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Lake of the Ozarks Corvette Club

VETTE WAVES

MARCH 2024 Newsletter



On The Cover: Congratulations to Ed and Lourdes Tostenrud on the delivery of their new, 2024 convertible Stingray in hypersonic gray with red dipped interior! It's a beautiful machine and joins their 2007 velocity yellow convertible at the Tostenrud garage.

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President Lantz's Monthly Report



Greetings to LOCC Members,

Our February monthly meeting was held at JB Hooks restaurant which overlooks our beautiful Lake of the Ozarks. We had 83 members in attendance. We were able to have a private meeting in the main dining room thanks to the assistance of Kyle Carrara who works at JB Hooks and is also the son of LOCC Board Member Brian Carrara. We had 9 new members who were attending their first LOCC meeting. We enjoyed a great meal, good conversations, and mild weather for February.

The remainder of February, our club will continue to focus on our upcoming Corvettes in Paradise car show. Show planning is going well and we already have 148 cars registered for the show, 103 T-Shirts ordered, and have taken in nearly \$11,500 in sponsorships. Rick Horsman and Mike Funk have been doing an excellent job of fundraising. I would like to encourage each member to seek out some new sponsors. You can obtain the Sponsorship Forms and Car Show Flyers from our website at <https://locc2010.net/locc-annual-car-show>. If you have any questions about sponsorship opportunities, please reach out to Rick Horsman at richorsman@yahoo.com or Mike Funk at outlaw496s@gmail.com. This is a great opportunity for our club to give back to our local community through our support of local lake area charities. We are also continuing to work on gathering items for our Silent Auction. If you collect an item or would like to donate an item for the Silent Auction, please contact Dave Chapman to let him know. You can email him at: chapman9391@sbcglobal.com

We have finalized plans with Shady Gators to host a Cruise-In on Saturday June 15th. They are excited about partnering with us to host a Cruise-In at their restaurant. Several other area clubs (Mid-Missouri Corvette Club, Fun Runners, Jeep Club, & Torque Motorsports) will be joining with us in this endeavor.

Lake of the Ozarks Corvette Club will be a Bronze Sponsor for Hot Summer Nights this year. We paid \$250 for this sponsorship. In return, we received reserved parking at Two Bit Town for our club members to park at during the Hot Summer Nights events, our club will receive recognition on the event flyers and on the event Facebook Page, and our club will be mentioned during the Public Address announcements at the events.

If you meet new Corvette enthusiasts from the lake or surrounding areas, please share information with them about our club. We always welcome new members. Applications can be found on our website.

I look forward to seeing you at our next monthly meeting on March 10th at Wicked Willie's Sports Grill and at the Lake Ozark St. Patrick's Day Parade on March 16th.

Thank you for your continued support and your club participation.

Find us on the web at:
<https://locc2010.net>

Dave Lantz

SECRETARY'S REPORT

Date: February 18, 2024

Location: JB Hooks 2260 Bagnell Dam Blvd, Lake Ozark 65049

Pledge of Allegiance: Rick Horsman

Time Meeting Started: 12:43pm

New Members or First Meeting:

Jerry & Junella Hiatt (not present) - 2014 Red Stingray T-Top

Bill & Barb Busch - 2014 Blue Stingray Coupe

Dan & Jan Mitzel - 1973 Gray Stingray T-Top

Rodney Lingo & Carol Branson - 2009 Black Convertible Corvette

Denise Reger & Aaron Dyke - 2016 Red Stingray Coupe "Ruby"

Gina & Charles Freer - 2020 Blade Silver Stingray Coup & 2021 Black Stingray Coupe

Members New/Different Cars:

Ed & Lourdes Tostenrud - 2024 Grey Z51 Corvette with 18 miles on it.

Arlen & Tammy Walker - 2024 Z06 Grey Corvette with Blue interior

Ed Farnsworth - 2024 Red Mist Corvette

Birthdays & Anniversaries:

2 Birthdays & 3 Anniversaries

Old Business:

Quiet month for LOCC

January 14 - LOCC monthly meeting was held at Tucker's Shuckers with 48 in attendance.

