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#### July Presidents Message

Hi everybody,

August is upon us...July seems like a whirlwind with the many different events the club has been participating in. While the Kendall show was the big event of the month, other activities had the club visiting a reopened A&W in Oakridge followed by dessert at formers members of the club Patty and David Brooks home. Two days later the club was in Harrisburg for the annual Fourth of July parade. As I mentioned last month this parade is like a scene from Norman Rockwell complete with a multitude of flags and observers. One thing new were the repeated requests for us C5 owners to flip open our headlight. I never thought that would become a crowd pleaser but times change.

July 12<sup>th</sup> saw the club having a potluck hot dog BBQ in Halsey City Park followed by our monthly meeting. It was a beautiful evening with great food and company.

The following Friday (July 19<sup>th</sup>) was to drop off supplies at Kendall for the car show followed by dinner at Sizzler (I recommend the salad bar, yum). The next day the club began arriving at Kendall for the Corvettes at Kendall Show. This show had been in the making for months. Last minute snafus were overcome by the club to present a well-received car show. Positive comments were heard by this humble narrator about the excellent judging, the great food trucks and a great DJ. I especially enjoyed not being overwhelmed by the volume of the music but being able to hear it throughout the show. A tip of the hat to our own Vic Wolfe, DJ par excellence. The club showed up at Kendall on Sunday to retrieve all those items that just would not fit in a Corvette.

On a not so sweet note, the coffee and donuts folks let us down and never showed up. I guess they fell down into a "donut hole". It's a little bitter but coffee usually is. Well, enough of this "dark roasting".

On Saturday July 27<sup>th</sup> CCC members attended the Brent Strohmeyer Memorial Car Show. 325 cars attendedand our fellow member, Stan Czerniak, took home a judge's award. The expression Deja Vu comes to mind... great job Stan especially when one considers you have two Corvettes that you keep show ready.

One last event remains for this month, breakfast at the 99 Grill in Harrisburg. Lunch has always been quite tasty there so I'm hoping for a similar breakfast. (\*\* See the update on page 5)

Many events are upcoming so be sure to visit the club's website Events section for more details.

That's all for this month, see ya at the show! Your humble narrator and president at large, Matt



#### Wow! July was jam-packed and fun-filled!

On July 2 we ate lunch at the newly renovated and re-opened A&W Root Beer in Oakridge, followed by a birthday party for former member David Brooks.



July 4th, Independence Day in Harrisburg The town, the people and all parade participants were decked out in their Red, White & Blue to celebrate America.



July 12 - Club meeting, Hot Dog BBQ potluck in Halsey City Park



July 13 - Corvette City in Roseburg



July 14 - Springhill North Albany Car Show

Several CCC & BSCC members attended this show at Bryant Park in Albany to raise funds for South Willamette Valley Honor Flight.

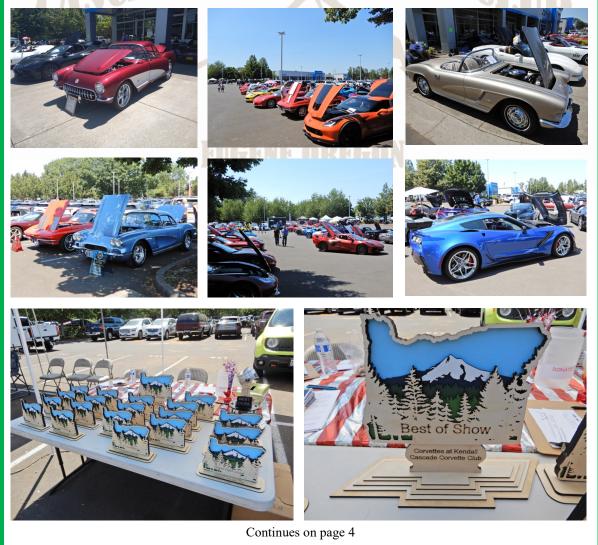






#### July 20 - Corvettes at Kendall

This was a tremendous Corvette Show !! The end result shows what we are capable of accomplishing given the short timeframe we had to get this initial endeavor off the ground. The planning was chaotic at times and we hit a number of roadblocks along the way, but the committee stuck to it and day-of-show the membership worked together to pull it off. That was the best part. We had some hurdles in set-up, but many pitched in and we made it work. Are there things we can do better? You bet. Acknowledge the short-comings and plan for them next time.



Final count shows 107 Corvettes registered; individual counts reported 98 - 103.



We had Corvettes from as far away as Gig Harbor, WA, I saw one Arizona plate, but they left early (?). Beaver State won Club Participation with 10 Corvettes. Ten Corvette clubs were represented. 21 trophies were presented, including one last-minute contribution from Sun Automotive for Best Engine. Two food truck/carts provided excellent food and drink and both left <u>very</u> happy!



