elections**

Secretary: A mention to new members: please remember to check you name off on the attendance sheet at each meeting.....Thanks.

Corresponding Secretary: No report

Treasurer: Submitted by Kathy Olechny

Beginning Balance	
Deposits	
Withdrawals	
Ending Balance	_____

The expenditures this month include our yearly bill for liability insurance and the food for the Ronald MacDonald House breakfast. A motion was made by Cheryl Crognali seconded by Dan Dziombak to accept the treasurer’s report as read. Passed unanimously.

Membership: We currently have 207 members

Publicity: Carole reported that she gave the State News one of our flyers for the 2015 Car Show and they will put it in the paper closer to the September date. They will also put the notice of the Car Show in the Coming Events column closer to the show.

Quartermaster: Sandy reported that she has inventory on hand for new members to check out, and she will be getting in a large supply of short sleeve t-shirts soon.

The changes in the club jackets will be handled by Norm Kiaunis. Currently jackets have the name First State Corvette Club screen printed on the back and Norm is ordering new jackets with the name embroidered from now on. The increase in the jacket prices will be approx. \$15 for the embroidery. The Quartermaster has three (3) of the old style jackets - all three are 2XL-Tall. If interested, see Sandy at the next meeting.

Parade Chairman:

Coming in July will be the 4th of July Parade and mark you calendar's for October when the Caesar Rodney High School as asked for many, many Corvettes for their Homecoming parade again.

National Corvette Museum

www.corvettemuseum.com – Jim reported that the club had their donations to the museum mentioned in the April-May edition of the Museum's magazine. Anyone not receiving the magazine can see a copy at any meeting on the signup table. Jim said the applications are out for the 2015-2016 club banners are now available. Money has to be in by August. This will be brought up at the June meeting whether we purchase one again or not.

Committee Reports

Car Show Committee: Chatty is reminding members to push the booklet ads. Everyone should be out selling ads now - all ads and monies are due by the August meeting. Remember, this year we have more expenses for the car show so therefore we need more ads to be sold.

A suggestion was made for members to put personal ads in the booklet. Samples showed greetings and a picture of this persons Corvette; another showed all Corvettes this member had had in the past plus a greeting. You can have full page ad for \$100 or 1/2 page ad for \$75.

It is time to get you application in for having your Corvette shown in the 7 Generation Display at the car show. Send, by email, to Chatty a picture of your car, your name, and information about your car. Chatty's email is on the first page of this newsletter.

Next meeting will be Tues April 14th at 6:30pm at the offices of Teal Construction, 612 Mary St, Dover, DE.

Scholarship Committee: Chairperson Lois Murray and her committee of Carol Geiger, Lucy Mehl and Holly Kehler met and last week and chose 4 winners from the applications received. These winners are from Dover HS, Milford HS, Smyrna HS, and Poly Tech HS and they will receive their notification at each schools Awards Ceremony. Each student will come to the July FSCC meeting to receive their check and give a short talk on themselves.

Past Events

Sat. April 4th - Breakfast at Ronald McDonald's Kathy Messer thanked her 24 cooks for attending and making the breakfast a success. The next Ronald McDonald Breakfast will be October 3rd.

Sat. April 11th - Del Rods Season Opening Car Show - At the Greentree Shopping Center, on Route 8 West Dover. FSCC had 10 cars / 12 members attend and the weather wasn't too bad. Windy. The Del Rods have cruise-in's on the second and last Saturdays of each month. Join them.

Sun. April 12th - Tour Rick Berry's Garage and Museum. Rick had a great turnout of 35 members to tour his collection's. The weather was perfect, cool and sunny. Rick thanked those that came and those that brought food and/or drinks. Anyone that missed the tour should make sure you get a chance to see Rick's Amazing Museum.....haha

Sat. April 18th - 1st Annual Friends of KSI Car Show - FSCC had 25 members come out and make the 1st car show a success for KSI. Norm snagged us great parking spaces next to the grass and shade trees. Two members won trophies: Tom Mehl and Norm Kiaunis.

Sat. April 25th - 8th Annual American Legion Family Custom Car & Bike Show in Harrington. FSCC had 17 cars enter the show, perfect parking on the blacktop for the Vette's and unbearable weather. It was cold, it was windy, the bar was open..... The club got 5 trophies; Bob Horton, Tyler Bullock, Tom Riebel, Jeff Witt, and Frank Silvaggio. Congratulations Guys.