Officer Reports:

Vice President, Brenda Myers:

Current membership total - 207 current members

Treasurer, Jim McMillan:

Car Show Fund:

Beginning Balance as of January 1, 2024

Cash: \$11,342.98

Deposits: 3,720.00

Checks: 175.00

Balance: 14,887.98

Ending Balance as of January 31, 2024

General Fund:

Beginning Balance as of January 1, 2024

Cash: \$11,130.42

Deposits: 2,343.72

Checks: 3,035.00

Autobooks: 74.51

Balance: 10,364.64

Ending Balance as of January 31, 2024

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SECRETARY'S REPORT

Secretary, Sherry Lantz:

of Corvettes: 18

of People: 83

NCM Ambassador, Ed Carr:

NCM offering "Valentine Special" Family rate of \$65 this month only.

NCM will be 30 years old this September.

NCM Insurance is 15 years old.

NCM Track is 10 years old.

In 1979 there was 53,807 Corvettes produced and in 2023 there were 53,785 (torch red is still the #1 color).

Webmaster, Melody Spanos:

Website <https://locc2010.net/>

All information is up to date with Vendor & Sponsor sheets updating soon. Will be working to modify online Registration to make payments process run smoother.

Public Relations, Brian Carrara:

LOCC's Face Book Page <https://www.facebook.com/groups/1142141526490872/>

Newspaper presence will begin soon for CIP and radio ads are already being heard.

Newsletter, Sandy Funk:

March Newsletter may be shorter due to winter months lack of activity. Please check the calendar for accuracy of Birthdays and respond to Sandy any corrections or updates.

Project/Event Manager, Gina McLachlan (not present):

Gina is in Key West

Christmas Party planning is in progress with Margaritaville, Encore, Lodge of Four Seasons, Camden on the Lake, & Old Kinderhook being considered and evaluated.

Club Communications, Ron Wehmeyer (not present):**Car Show Report:****Brenda Myers:**

Current Registration numbers - 148 with 41 from Lonestar out of Dallas. 11 states are currently represented with 51% being new people registering. Currently have 103 pre-ordered t-shirts.

Rick Horsman:

Current Sponsorship numbers - \$11,000

13 Trophy Sponsors with 22 possible trophy classes.

15 current Plaque Sponsors with 19 commitments.

If you contact a business please notify Rick so that he can keep his spreadsheet up to date and so we don't contact same businesses repeatedly.

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SECRETARY'S REPORT

Brian Carrara:

Current Vendor numbers - 5 paid vendors occupying 14 spots with 7 commitments with 9 spots left

Dave Lantz:

Encourage members to solicit sponsors. Forms are available today.

Discussed Rick Fenton Memorial - He was a corvette enthusiast who was not a member of LOCC but his family & friends wanted LOCC to be listed as a Memorial option. Currently \$300 has been donated and his family & friends plan to present a plaque or trophy in Rick's honor.

Grants Applications have been submitted to REMAX & 15 and The Mahomies Foundations along with Mizzou & KC Chiefs.

Becki Carr:

Volunteers have been notified and Team Leads have started to fill their spots. It was reminded that new volunteers should reach out to Marlin to obtain a volunteer shirt (orange).

Dave Chapman (not present):

An email was sent out this week to members with ideas and requesting donations for auction.

A short Car Show Committee Meeting will be held immediately after our LOCC Meeting.

New Business:

March 16 - St. Patrick's Day Parade.

Details to follow via email. It is acceptable to throw candy from your car during the parade.

Jerry & Kim Ehlmann have graciously offered their business location at Rock Solid Concrete, 2769 Bagnell Dam Blvd to meet & stage our corvettes prior to the Parade.

April 6 - Corvettes of Enid—This is an indoor show in Enid, OK. If interested email Dave Lantz @ davecloud9@aol.com

April 13 - Mid-Missouri Corvette Club Annual Corvette Cup Car Show

This is held at the Elks Lodge in Columbia, MO. Email with details to follow. This is an outdoor show.

