





A Monthly Publication of the Corvette Club of Delaware Valley

MESSAGE FROM THE PRESIDENT

As I wrote this message the temperature hit 80 degrees and there was no wind. Yes, no wind. I personally hate the wind.

The April General Membership meeting had another great turnout with over 40 attendees. The quest speaker was **Sean Farrell**, the owner of 'The Vette Shop'. Accompanying him was 3 of his employees and Sean did a great job with his talk on how his operation functions working on Corvettes. He also had a virtual tour of his shop presented on the 100-inch screen at the VFW. That tour was cool as it walked through the entire layout of his shop. The next speaker will be **Todd Amos** of **Fabspeed Motorsport.**

Our first Cruise night went very well with about 100 cars on display. Great job to Candy and Chris Merlino and any members assisting them.

The VFW is looking for corvettes to be in the Warminster Memorial Day parade. If you are interested in being in the parade, meet at 10:00 AM at the Warminster Township building.

The May General Membership will be at the Warminster VFW on the 21st starting at 7:00 pm.

I wish you and your families the best



Ed

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WELCOME NEW CCDV MEMBERS!

Total Members to date - 274

Brian Plajer – 1963 Marlboro Red Convertible Woody Tompkins – 2023 White Coupe Paul & Ani Krajnenko – 2025 Black HTC Z06 Louis & Jennifer Auslander – 1973 Blue C3 Coupe John Madden – 2025 White HTC Bill Haas - 1966 Silver Pearl coupe, '70 Cortez Silver Coupe, '20 Blade Silver Coupe



ATTENTION ALL MEMBERS!

CCDV DEFINITIONS FOR NEW MEMBERS (as of 2025)

1. ANNUAL EVENTS

- a. CAVALCADE OF CORVETTES: This is the club's biggest one day event and is most definitely our most prestigious event. The show has been held in June and now September, and is currently the largest fund raiser the club conducts. The show averages 150 Corvettes in which multiple Corvette clubs in the area enter their cars. The show attracts hundred plus Corvettes and it is the longest running Corvette show in the United States and the largest in our area. This event requires a large number of volunteers to make this how a success. Currently it is held at the Middle Bucks Vocation al Tech School (MBIT) on York Rd in Jamison. There is judging for trophies, fun activities for the kids, charity auction, food sales, and vendors.
- b. **PICNIC**: The Picnic date and place varies but it is an opportunity for members to have fun and really get to know one another.
- c. **HOLIDAY PARTY**: The Holiday party is usually the first or second weekend in December and the venue varies. At one time the party was geared for Adults and Children, but lately has been focused on being a dressed up event for Adults.
- <u>BOARD OF CCDV</u>: Consists of five Officers (President, VP, Treasurer, Corporate Secretary, and Recording Secretary) and eight Board members are elected every November. There are additional member positions which include the Chairman of the Board (the previous President), 4 chairpersons (Technical, Activity, Membership, Gas Cap Editor) are appointed by the President. These positions come with voting rights, are open to any club member in good standing and require attendance to a monthly meeting.
- 3. <u>BRYNER CHEVROLET</u>: This is the dealership that has sponsored our club since 1970 and is located in Jenkintown, PA
- 4. <u>CORVETTE RAFFLE</u>: The club used to hold a Corvette car raffle every year with the proceeds going to the various charities the club supports. The primary charities have been the Sunshine Foundation and Juvenile Diabetes but there have been others over the years. This function is overseen by the charitable arm of CCDV known as CECF (Corvette Enthusiasts Community Foundation) and has 3-5 members/board members, which are voted on by the CCDV Board of directors.
- 5. <u>CECF</u>: The Corvette Enthusiasts Community Foundation (CECF) is a charitable organization that grew out of and operates under the wing of the Corvette Club of Delaware Valley and was founded in 1994. For decades CCDV has been committed to charitable work and helping our community. Since 1971 CCDV has been holding the Cavalcade of Corvettes and the donating partial proceeds to the Sunshine Foundation, Juvenile Diabetes Foundation and various other charities. Over the years, as the club grew, so did these charitable donations. In an effort to facility the clubs charitable work CECF was formed in 1994 as a 501c3 operating Charity. CECF then decided to raffle off a Corvette for charity as their main annual fund raising event. Additionally, as a 501c3 charity, all contributions to CECF are eligible as a tax deduction to the donor. Since that time until 2018, CECF has raffled off a Corvette every year and donated hundreds of thousands of dollars to various charities and to those in need in our community. Also, CECF began a scholarship program to help worthy students that meet our established

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criteria to further their education. More information can be obtained by viewing CCF's website at <u>cecfcharities.com</u>.

