



459 Members

as of

November 2016

New Members

Jeff & Clarisse Brown

2016 Long Beach Red
Convertible

Michael &

Tina Marie Schmidt

2004 LeMan Blue ZO6 CE

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President's Message

T. Wayne Lankford

Another year is coming to an end, winter is on our doorstep and spring is just a distant thought. Many of our corvette's are already in hibernation, cleaned, covered, battery tender attached just waiting for the spring thaw.

The club elections were held on November 10th at the general membership meeting. We congratulate Bob Bearn and Joe Parente for being newly elected board members. The members of the 2017 CCDV board are as follows: Chairman Ed Bonk, Bill Burkholder, Steve Fisher, Jacques Etkowicz, Rose Ferrante, Ang Grippo, Dennis Traves, Bob Bearn and Joe Parente.

The President's slate for 2017 is as follows: Joel Fellman-VP, Ken Woods-Treasurer, Barb Grippo-Recording Secretary and Pete Carroll-Corporate Secretary. I will announce the new board committee chairpersons at the January meeting as well as in the Presidents message next month.

On November 13th, the club held the monthly breakfast at Andy's Diner in Springhouse. There were sixteen hungry members in attendance. Good food, friendship and a lot of laughs. Our last club breakfast for the year will be held on December 17th at Ben and Irv's in the Justa Farms Shopping Center. Another great eatery!

NEWS FLASH! Rory, better known as Greg Baugher, just received an early "Holiday" present. It's a 2014 "Torch Red" corvette coupe, automatic and 2LT. It is absolutely beautiful, best of luck Rory!!!

From what I have read and heard, this years "Holiday" party will again be a festive evening of food, fun and CCDV partiers. If you didn't sign up, you are missing another fantastic fun filled evening planned by Barbara, Kathy, Joann and Gail.

We are now scheduling speakers for next year. I would like to thank Dave Urbanek for attaining many of our speakers. If anyone has suggestions, please see Dave.

I would like to wish each and everyone a happy holiday season. Enjoy, take in the beauty of the holiday season. Spend time with your friends but most important, spend time with your family. HAPPY HOLIDAYS. HAPPY NEW YEAR!

T.Wayne

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DECEMBER BIRTHDAYS

1 Paul Angermeier	17 Sue Fellman
Glenn Baker	Gary Romberger Sr.
Mary Baker	Michael Socci
2 Donald Bainbridge	Dominic Ventresca
3 Barry McLaughlin	18 Joan Allen
Debbie Haeussler	John Benischeck
Karen Sinn	Joseph Villante
4 Janet Remich	Ronna Tyndall Jr.
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8 Barbara Brooks	27 Bill Huey
10 Rhonna Ann Jasner	28 Kristy Conwell
Sharon Woodland	Wendy Thompson
12 Daniel Harmon	29 Nick Dautel
David Larkins	Tom Forsyth
Angela Suggs	Sherri Nikazy
13 Timothy Gannon	30 Michael Gaffin
William Washnock	John Milewski
Bonnie Milnes	Cynthia Lear
14 Tom Sheridan	Natalie Brajer
Tim Simmons	31 James Polis
16 Sheila Archambault	Gary Rinker
Lynne Harnish	Ginny Wydominic
Sandy Ciaccio	Kate Hoffman

A belated Happy Birthday to Helena Kozak from last month November 15

Gas Cap, Website & Club Related Issues

If you have issues with the website such as: lost password, username, sign-on or receiving the Gas Cap, please e-mail Bill Burkholder at wburkholder4@comcast.net. Please include your screen name, real name, and e-mail address. Do not e-mail "WebGuy" as he only handles the technical aspects of the website. You can also e-mail any questions that you have regarding CCDV or Bill. He will re-direct the e-mail to the proper chairperson who will be able to assist in resolving issues

CCDV Elections November 10th meeting: Who's running?

T Wayne Lankford has again committed to run for the position of CCDV President and submitted his slate of officers for 2017 as follows: **President:** T Wayne Lankford **Vice President:** Joel Fellman; **Corporate Secretary:** Pete Carroll **Recording Secretary:** Barb Grippo **Treasurer:** Ken Woods

The following 10 CCDV members have submitted their names to be placed on the ballot for the eight (8) Board Member positions which come up to be voted on each year.

Bill Burkholder	Jacques Etkowicz	Steve Fisher	John Indelicato	Dennis Trayes
Bob Bearn	Rose Ferrante	Angelo Grippo	Joe Parente	Bob Weiss

Don't forget, nominations for **board positions** can still be taken from the floor on the night of the election. Absentee ballots will be available should you be unable to attend the November 10th, general membership meeting at the VE club. To receive an absentee ballot, please contact me, Rose Ferrante, via the club phone 215-938-7722 or you may also use e-mail to request your ballot. Please direct the email to rferante@fonnerinsurance.com and make sure to indicate "CCDV Absentee Ballot Request" in the subject line. It would be a great help to me if you could include your mailing address when you request the ballot as well as your phone number in the event we would have misinformation on our membership list. It is important to contact me as soon as possible due to the time sensitivity in receiving the ballots prior to the November meeting. All absentee ballots must be received by November 9th.

