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Hi everybody,

August is hot on our heels and about to overtake us. Meanwhile, planning for our car show at the Valley River Center is in high gear. Clutched to our hearts is the idea of helping foster kids in their race to succeed against the many challenges in front of them. I'd like to take this opportunity to thank the committee members who have worked hard on this project and urge all CCC members to bring their cars to the show at Valley River Shopping Mall on August 7 between 11:00am and 4:00 pm. Please bring a new or gently used item to donate to the kids. Rumor has it kid sized back packs are in demand.

Remember that cold I told you about last month? It was the house guest that would not leave! It wasn't Covid but it tested my patience. Speaking of patients, I guess that's what they call us malady challenged people, patients. Everything seems to take forever in the medical world.

On to happier news...

Activities for July (according to Jim & Nancy's recall) included:

July 4 – we had a great turnout of Corvettes for the Harrisburg 4th of July parade.
July 9 – only one (that I know of) member attended the Corvette City event in Roseburg.

July 10 – after lots of initial confusion, it was decided by the organizers that CCC cars could attend the Takelma Run at Seven Feathers, but we would not be eligible for any awards or prizes.

July 10 – unknown how many members attended the Springhill North Albany Car Show at Bryant Park. CCC did have one award winner.

July 15-16 – 11 members enjoyed two days at Eagle Crest Resort in lieu of the cancelled "Corvettes on the High Desert"

July 17-18 – several other members came to Central Oregon on Sunday and met with the Eagle Crest group to tour to Silver Lake and dinner at the Cowboy Dinner Tree. On Monday we all drove to Crater Lake and had a surprise birthday party complete with cupcakes. From there the group split, some going south to visit a casino and some driving Hwy 138 to Glide and then home.

Ongoing – Cars & Coffee is still happening; attendance varies as other events and weather impact our numbers.

*Special thanks to Co-VP's Jim & Vic for having the "patients" to put up with my absence.

Hysterical Segment for this month; old jokes you might have heard already:

Reaching the end of a job interview, the Human Resources Person asked a young Engineer fresh out of MIT, "And what starting salary were you looking for?"

The Engineer said, "In the neighborhood of \$125,000 a year, depending on the benefits package."

The interviewer said, "Well, what would you say to a package of 5-weeks vacation, 14 paid holidays, full medical and dental, company matching retirement fund to 50% of salary, and a company car leased every 2 years say, a red Corvette?"

The Engineer sat up straight and said, "Wow! Are you kidding?"

And the interviewer replied, "Yeah, but you started it."

The Raven as a Limerick

There once was a girl named Lenore
And a bird and a bust and a door
And a guy with depression
And a whole lot of questions
And the bird always says
"Nevermore"

That's it for another month,
Your Humble narrator (and
president at large) Matt
Horowitz



**CCC Members
We need your help**

The club and these kids need you to bring your Corvette, classic or streetrod to Valley River Center. We need you to help spread the word about this donation event. And finally, we need your donations (see examples at bottom of flyer) to make this a success. Please wear your nametag. Thank you.



**A Family For
Every Child**

**Car Show &
Stuff the Truck**
Sunday August 7, 2022
11:00 am to 4:00 pm
Valley River Center -
Front Entrance

Online donations:

<https://www.valleyrivercenter.com/Events/Details/570955>

Drive through in your classic, street-rod, sports car or motorcycle and donate to help foster children in Lane County.

No registration or admission fee

Presented by First Tech Federal Credit Union

Hosted by Valley River Center

Co-hosted by Cascade Corvette Club

To Benefit

“A Family For Every Child”

**Requested donations:
small duffel bags, backpacks,
clothing (infant to teen), shoes,
school supplies and
monetary donations**



July in photos:

July 4 - Harrisburg Parade



Casper went to Corvette City in Roseburg.

Stan & Shannon at the Springhill show in Albany. Can you spot “Demon Shark”?



Stan & Shannon at “Corvette Weekend” in Grants Pass. They won Sponsors Choice, Best C8 and Best of Show !!

CCC at Cowboy Dinner Tree in Silver Lake, Oregon. Lots of food and laughs!



More from the Central Oregon trip

“Stumbles, Copious Amounts of Food & Kamikaze Chipmunks”

We were so bummed to hear that “Corvettes on the High Desert” was forced to cancel. So...we went to Eagle Crest regardless. We already had reservations, so we took advantage of it.

