

# NRL Reporter

## November 2025



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# Best Burger Challenge

## The Vote is in.

**Who will the winner be?**

MMX  XIV

**EMPIRE**  
burgers + brew



**lucky.**  
SMASH BURGERS

**Burger Local**  
★The★  
VINTAGE INSPIRED  
  
GENEVA, IL



Northern Rays Ltd. (NRL) is a sanctioned club of the National Council of Corvette Clubs (NCCC). Its members are dedicated to the preservation and competition of the Chevrolet Corvette.

Meetings are held on the second Tuesday of the month at 7:30 pm at:

**Real Time Sports  
1120 W. Devon Ave.  
Elk Grove Village, IL 60007**

Membership in NRL is based on an applicant meeting the following requirements:

- 1) Be a Corvette Enthusiast at the time of Application.
- 2) Be at least 18 years old
- 3) Submitted the first year's NRL/NCCC New Member dues of \$90 Single/\$145 Couple, which includes an NRL club shirt. All members will also receive an NCCC membership card.
- 4) NRL/NCCC Renewal dues are \$60 Single/\$95 Couple.

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## *From the Office of the President*

### November 2025

What a beautiful last few weeks of October! Sounds like a broken record but we really can't complain, there have been many good days to enjoy your rides. First week of November and we are still reaching the sixties! Next week it will be 39 degrees with snow flurries, brrrrrrrrrr.

October turned out to be a pretty good month for NRL activities starting with a road trip to Skydive Chicago in Rochelle, IL for lunch. The day was sunny but a bit windy to see any divers falling from the sky.

October 11<sup>th</sup> & 12 was an Autocross in Peru, IN at Grissom Air Base another beautiful weekend with some fun and fast Autocrossing.

October 19<sup>th</sup> was joint affair with NRL joining NCRS's fall color drive to Edward's Apple Orchard. It was a bit stormy in the morning but followed by a much better afternoon for lunch at Rascals Bar & Grill in Loves Park, IL.

October 25<sup>th</sup> was corvette day at Blackhawk Farms Raceway, S. Beloit, IL. They had a great turnout, hope to attend again next year.

October 26<sup>th</sup> was NRL's last road trip to St. Paul's Fish Company, McQuain, WI. I heard the fish was fresh and scrumptious.

October 30<sup>th</sup> was this year's final search for the best burger, held at Spears Bourbon & Burgers, Wheeling, IL with 15 members attending. They had some mighty fine burgers. All votes are in, and the winner of the NRL Best Burger for 2025 is.....? - to be announced at our November NRL meeting on the 11<sup>th</sup>.

First event for November is on Saturday the 8<sup>th</sup>. Freindsgiving Luncheon at the Ivy Restaurant, Wheaton, IL.

November Meeting will be nominations & voting for the Board Officers for 2026.

Also please remember to bring non-perishable items for our food drive donation to the Itasca Food Pantry.

That's it for now, see you all at our next club meeting on November 11<sup>th</sup>, 2025, at Real Time Sports in Elk Grove Village, IL. Pizza at 7:00, the meeting starts at 7:30.

Happy Thanksgiving!

**Fred Marano**  
**President**  
**Northern Rays LTD.**



### **Northern Rays Corvette Club General Membership Meeting**

**Date: Tuesday, October 14, 2025**

**By: Diane Wagner**

Meeting Location - Real Time Sports, Elk Grove Village, IL

- Pizza was served at 7:00 p.m.

Meeting called to order at 7:27 p.m. by Fred Marano

**President's Report** – Fred Marano – Fred welcomed everyone, and announced that Andy Kanturek joined our club tonight. He has a 2012 Grand Sport. He also reminded everyone that our dues are due tonight. Last month's meeting minutes were reviewed with motion for approval by Dan Wagner and seconded by Tom Novak.

Fred reviewed our events that were held since our last meeting. On September 13<sup>th</sup> we had a lunch at Lindy's Landing in Wauconda with perfect weather. September 25<sup>th</sup> was Mike Cambio's turn for the Best Burger contest. Where we enjoyed burgers at Lucky's Smash Burgers in Palatine. On October 7<sup>th</sup> was a officers board meeting where we decided on which charities we are donating to this year. Itasca Food Pantry, Lion's Club, American Cancer Society in Fred Meyers name, and FCOA are the recipients this year. October 11 & 12<sup>th</sup> Chris Strom auto-x at McHenry County College, and the Wagner's and Marano's auto-x at Grissom Aeroplex in Peru, IN.

