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First State Corvette Club

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The FSCC Meeting was held Wednesday Oct 5, 2016 at Chinatown Buffet in Dover, DE. President Gordon English called the meeting to order at 7:15pm.

Pledge of Allegiance

Reading and Approval of Minutes.

Motioned by Tyler Bullock, seconded by Dan Dziombak and approved unanimously.



Established 1970

www.firststatecorvetteclub.org

Dues are Due

NEW MEMBERS

**Stephen & Marie Petkus
Townsend, DE
1979 Hilton Brown Coupe**

**Wayne & Elaine Straughn
Harrington, DE
1960 Honduras Maroon & White
Roadster**

**Phil McGuire
Laurel, MD
2016 Z06 Silver Convertible
2001 Silver Convertible**

Before the meeting officially started - Bruce presented Gordon with his official gavel with which to try and control this group.

President - Gordon started his presidents report by giving a tribute to Bruce Ballard. With all officers, all appointed offices, and long standing members Rick Berry and Ed Marcelle, Gordon presented Bruce with a new club jacket with his past offices listed. Bruce was treasurer from 2003 - 2008, and president from 2008 - 2016. He also received a plaque recounting his

offices and years there in. There were short speeches by a few, and flowers were presented to Donna for all the years she supported Bruce in office. Representatives from Chevrolet of Dover and Solloway's, our sponsors, also spoke of Bruce.

Vice-President:

- Wed. Nov 2 Grotto Pizza, Dover**
- Sun. Dec 4 Harrington Casino, Harrington**
- Wed. Jan 4 Grotto Pizza, Dover**

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

Corresponding Secretary:

Treasurer: Submitted by Kathy Olechny:

Beginning Balance	
Deposits	
Checks	

Ending Balance	\$

A motion was made by Dan Dziombak seconded by Jim Erb to accept the treasurer's report as read. Passed unanimously.

Membership: We currently have 253 members.
DUES ARE DUE

Public Relations / Publicity: Diane reported that the Adopt-a-Highway picture appeared in the paper around the middle of September. And recently, she submitted the Ronald McDonald picture for publication.

Quartermaster Sandy now has long sleeve t-shirts in stock, and still has a full supply of t-shirts, hats, visors, flags, window stickers, etc. Stop and browse. Pete has large logo patches for \$15 and umbrellas for \$15. Pete is also taking orders for photo transfer items. You can take your Corvette picture and have it placed on a t-shirt, hat, whatever. Pete modeled his own personal shirt for the crowd. Nice!!

Parade Chairman: Looking for a volunteer. We only attend 4 or 5 parades a year so it is not a demanding job. Talk to Jeff Ortiz about the duties and volunteer.....

Until someone is found, Jeff will continue to organize any parades for the group. Jeff wanted to thank the 4 convertibles that helped out with the Volunteer Fireman's Parade in September. Hartly Fire Co. greatly appreciates our support each year to carry Queens.

Upcoming parades:

- Fri. Nov. 4 - Caesar Rodney Homecoming**
- Sat. Nov. 12 - Delaware Veterans Day Parade**
- Sat. Dec. 1st - Dover Christmas Parade**

National Corvette Museum - Jim reported that on Nov. 8th there will be a hearing on the Motorsport lawsuits. If interested, follow the museum website. www.corvettemuseum.com

A side remark from Gordon, in 2019 the museum will be celebrating its 25th anniversary and he and Chatty are starting to organize a trip down to Bowling Green for the event. Mark your calendar, if it goes that far.....

Corvette Racing Report - Everybody's favorite Mike Waal give a short version of the current events going on in the Racing world. Mike will be sending emails to each member with links to all the events. Watch your mail. And thanks Mike.

www.corvetteracing.com...gotransam.com/about/...callawaycars.com/homepage

Committee Reports

Car Show Committee: Chatty reported that the car show was a success. We had 100 registered cars and 26 members cars. This low attendance was due to 5 other car shows in the area. But our Charity - The Home of the Brave - is what brought us most of the cars. A follow up car show meeting will be held on **Tues. Nov. 22nd** at Teal Const. Office, 612 Mary St. in Dover. Those attending will discuss any questions or problems from the show and talk about changes for next year.

