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First State Corvette Club

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The FSCC Meeting was held Wednesday October 7, 2015 at Grotto Pizza in Dover, DE. President Bruce Ballard called the meeting to order at 7:25 pm..

Pledge of Allegiance
Reading and Approval of Minutes.
Motioned by Jim Erb seconded by Jeff Ortiz and approved unanimously.



NEW MEMBERS

John & Diane Szewczyk
West Grove, PA
1980 Red Coupe

William & Pamela Smollen
Newark, DE
1975 Blue Stingray

Janice Bryan
Woodside, DE
1991 Red Convertible

Melody & Bob Rabold
Smyrna, DE
2015 Black Coupe

Returning MEMBERS
Terry & Karen Brenwalt
Dover, DE
2002 Pewter Coupe

Vice-President: Chatty announced that after the first of the year we will be trying other restaurants for meetings. Chinatown Buffet in Dover, Maple Dale Country Club in Dover, and Hometown Diner in Milford. Plus we will still frequent Grotto Pizza in Dover.

Wed. Nov 4 Abbotts Grill, Milford
Sun. Dec 6 Christmas Party, Harrington
Wed. Jan 6 Grotto Pizza, Dover

Secretary : A reminder for newer members, always check the signup sheets and the attendance sheet. Each meeting, someone forgets to sign in.

Corresponding Secretary: No report

Treasurer: Submitted by Kathy Olechny

Beginning Balance	\$
Deposits	
Checks	

Ending Balance	\$

A motion was made by Mike Waal seconded by Cheryl Crognali to accept the treasurer's report as read. Passed unanimously.

Membership: We currently have 208 members

Publicity: Carole sent word that she was sending the car show pictures and the Ronald McDonald picture to the papers.

Quartermaster: No report

Parade Chairman: set your calendars for Oct 16th - the Caesar Rodney Homecoming parade - Need 17 Corvettes. Arrive around 4:30, lineup starts at 5pm and parade steps off at 6pm. The next parade will be the Dover Christmas Parade - information at the next meeting.

Jeff wanted to thank Darlene, Chuck, Bruce H. and Philomena for carrying Hartly Fire Company Princesses in the Firemen's Convention Parade on Sept 19th.

National Corvette Museum - Jim talked about the construction going on at the race track to help with the noise problem. The sinkhole has been filled in and the museum finished with all the cars on display. There are also many raffles for this month. Go to the website and read details of the above....www.corvettemuseum.com

Corvette Racing Report - Mike Waal talked about the United Sports Car Racing Series where Corvettes race at 10-12 tracks across the United States. Closest to us is Watkins Glen in NY, Lime Rock in CT, and BIR in VA. Mike will keep us up to date on the races and possible trips to see a race in the future. If you want to read up on Corvette Racing, Google "Corvette Racing" and read away.

Committee Reports

Car Show Committee: Chatty gave an abbreviated report on the car show finances. His biggest concern was that out of all the members we have now, only 34 members actually sold ads for the booklet. This booklet's high volume sales this year helped defray the costs of paying for the pavilions. Each person selling ads received a booklet and a dash plaque for each sponsor. They will be responsible for delivering these to their sponsors. The next Car Show Committee meeting will be Tues. November 17th at Chatty's office at 6:30pm.

Christmas Party Committee: Diane reported that there was a sign up sheet for the Christmas Party available and envelopes for those signing up to send their checks to the committee. The cost this year is \$30 per person. All reservations and monies have to be in by the November meeting. No exception. The party is Sunday December 6th - doors open at 5:30pm with a short meeting starting at 6pm. The dress theme is Hawaiian.

Past Events

Sun. Sept 6 - Hooper's Island Cruise - 17 Corvettes carrying 34 members traveled to the Maryland Eastern Shore to the Blackwater National Wildlife Refuge near Hoopers Island for a stop at the visitors center and a driving tour of the Wildlife Drive. Beautiful day and lots of sights. Following this we went to Old Salty's Seafood Restaurant for a great buffet. Crab Cakes, Shrimp and Chicken for the non-seafood eaters. And the desserts were something else, still warm chocolate and coconut pies. Everyone had a great time and contemplated on how to get home. Most had never been here before. Go to the FSCC website and view all the pictures.