Sat. May 2nd - Dover Days Parade - We had 12 cars in the parade. 3 convertibles carried ladies competing for Miss Delaware, 1 carried a little Miss, and 1 carried the Dover Honorary Mayor. Parade stepped off almost on time, took about 1 hour to traverse the parade route and some members stayed for the Old Dover Days celebrations on Legislative Mall.

Sun. May 3rd - Dover Days Car Show - The car show drew 18 members cars and we had great parking again thanks to "knowing someone". The weather was good, sunny and not really hot so everyone sat around and talked, some took the Dover tour and Cheryl Crognali won \$100 prize for finding all the Dover landmarks in a Dover Days Scavenger Hunt. At the end of the show, we had 2 trophy winners: Pete Thompson and Norm Kiaunis. You missed some fun if you weren't there.....

Upcoming Events

Sat. May 9th - Smyrna-Clayton Rotary Car Show on Market Street Plaza in Smyrna. This is a nice car show with shops downtown Smyrna for the ladies and Member Lee Moran says they are having extra activities this year for the participants. Members going should meet at Solloway's Car Sales at 8am to leave at 8:15 for close parking. If you didn't sign up, or will be late coming, let Bruce know and he will save you a parking space.

Sat. May 16th - Adopt-a-Highway Spring cleanup along Apple Grove School Road, west of Dover. Pickers should arrive just before 9am, parking along Hazletville Road away from the intersection, please. The pickup area is exactly 1 mile long and we usually offer rides back to the starting point. Those wishing can meet at Hall's in Wyoming for a late breakfast.

Sun. May 17 - Mystery Lunch Cruise with a Twist - Bruce and Donna will try to surprise you again with a lunch cruise surprise. Nice restaurant, good food, and plenty of fun. Meet across from Royal Farms in Felton, in the school parking lot. Be ready to leave by 11:30am.

Thurs Jun 4 - Tues Jun 9 - New England Trip
Gordon reported the about 10 days prior to the trip, a final itinerary will be sent to those going. The trip will start at the Smyrna Rest Area and anyone picking up the trip after Smyrna needs to contact Gordon so we don't bypass or miss you.

Sat. Jun 20 - Methodist Manor House Car Show in Seaford - again this year we have been asked to display our cars for the residents and they will probably issue a trophy or two. It was lots of fun last year, dancing in the parking lot to a 50's DJ and a great ice cream truck. Signup sheet will be at the June meeting for late comers.

Sat. July 4 - Dover 4th of July Parade - Sponsored by the Walter L Fox Post 2 American Legion in Dover. The parade steps off at 6pm with parking at the Post afterwards to view the fireworks.

Sat. July 11 - Citizens Hose Fire Company Car Show at Willis Chevrolet in Smyrna.

Sun. July 12 - Annual FSCC Picnic at Killen's Pond.

March 20, 2016 -

4 Corvette Clubs are organizing a 10 Night Eastern Caribbean Cruise departing from Port of Baltimore March 20, 2016.

Royal Caribbean Cruise Line Grandeur of the Seas. \$50 deposit per person due 4/16/2015.

2nd payment of \$450 per person due by 10/15/2015. Final payment due by 12/22/2015.

\$50 pp cancellation fee after deposit made.

Inside cabins \$1,075.35

Oceanview cabins \$1350.35

Balcony cabins \$2065.35

Stops will be: St. Thomas, St. Kitts, San Juan and Labadee, Haiti.

Ed mentioned that Royal Caribbean is offering a Buy One, Get One Fare at 50% off. This will apply for this cruise if you act promptly.

For more information or for paperwork, see Ed Marcelle. Ed has 26 people signed up so far and expects many more. He has talked to a Hotel in Baltimore about staying there the night before the cruise and they will keep the cars free of charge. The airport charges about \$19 per day.

Old Business

New Business

New Members -

Milton & Carol Jane Benton of Felton with their 1987 Black Coupe.

Bryan & Melissa Utz of Wyoming with their 1999 Black Fixed Roof Coupe.

Charles & Charlotte Kosiek of Middletown with their 2015 Dark Orange Z06 Convertible.

