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# **First State Corvette Club**

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## \$Dues are Due\$

If you do not pay your dues by Nov. 1 -  
This will be your last newsletter

### **NEW MEMBERS**

Adrian & Tracy Torres  
Camden, DE  
1979 Red Coupe

John & Susan Makovec  
Smyrna, DE  
2003 Electron Blue Z06

Alvin & Dee Stroud  
Smyrna, DE  
2014 Red Stingray

The FSCC Meeting was held Wednesday Oct 1, 2014 at Roma Restaurant in Dover, DE. President Bruce Ballard called the meeting to order at 7:25pm.

**Pledge of Allegiance**  
**Reading and Approval of Minutes.**  
Motioned by Carole Kisner seconded by Chatty Reed and approved unanimously.



**President:** Bruce reported that the Auditing Firm of Murray, Murray, Thompson, & Thompson audited the club books and everything was found to be in order.

Bruce also mentioned that Smyrna High School would appreciate 5 Corvettes for their Homecoming Parade on Friday Oct. 10th. A signup sheet is out.

**Vice-President:** Chatty Upcoming meeting places:

**Wed. Nov 5**    **Abbotts Grill, Milford**  
**Sun. Dec 7**    **Gold Room Harrington Casino**  
                  **Christmas Party/Meeting**

**Secretary:** 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:** no report

**Treasurer:** Submitted by Kathy Olechny

Beginning Balance	
Deposits	
Withdrawals	
Ending Balance	_____
	_____
	_____

A motion was made by Jim Jones, seconded by Dorothy Ringgold 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.

If you know one of the following, let them know that the dues are due if they intend to renew.

Grady Ball	Luis Burgos
Michael Gibbs	Joel Halpern
Bruce Hibbs	Charles Kittl
Chris Litscher	Joel Marks
Nick Miller	Buster Neeman
Jay Reynolds	Tim Sarchett

**Publicity:** Carole reported that we don't always get our pictures in the paper due to the fact that we are a small organization and larger firms get the space. But keep watching..

**Parade Chairman:** Jeff reiterated on the Smyrna HS Homecoming parade - arrive at 3:30pm on Friday Oct 10th and we only need 5 cars. If interested, contact Jeff. And be sure to make Saturday Dec. 6th for the Dover Home for the Holidays Parade in downtown Dover at noon. More info to come.

**National Corvette Museum** - Jim reported again that the museum has decided to close in the sinkhole, sometime mid-November. So, last chance to see it. Jim also brought the club banner that hung over the NCM parking lot for the last year. This banner will be given to the Member of the Year for 2014. [www.corvettemuseum.com](http://www.corvettemuseum.com) – for all the October raffles.

**Committee Reports:** Chatty thanked everyone for a very successful car show this year. We had 133 registered cars compared to 119 last year, and we had 41 member cars on display compared to 39 last year. We ordered 300 booklets this year, 100 went into goody bags, each sponsor will get a booklet, each patron will get a booklet, and any member wanting a copy is welcome to one. This goes for the dash plaques as well. We were lucky this year as the Casino and Raceway paid for the trophy's and the Fair Grounds waived the cost of the pavilions. Next year's show is already booked for 9/19/15... mark your calendar now since Chatty has a list of those workers from this year and your slot is waiting for you next year. Wrap-up Car Show Meeting will be Tuesday Oct 28th at 6:30 in Chattys office at 612 Mary St, Dover. Everyone is welcome to bring improvements for next year.

The Generation Car Show Display was a hit thanks to these cars and owners:  
C1 - 1962 James Beird  
C2 - 1963 Jim Erb  
C3 - 1971 Stan Lavend  
C4 - 1987 Dick Kisner  
C5 - 2000 Jack Mason  
C6 - 2013 Sandy Powell  
C7 - 2014 Jeff Witt

**Christmas Committee:** Committee Chairperson Diane Acker wanted everyone to know the cost of this year's party will be \$20 per person. You can mail this to the treasurer, or bring to next meeting.