Sat. Sept 12 - Adopt-a-Highway - Road cleanup was **postponed** due to lack of participation. Out of the 200+ members, we could not get 6 people to volunteer.

Sat. Sept 12 - 2nd Annual Cripple Creek Classic Car Show - FSCC had 6 cars in the car show today despite the threatening weather. The rain held off while they sped up the voting so everyone made it out ok. The parking area was overflowing and might be a problem next year as the show grows.

Sat. Sept 19 - First State Charity Car Show at the Delaware State Fairgrounds. Go to the website firststatecorvetteclub.org to see the list of winners and the pictures. Thanks to Susan Makovec for being the unofficial photographer for the show.

Sat. Oct 3 - Wings & Wheels at Georgetown.
CANCELLED due to rain

Sat. Oct 3 - Breakfast at Ronald McDonald House - 15 members and 2 granddaughters traveled north in the rain to cook breakfast for the current residents. Thanks to Kathy Messer and the "Group"



Sun. Oct 4 - Mystery Lunch Cruise ala Gordon
CANCELLED due to Gordon's accident.

Upcoming Events

Oct. 10-11 - 6th Annual Flight 93 Trip - Norm wanted to let the new members know about our annual trip up to the Flight 93 Memorial. This is a Sat/Sun trip, overnight at a nice hotel and Sunday ride to the Memorial.

Fri/Sat Oct 16/17 - Free State Corvette Club's Annual Car Show in Ocean City, MD. A show of hands showed that several members were attending the Saturday Parade on the Boardwalk, most to just watch, from the Brass Balls Saloon between 11th & 12th streets on the boardwalk. Anyone wanting to congregate and watch, show up here.

Sun. Oct 18 - Tour the Monster Mile - Once again Chatty has arranged for club members to drive their Corvettes around the Monster Mile at Dover Downs. The limit is 60 cars. Chatty can fill you in on other info - call him.

Sun. Nov. 8th - Mystery Lunch Cruise - Norm is preparing another trip to a mystery restaurant. All I know. Sign up at the November meeting.

Mar. 19, 2016 - American Music Theater in Lancaster. The Oak Ridge Boys Show.

Tickets were purchased for 18 members signed up for the show. Plus 2 more for the shopping only.

Old Business

The Law offices of Murray, Murray, Thompson and Thompson audited the clubs books and it's good to say everything is in order. Thanks Jim & Lois, Pete & Vickie. The check is in the mail.

New Business

Scholarship: Lois Murray, chairperson for the Scholarship committee made a motion to have 4 - \$500 scholarships next year for local graduating Seniors, seconded by Rick Baker, Passed unanimously.

New Members: John & Diane Szewczyk of West Grove, PA have a 1980 Red Coupe.

Terry & Karen Brenwalt of Dover, De are returning members with a 2002 Pewter Coupe. Sponsor Rick Berry.

William & Pamela Smollen of Newark, DE have a 1975 Blue Stingray. Sponsor John Gula

Janice Bryan of Woodside, DE has a 1991 Red Convertible. Sponsor Carol Geiger.

Melody & Bob Rabold of Smyrna, DE have a 2015 Black Coupe. Sponsor Linda Silvaggio.

Norm Kiaunis made a motion to accept these 9 new members, seconded by Dan Dziombak. Passed unanimously. Congratulations and hope to see you soon at a meeting.

Home of the Brave Donation - Chatty made a motion to use the proceeds from the car show to give \$5500 to the Home of the Brave Foundation. This would be the third year in a row we were able to give \$5500. This was seconded by Mike Waal. Passed unanimously.

Nominations for Member of the Year: Each year we select an outstanding member that is not an officer to be named Member of the Year of the First State Corvette Club.

Nominations tonight were:

Gordon English

Jeff Ortiz

Kathy Messer

Ballots will be passed out at the November meeting and the winner will be announced at the Christmas Party. The winner will also receive the FSCC Banner that flew over the National Corvette Museum for the last year.