April 27 - LOCC Corvettes in Paradise Car Show

May 10 - September 6 - Hot Summer Nights

May 11 - Route 66 Corvette Club Car Show—Held at Poage Chevrolet in Wentzville, MO

May 14 - Springfield Cardinals Game (Marlin Hammond)

\$32 per person includes premier parking, tickets to the ballgame and Food & Drink!

June 2 - NASCAR Race (Tony Baldrige) -email to be sent out to check interest

June 15 - Cruise-In at Shady Gators—LOCC is hosting 4-5 other car clubs have been invited to join LOCC. This is a non-judging event. Tentative 11am-2pm

TBD Track Day (Tony Baldrige) - email sent to check interest, \$5,000 for 1/2 day of track time. If 25 cars attend cost would be approx. \$200 per car.

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SECRETARY'S REPORT

Day trips -plan and share your suggestions. Previous trips included Buckee's in Springfield, Bass Pro - World of Wildlife in Springfield, Warm Springs Ranch.

50/50 Drawing:

Last Month's winner Stefanie Wiskur presented Brian Carrara with \$141.00

Next Meeting:

March 10

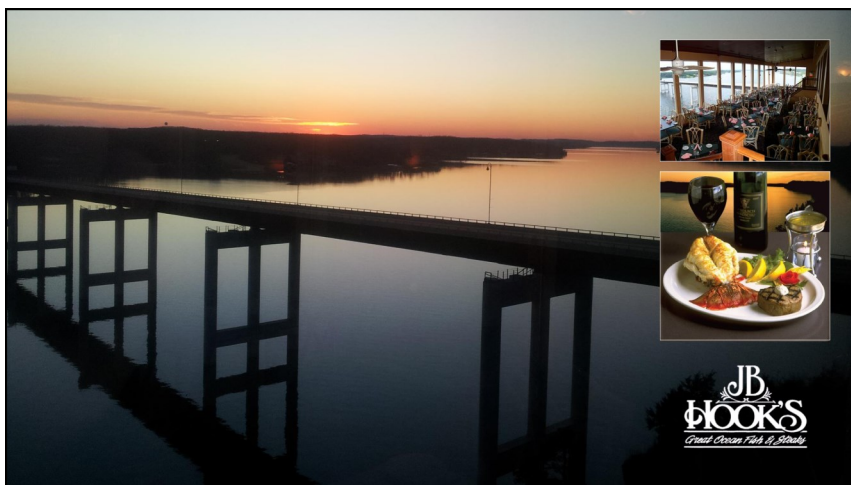
Wicked Willies, 5384 Osage Beach Pkwy, Osage Beach, MO 65065

Meeting adjourned: 1:15pm



An unusually beautiful February day brought many LOCC club Corvettes out for the monthly meeting. Held in the main dining room at JB Hooks, the 83 attending members had a beautiful view of the Lake. A couple of eagles soaring over the water left many in attendance in awe of the majestic scene and reminds us why we are so lucky to live at the Lake of the Ozarks.

Having access to the main dining area on a Sunday afternoon provided plenty of room for such a large gathering. Kyle Carrara, son of members Brian and Gina Carrara is one of the managers at JB Hooks and took care of making sure we had access to the large dining area. JB Hooks has supported the Corvettes in Paradise show for the last three years with generous gift certificates which are used for the silent auction. LOCC greatly appreciates their support as we donate all profits from the show to our local community.

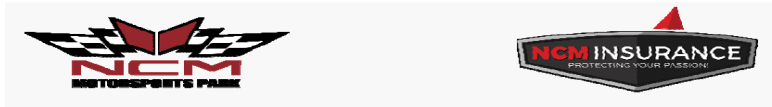




Ed Carr
NCM Ambassador
News & Views



“Adrenaline Meets Tradition”



The mission of the National Corvette Museum is to celebrate the Corvette’s invention and preserve the legendary automobile’s past, present, and future. The Museum will serve as an educational and research model for all to enjoy.

Find the NCM at www.corvettemuseum.org and on Facebook. Subscribe to the Corvette Campus Connection to receive free information of museum happenings.