- 6. <u>CORVETTES AT CARLISLE</u>: This is an event not sponsored by the club but is the largest Corvette show in America. It is held in Carlisle, PA the last weekend in August and lasts 3 days. There is an average of 7000 Corvettes on the Fairgrounds. Up until recently, our club had a volunteer setup a hospitality tent so that you could relax and chat with others throughout the day/weekend. If interested in being this volunteer, please contact a CCDV board member.
- <u>CRUISE NIGHT</u>: This is held on the 3d Saturday of the month from April through September. All types of cars are on display, and the current location is the Shoppes at Valley Square 501 Main St, Warrington, PA from 5pm – Dusk. There is music, food & drinks for sale, 50/50 raffle and trophies awarded.
- <u>GAS CAP</u>: The Gas Cap has been the Club's monthly newsletter since the Club started in 1958. It
 used to be mailed out but now it is sent out electronically, and is one of the main sources of
 information concerning club activities, names of board members, advertising, and other
 information we hope you find helpful and interesting.
- 9. <u>GENERAL MEMBERSHIP MEETING</u>: This is the club's monthly meeting which is held on the 3rd Wednesday of the month except in December. The meeting location is the VFW Post, Louis Dr, Warminster, PA. The start time is 7:00pm. All members (and spouses) are welcome to come and enjoy the fun and camaraderie that goes on with other members. At some meetings there is a guest speaker usually (but not always) related to auto/Corvette topics.
- 10. INTERNET WEBSITE: www.ccdv.com
- 11. <u>OTHER EVENTS</u>: These events are usually scheduled by the Activity Chairperson or anyone interested in organizing an event, throughout the year. Events such as participating in local parades, attending other car shows as a group, day trips, weekend getaways, etc. Some examples of events are as follows:
 - a. Covered Bridge Tour last summer/fall caravan through Bucks County or Lancaster area making sure to go through many Covered bridges.
 - b. Poker Run a planned route where you receive a playing ard at various stops... best hand wins! (Sometimes run in conjunction with the covered bridge tour)
 - c. Roving Breakfast/Dinner New venue is picked each month from local diners to various restaurants. Suggestions are always welcome. Any member can come up with an idea for an event and bring it forward to the Activity Chairperson. If an event requires a cost that would be expensed by the club, it would have to be approved by the Board of Directors.

CCDV Name Tags

Please contact **Candy Merlino** – cmerlino.ccdv@yahoo.com New Members – get your name tags. New Car - get your new name tag.

Tags are \$20.00 each. Min. of three orders are needed to send to the Company.

CCDV License Plates

Anyone interested in purchasing a Club License Plate, please contact: Jeff Kauf - kauf.jeff@gmail.com Regular CCDV Plate - \$38.00; Personalized CCDV Plate - \$166.00

CRUISE NIGHTS 2025!

FREE ADMISSION



2025 CCDV CRUISE NIGHTS

EVERY THIRD SATURDAY OF THE MONTH





APRIL 19 MAY 17 JUNE 21 JULY 19 AUG 16 SEPT 20





Due to a conflict, last show may be on SEPT 27 instead- TBD by 9/15.

