

The Glass Dispatch

Tri-State Corvette Club, Inc
P.O. Box 771
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Next Meeting:

Feb 19 at Pizza Chef in Newburgh

Dine at 6:00 pm

Meeting at 7:00 pm

From the President

Welcome to the Mid-West, 70 degrees one day and 18 the next.

TSCC has been somewhat quiet for our Club activities so far this Year. One doesn't

Know from one day to the next what to do because of the weather. Larry Farmer was telling me at Church Sunday about his Corvette outside mirror sagging and was wondering if I had a solution for the problem. Was just thinking to myself my face is sagging as well, shucks, I had no solution for that either, (meaning cabin fever has set in, I do mean in the worst way.) If our good club members can hang on for a short time longer we together can get through these incredible BLUES called cabin fever. Sure hope so anyway!!!

As you well know "if you were at the last Club meeting" TSCC will be **EYEBALL** deep on July 26th with a very exciting incredible day of playing with the plastic. Starting early on that illustrious Saturday TSCC will be at the Old Newburgh Lock & Dam downtown Newburgh for an NCCC all Corvette Car Show. At this time all club members will be eligible to show your Corvette. Non Club Members Corvettes will be invited to participate in this all Corvette Show as well. The Corvette Show will get under way at 8:00 AM and presenting awards at 3:00 PM.

After the all day Car show, TSCC will move to the Sonic Drive-in Restaurant on HWY 66 in Newburgh at 4:00 PM for our TSCC open Car Cruise-In from 5:00 PM until 9:00 PM. This program will be under the guidance of our Vice President Phil Bernick and assistant Mike Hudson. Be sure to keep this date open for some very good summer fun with cars, cars & more cars.

What a day this should be for fun in the sun, aren't you excited!!!!!! **How much better can it get?**

RDB

Happy Birthday!

Happy Birthday to the following members for the month of February: Patty Atherton, Marilyn Bean, Larry Farmer, Janet Hale, Mike Hudson, Gary Kruger, Jim Mastison, Hugh Miller, Colleen Schmidt and Gary Turpin. Hope you have or had a good one!

First ZR1 Brings \$1 Million at Barrett Jackson Auction

The first 2009 Chevrolet Corvette ZR1 was sold Saturday, January 19, at the Barrett-Jackson Collector Car auction in Arizona to Dave Ressler, whose winning bid was \$1,000,000. The profit raised is being donated to the United Way for Southeast Michigan.

GM North America President Troy Clarke was there along with "The Tonight Show" host Jay Leno to be a part of the action. Leno drove the ZR1 show car onto the auction floor and introduced Chevrolet's first entry into the world of super cars. It is the fastest and most powerful car ever built by General Motors. Production begins July and is limited to only 2,000 vehicles per year.

Another C6 Corvette

If you should see a Beautiful Black C/6 Corvette 6-speed with RED interior sporting some very cool heart stopping wheels, get out of the way it could be Gary Turpin. This is one very cool new baby for the Turpins. This new Bad Boy has 436 H.P. and the looks that will stop anyone in his tracks. Congratulations on your new super cool Corvette Gary.

Check out Blue Bars

Your NCCC member packets should be arriving in the mail very soon. You should see a coupon for the NCCC rules book included, you will need to send the coupon in if you wish to have a rule book. Kevin Milton will distribute NCCC pin and calendars to each club member at our February club meeting. Kevin also announced a possible membership dues increase for next year "2009".

Don't forget you, can always keep in touch with club events. They are listed in your monthly club Newsletter.

TSCC Carnival Cruise

Tri-State Corvette Club has set up a wonderful Carnival Cruise for TSCC members, thanks to the help of TSCC members Karen & Ken Norris. Members will fly Saturday March 8th to Fort Lauderdale, Fl. The ship will depart Sunday @ 4:00 PM arriving Monday in Nassau Bahamas, Tuesday will be a fun day at sea, Wednesday, St. Thomas, USVI, Thursday St. Maarten, NA also St. John. Friday & Saturday will again be fun days in the sun at sea. We will arrive in Miami, Fl. and depart the ship for home on Sunday.

I ask you, does this look like a fun week for TSCC members? TSCC does wish all club members could be aboard with us.

Big Nashville Trip

TSCC member Mike Hudson has in the past put together some wonderful trips for our club and again this year he is doing it again. Mike has set up a very nice trip to Nashville TN. for the Grand Ole' Opry for the weekend of April 19 & 20th (Saturday & Sunday). This will again be a fun run for TSCC members. If you didn't make the one last year, for sure take advantage of this great trip. Please get with Mike Hudson if you feel you would like to indulge in this incredible weekend. Phone # 812-422-5924 email- mhkirbys1@aol.com

More events:

Mar 29 – Huntingburg Car Show. We will have Registration forms for the Huntingburg car show at our Feb. meeting.