If you require a spousal ballot, please include that information as well. Please note: The ballots that are cast at the meeting are anonymous. The absentee ballot is also anonymous, but the return envelope will include your name on it and the envelope must be signed. This step is necessary to keep track so there is no duplication of votes. If you request and return an absentee ballot, you may still attend the November meeting to vote, and your absentee Ballot will be discarded at that time.

Thank you for supporting the club and exercising your right to choose the people to represent and work for you in this great club of ours!

Sincerely,

Nominating committee members

Rose Ferrante & Bill Burkholder

Joe Parente
Bill Burkholder
Dennis Trayes
Ken Woods*
Joel Fellman*
Rose Ferrante

CCDV 2016

Eenie Meenie Miney Merry Holiday Party

Saturday, December 10, 2016 6:30-10:30

Cocktail Hour 6:30-7:30 (psst, be there for that)

Dinner Dave, the DJ Fun & Laughter

Cash Bar

Club Member: \$39.00/pp Non-Member: \$49.00/pp

The Brookside Manor at Somerton Springs

50 Bustleton Pike

Feasterville, PA 19053

RSVP and payment due by November 25, 2016

Barbara Weiss 215-300-1544

Kathy Applegate 215-696-9492

CCDV c/o Barbara Weiss

1945 Cathedral Road

Huntingdon Valley, PA 19006

Names of Party Guests:

ATTENTION HUNGRY VETTESTERS

Well, we're cracking open another month.....and you know what that means.....(drum roll).....

....another Breakfast has been planned, so we can all baconize, eggasize and caffeinate - and otherwise associate with the really fun people who are in this club.

Yeah Baby!

THE CCDV ROVING DECEMBER 2016 BREAKFAST WILL BE HELD ON

SATURDAY, DECEMBER 17th at 9:30am

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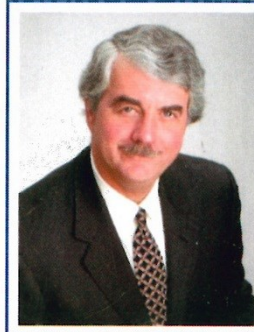
If you are interested in joining the party, you can call me on my cell phone (215-208-6620), post a reply on our website, send me a telegram, or reach me by carrier pigeon.

A BIG THANKS & a "Tip O The Hat" to Baconeer **Nick Cipriano**, who provided the tip on this eatery!

Hope to see you there.



Johnny Bacon



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Please e-mail the Gas Cap Editor to list an automobile or related item you wish to include in a future.

These listings are free to CCDV members.

Please note: listings will be removed after 3 months unless we are notified otherwise.

1989 Corvette Coup for sale
owner = Joe Taggart = 267-228-1317
92,000 miles - runs great - all receipts
new exhaust, injectors, battery, etc.
beautiful cameleon paint
\$7,500. firm

10/16

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Thank you, *Dave Peterson*

HIGHLIGHTS FROM CCDV BOARD MEETING
November 17, 2016

Activities – See Web-Site

Holiday Party is December 10, 2016. The Flyer is on the Web-Site to print out and send in your money

CECF – Bob Weiss

The CECF Board had a meeting to discuss and approve the 2016 Charity Contributions. Checks will be given out at the January Membership Meeting.

Club Store – Denny Matlack will take over the Store in January 2017

Cavalcade – Stephen Fisher

T Wayne will continue to post in the Gas Cap that Volunteers are needed for the 2018 Cavalcade. It would be to your advantage to shadow the Committee for the 2017 Cavalcade.

Stephen is putting together a Procedure Book on each of the Committee Persons responsibilities so that the new Volunteers will be able to know exactly what to do when they take over the position.

Please Volunteer to help out with Cavalcade 2018.

Next year's Cavalcade date is June 17, 2017

CCDV Name Tags – Barbara Grippo – bgrippo.ccdv@yahoo.com

Anyone interested in purchasing Name Tags please contact Barbara Grippo. They are \$15.00 each.

She needs at least three ordered to submit an order to the Company.

Sales will resume at the January 2017 Membership Meeting.

Two new Membership Applications were received;

Michael Schmidt (I) Tina Marie – 2004 Lemans Blue Commemorative Edition Coupe Zo6

Jeff Brown (I) Clarisse – 2016 Long Beach Red Conv

The Gas Cap could use some sprucing up.

If you are interested in submitting Articles, Pictures, Ideas, etc for the Gas Cap please contact T Wayne

If you would like to Advertise in the Gas Cap or know someone who would please contact Pete Carroll, Advertising Chair petegolfvette@verizon.net

UPCOMING EVENTS

12-08-16: ** NO CCDV Membership Meeting

12-10-16: ** CCDV Holiday Party

12-17-16: ** Breakfast at BEN & IRV'S

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