**Vice President's Report** – Tim Bruin

Two members' birthdays in October. Lori Jochheim & Diane Wagner – Happy Birthday ladies!

Upcoming outings.

October 18<sup>th</sup> IL NCRC Fall Color Tour. Ed W talked about the trip & put flyers on the table

October 25<sup>th</sup> Corvette Track Day at Road America from 8am to 4pm. Open to all corvettes.

October 26<sup>th</sup> Drive out to St Paul Fish Company in Mequon WI Ed W. is hosting this event. We are leaving from Alexanders in Elgin at 10am sharp.

November 8<sup>th</sup> Friendsgiving Luncheon at Ivy Restaurant in Wheaton. Reservations made for 12:30pm.

November 23<sup>rd</sup> Champagne Brunch at Ki's Steakhouse & Seafood. Meet there at 10am.

December 6<sup>th</sup> is our annual Christmas Party at Villagio's Restaurant. Ed Frost passed out RSVP & dinner choice.

December 9<sup>th</sup> Last membership meeting of the year with our White elephant gift exchange & party.

**Governor's Report** – Dan Wagner – NCCC dues increase was voted on and passed at the last governors meeting. Also needed the clubs input on who to vote for at the national office of "Business Manager."

**Secretary Report** – Cindy Barbera – Will be out of town in October and November and Diane will take the minutes.

**Treasurer's Report** – Mike Baumer – Reviewed Income and Expenses for October.

**Competition Report** – Dan Wagner – The last competition event of the season is an autocross at the Tire Rack on October 18-19<sup>th</sup>, hosted by Windy City Corvettes.

**Membership Report** – Ed Frost – Emailed all the members that our dues are due tonight. Please pay him. All membership dues need to get to me by October 30<sup>th</sup>.

**Publications Report – NRL Reporter** - Position Open - although now it is being handled by Diane Wagner until a volunteer, or an official person is selected.

**Public Relations Director – Chris Strohm** -Nothing to report.

**Web Master Report** – Mike Baumer – Reporter is posted on website.

**Sergeant at Arms Report** – Ed W. reported 12 corvettes in the lot tonight.

**Historian Report** – Vern Fagerberg – Nothing to report.

**Officer Nominations** – The following people have accepted or considering the open officer position. President – Fred Marano & Diane Wagner, Vice President – Fred Marano, Secretary – open, NCCC Governor – Dan Wagner, Director of Competition – Chris Strohm & Dan Wagner, Membership Director – Ed Frost, Publications Director – Diane Wagner, Director of Public Relations – open, Sergeant At Arms (2) – Ed Wodniakowski & Santo Scafide. We have a few positions with openings, please consider running for an office. Next month we will open nominations again, afterwards a vote will be made on all the open positions.

- 10 min. brake:

**Raffles coordinated by:**

Tim Bruin -50/50 – tickets \$1 each or six for \$5 Mike Abbinanti -General Raffle – tickets \$4 each or 3 for \$10 Our October winners: Tom Novak-Armor All Care Gift pack, Les Sandler-8pk Microfiber Towels, Mike Baumer-French Roast Coffee K-cups, Mark Barbera-Watermelon Wine Cocktail, Linda Dunlap-Evan Williams “Fire”, Dan Wagner-Flower Plate Garden Stake, Chris Strohm-Hanging Light-up Ghost, Elaine Meyer-2007 Corvette Quarterly, & Mike Abbinanti-2008 Corvette Quarterly.

**Winner this week for the 50/50:**

Les Sandler won the 50/50 Cash Prize for \$58.00

Your contributions and ticket purchases support NRL and our pizza sharing at each meeting. Thank You!

**Announcements:**

The club has collected \$64.00 from members that did not drive their corvettes to the monthly meetings. Thank you for your donations. We are going to use this money for our Christmas party at Villagio's.

Don't forget to bring nonperishable food items to our next meeting for our annual food drive for the Itasca Food Pantry.