Apr 4-6 – Spring Indoor Classic Car show Murray Ky

May 2 – First Friday downtown Evansville

June 6 – First Friday downtown Evansville

June 13-16 – Branson Mo cruise

July 18-20 – Corvette Homecoming, Bowling Green Ky

July 26 – NCCC Car Show at Old Newburgh Lock & Dam, Cruise in at Sonic Drive In Newburgh

Aug 1 – First Friday downtown Evansville

Sept 5 – First Friday downtown Evansville

Sept 19-21 – Corvette Funfest Effingham IL

Events, cont'd

Dec 6 – Shriners Parade Henderson Ky

Dec 7 – TSCC Christmas Party & Dinner

Corvette ZR1

Did you read how well G. M. did in Auto Week Magazine, as they selected the new ZR1 Corvette BEST of SHOW at the North American International Auto Show according to Auto Week Editor and Associate Publisher Dutch Mandel, "they awarded Best in Show to the vehicle that they feel will be best remembered five years down the road. Simply put, the Corvette ZR1 is the BADDEST of the BAD. The 620 horsepower machine with Carbon-Fiber Body rightfully takes its place as BEST in SHOW.



2008 Officers

President	Bob Bean	853-6947
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2008 Board of Directors

Denny Gries	Gary Turpin
Ken Norris (A)	Gary Kruger
Mark Smith	Dan Jaquess
Show Chairman	Mike Hudson
Membership Chairman	Charlie Wright
NCM Ambassador	Mike Hudson

TSCC February Member of the Month

Mark & Gina Adams are the club members of the month of February, Mark & Gina live on HWY 261 north of Newburgh, with their five children. Mark is in the Plumbing business under the name Adams Plumbing, Inc. Mark is a Master Licensed Plumber. If you should be in the need of his help with your plumbing give Mark a call 812-476-1746. Mark & Gina have been members of the club for a lot of years and do enjoy the fun of just getting in the Corvettes for a run in the country. Mark has a goal of getting a Corvette for each of his kids, he has two Corvettes in the garage at this time and always looking for the next one, now I ask you isn't this a cool Dad! You can see the one of a kind garage Mark has at his new home in our Club website <http://tristatecorvetteclub.com/garage/madams.html>



TSCC Minutes of January 15, 2008

There were 28 members and 1 guest for a total of 29 present.

President, Bob Bean called the meeting to order. Bob welcomed all members and guests. It was good to have Pat and Gary Kruger at the meeting. New members Buck and Lois Gears were also present. Bob thanked former Vice President Mike Hudson for doing such a great job during his term as Vice President. Bob then welcomed the new Vice President, Phil Bernick, and other officers and directors.

Bob thanked everyone who attended the Henderson Christmas Parade.

The New Year's Day Cruise to French Lick and West Baden Springs Hotel was a big success even with a little snow. Thirty plus Corvettes made the run.

Mike Hudson thanked everyone for attending the Club Christmas Party.

There were 96 people in attendance. The 2008 Christmas Party will be held at the same location. Mike will have more information later.

Mike passed around a sign-up sheet for name badges. If you don't have one and would like to have one, contact Mike.

Mike has a trip to Nashville, TN. planned in April. A sign-up sheet was passed around. Mike will have more information at the next meeting.

NCCC Governor, Kevin Milton said the picture taken in August of the club cars should be in the next issue of Blue Bars. The NCCC membership packets should arrive soon. There is a coupon for the rule book included, you will need to send it in if you want one.

Kevin will distribute the pins and calendars at the next meeting.

It is possible the membership dues could increase. Kevin will keep us informed.

The upcoming events were reviewed. These events are always listed in the newsletter.

March 9-16 a 7 day cruise to the Caribbean. Seven couples have signed up for this event.

April 4-6 Spring Classic Car Show at Murray State University. Contact Bob Bean for more information.

April 19 Trip to Nashville, TN, weekend trip. Contact Mike Hudson.

June 13-16 four day trip to Branson Mo.. Contact Bob Bean.

TSCC will be hosting an NCCC All Corvette Car Show on July 26, 2008 at the Old Newburgh Lock and Dam on the Ohio River. Registration fee will be \$15. On the same day July 26 in the evening the club will host a Car Cruise In at the Sonic Drive In in Newburgh. More information later. This year is also the 35th Anniversary of the Tri-State Corvette Club. Will try to tie this in with the car show.

April 24-26 is the C5 C6 Birthday Bash. Ground breaking ceremonies at the Museum. The 2008 ZR1 will be in the car line up. See the Museum website for more information.

Motion was made by Kevin Milton and seconded by Steve Bruce to approve the minutes as printed in the newsletter.

Treasurer, Marilyn Bean gave the financial report. It was accepted as read.

Half-pot of \$30 was won by Kevin Milton.

Motion was made and seconded to adjourn the meeting.

Next meeting is February 19, 2008.