PRAIRIE CORVETTE GAZETTE

May 2020

Newsletter

National Corvette Restorers Society

Next Meeting

None scheduled at this time until we see where the Virus lockdown takes us!

Chapter Chairman's

Message

Here we are in mid-May with no NCRS Regional or National events scheduled for summer 2020! I must say that I would never have envisioned that this would happen.

The upside to this situation is having more time to work on our corvettes. I'm very close to getting the 1965 blue fuelie running with replacement of a "locked up" high pressure pump in the fuel meter. The micro

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switch which controls power to the solenoid controlled by pass fuel circuit appears to not being operating correctly, so I am looking for a replacement. The part is rather rare, to say the least.

Some of you are aware that the H & H All Chevy Show in Omaha is still scheduled for Sunday, July 19. It is a club tradition to attend this meet and it is loads of fun.

There are no trophies or judging of cars. Several club members are planning on attending and I hope to see many of you there. Brad Hillhouse continues to work on the Last Blast 2020 club event, and we are certainly look forward to that. There are more details in Brad's report.

Regards, Gene

From Brad Hillhouse Chapter Judging Chairman

Well, this is not how I planned to spend the spring of 2020! I had plans to attend 6 chapter judging meets as well as the regional events in Loveland CO and Rochester MN before heading to French Lick, IN for the NCRS Nationals in July. I'm sure many of you are suffering at home but with the nice weather, hopefully you have been able to get your Corvette out for a "socially distanced" drive. National has recommended that no Chapter events take place until August but is allowing chapters to continue planning for fall 2020 events. The Last Blast 2020 in October is still going forward with planning and we have had lots of interest from surrounding NCRS Chapters in participating. I have been in contact with hotels, car owners, judges, and others to put on a first-class event. Since there will only be a few other fall NCRS chapter events I expect another great turnout. Of course, this is all dependent on Covid19 not returning with any serious results. We can always cancel as we get closer to October, but

it's better to plan for success and keep moving forward. One of the things that is critical to making this a success is participation of our Chapter members to volunteer to help run the event. We will need help with everything from planning to parking and much more. I will be putting out a signup sheet for volunteers in the next month or so and I hope I can count on all of you to pitch in! More details will be coming out in next month's newsletter. Due to the cancellation of all NCRS in person events until August, the National board of directors has made the unprecedented move to allow online judging schools. Arizona put one on 2 weeks ago and Midway USA and Heart of Ohio have them planned for Saturday May 16. To participate, you will need to go to the NCRS "Coming **Events**" page and register for the online school just like you would for a chapter or national event. These online schools are a great way to receive national caliber information from the comfort of your home recliner watching on your computer. If you have any questions on how to register, please let me know.

Stay safe, get some work done on your Corvette and don't forget to get out and enjoy the drive! Brad

From Chapter Treasurer Gary Neimanis

Just a friendly reminder: we still have 20 Nebraska Chapter Members that still need to pay their 2020 dues. Please contact Gary if you are unsure if you have paid your dues. His information is on the following page!

Chapter Membership Dues Are Now Due!

Our NCRS Nebraska
Chapter Membership Dues
come up for payment each
April. Our NCRS Chapter
year runs from April 1 thru
March 31. Please fill out
the attached form to
include with your payment
of \$20.00. This form will
allow us to make sure we
have all the correct data for
you and your Corvette(s)
(Attached to this Newsletter)

Here is something you can check out on May 23rd in York, NE if you are looking to get out! It is being held at the old Walmart building, now Lichti's in the southeast part of town.





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2019 - NCRS Nebraska
Chapter Meetings,
Activities, Functions
and Upcoming Events
Nebraska Chapter
Meetings & Events are
listed below in BLUE.

May 28-30, 2020 NCRS Rocky Mountain Regional in Loveland, CO Cancelled

June 11-13, 2020 NCRS North Central Regional in Rochester, MN Cancelled

July 19-23, 2020 NCRS National Convention in French Lick, IN Cancelled

July 19, 202 H & H All Chevy Show in Omaha @ 84th & L

August 20-22, 2020 NCRS
Northwest Regional in Redmond,
OR

October 22-24, 2020 NCRS Texas Regional in Frisco, TX