

457 Members

as of

October 2016



Ted & Barbara Brooks

2001 Dark Bowling Green Coupe

Michael & Monica Gaffin

1976 Red Coupe

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President's Message

T. Wayne Lankford

October is a month of transition for many of the activities we most enjoy. A majority of the clubs activities, car shows and trips begin to dwindle with the onset of winter and the Holiday season. Most of us are now preparing our cars for a long winters night while others utilize their corvettes year round. Spring can never arrive soon enough!

The Peddlers' Village car show was once again a great outing for many of our members. Although the weather to start was iffy, all participants had a great time. Our club had twelve cars entered and in the end, took seven trophies as well as the "Best Club Participation Award." We would have had thirteen cars but "Richy" had to leave early to sing Opera!

On October 8th, the club breakfast was held at the Star Diner in New Hope. There were thirteen members in attendance that enjoyed good food and great conversations with friends. Our next breakfast will be held on Sunday, November 13th at Andy's Diner in Springhouse.

The high light of the month was the Raffle Car drawing, which was held at the CCDV general membership meeting on October 13th. The lucky winner was Rich Gill whose ticket was drawn by Kate Sample. It was another great year with all raffle tickets sold. A big thank you for all of the hard work by the CECF as well as all of the CCDV members who spent countless hours selling tickets to once again make this endeavor a great success.

On October 16th, Dennis and Debbie Trayes hosted a trip to the Jacktown Engine show. Nine cars took the trip and enjoyed the changing fall colors, the events at the show and of course, apple dumplings with ice cream. Thanks to Dennis and Debbie.

Just a reminder, the CCDV elections will be held at the November 10th general membership meeting. Please check the website for members who are seeking re-election to the board or running for the first time. The president's slate is also noted. Remember, this is your club and we all have a vote and say in what we do.

The Holiday Party will be held on December 10th at the Brookside Manor in Somerton Springs. This will once again be a great evening sharing the holiday spirits with friends. Please check the website for details and deadlines.

I hope to see everyone at the November general membership meeting.

T. Wayne

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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 rferrante@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.

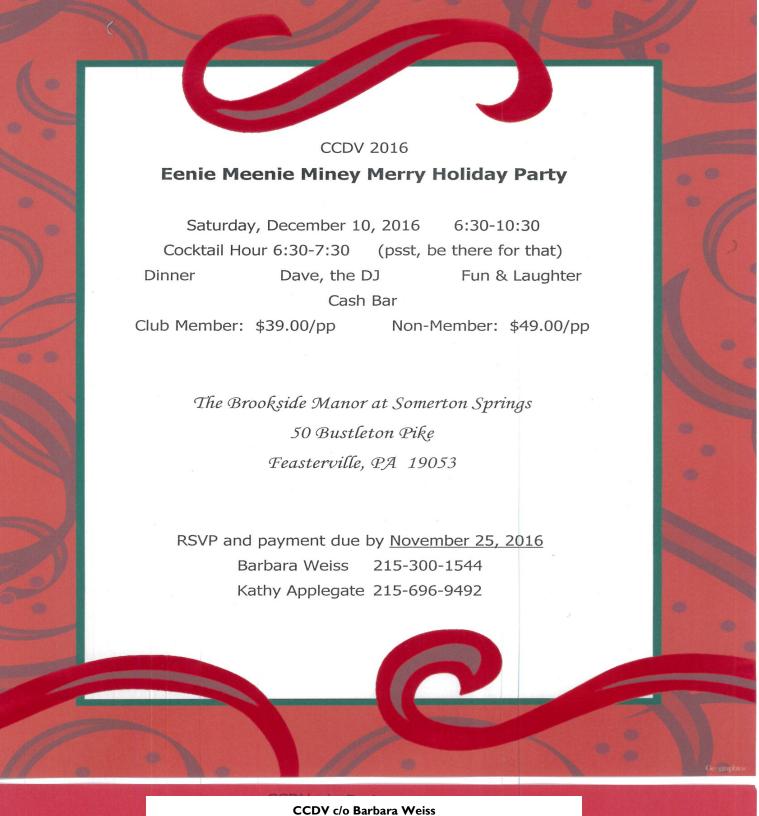
Thank you for supporting the club and exercising your right to choose the people to represent and work for you in this great club of ours!

Sincerely,

Nominating committee members

Rose Ferrante & Bill Burkholder

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



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Huntingdon Valley, PA 19006

Names of Party Guests:

CCDV ROVING BREAKFAST SUNDAY - NOVEMBER 13, 2016



<u>ANDY's DINER</u> <u>Spring House/Ambler</u> <u>9:30am</u>



ANDY's DINER 900 N. Bethlehem Pike Ambler, PA 19002 267-705-2115

If you are interested in hobnobbing/socializing with the local Corvette aristocracy at this morning party, just call me on my cell.

(215-208-6620), OR post a reply on the CCDV website.

(I'll call the Diner on Saturday, 11/12 with a head count.)

A big THANKS & a tip of the hat to Baconeers Jeff and Julie Kauf, who provided the tip on this eatery!

Hope to see you there! Johnny Bacon



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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

Attention: All CCDV Club Members

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Thank you, Dave Peterson

HIGHLIGHTS FROM CCDV BOARD MEETING October 20, 2016

Activities – Joe Parente - See Web-Site

Per Joe the Holiday Party is December 10, 2016. The Flyer is on the Web-Site to print out

Breakfast is at Andy's Diner in Ambler, November 13.

CECF - Bob Weiss

Thank you to everyone that Bought and Sold Raffle Tickets. All Tickets were sold.

The Raffle car will be given away on October 21, 2016 at Jeff Hey's house

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.

CCDV Name Tags - Barbara Grippo

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

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

UPCOMING EVENTS

11-10-16: ** CCDV Membership Meeting

11-13-16: ** Breakfast at Andy's Diner in Ambler, PA

12-10-16: ** CCDV Holiday Party

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