#### Best of Show `63 Split Window Coupe Billy Wilson

Corvettes at Kendall trophy winners

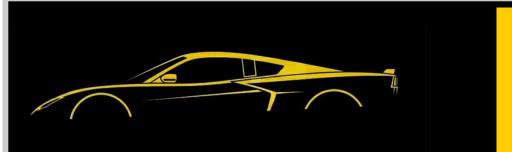
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C2 Conv	Connie Swartz		Cascade		
C3 Coupe -	Donn Massett		none		
C3 Conv	Ron Armstrong		none		
C4 Coupe -	Brian Van Doren		none		
C4 Conv	Fred Willer	FICEN	Cascade	N	
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C6 Conv	Dan Calvert		Southern Oreg	gon	
C7 Coupe -	Jeremy Fanug	au	none		
C7 Conv	Kristie Sweet		Majestic Glas	S	
C8 Coupe -	Gary Laursen		High Desert		
C8 Conv	Jerry Weston		Pacific Coast		
Best Engine		Dan Calvert		Southern Oregon	
Future Owners Award		Donn Massett		none	
Honor Flight Choice		Dennis Huntley		none	
People's Choice		Len Atlas		Southern Oregon	
Club Participation		Beaver State Corvette Club		_	
Best of Show		Billy Wilson		Cascade	

A huge thanks to Bob, Sarah, Eric and all the folks at Kendall Chevrolet/GMC/Cadillac for sacrificing their time and part of their facility to our show.

A final tally of funds donated to South Willamette Valley Honor Flight comes to \$4800! That donation will send 4 Veterans on an upcoming Honor Flight.



Thank you!!



# Misc. Notes

I ran out of room on the previous 3 pages of July "happenings", so more July activities!

July 24 - Berry pickin' picnic Rick & Kathy invited us to their house which just happens to be near a U-pick blueberry farm! After picking (and nibbling) our fill, we returned to their wonderful backyard on the McKenzie River for our picnic lunch and conversation.



\*\*\* (from page 1). We had 22 members at Hwy. 99 Diner for breakfast on July 30. The one complaint heard was the amount of food on each plate. Several people took home fresh-baked brownies to enjoy later. Will probably return here in the future.

#### TOYS FOR TOTS

The past several years CCC has been part of the Toys for Tots program either with the Marine Corps with toys purchased by members or like last year, with Kendall when CCC had a budget for purchases. Last week Barbies were on sale at Bi-Mart and I missed it, but today I stopped in and they had a 24-pack of Crayolas for 50 cents AND they had Barbies for 6.99. This note is to encourage you to be on the lookout for sales. Where the donations will go can be decided in November but let's get a head start. NANCY G.

August 6 is "National Root Beer Float Day". Although we will not be doing an organized cruise, we encourage everyone to drive to the newly remodeled and reopened A&W Root Beer in Oakridge. A&W is bringing back free root beer floats (2:00 - 8:00 pm) to raise money for the Disabled American Veterans. Enjoy a free root beer float and make a contribution to the DAV.

#### Attention:

There will be NO September newsletter this year due to the fact that several of us will be on the National Corvette Caravan in August and September. We will be emailing club updates after we return in September. Please refer to the club website: cascadecorvetteclub.com



## **Happy Birthday!**

August 2 - Gloria Campuzano August 3 - Faye Melius August 3 - Fred Willer August 7 - Al Sather August 11 - JoAnn Syron August 11 - Mark Neely August 12 - Joe Nowak August 12 - Joe Nowak August 14 - Vic Blomquist August 14 - Richard Vejnoska August 17 - Jeff Albright August 17 - Jeff Albright August 17 - Simone Thomas August 22 - Diane Moulton August 26 - Dave Boyd August 29 - Joe Heidrick

## **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.



Introducing our newest Associate Sponsor: Fiddler's Green Golf Center

Fiddler's has long been our supplier for club apparel and the various logos we have had embroidered over the years. In addition, a need recently arose for supplies for our Corvettes at Kendall show and when asked they graciously donated the needed materials. If you are not a golfer and have never visited Fiddler's Green, stop by sometime and check out their clothing sections. They have a large selection of Duck & Beaver apparel as well as many of the top clothing lines.

Welcome our newest members:

Kevin & Suzanne Archer Dennis Huntley & Deb Delong Cole Iliff Tami & Tracy McDonald Susie & Ray McKay Bill & Marcia Stuart

#### **New Corvettes:**

- Kevin & Shelley Swift 2024 Hypersonic Gray HTC
- Mike & Sandi Donnelly 2024 Rapid Blue Coupe