FROM 5PM – DUSK

PRETZELS, HOT DOGS, SODA, WATER FOR SALE TROPHIES AND 50/50 RAFFLE



@ Shops at Valley Square

1501 Main St, Warrington, PA



CRUISE NIGHT APRIL 19TH

CCDV'S CRUISE NIGHT ON APRIL 19th

It was a beautiful night for CCDV's 1st Cruise Night of 2025. With temperatures in the high 70s and a zero chance of rain, **Candy & Chris Merlino rocked another hugely successful** Night. (Kudos to helpers: pretzel-seller Rose Ferrante' and iceman/car-judge Johnny Bacon)

Over 100 beautiful cars showed up, along with their hungry passengers. The cars ranged from a 1920s Model-T Ford to 2025 C-8 Corvettes, and included the various makes as well as many cars that I had not seen before at our Cruises. Earnest Reed showed up with a "model-sized Cruise Night" installed permanently in the trunk of his 2019 Corvette. (Very impressive. I never saw one of those mods before.) It was a great party with lots of fun conversations about everything under the sun. With Chris's music playing, Candy's Hot Dogs, Rose's soft-pretzels and everyone having a fun time, it was – for Car People - arguably "The most fun you can have with your clothes on!"

The Trophy winners were: MAKE/MODEL

NAME

<u>COLOR</u>

1966 Chevelle SS 2019 Corvette Grand Sport 1955 Chevy Ray Clarke Earnest Reed John Pentecost

Black Elkhart Lake Blue Orange & Cream

We sold 48 hotdogs, 50 pretzels, and gave away \$75 to the 50/50 winner and to a second winner of the 50/50 - a \$35 gift card to Corropolese Italian Bakery & Deli - that they donated to us. (YAY.)

Johnny Bacon

2025 CAVALCADE – VOLUNTEERS NEEDED

The 2025 Cavalcade of Corvettes needs Volunteers!

We are scheduling our 53rd annual Cavalcade for **Sat Sept 13, 2025** at **MBIT**. Rain Date: Sat Sept 27.

We need your help. Our club needs folks to step up & help build another great Cavalcade.

We Need volunteers to:

1) Join the Cavalcade Planning Committee (one zoom call per month & a few phone calls to help organize things)

2) Be a show co-chairman (help organize meetings and project plans for the show

3) Join our Judging Management Team/ organize the CCDV judging effort) This can be filled by a few folks if possible.

4) Be a Judge for the show (we had 16-18 judges last year that were excellent). Please consider volunteering. Training Seminars will be held in May at Faulkner Cadillac and in June at Bryner Cheverolet

5) Help us find show & trophy sponsors (do you know a business owner that may want to be a sponsor?)

- 6) Help to serve/sell food & drinks to show visitors
- 7) Help guide spectators & show cars to the proper parking areas
- 8) Help at the Charity Auction tent
- 9) Provide items or baskets to Candy for the auction tent
- 10) Help setup/breakdown tents, tables, chairs on the day of show

11) Help us find show vendors (do you know of an auto related business that may want to setup a table at the show?

12) Help us find a special guest or attraction to appear at the show (The Phanatic was a big hit 2 yrs ago, but is tough to get as a repeat visitor)

Please contact Candy Merlino (<u>cruise1@ccdv.com</u>), Jeff Kauf (<u>treasurer@ccdv.com</u>) Tim Simmons (<u>tasimmons@gmail.com</u>), or Tom Weigand (<u>webmaster@ccdv.com</u>)

2025 CAVALCADE - Poster

2025 CAVALCADE OF CORVETTES

Presented by the Corvette Club of Delaware Valley & Bryner Chevrolet



Date: Saturday, September 13, 2025 (Rain Date: Sat, Sept 27, 2025) Show Time: 10am – 3pm (Registration starts @ 8am - 10) Location: Middle Bucks Institute of Technology (MBIT) 2749 York Rd, Jamison, PA 18929 (go to <u>www.mbit.org</u> for directions)



<u>For Non-CCDV Members/Guests:</u> Trophies Awarded for 1st & 2nd place in each class (Stock or Modified, C1 thru C8), along with Best in Show, Sunshine Foundation, Veteran's Choice, Kid's Choice, and a \$100 for Best Club Participation

For CCDV Members: Trophies will be awarded based upon participant voting.