Corvette Museum Cave-In – The Skydome Sinkhole Experience

The National Corvette Museum made international news headlines on February 12, 2014 when a sinkhole collapsed in the Skydome of the Museum in the wee hours of the morning. Thankfully, no one was in the building when it happened, but security cameras were rolling to catch the incident on camera. Museum visitation skyrocketed that same year as people from around the world were drawn to witness for themselves the destruction Mother Nature had caused. Though the sinkhole has since been filled, the story continues to draw attention. A new exhibit opened February 12, 2016 (the two-year anniversary of the sinkhole) to tell the story of what happened that day, why it happened, what cars were affected, how they were recovered, what karst landscapes and caves are, how the building was fixed, and much more. Learn more about the elements of our exhibit by visiting www.corvettemuseum.org/corvette-cave-cave-in-exhibit.

On June 14, 2024 a new exhibit will open “Ground to Sky: The Sinkhole Reimagined” which will feature select Corvettes recovered from the sinkhole along with other items.

The Annual NCM trip is absolutely the best way to get to know other LOCC members and to see first-hand your museum. This year Ed Tostenrud is leading the trip and he his making plans right now for an even better trip. Now is the time to let Ed know your are planning on joining in. Email: maddog1526@gmail.com Phone: 1-360-202-8305. (You will also get a first hand look at our banner)

GM Assembly Plant tours at Bowling Green, KY are still suspended, ended, delayed, stopped, etc. until who knows when.

Lake of the Ozarks Corvette Club NCM Members

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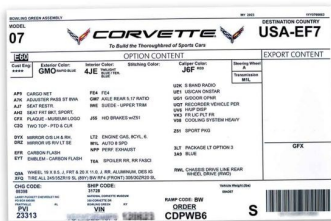
National Corvette Museum Membership

Lifetime Membership	\$2000.00
Senior Individual Membership	\$750.00/valid for 20 years
Family Membership	\$100.00/year (5 years) \$350.00
Individual Membership	\$65.00/year
Next Generation Member Children ages 0-9-	\$400/Children ages 10-18-\$200

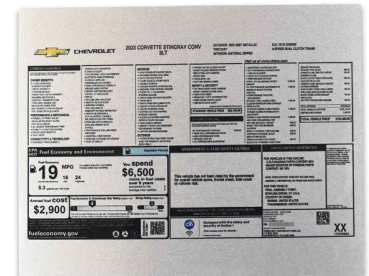
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Build Sheets & Window Stickers

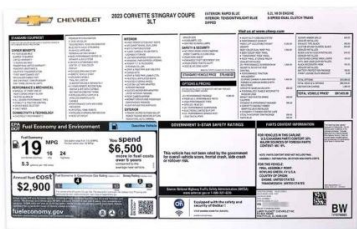
Your Corvette Collection just isn't complete without a copy of your build sheet or a window sticker!
 The National Corvette Museum offers build sheets for any Corvette assembled in Bowling Green since the GM Plant opened in 1981. Please note, window stickers are excluded from free shipping.



Corvette Build Sheet \$50.00



Corvette Aluminum Window Sticker \$185.00



Corvette Build Sheet and Window Sticker Combo \$100.00





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NCM Ambassador
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NCM Motorsports Celebrating 10 Years

In honor of their 10 year anniversary they are introducing a lineup of new and exciting offerings in 2024. Formerly known as the Corvette Experience, the MSP Driving Academy: Level 1 is a newly reimagined activity perfect for the Corvette enthusiast or car lover looking to improve their skills in an entry level driving school. With a combination of classroom sessions, paddock activities and on-track exercises, this is an immersive and educational experience that puts you behind the wheel of a C8 Stingray or you can upgrade to the Z06.