Some exciting news.... Tim Bruin purchased a 2019 Grand Sport & Ed Frost just ordered a 2026 Convertible! Congratulations!

The meeting was adjourned at 8:30pm. motion by Mike Baumer and second by Dan Wagner.

**Next Meeting November 11, 2025**



## *Planning!* *General Raffle Donors – 2025 NRL Meetings*

Sign Up Today & Thank You!

Your contributions help us share the fun and also enjoy Pizza at each meeting.

January	Joe & Lori J.	Fred & Elaine M.	
February	Mike & Katy B.	Linda Dunlap	
March	Dan & Diane W.	Joe & Lori J.	Les S.
April	Mark & Cindy B.	Ed & Sue F.	Tom & Leann
May	Ed & Sue F.	Fred & Suzi M.	Fred & Elaine M.
June	Santo & Kim S.	Ed & Terry W.	Linda D.
July	Tim & Rose B.	Tom & Leann	
August	Mike & Katy B.	Frank & Colleen	Linda Dunlap
September	Fred & Suzi M.	Ed & Terry W.	
October	Dan & Diane W.	Mark & Cindy B.	Tom & Leann
November	Mike A.	Joe & Lori J.	
<i>December – Special Holiday Meeting</i>			

**Thank you for all your Support!**



# Grissom Aeroplex

## Peru, IN

October 11-12, 2025



Fred M & Dan W in staging, waiting their turn at this large and long course.

# NRL Drive-out

October 26, 2025



Mequon, WI



# Best Burger Challenge Location #7



October 30, 2025

Spears Bourbon Burger Beer in Wheeling, IL

15 Members ventured out to our last challenge. Hosted by Mark Barbera



Everyone had so much fun that no one took any pictures. Cheers!

# Happy Birthday!



**Happy Thanksgiving!**

## November Birthday

Mike Abbinanti November 29

*Northern Rays Christmas Dinner*

*Villagio's Restaurant*

*1212 West Lake Street*

*Roselle, IL*

*Saturday, December 6<sup>th</sup>, 2025*

*Cocktails 6:00 PM, Dinner 7:00 PM*



Member _____	Dinner _____
Member _____	Dinner _____
Guest _____	Dinner _____
Guest _____	Dinner _____

Entrée choices are as follows(choose one): Chicken  
Parmigana, Grilled Filet of Salmon, Veal Vesuvio, or New  
York Strip Steak

Dinner will include Bruschetta and Calamari for an appetizer  
Bread and House Salad

Pasta(Rigatoni in a Vodka Sauce)

Garlic Mashed Potatoes and Steamed Broccoli

Gelato for Dessert( If you want a different dessert, you can  
order from the dessert tray and pay for it)

Coffee, Tea, and Soft drinks are included with the dinner  
otherwise it is a cash bar.

No charge for members, \$40 per guest

Please return by our next meeting November 11<sup>th</sup>. If you can  
not attend the next meeting you can mail your completed  
form to Ed Frost, 160 Benton Lane, Bloomingdale, IL., 60108

# 2025 Planning / Events

## November 2025

Northern Rays Ltd.



DATE	EVENT	KEY CONTACT
Sat – Nov 8	<b>Friendsgiving Luncheon – 12:30 PM</b> <b>Ivy Restaurant</b> <b>120 N. Hale St., Wheaton, IL 60187</b>	Tim B.
Tues – Nov 11	Monthly Club Meeting – 7:30 PM Real Time Sports - 1120 W. Devon, Elk Grove, IL  <b>Please bring non-perishable food items for the November food drive to this month's meeting.</b>	Fred M. & Tim B.
Sun – Nov 23	<b>Champagne Brunch – 10:00AM</b> <b>Ki's Steakhouse &amp; Seafood</b> <b>705 North Ave., Glendale Heights, IL 60139</b>	Tim B.
Sat – Dec 6	<b>NRL Christmas Dinner – Villagio's Cocktails start at 6pm.</b> <b>1242 Lake St., Roselle, IL</b>	Ed F.
Tues – Dec 9	Monthly Club Meeting – 7:30 PM (Xmas Meeting/White Eleph.) Real Time Sports - 1120 W. Devon, Elk Grove, IL	Fred M. & Tim B.