(Early departures forfeit trophy * No Alcohol or firearms Permitted on premises)

*Free to Spectators * Music * Food * Charity Auction * 50/50 Raffles * Kids Activities * Indoor Restrooms * Over 200 Corvettes on display * Vendor Spaces Available*



Partial proceeds benefit local charities

Enter your Corvette

Registration Form Available at: www.ccdv.com/cavalcade-of-corvettes

Or contact Tim Simmons @ tasimmons@gmail.com

\$25 Pre-registration / \$30 Day of Registration

Free T-shirt to all pre-registered participants

2025 CAVALCADE - Registration

53rd Annual Cavalcade of Corvettes

Presented by the Corvette Club of Delaware Valley



Date: Sat., Sept. 13, 2025 (8a-3p) Reg from 8-10am sharp/ Rain Date: Sat., Sept 27, 2025 Location: Middle Bucks Institute of Technology (MBIT), 2740 York Rd, Jamison, PA 18929 Music, Food, Charity Auction, 50/50 Raffles, Kids Activities, & Trophies

Select Your Trophy Class (Circle One): Stock = 4 or less modifications from original. Modified = 5 or more mods. (Modifications from original include items such as: Gull wing doors, Non-stock hood or spoiler, Custom Interior, Custom bodywork or paint, Non-stock wheels, Modified engine or transmission.)

 C1 (1953-1962) Stock
 C5 (1997-2004) Stock

 C2 (1963-1967) Stock
 C6 (2005-2013) Stock

 C3 (1968-1982) Stock
 C7 (2014-2019) Stock

 C4 (1984-1996) Stock
 C8 (2020-pres.) Stock

C1 (1953-1962) Modified C2 (1963-1967) Modified C3 (1968-1982) Modified C4 (1984-1996) Modified C5 (1997-2004) Modified C6 (2005-2013) Modified C7 (2014-2019) Modified C8 (2020-pres.) Modified

Print Your Name:	Cell Phone
Address:	

City: _____ State: ____ Zip: ____

Print Your Email Address: ____

Body Style (Coupe/Conv): Equip (Z06, Z51, etc.): Exterior Color: Year:

Club Affiliation (if any): _______US Military Veteran? Yes / No Branch of Service: ______

2025 Cavalcade of Corvettes Registration Form

T-Shirt <u>Size</u> (circle 1): S M L XL 2XL 3XL 4XL Color: white or light blue

(Form & payment must be postmarked by Sept. 1st to be considered as a Pre-registered & receive free T-Shirt)

Undersigned participant assumes all risks & responsibilities of possible damage or injury involved through my participation in this activity. I understand that I am to furnish my own insurance in case of injuries suffered by me or to the property in consideration for my participation in this event. I also agree to abide by any rules & regulations set forth for this event. Alcohol, drugs, & Firearns are strictly forbidden on the grounds during the event. Violators will be asked to leave the grounds. By signature below, I agree to these items.

Day of show price \$30 Judging will start at 11am \$100 prize for best club participation

Mail this form & a check for \$25 payable to: Tim Simmons c/o CCDV 2025 Cavalcade 3549 Brae Bourne Dr. Huntingdon Valley, PA 19006-3049

Your Signature: ____

__Date: __

2025 CAVALCADE – Sponsorship Form



Corvette Club of Delaware Valley

53rd Annual Cavalcade of Corvettes 2025



Show Date: Saturday, September 13th (Rain Date Saturday Sept. 27th) Middle Bucks Institute of Technology (MBIT) 2740 York Road, Jamison, PA 18929

1. Show Sponsorship – (Circle Sponsorship level desired) Gold Show Sponsor (\$500)

- > Name & Logo on 1/4 page in Club Monthly Newsletter, on Club Website, on Show Poster & FB page
- > Your business name as Sponsor of a Major Trophy (see below and circle preferred choice)
- > Include your provided Promotional items in Participant's envelope
- > Free vendor space to showcase your business the day of show

Silver Show Sponsor (\$250)

- > Name & Logo on 1/4 page in Club Monthly Newsletter, on Club Website, on Show Poster & FB page
- > Your business name as Sponsor of a People's Choice Trophy
- > Include your provided Promotional items in Participant's envelope