Other Track Experiences

- Corvette Touring Laps in a C7 or C8
- Camaro SS Tour Laps
- Front vs. Mid-Engine Experience
- Stingray vs. Z06
- Corvette vs. Camaro Bundle
- Bowtie Bundle (C7, C8, Camaro)

Museum in Motion

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| 27th Annual Michelin NCM Bash | April 25,2024 – April 27,2024 |
| MIM Dragon Run at Biltmore Estate | April 04, 2024—May 01, 2024 |
| MIM Le Mans Tour | June 08, 2024—June 18, 2024 |
| The 7th National Corvette Caravan | August 29-31, 2024 |
| 30th NCM Anniversary Celebration | August 29-31, 2024 |

Win a Corvette while you support the National Corvette Museum



2024 Arctic White Corvette Convertible 3/7/2024 Price: \$200.00 Tickets: 1500 Available: 992 on 02/26/2024 Drawing: March 7, 2024 2:00 PM Central Time



2024 Sea Wolf Gray Corvette Coupe 3/28/2024 Price:\$100.00 Tickets: 2000 Available: 1471 on 02/26-2024 Drawing: Mar 28, 2024 2:00 PM Central Time

Thank you to our **Corvettes in Paradise** Show Sponsors!

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Town & Country Supermarket

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CORVETTE EVENTS CALENDAR:

St. Pat's Day Parade	Mar 16
Enid OK Corvette Expo	Apr 6
Mid Missouri Corvette Cup	Apr 13
Corvettes in Paradise	April 27
Hot Summer Nights	May 10, Jun 14, Jul 12, Aug 9
Rte 66 Corvette Club Show	May 11
Springfield Cardinals Game	May 14
CCKC Summer Fling Show	Jun 8
NCM Club Trip	Jul 24-27
KCCA Vettes on the Plains	Aug 10
NWArkansas Show	Aug 23-24
Salute to Veterans Parade (HSN)	Sep 6
Camdenton Air Show	Sep 7
OB Rehab Ctr Cruise In	Sep TBD
Corvettes at Karl	TBA
Eureka Springs	Oct 3—6
Trunk or Treat Arrowhead Senior Center	Oct TBD
Veterans' Day Parade	Nov TBD
Lebanon Christmas Parade	Nov TBD
LO Christmas Parade	Dec TBD

Save The Date
4th Annual LOCC
Corvettes in Paradise
Corvette Show



APRIL 27TH, 2024

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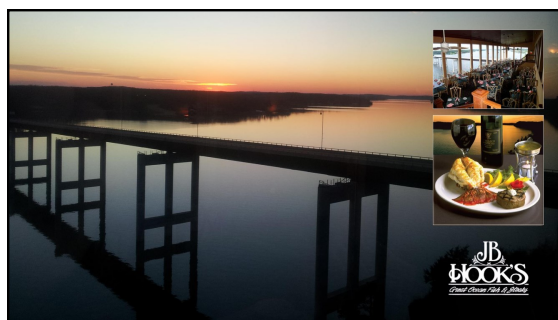
For More Information Check Our Website
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See You There!

2024 LOCC Meetings

Social Hour 11:00 am
Lunch 12:00 Noon Meeting 1:00 pm

Jan 14	Tucker's Shuckers
Feb 18	JB Hooks
Mar 10	Wicked Willies
Apr 14	Camden on the Lake/H. Toad's Bar & Grill
May 19	Hulett Chevrolet Dealership (Catered)
Jun 9	Jones Chop House
Jul 14	The Bistro in Lebanon
Aug 11	Hopper's Pub (Waynesville)
Sep 8	Shady Gator's
Oct 13	Willowes
Nov 10	Lake Valley Golf Club
Dec 7	LOCC Christmas Party (TBD)

The March meeting is at Wicked Willies. Please make sure you RSVP to DaveCloud9@aol.com with your choice of meal by March 6th. We look forward to seeing everyone there!





March 2024

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
					1	2
3 Gary Cooper	4	5 Kurt Steidley	6 Sherry Lantz	7	8 Bob Pessina	9
10 LOCC at Wicked Willie's 	11	12	13 Donnie Gemes	14	15	16 Debbie Linneman St. Paddy's Day Parade
17 	18 Rhonda Stone	19	20	21 Bill Kaimon	22	23 Dean Barker Bill Walton
24 Steve Myers 31 Kathie Brick	25	26	27 Randy Engel	28 Chris Elliott	29	30

Total 2024 Corvette Production Numbers (as of 2/27/2024):

- Stingrays: 14,821
- Z06s: 4,020
- E-Rays: 122
- **TOTAL: 18,963**