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# ***First State Corvette Club***

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# \$Dues are Due\$

## **NEW MEMBERS**

**Linda & John Forgione**  
**Newark, DE**  
**2005 Red Coupe**  
**1999 Red Coupe**

**Edward Scott JR**  
**Dover, DE**  
**2002 Torch Red Z06**

**Barry Beckett**  
**Dover, DE**  
**2005 Black Coupe**

**Bill & Bella Ahrens**  
**Dover, DE**  
**1962 White Corvette**

**Bill & Karen Carnivale**  
**Wyoming, DE**  
**1996 Silver Coupe**

The FSCC Meeting was held Wednesday Sep 3, 2014 at the Dover Downs Buffet in Dover, DE. President Bruce Ballard called the meeting to order at 7:20pm.



### **Pledge of Allegiance Reading and Approval of Minutes.**

Motioned by Dan Dziombak seconded by Carole Kisner and approved unanimously.

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**President:** Bruce wanted to thank the 21 members that sold \$5670 worth of ads for our Car Show Booklet. Also Thanks to Pete Thompson aided by Bruce and Jim Murray for editing and creating the booklet.

The Ad Booklet has been given to the printer so the team is apologizing in advance for any mistakes. We literally ran out of time to get the books to the printer.

Did you find your Event Staff t-shirt? The car show is in 17 days so search your closets. If you can't find it, or it "shrunk", call Bruce - we have a new shipment of shirts.

Jim & Lois Murray and Pete & Vickie Thompson have volunteered to audit the club books. They will meet with Treasurer Kathy Olechny and go over the books.

For those inclined to attend cruise night at Greentree, we always meet behind Modern Maturity Center at 4:15 and wait to see who shows up. Leave at 4:30 to cruise into the parking lot and park together.

**Vice-President:** Chatty Upcoming meeting places:  
**Wed. Oct 1 Roma Restaurant, Dover**  
**Wed. Nov 5 Abbotts Grill, Milford**  
**Sun. Dec 7 Gold Room Harrington Casino Christmas Party/Meeting**

**Secretary:** I would like to apologize to everyone for the missing updates and pictures from the Website. We had a "bug" get into our computer and the idiot (excuse me, the Gentleman) that we took it to wiped out ALL MY PROGRAMS. That included the Website files. How he did that and left all my documents, spreadsheets, pictures, etc. I'll never know.

Always check the website for newest activities and past happenings. **New members** should always check out the signup table for upcoming activities and the attendance sheet.

**Corresponding Secretary:** Former member Bob Gentile, now a member of the Beachcombers will be having heart surgery on Friday. Our thoughts and prayers go out to him and his family.

**Treasurer:** Submitted by Kathy Olechny

Beginning Balance \_\_\_\_\_  
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Ending Balance \_\_\_\_\_  
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A motion was made by Carole Kisner, seconded by Dan Dziombak to accept the treasurer's report as read. Passed unanimously.

**Membership: Don't forget dues are now due .**  
You should mail your checks directly to  
Norm Kiaunis made out to **FSCC**.  
8239 N Union Church Rd, Milford, DE 19963.

**Publicity:** Carole reported that the first scholarship picture was in the paper and she will reconnect with the paper about the second. We have also had the Car Show announcement in the paper three times so far. Look on Thursdays.

**Parade Chairman:** Don't forget the Caesar Rodney Homecoming Parade on Friday evening, September 26th. They have asked for 14 car and would appreciate 17. If you have not signed up, contact Jeff or Donna to get your name on the sheet.

**Quartermaster:** Sandy reminded everyone that she has old Dash Plaques from past FSCC car shows that are FREE.....pick up one or more. Sandy is taking orders for shirts, but she will not be to the October meeting. Bruce will bring any ordered shirts to that meeting. And check your car and closets and garage floor for missing buntings from past parades. We purchased them for the 4th of July parades and some are missing....CHECK!!

**National Corvette Museum** - Jim reported that the Museum has decided to fill in the sinkhole. Due to costs, it would be impossible to leave it open for view. But some of the destroyed cars have been or will be restored and some will remain as is. Check the website - [www.corvettemuseum.com](http://www.corvettemuseum.com) – for all the September raffles.

### **Committee Reports:**

**Car Show Committee:** Chatty reported that the car show committee will be going to the fairgrounds on Wednesday 9/10 for a brief meeting with officials and then check out the buildings. The final car show meeting will be on Thursday 9/18 to stuff goody bags. The Casino has given us items to put in the bags but we have to do the job ourselves. DOOR PRIZES - Carole reported we have approx. 30 door prizes but would accept more. DAY OF SHOW - if you signed up to help, or if you didn't you are still welcome - please show up at 7am so we can get your car parked and set up before entrants start arriving. This is your car show - make sure you show up to help.....

### **Past Events**

**Aug 16 – Beachcombers Car Show** – FSCC had 14 cars attend the show, the club won the Most Club Participation award, Jim Beird and Stan Lavend won trophies in the Top 25 category.