If you mail: (be sure to include your name)  
Kathy Olechny  
60 Sackarackin Ave  
Dover, DE 19901

The celebration will be Sunday December 7th at the Harrington Raceway & Casino in the Gold Room. Parking will be on the west end of the building and will have security patrols all evening. The committee is accepting items for the raffle as well as for an auction. Please have all donation to the committee by the November meeting. For more info on donations, contact Diane at 302-233-1328.

## **Past Events**

**Sept 6 (Sat) – Corvette Cruise In at Green Turtle in Dover** - approx 20 cars attended, a good turnout for such a small parking lot. Chatty wanted everyone to know we will continue to have Cruise In's but the location may change. Stay tuned....

**Sept 6 (Sat) - Cripple Creek Classic Car Show** - Jack & Sandy Powell were the only ones from the club to attend and said they were impressed by the organization. We will have to watch this next year.

**Sept 13 (Sat) – Adopt-a-Highway** - Carole reported that the clean up went well, the shoulders had been cut recently so no tall weeds, and the only "funky" find this year was a tarp. The pickers went to Wyoming for breakfast afterwards. Thanks to all that bent over for the club.....

**Sept 13 (Sat) - Dover AFB Car, Truck, Bike Show** - Norm reported this show was postponed due to rain and no one went on Sunday.

## **Sept 26 (Fri) – CR Homecoming Parade.**

As usual, we had a great turnout, 18 Corvettes. The Homecoming committee is always very appreciative of our help and they are such a good group - teachers, students, parents. Thanks to those that helped out.

## **Sept 28 (Sun)–8<sup>th</sup> Annual Corvettes for Chip Car Show**

- Lori reported that 7 club Corvettes made the trek to Media, PA. The club even won 2 honorable mentions: Jim Beird for his Red Convertible and Angelo Rossetti for his Red Coupe. Congratulations Guys. Pictures on the website.

## **Upcoming Events**

### **Oct 4 (Sat) – Breakfast at Ronald McDonald –**

Cooking time is here again. Meet at the Smyrna Rest Area and be ready to leave at 7:45am. If you sign up and cannot make it, contact Kathy Messer at 302-653-6013 so she can find a replacement.

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

This show is from 9am to 3pm at the Sussex County Airport near Georgetown. Forecast is for rain so the showing may be light.

### **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. We currently have 15 people sign up and going. This is our 5th year for the trip.

### **Oct 18 (Sat)– Veterans Home Fallout 2014**

**Car show in Milford** - Members of the FSCC will congregate at the Milford Bowling Alley at 8:00am. Registration opens at 9am - \$12.

**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, you should get up with Chatty Reed at 302-270-0857 to have your name put on the list. Arrive at Dover Downs by 10am - the cost is \$20 for driver, and \$7 for rider. There will be lunch afterwards at Doc McGrogans around Noon.

**Oct 25 (Sat) - Del Rods Fall Wrap Up Car Show**  
The show is from 8am to 2pm. FSCC members going should meet behind the Modern Maturity Center at 7:15am, leaving at 7:30am. This allows all the cars to park together. If coming late, let Bruce know so he can save you a spot. Greentree Shopping Center, next to Hardee's, Route 8 west of Dover. Come out and support a fellow car club.....

**Oct 26 (Sun)– Mystery Lunch Cruise ALA Norm**  
- s - e - c - r - e - t !! If you signed up, you will receive a secret email with instructions, if you want to sign up, call Norm. Just don't ask him where we're going.

## **New Business**

### **New Members:**

John & Susan Makovec  
Smyrna, DE  
2003 Electron Blue Z06 - Al Monsanto sponsor

Adrian & Tracy Torres  
Camden, DE  
1979 Red Coupe - Angelo Rossetti sponsor

Alvin & Dee Stroud  
Smyrna, DE  
2014 Red Stingray - Chatty Reed sponsor

A motion was made by Jim Jones, seconded by Carole Kisner to accept these 6 new members. Passed unanimously. Congratulations and Welcome..