After a “casual” (read: slow) drive over the pass we stopped for a surprise lunch at Roberts Pub at Black Butte Resort. Reviews included great food, weird Chili Verde and flying beer mugs. I don’t make this stuff up.....



When we weren’t relaxing, or falling down the stairs (again, I don’t make this stuff up) we took some day-trips to see Smith Rocks and crazy people jumping off the Crooked River Gorge Bridge. Jeff thought about it....for about a nano-second!

Sunday morning we went to breakfast at Cracker Barrel in Bend, saw the sights from the top of Pilot Butte and visited (unauthorized) the ultra-rich at Crosswater. They really need to make that arrow sign bigger.



Several more members arrived at our hotel in LaPine for the drive to Cowboy Dinner Tree in Silver Lake. I didn’t know it was possible for a paved road to replicate the feel of a “wash-board” dirt road. We arrived at CDT and found out we were exceptionally lucky - we hadn’t killed any grasshopper swarms. Then the food starting rolling out - a plate of yeast rolls & a bowl of butter, a huge pot of cowboy beans, quart jars of iced tea & pink lemonade. And then, the main

course, a whole chicken or a 28-32 oz sirloin steak. EACH !! NO SHARING. A baked potato and more butter. Good thing we all had coolers in the cars. Back to LaPine, rumor has it one of us set a new personal best. Something about the numbers 1, 3 & 5.

Monday morning, we’re off to Crater Lake where we had a birthday party, took butt shots and dodged kamikaze chipmunks. Serious, he tried to take out my front air dam! After the birthday party, we split up -



some going south to a casino and some headed west to Roseburg, I-5

and home for a much-needed car wash (still no grasshoppers).





Misc. Notes

Monthly Breakfast

This month breakfast will be August 30 at Flashback's Grill in Springfield, 9:00 am.

Corvettes on the Bay August 13

Our monthly meeting is Friday, August 12, so most are going over early morning on the 13th. Sadly, a great many of us will be coming home that afternoon because the hotel rates are absurd.

Registration "fee" is a raffle prize, \$20 or more value. If you have not already registered, you may do so at the event day of show.

We will meet at and depart from McDonald's in Cottage Grove at 6:30 am. (There is a large parking lot behind McDonalds & Chevron - we will find an empty corner)

Corvettes on the Columbia Sept. 9 - 10

As we get closer to the date for COTC, we understand there is a group leaving on the 8th spending that night in Boardman. Others may be traveling on the 9th. We need someone to volunteer to pass out flyers for the 2024 National Corvette Caravan.

****Save the Date****

August 21

A barbeque at a members home is in the works.

2024 Caravan Update
PNW Caravan Captain, John Warren has debuted the all new PNW Caravan webpage. pnwcaravan.com He admits it is a "work in progress" and will be more refined as he learns more about design & operation of a webpage. Check it out.

We have some minor corrections to the club roster you recently received. Please note these corrections on your copy.

Stan & Shannon Czerniak - first entry under "Plate" should read HCDM.

Matt Jack - last name is Jacks.

Doug & Sandi Lendahl - Doug's email is dplendahl@gmail.com

Eric Randleman - email is randlemaner@gmail.com

Eric & Kyrene Sorby - Ky's email is kysorby@aim.com

Please add: David & Theresa Barker, dave@national-transport.com and theresa.barker@comcast.net

August General Meeting
This month we are back at Kendall Chevrolet
August 12, 6:00 pm



Happy Birthday!

August 2 - Gloria Campuzano
August 3 - Faye Melius
August 3 - Fred Willer
August 7 - Al Sather
August 8 - Steve Roman
August 14 - Vic Blomquist
August 14 - Richard Vejnaska
August 17 - Jeff Albright
August 17 - Larry Thomas
August 19 - Jamie Williams
August 20 - Joyce Wittish
August 33 - Diane Moulton
August 26 - Dave Boyd
August 28 - Joe Heidrick
August 28 - Coleen Goldman
August 31 - Debbie Schack

Club Clothing

We have two options for embroidered club clothing & hats.

Fiddler's Green Golf Center
Embroidery Dept.
can order anything you like
and will embroider our club logo
for a small fee.

Or you may take in any
garment, regardless where it was
purchased and they will embroider
the club logo for you.