**Aug 17 – Wheels & Wine 14 at Pizzadili Winery** - FSCC had 28 Corvettes attend the show, won the Most Club Participation award and Jim Melvin won a Top 25 award. We need to thank member Jim Woodland for allowing us blacktop parking again and having such a great show. Jim thanked several of our club members who helped with parking, filling in where some of Jim's workers did not show. Jim said they had over 300 cars and 45 vendors. Great Show....

**Aug 23 - FOP Car Show on Kitts Hummock Road** - Jim Jones reported that FSCC won 6 Trophies at this show.

**Aug 22-24 – Corvettes at Carlisle** - It was reported that the NCRS Judges gave Choice Awards to Jim Beird and Stan Lavend for their Corvettes at the show. We understand that it rained on Thursday, was overcast on Friday and rained again on Saturday. It's August and it's Corvettes at Carlisle, what did you expect.

**Aug 27-31 – National Corvette Museum Caravan 2014** – The consensus of the group was they had a GREAT time. Chatty said they left Delaware with 9 cars - went to the Charlotte Motor Speedway and then, courtesy of the Powell's, they went to the Hendrick's Museum. They met up with other Corvettes and 300 cars left Concord, NC headed towards Tennessee. Along the way they picked up 100 more and were escorted into Bowling Green for a fabulous time. For a blow-by-blow description of the trip, contact someone that was in the caravan: Reeds, Waals, Silvaggio's, Dziombak's, Powell's, English's, Messer's - if I missed anyone, I'm sorry.....

**Aug 30th - VFW Car Show in Milford** - FSCC attended this with several cars and came away with 3 trophies. Jim Erb, Joe Hughes, and Herb Von Goerres won trophies, and it was a RED day.

**Sep 1 – Labor Day – Ballgame at Salisbury** – On a HOT, MUGGY Monday, 14 Beachcomber Cars, 5 FSCC Cars, and 3 Eastern Shore Cars trucked down to Salisbury for a end of season ballgame. Thanks to Orville and Gloria, we had box seats right on the first base line but the sun was sooooo hot, everyone ended up sitting way up in the general admission seats because there was SHADE. Even with the weather, the Shorebirds won over the Hickory Crawdads.

## Upcoming Events

**Sept 6 (Sat) – Corvette Cruise In at Green Turtle in Dover** Chatty has once again arranged for us to have our Corvette Only Cruise In at the Green Turtle in Dover. It will be from 4pm – 7pm since it starts to get dark early by September. We just sit around and talk, about cars or whatnot, and some go inside to eat dinner. Join Us.

**Sept 6 (Sat) - Cripple Creek Classic Car Show -** This is a new event - at the Cripple Creek Golf Course in Dagsboro. This is next to where Jack & Sandy Powell live and they would like to help this starting car show. The proceeds go to Operation Seas The Day - where local residents provide vacation homes for veterans and their families. The show is from 9-1 at the club in Dagsboro. For more info, contact Sandy Powell.

**Sept 13 (Sat) – Adopt-a-Highway** Carole Kisner will meet volunteers at 9am at the intersection of Apple Grove School Road and Hazletville Rd – west of Dover. The route to pick up is only 1 mile long. Afterwards, some pickers go to Hall's in Wyoming for a late breakfast.

**Sept 13 (Sat) - Dover AFB Car, Truck, Bike Show** at the AMC Museum at Dover Air Force Base. The show is from 10 - 3 and the contact person is Norm Kiaunis.

**Sept 20 (Sat)– First State Charity Car Show** – ok, here it is. Be there.....or I'll sic the pushy money ladies on you.....

**Sept 26 (Fri) – CR Homecoming Parade.** Once again, Caesar Rodney High School is looking for open top Corvettes to carry Queens and their escorts in a parade at 5pm. Your car must have a top that comes off....hard to make the poor girl sit on the roof....if you are interested, Contact Jeff Ortiz. Meet along the railroad tracks in Wyoming, next to the Ice Cream place to line up and get your Queen. Be there by 4:30pm please....

**Sept 28 (Sun)–8<sup>th</sup> Annual Corvettes for Chip Car Show** - This car show is usually attended by several members and since they moved it from November to September, more seem to go. One year we were looking for firewood..... This will be at Thomas Chevrolet, 1263 West Baltimore Pike in Media, PA. If you signed up, Bruce will be contacting you about meeting places and times...if you did not sign up, and want to go, contact Bruce.

**Oct 4 (Sat) – Breakfast at Ronald McDonald** – Cooking time is here again. Ronald McDonald has asked for a limit on cooks to 16. If you sign up and cannot make it, let us know right away so your slot can be filled in. Meet at the Smyrna Rest Area at 7:45am.

**Oct 4 (Sat)– Wings & Wheels at Georgetown**

**Oct 3-4 (Fri-Sat)– Free State Corvette Club Ocean City Boardwalk Show**

**Oct 11-12 (Sat-Sun) – Flight 93 Overnight Trip** - If you want to attend, you should contact Norm Kiaunis for room and travel information.

**Oct 18 (Sat)– Veterans Home Fallout 2014 Car show in Milford**

**Oct 19 (Sun)– Drive Around Dover Downs** – Chatty had a signup sheet at this meeting, and instructions about the ride around. If you missed this, it will be at the October 1st meeting. There will be lunch afterwards at Doc McGrogans.

