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OCTOBER 2024 Newsletter



On The Cover:

The 2017 Grand Sport Collector's Edition of Dave and Mary Chapman sets the bar high at any show they participate in. This was never more evident than at the recent Heart of Oklahoma Corvette Club show in Harrison, AR where they added to the car's massive collection of "bling".

See more about the show on pages 14—15.



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President Lantz's Monthly Report

Hello LOCC Members,

September is ushering in the end of Summer and the beginning of a beautiful Fall season. It's a great time of year to be a Corvette enthusiast and a busy season for LOCC.



On September 6th, LOCC participated in the final Hot Summer Nights of the season. The theme for September was "A Salute to Our Heroes". For this event, LOCC participated as drivers for the Salute to Veterans parade. This was a great opportunity for us to support local veterans and to thank them for their service to our country. We had a total of 30 LOCC Corvettes in the parade and a total of 43 Veterans as either drivers or passengers. Thanks to everyone who made this a great experience for all the Veterans. A special thanks to George Woodrum for organizing the parade this year.

On September 7th, a group of LOCC members participated in the Lake of the Ozarks Air Show at the Camdenton Airport. The weather was sunny and cool which made for an enjoyable day. We had 15 LOCC member Corvettes on display at the show. We were able to observe some unique planes such as a B-25 Mitchell Bomber, a pair of A-10 Thunderbolts (aka: Warthogs), and a Russian MiG-17 Fighter Jet. We also got to enjoy a myriad of planes conducting acrobatic aerial maneuvers. It was a fun day for all who attended.

On September 12th-14th, a large group of LOCC members attended the Corvettes at Karl event in Ankeny, IA. We had 55 members attend the event and 32 LOCC Corvettes. On Thursday evening, we enjoyed a concert and dinner at Nash Nights in the District. The weather was great and the location was just across the street from our hotel. On Friday morning, we drove out to the Iowa Speedway to enjoy a track day. Lunch was provided and LOCC members were able to drive some hot laps on part of the oval track as well as a short infield road course. It was a fun day of adrenaline filled Corvette racing. On Friday evening, we had dinner at Jethro's BBQ which was just a short walk from our hotel. It was a fun evening of dinner and socializing. On Saturday we were able to view two amazing car collections. We started first at Carl Moyer's home to view his amazing collection and enjoy a breakfast they provided. Carl is the sponsor of the Corvettes at Karl event. Next we moved on to view the car collection of Dennis Albaugh. This is one of the most impressive car collections you will ever see. If you haven't yet attended this event, you will need to put this on your bucket list. Thanks to the caravan leaders (Ed Tostenrud, Keith Suchman, Rudy Willingham, and myself) and to Don Wormsley for setting up the tour of the Dennis Albaugh collection. Thanks to Karl Chevrolet for sponsoring the event.

On September 14th, several members attended the Battle on Elm Street Car Show in Lebanon, MO. This a Ford vs GM car show. Congratulations to LOCC members Randy Weber, Don Dettmann, and Kent & Susan Perrin that came away with trophies.

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President Lantz's

Monthly Report Continued

On September 21st-22nd, several members traveled to Harrison, AR to attend the Heart of the Ozarks Corvette Show which is put on by the Heart of Oklahoma Corvette Club. Congratulations to LOCC members Dave & Mary Chapman, Mike & Sandy Funk, Arlen & Tammy Walker, Steve & Brenda Myers, Pete & Melody Spanos, and Adam Spanos that came away with trophies.

Please follow our monthly newsletter, the LOCC Facebook page, and the LOCC website for current information and upcoming activities. Thank you all for your continued support and for your club participation.

I hope to see you at our next meeting on October 13th at Willowes Bar & Grill. Please ensure you respond to the meeting invite by the deadline so that I can provide the restaurant with an accurate head count.

Thanks,

Dave

DUT AND ABOUT



Left, Darryle Modesto stands behind his newly acquired red mist C8 Stingray. A beautiful and well cared for 2022, Lois said she loves the car and loves the looks they get in the car! It is a gorgeous car and the Modesto's are absolutely ecstatic about it!