**Bold** are planned events & dates. **Bold in green** are planned drive out events.

*Italics* are planned but, not yet firm.

## 2025 Events we have enjoyed so far:

1. Our First NRL event of 2019 – A wonderful turnout of 18 warriors on January 25<sup>th</sup> competed, ladies against the men for bragging rights for whichever team escaped first from their Escape/Panic room. This event was held at the Panic Room in Addison. After the ladies won, everyone went to Shoeless Joe's for lunch.
2. Thank you for Supporting Heart Health Month & our annual paper drive for the Itasca Food Pantry at our February membership meeting.
3. Bocce Ball at Pinstripes in S. Barrington on March 8th was a blast! We had three courses reserved for us, and another great turnout. Girls against the boys. The final round was not completed because we ran out of time, so we are going to have to come back and do it again! Thanks Tim & Rose for planning this fun event. Afterwards, most of us went to Rosatti's Pizza for dinner.
4. March 22<sup>nd</sup> NRL volunteered their time to "Feed My Starving Children" in Schamburg. Thank you for donating your time to help feed those in need. NRL Rocks!
5. Friday April 4th was our 2nd year at Makray Golf Club for our annual fish fry event. 22 members ventured out in horrible weather to attend this year.
6. April 24th was our first installment of the "Best Burger Challenge." Fred Marano won the first pick, and his choice was Empire Burger in Lombard. 18 members rated the burgers at this cool dining spot. (just wished it was a little warmer out so we could have stayed outside without them closing us in)
7. April 26th NRL celebrated Fruhlingsfest (Spring Festival) at Schnitzel Platz. The drinks flowed, and everyone enjoyed their German dinner selections. Elaine won a raffle for a record of her choice, and Sue danced and entertained everyone along with the "paid" entertainment.
8. The Great Big Gameshow event was on May 4th. Another men against the ladies competition event. 15 members enjoyed trivia, puzzles, and chance games. And..... Of course the winners for the 2nd time this year were "THE LADIES!"
9. May 29th was our 2nd installment of the "Best Burger" challenge. Diane W hosted 17 members and one guest at JT's Porch Saloon & Eatery in Lombard. 16 members voted for the challenge. We also got to celebrate Fred M. His birthday was on this day, so we all sang happy birthday and had some cake! Fun night!
10. Anderson's Japanese Gardens in Rockford was our next outing on May 31st. 15 members enjoyed walking around this beautiful property. Afterwards everyone caravaned to the Poison Ivy Pub for lunch. It was a cool but sunny day, and a great day of fellowship.
11. June 7th & 8th was our first co-sponsored autocross event of the year. It was held at McHenry County College. We had over 30+ competitors each day. The Wagner's worked both days, and Chris S. raced.
12. The following weekend, Jun 14 & 15th was our NRL autocross event at the Rantoul Aviation Center. We had 25 racers on Saturday & 23 on Sunday. It wasn't a great turnout, but we made a little money for the club. But most importantly, we hosted a great event that went smoothly thanks to our NRL volunteers, and co-sponsor Windy City Corvettes, and their members.
13. The 3rd installment of our search for the "best burger" contest was on June 26th at Burger Local in Geneva. Linda Dunlap was our host. 20 members came out and 19 judged their burgers.
14. On June 28th was our "Sippin Trip." We had 10 cars that got to enjoy a scenic drive with Fred M. leading the way. We traveled up into Wisconsin to a Winery, then off to a Brewery. We headed back down to Illinois to a Distillery, and finished up at a Supper Club. Thank you Tim & Rose for the planning of all these locations. Everyone had a great time!
15. July 4th was the Niles parade. This is an annual event for our club. This year was a little dicey with all the rain that arrived just a little bit before the parade was suppose to start. It took a little while, but the parade happened.
16. The weekend of July 12 & 13th was an NRL co-sponsored autocross event at the Isle Casino in Bettendorf, IA. Suzie M, Dan & Diane W worked the event. Fred M, Chris S. and new member Mark T. competed. This time we were challenged with severe storms on Friday getting to the venue.
17. Sharkfest 2025 was on July 19th. Severe thunder storms were predicted that day. Hoping for the best, it was decided to not cancel it. With so much planning, lets just make it happen. And we did. The rain did arrive, but nothing severe. The turnout wasn't the best because of the rain, but everyone that did attend had a great time. Thank you West Dundee VFW for the venue!