Motion made by Tyler Bullock, seconded by Sue Dziombak to accept these 6 new members. Passed Unanimously.

Good of the Organization

Sat. Sept 16 - Bus Trip to the USS Intrepid in NYC. Norm is arranging a bus trip for members. Prices will depend on the number of the bus. The full bus holds 56 people. If we do not fill it with members, we will open it up to friends and relatives. Norm said there are good restaurants in walking distance from the ship in Hell's Kitchen. Also, for the walkers, you can go shopping about 6 blocks away, or Times Square about 4 blocks away. The signup sheet will be at the June meeting again. The last trip to NY was great fun - this one will be too.....signup!!

Corvettes at Carlisle - August 21-22 - Sandy Powell brought to the clubs attention that Carlisle will again recreate the American Flag this year, using Corvettes . They have to be red, white or blue cars - no stripes - with a few silver for the pole. If you go on the website for Corvettes at Carlisle you can sign up to have you car in the display. It will be on Friday August 21st. Sandy had their picture from a few years ago and is sorry they have a car with stripes for this year.

Cruise In at Jakes - Norm wanted to let everyone know that FSCC will have cruise in's every Wednesday night this summer at Jakes Hamburgers at the Blue Hen Corporate Center in Dover. Every Wednesday EXCEPT the first when we have our meetings. Times are 5-9. Drop in for something to eat and a little small talk.

FYI - Tyler is selling parts off his C6 before putting it up for sale. Anyone interested should contact Tyler. tylermb1@att.net or 215-206-3383

Thank You - Frank wanted to thank Bruce for his help getting Linda a wheelchair to use on really short notice. Linda took a fall and wasn't able to walk for a few weeks but is ambulatory now. She was the blonde with the funny cast on her leg....remember her?

First State Corvette Club will start having Cruise Nights at Jakes Hamburgers - at the Blue Hen Corporate Center, Bay Road, Dover. Every Wednesdays except the 1st. from 5-9pm.
May 13, 20 & 27
Jun 10, 17 & 24 July 8, 15, 22 & 29
Aug 12, 19 & 26 Sept 9, 16, 23 & 30
Oct 14, 21 & 28

Del Rods Cruise In's - 5pm - 9pm - Second and Last Saturday nights - Greentree Shopping Center in West Dover on Route 8.
Apr 25 May 9 & 30
Jun 13 & 27 Jul 11 & 25
Aug 8 & 29 Sep 12 & 26
Oct 10

Beachcombers Cruise In's - 3rd Wednesday from April thru October - Burgers & Beans on Route 113 in Milford.
Apr 15 May 20 Jun 17
Jul 15 Aug 19 Sep 16
Oct 21

Corvette Club of Northern Delaware - 1st Saturday from April thru October - Ruby Tuesdays, 4732 Limestone Rd, Wilmington, Pike Creek Shopping Center.
Apr 4 May 5 Jun 6
Jul 4 Aug 1 Sep 5
Oct 13
Concord Mall Shows June 21 and Nov 1

Motion made by Carole Kisner seconded by Tyler Bullock to adjourn the meeting.

***Meeting Adjourned at 8:30pm
Respectfully Submitted,
Donna Ballard, FSCC Secretary***

Trivia

Won by Julie Moran

Thanks to Keith & Lori Koyanagi for preparing trivia

50/50 Won By

Bill Olechny \$103

Thanks to Jack Powell & Carol Geiger for selling tickets

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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

BIRTHDAYS FOR MAY

4 - Linda Waal	15 - Richard Andrese
8 - Jim Jones	20 - Tom Mehl
8 - Donnie Ringgold	20 - Ann Witt
10 - Cynthia Mason	23 - Nina Lewis
10 - Sharon Smith	24 - Orville Mills
11 - Janey Benton	25 - Tyler Bullock
12 - Cathy Raley	25 - Marianne Callahan
12 - Sharon Reed	27 - Joe Hughes
13 - Dianne Halpern	29 - Don Hammond
17 - Charlotte Kosiek	

Club Anniversaries

MAY

Darlene Hurley	13 yrs
Chatty & Sharon Reed	7 yrs
Tyler Bullock	6 yrs
Mel & Carol Geiger	6 yrs
Norm Kiaunis & Cathy Raley	5 yrs
Ken & Martha Morytko	3 yrs
Gordon & Ann English	3 yrs
Dave & Chris MacCarroll	2 yrs
Joe & Pat Hughes	1 yr
Albert & Donna Green	1 yr