SECRETARY'S REPORT

Date: September 8, 2024

Location: Shady Gators, 132 Sweet William Rd, Lake Ozark MO

Time Meeting Started: 12:32pm **Pledge of Allegiance:** Brenda Myers

Special Thanks: Thanks was given to Shady Gators and Jeremy (JG) Gorham for providing a wonder-

ful venue and spectacular Pizza Buffet.

New Members or First Meeting & Guests:

Alan & Marleen Schooler have a 2023 70th Anniversary White Stingray.

Kent & Susan Perrin have a 1961 Red C2 Convertible.

Les & Bobbi Young have a 1994 Red C4 Coupe.

Ron & Ingrid Doxtader have a 2019 Grand Sport Elkart Lake Blue Convertible.

Greg & Trish Callahan have a 1975 White Stingray T-Top.

Ken & Shelly Biggs have a 2023 White C8.

Eric Aubert has a 2023 Black Stingray Coupe (he did not stay for meeting).

Members New/Different Cars: none

Birthdays & Anniversaries: 5 Birthdays & 3 Anniversaries (83 years total)

Old Business:

August 11 - NCM Banner Auction (Dave Lantz) We completed the silent auction at our August 11th meeting of our LOCC NCM Banner which was flown at NCM last year. Pete Spanos had the winning bid of \$1,200.

August 22-24 - Northwest Arkansas Corvette Show (Melody Spanos - not present) LOCC won 6 trophies

September 6 - Salute to Veterans Parade (George Woodrum - not present)

Steve Myers was asked to provide information on the Last Hot Summer Nights event with 30 LOCC Corvettes and a total of 43 Veterans. George asked Steve to thank Sherry Lantz for making a last minute sign and David Lantz for giving George the opportunity to organize this event. The club gave applause to George for making this Veteran's Parade a success.

September 7 - Camdenton Air Show (Dave Lantz) LOCC had 15 Corvettes on display this year. This event is held every other year.

Other Old Business: None

Officer Reports:

Vice President, Brenda Myers: 245 LOCC Members and 185 Corvettes. 3 new couples joined at todays meeting.

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SECRETARY'S REPORT

Treasurer, Jim McMillan:

August 2024 Bank Statements

Car Show Account

Beginning balance 1,343.28 **Deposits** 30.00 Checks .00 Xfers to Club Account

Ending balance 1.373.28

Club Account

Beginning balance \$ 4,760.20 Deposits 386.00 Checks (15.00)Credit Cards & Xfers (250.00)

Autobooks

Ending Balance Aug. 30, 2024 \$ 4,881.20 \$ 1,172.00 Square Account

Secretary, Sherry Lantz:

of Corvettes: 43 # of People: 91

NCM Ambassador, Ed Carr:

Next year will be LOCC 25th Anniversary and the club plans to design & purchase a special banner for NCM. So far only 1 Member (Parker Darr) has submitted a design. Suggestions and guideline for the banner can be found in LOCC's September Newsletter.

Ed also requested members to submit possible suggestions on next years NCM trip. This years trip was cancelled due to lack of interest and Ed would like to hear from members what might need to be changed to get more participation.

Webmaster, Melody Spanos: (not present) Website https://locc2010.net/

Public Relations, Brian Carrara: (not present)

LOCC's Facebook Page https://www.facebook.com/groups/1142141526490872/

Newsletter, Sandy Funk: (not present)

Project/Event Manager, Gina McLachlan: Christmas Party is December 7th and Gina is open to ideas to make this years Party bigger & better. Cliff Mueller made the request for Prime Rib.

Club Communications, Ron Wehmeyer: Nothing to report

New Business:

September 12-14 - Corvettes at Karl (Dave Lantz)

Caravans will leave Thursday morning. Nash Nights on Thursday evening, Iowa Speedway Experience on Friday morning. Dinner at Jethro's BBQ on Friday evening. Breakfast at Karl's on Saturday morning. Tour Dennis Albaugh Collection on Saturday afternoon.