**Oct 26 (Sun)– Mystery Lunch Cruise ALA Norm** - s - e - c - r - e - t !! Signup in Oct.

## **New Business**

### **New Members:**

Bill & Karen Carnivale, Wyoming, 1996 Silver Coupe  
Barry Beckett, Dover, 2005 Black Coupe  
Bill & Bella Ahrens, Dover, 1962 White  
Edward Scott Jr, Dover, 2002 Torch Red Z06  
John & Linda Forgione, Newark, 2005 Red Coupe  
A motion was made by Carole Kisner, seconded by Don Hammond to accept these new members. Passed unanimously. Congratulations and see you at the next meeting...!

**Scholarships for 2015:** Bruce brought to the members information about recurring expenses the club has, totaling \$1924. Treasurer Kathy Olechny explained that last year we accumulated \$1532.50 from 50/50's.

Lois Murray made a motion to have four (4) \$500 scholarships available for the 2015 graduating class. Motion was seconded by Mike Waal, passed unanimously.

**Christmas Party:** Diane Acker wanted to remind all members that the Christmas Party/Meeting will be Sunday December 7th at the Harrington Raceway and Casino, in the Gold Room. The committee is accepting gifts for the Chinese auction as well as items for the silent auction. Items do not have to be Corvette related. The ladies would probably like something in the cooking field, or spa area. All items should be in by the November meeting.

### **Good of the Organization:**

**Jim Erb** wanted the club to know the Brandywine Auto Club is having an autocross at Dover Downs parking lot on Saturday October 11th, rain date 10/18. Cost is \$45.

**Mike Waal** reported that he and Linda are going on a cross country trip next year, going thru Sioux Falls, SD, up into Montana, Wyoming, etc and is looking for any information any club member might have on sights to see in that area.

The **Corvette Club of Northern Delaware**

announced their Cruise Nights for 2014. The 1<sup>st</sup> Saturday of each month from April thru October, the CCND Cruise Night will be at the Pike Creek Shopping Center in front of Ruby Tuesdays from 4-8. Polish up your car and join them this season.

**The Beachcombers Corvette Club** has announced a cruise in night, the 3<sup>rd</sup> Wednesday of each month, from April to October, at the Burgers 'n Beans restaurant in Milford. Times are 5-8.

**Del Rods Cruise Nights** – let's not forget the Del Rods Cruise Nights at Greentree Shopping Center in Dover. They are the second and last Saturdays of each month, from 5pm to 9pm. And make sure you mark their Fall Wrap-up Show on October 25<sup>th</sup>.

**Motion made by Keith Koyanagi, seconded by Bill Olechny to adjourn the meeting.**

*Meeting Adjourned at 8:25 pm  
Respectfully Submitted,  
Donna Ballard, FSCC Secretary*

### **Trivia**

**Won by Jim Chapman**

Thanks to Keith & Lori Koyanagi for preparing trivia

### **50/50 Won By**

**Barry Beckett \$120**

Thanks to Lee Rossetti and Jack Powell for selling tickets

## Club Anniversaries

### September

Joel & Lorraine Marks	28 yrs
Dennis & Sharilyn Hummel	14 yrs
Jim & Lois Murray	6 yrs
Dennis & Patricia Mansour	2 yrs
Frank & Kathy Kline	2 yrs
Jim & Vicki Erb	1 yr
Billy & JoAnn Vorwald	1 yr

## September Birthdays

2	Allesio Monsanto
4	Randy Goodlett
7	Denise Jaskewich
13	Jim Chapman
14	Maxine DeOld
16	Dorothy Ringgold
17	Ivy Monsanto
18	Grady Ball
19	Toni Ball
21	Bruce Ballard
23	Angelo Rossetti
24	Kathleen Sarchett
25	Laura Lavend
25	Maureen Riggi
25	Todd Shoemaker
26	J Patrick Callahan
27	Tammy Mounts
29	Margaret Failing

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**Dover, DE**

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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  
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**For Sale:** 2003 50<sup>th</sup> 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

**For Sale:** 2000 Corvette Convertible, Navy Blue Metallic, Saddle top & interior. 58,462 miles. Auto. Cold Air Intake. Magnaflo Exhaust. Diablo Computer Program (400+hp) \$18,500 obo. Fred Henckel 410-924-7878 or [fhenckel@goeaston.net](mailto:fhenckel@goeaston.net)

**For Sale:** Flowmaster Exhaust System for C5 Corvette. Polished Alum. \$500 or BO –  
Donald Ringgold. 302-389-6094

**For Sale:** C7 OEM Chrome Wheels – 18/19 TPMS Center Caps. 1100 miles. [kbjsy@verizon.net](mailto:kbjsy@verizon.net) or 302-644-1573 – Jim Beird

**JUST 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](mailto:prolabjre@aol.com) or call 1-302-735-4744



**ATTENDANCE:**

**Carl & Diane Acker  
Rick & Linda Baker  
Bruce & Donna Ballard  
Barry Beckett  
James & Kathy Beird  
Rick & Linda Berry  
Tyler Bullock  
Jim Chapman  
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