Bronze Show Sponsor (\$100)

- Name & Logo on 1/8 page in Club Monthly Newsletter, on Club Website, on Show Poster & FB page
- > Your business name as Sponsor of a Class Trophy (circle stock or mod choice and preferred place choice)
- > Include your provided Promotional items in Participant's envelope

Partial proceeds from the show benefit various Local Charities

2. Trophy Sponsorship- (Circle desired category)

Corvette Class Trophies				Major Trophies		
C-1 Stock / N	lodified	1st or 2nd place	\$100	Best of Show	\$500	
C-2 Stock / N	lodified	1 st or 2 nd place	\$100	Military Veteran's Choice	\$500	
C-3 Stock / N	lodified	1st or 2nd place	\$100	Sunshine Foundation Choice	\$500	
C-4 Stock / N	lodified	1 st or 2 nd place	\$100	Kid's Choice	\$500	
C-5 Stock / N	Iodified	1 st or 2 nd place	\$100	MBIT Choice	\$500	
C-6 Stock / M	lodified	1st or 2nd place	\$100			
C-7 Stock / N	lodified	1st or 2nd place	\$100	People's Choice Trophies	\$250	
C-8 Stock / N	lodified	1st or 2nd place	\$100			

ALL TROPHY SPONSORSHIPS and MARKETING MATERIAL MUST BE RECEIVED BY AUGUST 1, 2025

E-mail:

Your Product/Service of business:

Questions? - Contact: Jeff Kauf @ kauf.jeff@gmail.com

Make checks out to CCDV and mail to: Candy Merlino c/o CCDV Cavalcade Sponsorship 2135 Dixon Ave, Croydon, PA 19021

CCDV Roving Breakfast

Join Us for BREAKFAST!

Sunday, May 25, 2025 At 10:00 AM

Zoto's Diner

1100 Bethlehem Pike Line Lexington, PA 18932 (215) 882-1948

If we get 20 or more people, it will be a Breakfast Buffet \$17.99 + 6%tax + 20%tip = \$22.66 per Person (Includes tea or coffee) With 19 or less people, we will order off the menu.

Rain or Shine

RSVP by 2PM on 5/23/25 to Johnny (Bacon) Benischeck at (215) 208-6620 OR

Respond on the CCDV Website's Forum

A big thank you and a "Tip O' The Hat" to **Bob & Jahn Landis** who recommended this eatery!

> Hope to see you there! Johnny Bacon!

CCDV Roving Dinner

Join Us for DINNER!

Saturday, May 3, 2025 At 6:30 PM

Toscana 52

4603 Street Road Trevose, PA 19053

Rain or Shine

RSVP by 2 PM on 5/2/25 to Johnny (Bacon) Benischeck at (215) 208-6620 OR Respond on the CCDV Website's Forum

A big thank you and a "Tip O' The Hat" to **Candy & Chris Merlino** For recommending this eatery!

> Hope to see you there! Johnny Bacon!

CCDV 2025 Wall Calendar



2025 CCDV Wall Calendars are now available for purchase (\$10.00 each). Calendar measures 18" high x 12" wide, when open. You can buy one at our next General Meeting in May.

HAPPY MAY BIRTHDAYS!



First name	Last name	Date
Richard	Oldham	1
Robert	Kostaras	2
Charles	Carr	4
Art	Gallagher	4
Elizabeth	Hohwieler	5
Elaine	Christian	5
Richard	Shanfeld	6
Bill	Nichols III	7
Rich	Rogers	9
Dmitry	Kipervas	10
Shari	Pfrommer	10
Sharon	Clipner	14
Bob	Roccamo	14
Robert P.	Dalton	15
Hal	Walsh	18
Sivlio	Tino	19
Leroy G.	Blimegger	22
Ronald	Grippo	22
Steve	Watts	23
Ron	Gaffin	24
Woody	Tompkins	29
Louise	Woods	29
Fran	Hunsicker	29

CCDV CALVACADE CHARITY AUCTION 2025

CAVALCADE CHARITY AUCTION 2025

We are now accepting donations for our upcoming **Charity Auction Event on September 13th.**

If you have new, unopened, unused items that we can put into our auction and would like to donate them we could surely use them!