NEXT MEETING

Wednesday, June 3, 2015

Grotto Pizza

Dover, DE

Dinner at 6pm - Meeting starts
7:30pm

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
19 Village Square
Smyrna
653-8384

Pete Thompson
Classic Designs
734-4677

For Sale: 2003 50th Anniversary Coupe w/ 32,150 miles. Original Owner. Excellent Condition. Anniversary Red. Champaign Shail Interior. 6 speed manual. \$25,750 Richard or Linda Westergaard. 302-945-2870

REDUCED: For Sale by member Jim Erb – Side Exhaust pipes, 327 2.5 inch Aluminized – Loud. They are for a 1963-1967 Corvette. Asking \$400 BO. Good Shape. Email prolabjre@aol.com or call 1-302-735-4744

FOR SALE: Complete set of KYB GR-2 shock absorbers with less than 1400 miles on them....\$60.00.....reply to mkane25@verizon.net.

FOR SALE: Set of (4) Kelsey Hayes C3 YJ8 Aluminum Wheels. Also for sale - (2) Goodyear Eagle GT II Tires, size 255/60R15. Price for 4 wheels and 2 tires as a lot is \$800.00. Contact Mike Waal at 410-708-2138 or m.waal@dmv.com

For Sale:

1974 Corvette Coupe

13,300 miles, Medium Red Exterior / Black Interior – M21 4 Speed Trans. Options: LS4 454 engine, Air Cond., PS, PB. Comments: Current owner since 1976 (purchased with 9000 miles). Includes all paperwork and maintenance records since purchase. Documented low mileage, original, and well-maintained Corvette.

PRICE: \$29,900 - JERRY SLAVIK (302) 231-8242

For Sale:

2005 Corvette Convertible

2200 miles, Victory Red Exterior / Black Conv. Top / Ebony Interior – 6 Speed Trans. With Z51 Option. Options: Z51 Perf. Pkg., 1SB Pref. Equipment Group, Power Conv. Top, AM/FM CD w/ DVD, NAV, and Bose, Pol. Alum. Wheels. Comments: Current owner since new – never seen rain. All paperwork and maintenance records since new. Car is in like-new condition.

PRICE: \$36,000

CONTACT OWNER: JERRY SLAVIK
LEWES, DE.
(302) 231-8242

For Sale: 2008 Machine Silver with Grey Interior Convertible. 22,000 miles, second owner with new tires and GM major guard protection 'til 7/16. 6 speed paddle shift automatic, NPP exhaust, magnetic select ride, 3LT package, navigation and many more options. Car looks new. \$38,900. Dennis Hummel 302-943-4662 or hummelbuilders@comcast.net

Attendance:

Carl & Diane Acker
Bruce & Donna Ballard
Jim & Kathy Beird
Rick & Linda Berry
Tyler Bullock
Jim Chapman & Cindy Wall
David & Shelly Conboy
Rich & Linda Cooke
Joe & Cheryl Crognali
John Cullen
John & Barbara DeRue
Dan & Susan Dziombak
Gordon English
Jim & Vicki Erb
Wayne Esposito
Mel & Carol Geiger
John Gula
Warren Hensley
Bob & Cindy Horton
Darlene Hurley
Chuck Hutchings
Jim Jones
Holly Kehler
Norm Kiaunis & Cathy Raley
Carole Kisner
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Charles & Charlotte Kosiek
Keith & Lori Koyanagi
Ed Marcelle
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Phil Meehan & Jeff Ortiz
Tom & Lucy Mehl
Ken & Kathy Messer
Lee & Julie Moran
Jim & Lois Murray
Bill & Kathy Olechny
Jack & Sandy Powell
Chatty Reed
Angelo & Lee Rossetti
Frank & Linda Silvaggio
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Bryan Utz

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Mike & Linda Waal
Jeff & Ann Witt
Jim Woodland
Jennifer Wright
Bob Yacono **81**

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Nina & Glen Lewis
Norm Kiaunis & Cathy Raley
Pete & Vickie Thompson
R & R Home Repair , LLC
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Randy Goodlett
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