### **Member of the Year Nominations:**

The floor was opened for nominations for Member of the Year 2014. This should be someone that has gone above and beyond being an asset to the club. Elected officers are not eligible.

The first nomination was Keith & Lori Koyanagi.

The second nomination was Jim Jones, which was declined.

No more nominations were mentioned, Nominations were closed and our new Members of the Year will be Keith & Lori. The official presentation will be at the Christmas Party in December.

**Donation to Home of the Brave -** Chatty brought up the donation from our car show. Our total profit from the show was \$5,212.68. Carole Kisner made a motion to raise this to an even \$5500, seconded by Dan Dziombak. There were 4 opposed, but the motion passed.

## **Good of the Organization:**

New member **Susan Makovec** wanted to present to the members a fund raiser that she is involved in that is close to her heart. She is selling stuffed animals for \$12.99 each, with the total proceeds going to the **St. Judes Children's Foundation**. The donation is tax deductible and going to a good cause. She sold out of all the animals she brought with her and will have more at the next meeting.

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 Carole Kisner, seconded by Darlene Hurley to adjourn the meeting.**

*Meeting Adjourned at 8:14 pm  
Respectfully Submitted,  
Donna Ballard, FSCC Secretary*

### Trivia

**Tied between Rick Berry and Don Ringgold**  
Thanks to Keith & Lori Koyanagi for preparing trivia

**50/50 Won By  
Jim Erb \$99**

Thanks to Sharon Reed and Kathy Messer for selling tickets

## Club Anniversaries

### October

Art & Ann Matichak	10 yrs
Bob & Tammy Mounts	10 yrs
Dave & Tracy Solloway	10 yrs
Jack & Cynthia Mason	5 yrs
Billy & JoAnn Vorwald	5 yrs
Jim Jones	4 yrs
Stan & Laura Lavend	4 yrs
Angelo & Lee Rossetti	4 yrs
George & Cheryl Deering	3 yrs
Dennis & Char Hummel	2 yrs
Richard & Phyllis Andrese	1 yr
Luis & Yvette Burgos	1 yr
Bruce Hibbs & Donna	1 yr
Tom & Lucy Mehl	1 yr

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## October Birthdays

9/29	Carl Acker (Sorry we missed you)
10/01	Julie Moran
10/11	Sharilyn Hummel
10/11	Jim Murray
10/12	Keith Koyanagi
10/16	Fred Henckel
10/16	Chris Litscher
10/16	Sandy Powell
10/18	Chuck Hutchings
10/19	Phyllis Andrese
10/20	Jeff Witt
10/21	Lee Rossetti
10/22	Rich Cooke
10/24	Philomena Meehan
10/26	Pat Hughes
10/31	G Gregoretti
10/31	JoAnn Vorwald
10/31	Midge Yacono

To order Name Tags - \$8.00 prepaid  
Contact Carole Ann Kisner  
302-492-8115

## NEXT MEETING

Wednesday November 5, 2014  
Abbott's Grill  
249 NE Front St  
Milford, DE

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. Lockerman  
Dover  
736-6500

RWM Embroidery  
19 Village Square  
Smyrna  
653-8384

Pete Thompson  
Classic Designs  
734-4677

**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.  
Magnaflow Exhaust. Diablo Computer  
Program (400+hp) \$18,500 obo. Fred  
Henckel 410-924-7878 or  
[fhenckel@goeaston.net](mailto:fhenckel@goeaston.net)

**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  
Richard & Phyllis Andrese  
Bruce & Donna Ballard  
Barry Beckett  
James & Kathy Beird  
Rick & Linda Berry  
Tyler Bullock  
Jim Chapman  
Rich & Linda Cooke  
John Cullen  
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John & Susan Makovec  
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