Think of it as Spring cleaning or practice for downsizing If you have a business and can donate a service or gift card, that's great, too!

Vendors are very generous to our Charity Auction every year and we appreciate everyone's help to make this year's event successful.

List of some ideas to get you thinking. Bottles of wine/ other alcohol and/or glasses or other stuff to go with Memorabilia /apparel (signed or unsigned) - sports or car related Models of cars / die cast models (either corvette or not) Tickets for sports or concert events Car care supplies/ car cleaning supplies Restaurant Gift card/certificates -for either specific services or \$ amounts Designer handbags / wallets / tote bags Pet store gift cards / toys & treats for pets Tools or tool sets Tailgate party themed basket BBQ themed basket Adult coloring books and supplies basket Large wicker/plastic baskets or trays – to group items in – always on the lookout for these

Bring collected items to the Club meetings or Cruise Nights to give to Candy Merlino no later than the **August General Membership meeting** call/text Candy at 215-779-9454 or email @ <u>cmerlino.ccdv@yahoo.com</u> if you have any questions.

Let's make this year even better than last year!

Thanks in advance - Candy

CCDV CALVACADE CHARITY AUCTION 2025

Here are some Themed Basket Ideas – but individual items are still welcome!!!









If you are not a member of the NCM, consider joining and supporting the mission of the museum. If you love to travel, plan a visit today! If you have questions, our very own NCM CCDV Club Ambassador, **Jack DeLong**, will gladly answer your questions at any of our general membership meetings.

(All NCM links and images appear with permission from the NCM)



https://www.corvettemuseum.org/ https://www.corvettemuseum.org/membership/ https://www.corvettemuseum.org/pop-culture-and-corvette/





Croydon Memorial Day Parade – Monday, May 26, 2025

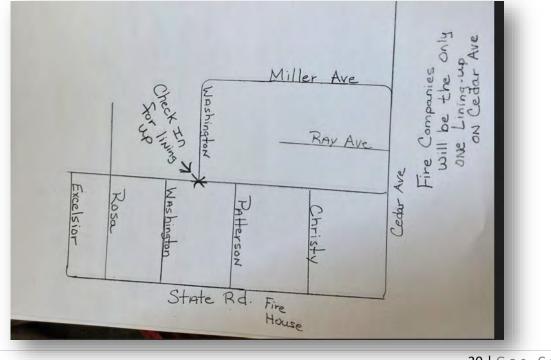
Changes from previous years – Ceremony now is at 10am - prior to the Parade that officially starts at 12:30pm – with refreshments at the VFW post afterwards.

To assemble for just the Parade, you can meet at 10:45 am at VFW, 901 Bellevue Ave, Croydon, PA and we will go to the pre-staging area (at Washington & Maryland Ave) as a group at 11am; or you can meet up at pre-staging area if easier – just let Candy know ahead of time.

The parade will start at 12:30 am and is 1 mile long, from Cedar Ave turning right onto State Rd and ending at Bellevue Ave where we will be instructed where to park by volunteers.

You can decorate your cars if you'd like. Please sign up either in the forum or let Candy know by Friday May 16th, so we can let the parade planners know the car count.

In case of inclement weather, a decision will be made by 10am on Monday. There is no rain date.



If you have any questions, please call Candy Merlino 215-779-9454. Thanks!





ALL AMERICAN AND FOREIGN ANTIQUES, CLASSICS, NEWER CORVETTES, CAMAROS, FIREBIRDS, MUSTANGS, CHALLENGERS, T-BIRDS, STREET RODS, LOWRIDERS, LUXURIES, EXOTICS AND MORE...



Indoor Restrooms, Food and Seating

Saturday, October 18, 2025

Visit www.bristoldaycarshow.com and pre-register

No Rain Date.

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4TH ANNUAL BOAT & (AR SHOW



Make the day a family outing and enjoy the many fine eateries and shops along the historic streets of Bristol.