Christmas Committee - Diane had a signup sheet for the upcoming Holiday Party. The cost this year is \$25 per person, payable in advance. Pre-addressed envelopes were available with Diane's address so you can send in your check.

Diane Acker - 194 Charlies Court - Felton, DE 19943

Or bring it to the next meeting. Anyone on the committee can take your reservation. The committee consists of Diane, Lucy Mehl, Holly Kehler, Ann Witt, and Kathy Raley.

The party is in the Gold Room at the Harrington Casino starting at 6pm. There will be no Chinese or silent auctions this year but the committee has plans for a great evening.

Past Events

Sat. Sept 10 - Adopt-a-Highway - We had 10 members answer the call of the wild and pick up trash along the Apple Grove School Road. With 8 pickers and 2 follow-up cars, we were able to cover the route in a short time. Winner of the day with animal parts was Kathy Olechny. Pictures are: Rick Berry, Sheree Waters, Bill Olechny, Linda Berry, Kathy Olechny, George DeOld, Maxine DeOld, Donna Ballard and Dennis Hummel. One of the follow-up drivers, Bruce Ballard, was the photographer. Thanks, Gang!!



Sat. Sept 17 - First State Charity Car Show - This event was a great success - nice weather and gracious guests. The proceeds from this car show goes to Home of the Brave. To see more pictures of all the winners, and the workers, go to the www.firststatecorvetteclub.org website and look under Photo Gallery.



Best in Show: Dennis Clement of Bridgeville, DE with his 1955 Apricot Brandy Chevrolet Bel Air .

Sep 25 - Suicide Bridge Riverboat Lunch Cruise



There were 58 members from 3 Corvette Club having a Crab Feast on the riverboat cruise at Suicide Bridge Restaurant. The weather was perfect and the food was great. Sorry you missed the fun. Thanks to Ed Marcelle for arranging this

trip. We had one couple not show up and not pay and Ed had to pay for them anyway. A motion was made by Rick Berry, seconded by John Makovec to reimburse Ed for the \$116 he paid for the missing people.

Sat. Oct 1 - Breakfast at Ronald McDonald



Assisting Kathy Messer at the Ronald McDonald House were: Lee & Angelo Rossetti, Chatty & Sharon Reed, Jack & Sandy Powell, Darlene Hurley, Tyler Bullock, Linda Silvaggio, Gordon & Ann English, Jim & Kathy Beird, Bill & Kathy Olechny, and Rich & Linda Cooke. Thank you for your devotion. Photographer was Ken Messer.

Sat. Oct 1 - Wings & Wheels 2016 in Georgetown. Due to the off and on rain, this usually huge show had only 45 cars attend, and they had 60 trophies, soeveryone attending got an award. Congratulations to Norm and the Dziombak's for their trophies.

Sun. Oct 2 - Milford Lions Club Car Show - this was the rain date for this show but turned out to be a good day for FSCC. We won 4 awards: Joe Hughes, Art Matichak, Stan Lavend and Norm all got trophies.

Congrats Guys.....



Upcoming Events

Sun. Oct 9 - Mystery Lunch Cruise - The meeting place has been changed to the Smyrna Rest Area due to teeny tiny bladders. On their behalf, we will not start at the Blue Hen Center due to no bathrooms there. We will be heading NORTH and we'll stop when we see boats. Donna and Bruce are your tour guides this trip. Leaving 11:30 am sharp. Ride is a little over 1 hour. Give or take. **This is a rain or shine trip - your choice whether to get your Vette wet or not.**

Sun. Oct 16 - Ride around Dover Downs - tackle the Monster Mile. Arrive by 10am to sign your waiver and pay the exact change in cash -
 Driver & Car = \$20.00
 Passenger = 7.00

RULES: when driving around the track, stay in the bottom 2 groves (NO PASSING)
 This will be a 2 hour event. If you did not get a chance to sign up and wish to go, contact Chatty. Maximum number of cars is 50.