September 14 - Battle on Elm Street Car Show (Dave Lantz)

Ford vs GM show held at 285 W. Elm Street in Lebanon MO. Email has been sent out with details.

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SECRETARY'S REPORT

September 21 - Heart of the Ozarks Corvette Show (Brenda Myers)

Currently 6 LOCC members are scheduled to attend. Registration is \$45 and \$200 is given to the club with the most members in attendance. It's only 2 1/2 hour trip and if interested contact Brenda or Sandy Funk

September 27 - Osage Beach Rehab Center Cruise-In (Fred Catcott -not present)

Cruise-In held from 10:00am - Noon at 844 Passover Road in Osage Beach. Randy Gross offered insight to how this event benefits both the observers and participants.

October 3-6 - Eureka Springs Corvette Weekend (Rudy Willingham)

Currently LOCC members have signed up for:

55 for the first meal

58 for the Friday Road Tour

50 for the Castle Tour

53 for the second meal

67 for the Saturday cookout

Dave Lantz is organizing the caravans.

Don Wormsley shared about the recent Mecum Auction of 10 cars from the John Kelsey Auto Collection. Don stated that John was very private with his collection but agreed to let LOCC visit but it had to be on a Sunday after 3:00pm. In 2022 around 50 to 60 LOCC members were able to visit Kelsey's Collection.

Day trips—plan and share your suggestions

Other New Business:

Rudy Willingham discussed after meeting drive. Plan to have a short drive around Horseshoe Bend area then end up at Kathy's deck at 1640 Duckhead Road, Lake Ozark Missouri 65049 for socializing

50/50 Drawing:

Donnie Gemes winner from last month presented \$100.00 to Gary Carlson.

Next Meeting:

Willowes's Bar & Grill, 2010 State Hwy A, Montreal MO 65591

Continue to promote Club and recruit new members!

Dave reminded members to pay their tab at the bar area.

Meeting adjourned: 1:07pm



LOCC HONORS OUR VETERANS

On September 6, 2024, LOCC honored our local veterans during the final Hot Summer Night of the year by a parade of 30 Corvettes down the Bagnell strip. In total, 43 veterans, consisting of both LOCC members and local veterans attended the parade. Onlookers shouted their gratitude from the street sides as the veterans waved from inside the most beautiful cars on the strip. Without a police escort for the second year in a row, LOCC proved they will still honor our veterans, even blocking traffic on our own. Even the

"alien" cars that interrupted the parade of Corvettes were of no consequence as it did not damper the crowd's enthusiasm for our local heroes! A huge Thank You to George Woodrum for coordinating the parade and for Sherry Lantz's help with the signage!









LAKE OF THE OZARKS AIR SHOW 2024



September Meeting at Shady Gators

September 8, 2024

Pictures by Kim Ehlmann and Stefanie Wiskur



The After Meeting Social Event at Kathy Needham's





VS



On Saturday, September 14th, the annual Ford vs Chevy show was held at the Ed Morse dealer-ships in Lebanon. If you have never been, the dealerships are across the street from each other. Fords line up on one side (and a few Chrysler products) and Chevys on the other side. Three LOCC member Corvettes were entered in the show and all three won a best in class trophy! Congratulations to Randy and Debbie Weber, Kent and Susan Perrin and Don Dettmann!





Date: 9/12—14/2024
No. LOCC Cars Attending: 32
Pictures submitted by:
Stefanie Wiskur













Heart of Oklahoma Corvette Club Show In Harrison, AR

Sept. 21, 2024

Seven LOCC Corvettes successfully attended the 1st annual Heart of Oklahoma Corvette Club show in Harrison, AR. Arriving Friday afternoon in time for the Meet, Greet and Eat at Wood's Chevrolet (show sponsor), the group was treated to a meal of hamburgers and hot dogs with all the necessary sides of a down home barbeque. The car lot, vacated of dealer cars, left participant cars and club cars on display. As LOCC knows, there is nothing better than a dealership filled with beautiful Corvettes! Following the meet and greet and back at the hotel, LOCC members met Northeast OK CC members for a short evening of socializing on the hotel patio. This is the beauty of attending shows, meeting enthusiasts from other states and developing friendships.