August 1 Stan Stiles Memorial TNAT Tokatee Golf Club AND Ladies Luncheon

> August 3 Coburg Car Classic

August 10 Corvettes on the Bay North Bend / Coos Bay

August 14 CCC @ Eugene Emeralds BBQ & Baseball

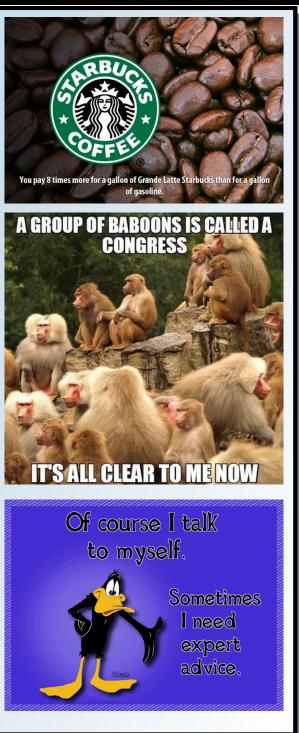
August 22 PNW Corvette Caravan departs Sandy, OR & Issaquah, WA Bound for Bowling Green, KY & the National Corvette Caravan

September 12 - 14 Corvettes on the Columbia Kennewick, WA New venue & hotels for `24

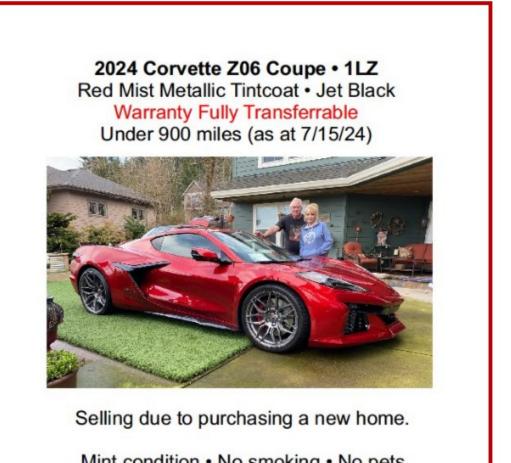
September 21 Grants Pass Automotive Corvette Show Grants Pass, OR

September 21 Corvette Show-N-Shine Bend, OR

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Welcome to the 2nd annual ...

# **Cars & Coffee Espresso Run**

WHEN: September 8th 2024. Meet 9 A.M. Depart 9:15 A.M.

WHERE: Meadow View School, 1855 Legacy St, (off of Barger Drive) (park in the school bus loop encircling the center school parking lot)

Wind in my hair, shifting and drifting, mechanical music, adrenalin surge. Well-weathered leather, hot metal and oil, the scented country air. Sunlight on chrome, the blur of the landscape, every nerve aware. Drive like the wind, straining the limits of machine and man. Laughing out loud with fear and hope, I've got a desperate plan. -Peart

You are cordially invited to our 2nd Group Run outside club event. Our annual chance to rip through the woods in our favorite fast cars, with a selected group of people, who share the passion of their cars and driving them. And hopefully, if nature cooperates, just before the weather turns, and our summer tires don't grip as well; when the back roads are still roads, and before they change to lichen and moss lined rivers. Either way, it's happening rain or shine, so choose your car as you see fit. Our drive is the same path I've sometimes ridden on my motorcycle. Years past, in the early fall I would leave from Eugene, ride Clear Lake over to Highway 36, through Mapleton and eventually finish in Old Town Florence. Once there, I'd tuck into River Roasters Coffee Shop with a hot coffee to drink and sit by the wood stove to warm up after usually nearly freezing to death on the ride over.

Our ending destination is a historical site in Florence. The bare concrete floored building lives now as the previously mentioned coffee shop. Having once been a local outboard motor repair shop, and even at one point almost falling into the water, it still bears the scars and evidence of a long life.

Our drive today consists of leaving 1855 Legacy (Meadow View School), making a left on Barger Drive, a right turn at the roundabout onto Greenhill, then a left turn onto Clear Lake. We'll follow this road until it ends at Territorial Highway, and then we'll go straight onto Lawrence Road, and follow this over to Highway 36. After this, we stay on Highway 36 all the way into Mapleton. From there, continuing on our way into Florence, and down into Old Town. Finally ending at River Roasters Coffee Shop in Old Town Florence.

Once there we can share a coffee, talk cars, or whatever, (I'm not your dad), and then disperse as we like. You can return the way we came on Highway 36 or use the quicker Highway 126 to get home.

August 2024							
Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat	
				1 Stan Stiles Memorial TNAT Golf Day & Ladies Lunch	2	3 Coburg Car Classic	
4	5	6 Board Mtg Thomas' <u>1:00 PM !!!</u>	7	8	9 Gen. Mtg & Picnic Riverside Park in Harrisburg 6:00 pm	10 Corvettes On The Bay	
11	12	13	14 CCC at PK Park		16	17	
18	19	20	21	22	23	24	
25	26	27	28	29	30	31	

# September 2024

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat	
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	
8	9	10 Board Mtg Thomas' 2:00 pm	11	12 Corvettes On The Columbia	13 General Mtg. 6pm Location TBA	14 Corvettes On The Columbia	
15	16	17	18	19	20	21 G.P. Auto Corvette Show Corvette Show - Bend	
22	23	24	25	26	27	28	
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