Cascade Corvette Club has had a “growth spurt” in 2022! We now have 80 memberships and 97 Corvettes. Of those 80 memberships, 18 have joined in 2022.

Welcome our newest members, David & Theresa Barker. They recently purchased a 2016 Torch Red ZO6 Convertible!

Congratulations (again) to Bill & Nancy Schrieber on the purchase of their Artic White / Cool Sky Gray 2022 Coupe. We kid Bill a lot about trading cars, but I think this one is going to stick around.



CCC Corvettes by Generation

C1 - 2
C2 - 7
C3 - 12
C4 - 7
C5 - 22
C6 - 16
C7 - 22
C8 - 9

I am a little surprised by the C4 numbers. I know that generation is looked down on by many, but they are *great cars!*



August 2
“Tournament, Not A Tournament”
Men’s Golf Day @ Tokatee

August 7
Car Show & Stuff the Truck
Valley River Center

August 4 - 7 **
Vettes on the Rockies
Steamboast Springs, CO

August 13 **
Corvettes on the Bay
Coos Bay / North Bend, OR

August 18 **
NCRS Regional Meet
Eagle Crest, Redmond

August 20 **
Springfield Cruz & Show

September 9 - 10 **
Corvettes on the Columbia
Richland, WA

December 10
Annual Meeting / Christmas Party
Shadow Hills Country Club

Every Saturday 9 - noon
Cars & Coffee
Starbuck’s Junction City



Late Breaking News
Stan Czerniak won Best GM
Eric Randleman won Best 2000 - Present
At the OPVA Show Saturday July 30

**HAVE YOU SEEN THE
NEW MUSTANG?**

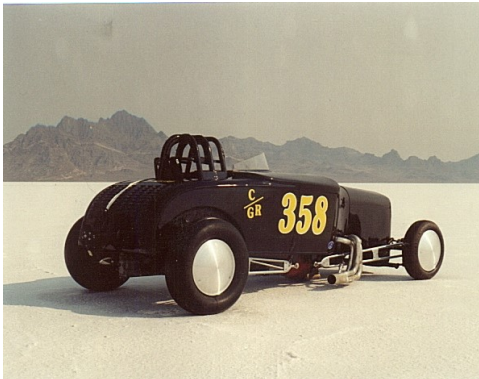


**NOT SINCE
SECOND GEAR**



Can you identify the building being razed AND where the architectural features are now being used?

Can you identify the location of the precursor to "Corvettes in the Park"?



Which club member drove 358 to over 200 mph?

Name the event where these "aliens" won for Best Costume.





**CORVETTES ON THE BAY 2022
SHOW & SHINE**

SATURDAY AUGUST 13TH

OPEN TO THE PUBLIC

*BENEFIT SOUTHERN OREGON VETERANS OUTREACH

BRING YOUR CORVETTE

9:00 AM – 3:00PM

ONE TROPHY FOR EACH SERIES: C1-C8

BRING A RAFFLE PRIZE FOR YOUR ENTRY FEE

(\$20.00 VALUE)

**EAT LUNCH AT
FOOD TRUCK ONSITE**

50/50 DRAWING

KEN WARE CHEVROLET

1595 NEWMARK

NORTH BEND, OREGON

P.O. BOX 14 COOS BAY, OREGON 97420

CONTACT AT INFO@PACIFICCOASTCORVETTECLUB.ORG



CORVETTES ON THE BAY REGISTRATION FORM

NAME _____

ADDRESS _____

YEAR _____ MODEL _____ COLOR _____

SIGNATURE _____

MAIL FORM TO:
PACIFIC COAST CORVETTE CLUB
P.O. Box 14
COOS BAY, OREGON 97420

August 2022

Sun

Mon


Tue

Wed

Thu

Fri

Sat

	1	2 <i>TNAT</i>	3	4	5	6
7 <i>STUFF THE TRUCK</i>	8	9 <i>Board Mtg Mart's 2:00 pm</i>	10	11	12 <i>General Meeting Kendall Chevrolet 6:00 pm</i>	13 <i>Corvettes on the Bay</i>
14	15	16	17 	18	19	20 <i>Springfield Cruz</i>
21	22	23	24	25	26	27
28	29	30 <i>Breakfast: Flashback Grill 9:00 am</i>	31			



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