Saturday, May 31, 2025

10am – 3pm - Car cruise through Bristol Borough at 3pm Bristol Wharf at Mill and Radcliffe Streets, Bristol,PA

Rain Date: Sunday, June 1, 2025

Boats

Don't miss the opportunity to see Antique & Classic Boats from great manufacturers such as Chris-Craft, Hacker, Century, Garwood, and others covering 100 years of boat building. See these great works of art being displayed on land and in water at dockside.

The event will be held at the Bristol Wharf offering you an opportunity for a ride in an old time speed boat on the Delaware River.

Visit Mid-AtlanticACBS.com

Cars

All American & Foreign Antiques, Classics, Newer Corvettes, Camaros, Firebirds, Mustangs, Challengers, T-Birds, Street Rods, Exotics, Lowriders & Luxuries, and more...

Car registration starts at 9:00 am

\$15 registration per participant on the day of the show. The following trophies will be awarded:

Pre-1995, 1995 - 2025, Best of Show, 1st, 2nd and 3rd Place People's Choice for both Antiques and Classics.

Visit BristolDayCarShow.com

PICTURES FROM BREAKFAST AT FRANCONIA SQUARE 4/26/25













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PICTURES FROM DINNER AT GIUSEPPE'S 4/6/25





CAR DISPLAY RAFFLE

144 Dodge & Plymouth 1/64TH SCALE SIZE IN MIRRORED GLASS CASE 24" HIGH & 32" WIDE

> 1 TICKET FOR \$5 OR 5 TICKETS FOR \$20 Approx. value \$1000

MONEY RAISED GOES TO CHARITY

MATCHBOX CAR RAFFLE

The car display will be at the general membership meetings and at cruise nights until Cavalcade on 9/13. Winner to be announced on 9/13 at Cavalcade.



25 Gas Cap





Vettes At Virginia Beach May 18, 2025 (9:00am - 2:00pm)





Corvette Fun Car Show

New Realm Brewery 1209 Craft Ln, Virginia Beach, VA 23454

REGISTRATION \$40.00 Register <u>HERE</u>

Registration on Event Day \$50.00 Register by mail w/ attached form

Host Hotel: Courtyard Virginia Beach Oceanfront/North 37th Street 3737 Atlantic Ave. Virginia Beach, VA 757-313-6754

A portion of our proceeds supports local charities.

Event is Rain or Shine Restrooms Available Trophies Awarded

NCCC East Region

Sanction#: R01, R02, R03. R04, R05, R06, R07 Registration: 8:30am – 9:15am Drivers Meeting: 9:30am

Chair: Dave Ambrose 4004 Atlantic Ave # 1507 Virginia Beach, VA 23451 703-906-1796 Governor: Karen Ambrose 4004 Atlantic Ave # 1507 Virginia Beach, VA 23451 757-404-9779

We'd like to thank our sponsors:





Local Events and Meet & Greet on Saturday, May 17



50/50 Raffle/ Vendors/ Food/ Fun/ Bourbon Tasting/ Dolphin Watching/ and more!

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Vettes at Virginia Beach





Hosted by the Beachcombers Corvette Club

VAVB Registration Form

Mail your registration form and \$40.00 by May 1st, 2025. (Day of event is \$50.00.)

Name: (Driver)				
Name: (Passenger)				
Address				
City		State	Zip	
Phone: ()	Club Name		1.044	
e-mail address				
Corvette Model	Year		Color	
Signed			_Date	
Saturday, May 17th at 11:00 - 1 Save \$6 on each Regular Adult Check out the website to learn	Ticket using PROMO Co			BOOK NOW
Tarnished Truth Bourbo Registration: Saturday, May 17th - Mention Beachcombers Corvette C *The venue may adjust tasting times depe	Group Tasting Times* at Club to be placed with sch	3:00pm & 4:00p neduled group.	m. To Book Call:	(757) 965-9652
Host Hotel – Courtyard 3737 Atlantic Ave., Virginia Bea Meet & Greet (***free***) 7:00 pm - 9:00 pm Y / N	ach, VA 23451 Phone:	757-313-6754 (*	North 37th St*	BOOK NOW
Make Car Show checks paya Beachcombers Corvette Cle P.O. Box 6721 Virginia Beach, VA 23456		ers Corvette (Club" and mail to:	