Saturday morning, LOCC set out for the Harrison downtown square where they were divided up by class. As the show was advertised to participants that cleanliness would be the determining factor, LOCC members quickly began doing what they do. They cleaned, cleaned and cleaned some more. With temperatures reaching in the 90's and the humidex high, cleaning was no easy feat! In the end, after all judging was completed, the results of the show were announced in the air conditioned, Lyric Theatre on the square. The C8 convertible class consisting of 13 C8's had LOCC leaving with a class award. Out of 13 coupes in the C8 coupe class, LOCC brought home the 1st place plaque. A total of 17 wide body cars were entered in the show and three LOCC cars came home with class awards while one LOCC C7 drove

away with 1st place in their class, a sponsor award, the best interior trophy and best of all, they won the Best of Show cup for C5—C8! Congratulations to Dave and Mary Chapman with their 2017 Collector's Edition! See pictures on the next page for all the winners.



Saturday evening, two of the LOCC cars had to return home but the remaining five cars stayed the night. The remaining group met the Northeast OK CC at Bucket's Bar and Grill (same owners as Jamie's in Berryville where LOCC dines during Eureka Springs) for dinner. Saturday was an early night as the heat of the day zapped most of the group, but it's always a great time when LOCC gets together and to add 24 more NEOCC members to the group, made it phenomenal.

For their first show, the Heart of OK Corvette Club did a great job! LOCC attending members recommend next year's show for those wanting something to do and not having to drive too far.

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Below, Mary makes one of her many appearances on the award stage.

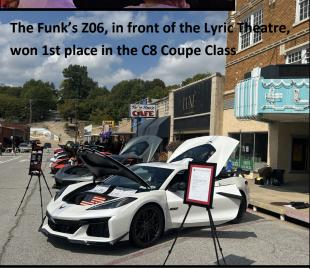
(left) Local Boy Scouts perform opening ceremonies with a Flag raising on the square.

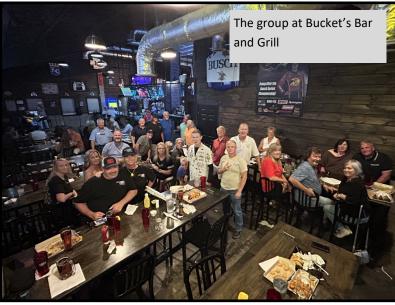














Ed Carr

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. Subscribe to the "Corvette Campus Connection".

For museum happenings and information at: https://www.corvettemuseum.org/subscribe/

Follow all of the National Corvette Museum's existing social media channels



National Corvette Museum Membership

Lifetime Membership \$1953.00

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

Get Behind the Wheel at the NCM Motorsports Park

Lake of the Ozarks Corvette Club NCM Members

If you need to have your name added or removed or any changes, please let Ed Carr (Email: edcarr@earthlink.net Text: 417-718-0824) or Brenda Myers (Brendajoymyers@comcast.net Text 651-283-5006) know.



Ed Carr **NCM Ambassador**

News & Views



Museum in Motion

MIM 1-Lap of Kentucky Tour (2) October 1-5, 2024

MIM 1-Lap of Kentucky Tour (3) October 15-19, 2024

MIM 1-Lap of Kentucky Tour (4) October 22-28, 2024

Corvette Racing Weekend Presented by Michelin @ AACA Museum October 24-26, 2024

Get Behind the Wheel at the NCM Motorsports Park



Step into the world where the silver screen, music, and video games intersect with automotive passion.