Good of the Organization

Gordon English wanted to thank everyone that supported himself and his wife Anne these past few weeks since his fall at the car show. Those that don't know, Gordon fell in the parking lot and fractured his hip. After surgery and a stint of rehab at the Milford Hospital, he is home and well enough to attend the meeting tonight.

FOR THE LADIES - Kathy Olechny is organizing an event for any of the ladies interested in learning how to make a **Toothbrush Rug**. The Delaware Sewing Center in the Rodney Village Shopping Center is offering these classes, on a Sunday, from noon to 5pm for a cost of \$36.00. Anyone interested can sign up at the next meeting and if you want to know what a Toothbrush Rug is, look it up on the internet.....everything's' on the internet.

A motion was made by Cheryl Crognali, seconded by Ken Messer to go back to New Business.

NEW BUSINESS: Ed Marcelle wanted to make a motion to have the club subsidize the cost each member must pay for the Christmas Party by \$10 per person bringing the cost back to the \$20 it cost last year. This would be for THIS YEAR ONLY. Seconded by Kathy Olechny.

Discussion: Kathy Olechny wanted to explain that this motion would be better tabled until after the party so a full account can be made of the cost of the party. Depending on whether the party shows a profit from the Chinese Auction or not, there could be no money made to reimburse the members.

Ed Marcelle withdrew his motion:

Cheryl Crognali made a motion to return to the order of the meeting, seconded by Ken Messer.

First State Corvette Club will be having Cruise Nights at Jakes Hamburgers - at the Blue Hen Corporate Center, Bay Road, Dover.
Every Wednesdays except the 1st. from 5-9pm.
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.
Oct 10

Beachcombers Cruise In's - 3rd Wednesday from April thru October - Burgers & Beans on Route 113 in Milford.
Oct 21

Corvette Club of Northern Delaware - 1st Saturday from April thru October - Ruby Tuesdays, 4732 Limestone Rd, Wilmington, Pike Creek Shopping Center.
Oct 13
Concord Mall Show Nov 1

Motion made by Gordon English seconded by Rick Berry to adjourn the meeting.

*Meeting Adjourned at 8:40 pm
Respectfully Submitted,
Donna Ballard, FSCC Secretary*

Trivia

Won by Linda Silvaggio

Thanks to Keith & Lori Koyanagi for preparing trivia

**50/50 Won By
Linda Berry \$115**

Thanks to Jim Murray and Linda Silvaggio 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

NEXT MEETING

Wednesday, Nov 4, 2015
 Abbotts Grill
 249 NE Front St
 Milford, DE

Dinner at 6pm - Meeting at 7:30pm

BIRTHDAYS FOR OCTOBER

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|----------------------|---------------------|
| 1 - Julie Moran | 22 - Richard Cooke |
| 3 - Richard Corbit | 23 - Donna Repass |
| 11 - Shar Hummel | 24 - Phil Meehan |
| 11 - Jim Murray | 26 - Pat Hughes |
| 12 - Keith Koyanagi | 20 - Martha Morytko |
| 16 - Maryanne Miller | 31 - Peggy Davis |
| 16 - Sandy Powell | 31 - G Gregoretti |
| 18 - Chuck Hutchings | 31 - Lee Stewart |
| 19 - Phyllis Andrese | 31 - JoAnn Vorwald |
| 20 - Jeff Witt | 31 - Midge Yacono |
| 21 - Lee Rossetti | |

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:

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| Signature Stitches
29 W. Loockerman
Dover
736-6500 | RWM Embroidery
19 Village Square
Smyrna
653-8384 | Pete Thompson
Classic Designs
734-4677 |
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Club Anniversaries