Mon. Oct 17 - Scholarship Fundraiser for the Beachcombers - There will be a buffet dinner at the Georgia House in Millsboro to raise funds for the Beachcombers scholarship fund. FSCC usually has many members attend and support our fellow Corvette club. The cost is \$17 per person and anyone going should meet at the Georgia House at 5pm. The buffet dinner is from 5pm to 7pm,

Sat/Sun Oct 22-23 - Annual Flight 93 Trip - Norm will once again take members across Maryland to the area of the Flight 93 Memorial in Pennsylvania.

Mon/Tue/Wed - Oct 31, Nov 1-2 - VIR Weekend. Norm is arranging rooms at VIR and time on the track for anyone wanting to travel to Virginia. The minimum is 15 cars with a maximum of 20 cars. You have to book a minimum of 2 nights at the Lodge at VIR.

Fri. Nov. 4 - Caesar Rodney Homecoming - This is a parade we assist with every year. The school asks for 14 cars or more, convertibles preferred but coupes can be used with their TOPS OFF. Sorry, no coupes with fixed tops.

The lineup is in Wyoming, along the RR Tracks around 5:00 with the parade starting at 6:00pm. Each car will carry a Homecoming Queen and/or her court. Parade goes from Wyoming, thru Camden and ends at the High School Football Field. Signup at Nov. meeting.

Sun. Nov. 6 - Mystery Lunch Cruise - it's a mystery to Norm. Stand By.....

Sat. Nov. 12 - Delaware Veterans Day Parade in Dover. We have been asked to participate in this parade again this year. Information about the lineup and times will be at the November meeting. Think about it.....

Wed. Nov. 30 - FSCC Annual Cookie Exchange - again this year, Tammy Mounts is hosting this cookie extravaganza at her house west of Camden-Wyoming. Each attendee should bring 4 dozen cookies - all one kind, or 2 dozen each of 2 different kinds. Variety is the word of the day. The signup sheet will be out again at the November meeting and Tammy will be providing lunch for the group. Fun time - don't miss it.

The group this year will create two baskets of assorted cookies to be delivered to each of our sponsors: Solloway's and Chevrolet of Dover. Nothing says Happy Holidays like COOKIES !!

Sat. Dec. 1st - Dover Christmas Parade - anyone wanting to join in the group will enjoy the Dover Christmas Parade. You get to decorate your cars and enjoy the holiday spirit. Signup at the November meeting.

New Business

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Norm made a motion to accept these 5 new members, seconded by John Makovec. Passed Unanimously. Welcome Veters!

- Chatty made a motion to make the donation from this car show this year to Home of the Brave \$5500. Seconded by Jack Powell, passed unanimously.

- Nominations for Member of the Year - since we only had one person nominated, I will not reveal that person's name here - have to wait.

Good of the Organization

St. Jude's Stuffed Animals. Member Susan Makovec is again selling stuffed animals to benefit the St. Jude's Children's Research Hospital. The animals are \$13.99 and all the money goes to the research facility. If you wish to donate your animal back or just donate money towards an animal, Susan takes all donated animals to the DuPont Children's Hospital at Christmas time for the children.

Susan would like to thank the club for its generosity in purchasing animals. After last night meeting, approx. 100 bears were sold, and 75 of those sold were donated back to the children at the DuPont Hospital. The total amount to be given to St. Jude's Research Center is \$1400. Thank you all.

The Executive Committee, made up of elected officers, will meet at 5pm, before the regular meeting on Nov. 2nd at Grotto Pizza in Dover. Discussion will be issues ongoing with the club and suggestions for 2017 Activities.

Anyone with ideas or suggestions is welcome at the meeting.

Jeff Ortiz wanted to let members know about a great radar detector - [Rocky Mountain Radar/Laser Detectors and Scramblers](#). For more information, contact Jeff. As if anyone in this club would speed!

Any Member wanting one of the window plaques should contact Rick Berry at berry9598@comcast.net with the information on your car.

Motion made by John Makovec seconded by Jeff Witt to adjourn the meeting.