Opening this October, Pop Culture and Corvette: An American Love Affair explores the deep connection between America's Sports Car and entertainment. From Elvis Presley driving a 1959 Stingray Racer in Clambake to the Corvette-inspired Autobots in the Transformers franchise, this exhibit celebrates the Corvette's role in film, TV, music, and video games. Visitors will be immersed in the sights and sounds of iconic Corvettes that have graced the big and small screens, including a bright pink Corvette inspired by Barbie, a blue C3 featured in Hawaii Five-0, and the Corvette concept featured in Gran Turismo 6.

In addition to Hollywood fame, the exhibit highlights Corvettes tied to American icons, such as astronaut Jim Lovell's Corvette and Reggie Jackson's 1978 Indy 500 pace car replica. With a blend of cars, artifacts, and memorabilia, the exhibit showcases how Corvette has been a cultural symbol for more than 70 years. Visit us this fall to experience the stories behind these legendary Corvettes.

Annual LOCC trip to the National Corvette Museum:

We will soon put out a survey for our trip to NCM hoping to pic up some suggestion, new ideas, new activities, even new dates for this trip. Nothing wrong with what we have been doing it is just kind of nice to give everyone in the club a chance for some input.



Ed Carr NCM Ambassador News & Views



2025 LOCC 25th Anniversary NCM Banner

We are looking for a design for our club submitted banner at the National Corvette Museum to be displayed in April of 2025.

The banner is 29.5 inches x 60 inches
Acceptable file formats: PDF, JPG, TIFF, EPS, AI Resolution 300 dpi
All images flattened and outline all text

Suggested images for the banner:

Want to see photos of all the banners on display at the museum go to this site

https://corvettemuseum.smugmug.com/2024-Parking-Lot-Banners

Win a Corvette while you support your National Corvette Museum



2025 Build Your Own Corvette or \$ 85,000

Price: \$250.00 Tickets: 1500 Available: 1010 on 09/28/24 Drawing: October 24, 2024 2:00 PM Central Time



CORVETTE EVENTS CALENDAR:

Eureka Springs	Oct 3—6
OB Rehab Cruise In (Rain Date)	Oct 4th
October Drive Around	Oct 11
Trunk or Treat Arrowhead Senior Center	Oct 25
Veterans' Day Parade	Nov 9th
Lebanon Christmas Parade	Nov 23
LO Christmas Parade	Dec 14



LOCC Membership Total For August:

245 Members

Number of LOCC Member Cars:

188 Corvettes

2024 LOCC Meetings

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

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Mar 10 Wicked Willies

Apr 14 Camden on the Lake/H. Toad's

Bar & Grill

May 19 Hulett Chevrolet Dealership

(Catered)

Jun 9 Don Chilillo's

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

Encore Event Center

The next LOCC meeting will be at Willowes' Bar and Grill at: 2010 State Rd A, Linn Creek, MO.

Watch your emails for more information and RSVP by the given deadline!





OCTOBER 2024

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
Happy Octob	er Birthdays!!!					
		1	2	3	4	5
		David Ayers			Judy Cruzen Greg Callahan	Tammy O'Sullivan
6	7	8	9	10	11	12
	Lourdes Tostenrud			Bill Stone	Gina McLachlan	
	Tricia Morris			Linda Elliott	Kathy Chalupka	
13 LOCC @ Willowes	14	15	16	17	18	19
Ed Champion	Ellen Ensminger		Kelly Kite			Arlen Walker
Leslie Miller						
20	21	22	23	24	25	26
Gina Freer		Terry Wedding		Ed Carr		Bruce Bramon
27	28	29	30	31		

The following link leads to a Road & Track article published 9.27.2024 and is titled:

Corvettes Wouldn't Go Electric Just for the Sake of It: Chief Engineer Says

https://www.msn.com/en-us/autos/news/corvette-wouldn-t-go-electric-just-for-the-sake-of-it-chief-engineer-says/ar-AA1rkHSV?ocid=BingNewsSerp