October

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| Art & Ann Matichak | 11 yrs |
| Bob & Tammy Mounts | 11 yrs |
| Dave & Tracy Solloway | 11 yrs |
| Jack & Cynthia Mason | 6 yrs |
| Billy & JoAnn Vorwald | 6 yrs |
| Jim Jones | 5 yrs |
| Stan & Laura Lavend | 5 yrs |
| Angelo & Lee Rossetti | 5 yrs |
| George & Cheryl Deering | 4 yrs |
| Dennis & Shar Hummel | 3 yrs |
| Richard & Phyllis Andrese | 2 yrs |
| Tom & Lucy Mehl | 2 yrs |
| John & Susan Makovec | 1 yr |
| Alvin & Dee Stroud | 1 yr |
| Adrian & Tracy Torres | 1 yr |

For Sale: 2000 Corvette Convertible Bowling Green Metallic w/tan top and tan leather. 6 speed garage kept, 65000 miles. Asking \$15500 OBO = FSCC member George Deering. Gdpar72@comcast.net
302-270-9367

For Sale: Delaware Vanity License Tag "C-SIX" . Good until February. 17 - \$150.
 ALSO - 2-P245/40ZR18 Eagle F1 Goodyear Tires with 8/32 - for \$100.
 Stan Lavend - 302-422-0854

For Sale: Premium Front Carpet Mats - 2014/2015 Corvette w/ Stingray Logo. \$75.
 See Jim Beird.

REDUCED: For Sale – Side Exhaust pipes, 327 2.5 inch Aluminized – Loud. They are for a 1963-1967 Corvette. Asking \$400 BO. Good Shape. Email Jim Erb 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: Complete Motive Bleeder (from Motive Products) for any Corvette with the metal rectangular master cylinder...Unit is brand new and was only used to check holding air pressure..\$70.00. 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: 1987 Corvette \$13,000 OBO.
Bill Swider swider8701@comcast.net.
Second Owner 2-+ yrs; garaged & covered
Repainted Nassau Blue/ Blue
21,500 Miles on Crated Engine
350 Engine; 4 speed w/3 Speed Overdrive
Rare Custom "Stalker" Bumper/Trip
New clutch, flywheel pressure plate
New glass top : New Tires
New Kenwood Excelon KDC-X399
Other Options - call 302-645-5909

For Sale: 2006 Red Corvette Convertible with black top & black Interior. Only **701** original miles. 6 speed. A lady bought it for her 80th birthday and now she is 89. Price \$33,995. call Richard Addington at 302-632-8728.

Attendance:

Carl & Diane Acker
Rick & Linda Baker
Bruce & Donna Ballard
Jim & Kathy Beird
Rick & Linda Berry
Tyler Bullock Janice Bryan
David & Shelly Conboy
Rich & Linda Cooke
Joe & Cheryl Crognali
George DeOld
Dan & Sue Dziombak
Gordon & Ann English
Jim & Vicki Erb
Mel Geiger
John Gula & Chase
Don & Susan Hammond
Bruce Hartig & Cathy
Warren Hensley
Bob & Cindy Horton
Joe Hughes
Darlene Hurley
Norm Kiaunis & Cathy Raley
Daniel Korytko
Keith & Lori Koyanagi
Stan & Laura Lavend
Glen & Nina Lewis
Bob & Linda Lowes
John Makovec
Ed Marcelle
Philomena Meehan & Jeff Ortiz
Tom Mehl
Ken & Kathy Messer
Lee & Julie Moran
Jim & Lois Murray
Bill & Kathy Olechny
Edward & Lois Pielech
Chatty Reed
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Frank & Linda Silvaggio
Pete & Vickie Thompson
Mike & Linda Waal
Jeff & Ann Witt
Bob & Midge Yacono

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Race Track Car Wash
Reel Fresh Inc
Rick and Linda Baker
Rick Berry Family
Rocco
Roesville Estate Residents
RWM Embroidery & More
Sabarina Oswell at Luigis pizza
Sambos Tavern
Senator Bruce Ennis
Shooter Choice
Solloways Sales and Service
Sound of TriState
Spring & Associates, Inc
Stained Glass Closet
Stan and Laura Lavend
State Farm Insurance, Rick Downes

State Farm, Matt Basille
Surf Taco
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Teal Construction Inc
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