*Meeting Adjourned at 8:35 pm
Respectfully Submitted,
Donna Ballard, FSCC Secretary*

Trivia Winner

John Cullen

Thanks to Rick Baker for preparing trivia

50/50 Won By

Jim Erb \$115.00

Thanks to Jack Powell & Linda Waal for selling tickets

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Anyone needing name tags, see Norm

**Sandy Powell (302) 539-2012
Quartermaster**

Club Flags are \$13 each

Club Patches are \$3.00 each

Window Clings - \$1.00

BIRTHDAYS FOR OCTOBER

1 - Julie Moran	20 - Jeff Witt
2 - Sue Steffenhagan	21 - Lee Rossetti
3 - Richard Corbit	22 - Richard Cooke
6 - Rebecca Petersen	23 - Donna Repass
10 - Sheree Waters	24 - Philomena Meehan
11 - Shar Hummel	26 - Pat Hughes
11 - Jim Murray	29 - Martha Morytko
12 - Keith Koyanagi	31 - Peggy Davis
16 - Maryanne Miller	31 - "G" Gregoretti
16 - Sandy Powell	31 - Diane Szewczyk
18 - Chuck Hutchings	31 - JoAnn Vorwald
19 - Phyllis Andrese	

NEXT MEETING

**Wednesday, Nov 2, 2016
Grotto Pizza
1159 N DuPont Highway
Dover, DE**

**Executive Meeting at 5:00
Dinner at 6:00 - Meeting at 7:15pm**

Club Anniversaries October

Art & Ann Matichak	12 yrs
Bob & Tammy Mounts	12 yrs
Dave & Tracy Solloway	12 yrs
Jack & Cynthia Mason	7 yrs
Billy & JoAnn Vorwald	7 yrs
Jim Jones	6 yrs
Stan & Laura Lavend	6 yrs
Angelo & Lee Rossetti	6 yrs
Dennis & Shar Hummel	4 yrs
Richard & Phyllis Andrese	3 yrs
Tom & Lucy Mehl	3yrs
John & Susan Makovec	2 yrs
Alvin & Dee Stroud	2 yrs
Adrian & Tracy Torres	2 yrs
Terry & Karen Brenwalt	1 yr
Janice Bryan	1 yr
William & Pamela Smollen	1 yr
John & Diane Szewczyk	1 yr

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
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For Sale:

(2) 18" and (2) 19" base silver painted wheels. Center caps not GM. Excellent condition, less than 300 miles. \$150 obo.
 2014 Base Grill - \$50 obo
 2014 door sill plates, still in plastic \$50 obo
 2014 original floor mats, still in plastic \$35 obo.
 2014 front license plate assembly, still in plastic \$10
 Soft flannel car cover fits C5/C6 - \$25
 Contact Jim Murray
 jimloismurray@aol.com or 540-848-4194

For Sale: Two read tires from my C5:
Good Year F1 Run Flats. P275/40Z R18.
Black Walls. About 1000 miles on them.
Asking \$200 for pair. Carl Acker. 302-
233-1327

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: 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: 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.

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: 1986 Chevrolet Corvette,
Indy Pace car edition, Convertible,
automatic, power steering & brakes,
air conditioning, AM/FM radio,
power seats, 38k miles. Needs a few
cosmetic repairs. \$12,500 or BO.
Call 732-295-9320

For Sale: 2004 Corvette Convertible
77,359 miles
All Service Records
6 speed manual
1SB preferred group with memory package.
Heads Up Display
Optional Polished Aluminum Wheels
Recently Replaced Tires
Blade Silver with Black Interior
Bose Sound System
5.7 liter LS1 V-8 Engine
19 mpg City / 28 MPG highway
6 way power seat
Hurst Short Throw Shifter
After market performance exhause
Upgraded Bilstein gas shocks
Price \$18,000 410-924-2195

Attendance:

Carl & Diane Acker
Rick & Linda Baker
Bruce & Donna Ballard
James & Kathy Beird
Rick & Linda Berry
Tyler Bullock
Jim Chapman & Cindy Wall
David & Shelly Conboy
Rich & Linda Cooke
John Cullen
Bob Davis
Barry & Joan Dietz
Dan & Sue Dziombak
Gordon & Ann English
Jim & Vicki Erb
Wayne Esposito
Ray & Linda Fullwood
John Gula
Darlene Hurley
Chuck Hutchings
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Stan & Laura Lavend
Glen Lewis
Bob & Linda Lowes
John & Susan Makovec
Ed Marcelle & Sue Lehman
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