ORGANIZATIONS, HIGH SCHOOL JR. ROTC PROGRAMS, AND OTHER LOCAL CHARITIES

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Beginning at the April meeting the VFW will be providing food services for our monthly meetings from_5:30 to 8PM. Wahoo is very open to input on menu items so if you have any ideas, please send them to <u>info@CCDV.com</u>. This is VFW's first attempt in recent memory to provide a full food service to CCDV members. Your support for this effort will go a long way in ensuring its success and possible future expansion for the Post.



In Memoriam Paying Tribute To Members Who Have Passed



Carl F. Haeussler Jr. July 18, 1949 – December 20, 2024

A graveside service to inter the cremains of Carl Haeussler will be held on July 15, 2025 at Sunset Memorial Park, 333 County Line Road, Huntingdon Valley, Pennsylvania beginning at 10:30 AM. During the service, there will be an opportunity for those who wish to share a memory of Carl with his family and friends.

At the conclusion of the service, a reception will be held at Calvary Chapel Central Bucks, which is located at 150 East Butler Avenue in Chalfont, Pennsylvania.

In lieu of flowers, the family kindly requests donations to be made Calvary Chapel. This was the church we attended and loved while we were Pennsylvania residents and whenever we visited after moving to Florida. The staff and church family have walked with us throughout Carl's illness during the past three years and were generous with their love, prayers, and support. We are so grateful for their blessings during this difficult time.

If you plan to attend the reception, please let me know so we can provide an accurate headcount for the caterers. Thank you.

Sincerely, Debbie Haeussler <u>Adopt xracers@yahoo.com</u> (There is an underscore between "adopt" & "xracers") Ph. 215-803-1781 CCDV CLUB EVENTS & HISTORY

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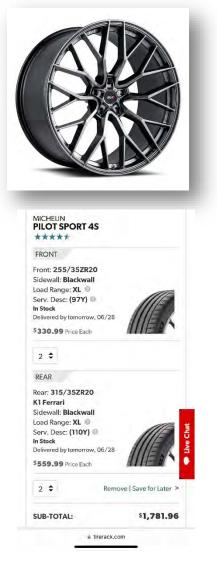
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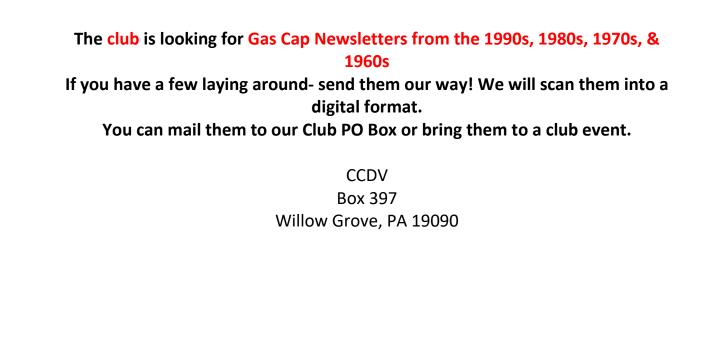


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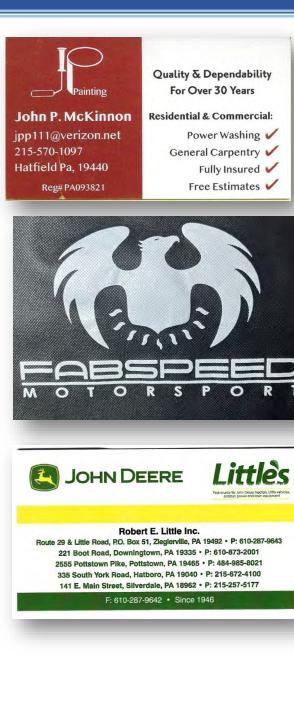
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