18. The 4th installment of our search for the “Best Burger” contest was on July 31st at Brandt’s in Palatine, hosted by Tim Bruin. 12 members voted on their burgers.
19. August 17-22nd was the NCCC annual convention. This year our region hosted this event. Three members, Fred & Suzi Marano and Mike Baumer attended. They attended the 2024 Awards banquet on Monday evening, where our club received a trophy for being in 8th place for points out of 236 clubs. Diane Wagner & Suzi Marano also received awards. On Tuesday, Fred Marano competed in the Low Speed Autocross where he won 2nd place in his class. Fred & Suzi also competed in the Rallye. Lots of other social events were attended too.
20. The 5th installment of our “best burger” challenge was held on August 28th at The Country House in Geneva, hosted by Chris Strohm. We had 12 members vote on their burgers.
21. On September 6th we had a great showing for the Bloomingdale parade. It was a beautiful day for a parade, but still a bit too warm for our “older” shark car. Those big engines just don’t like to go slow. After the parade Joe & Lori invited everyone to their house for a get together. Thanks for hosting all of us!
22. Tim & Rose arranged a lunch at Lindy’s Landing in Wauconda on Saturday September 13th. Another beautiful warm day to enjoy a great lunch & conversation.
23. The 6th installment of our “best burger” challenge was held on September 25th at Lucky Smash Burgers in Palatine, this one was hosted by Mike Cambio. We had 11 members vote and a couple of guests join in on the fun.
24. A group planned on attending the last autocross that is going to be held in Columbus WI the weekend of September 27 & 28th. Fred & Suzi Marano were the only members that made it. Fred did an awesome job winning 13 out of 14 races in his class! Congrats!
25. A last minute impromptu drive out to Flight Deck Bar & Grill in Rochelle IL on Sunday, October 5th was organized by Fred M. It was another beautiful warm day, a little, no a lot of wind, but we still had the tops down and drove back roads all the way there. Great food & venue.
26. October 11-12th our NRL autocrossers went in two totally different directions. Chris S completed at McHenry County College in Crystal Lake. Dan & Diane W and Fred M with Suzi M along for the ride went to Grissom Aeroplex in Peru, IN.
27. On October 19th, NRL was invited to joint the NCRS group for their Fall Color Drive. It was a stormy day, but still always a good time & great people. Thanks for inviting us!
28. A couple members wen to the Blackhawk Farm Raceway in S. Beloit, IL for the annual “Corvette Day.”
29. October 26th was our last caravan trip for the year. Ed W. organized a nice drive from Alexander’s to the St. Paul’s Fish Company in Mequon, WI. Awesome food & a great trip!
30. The 7th and final installment of our “best burger” challenge was on October 30th at Spears Bourbon Burger Beer in Wheeling, IL, hosted by Mark Barbera. 15 members rated their burgers. The winner of the 2025 challenge will be announced at our next membership meeting in November. Good Luck!

Club Nominations are in October  
Club Elections are in November  
All Positions are Open



Your Vote Counts!

## **ARTICLE V**

### **Section 1. Duties of an Officer**

In addition to performing the designated function of his office, a member of the Board of Officers is entrusted with the responsibility of establishing Club policy, upholding the bylaws of the Club, carrying out the purpose of the Club, and, above all, acting in the best interest of the Club and its individual members. It is also their duty to attend Club meetings and functions.

### **Section 2. Duties of the President**

The President shall be the Chief Executive of the Club. The President shall preside at all meetings of the members and shall have the responsibility for the general control and management of all Club activities. He is responsible for the care and custody of all Club property and shall maintain an up-to-date record of all such property, which shall include the name of any member charged with temporary custody thereof. He may call special meetings under the provisions of Article III. He shall be an ex-officio member of all committees and preside at the Board of Officers meeting in the absence of the Vice President. Other responsibilities include regular communication with the other officers and committee chairmen to ensure coordination of functions and successful completion of activities. He shall appoint a parliamentarian and web master on a yearly basis or as necessary. (amended 2/23/2002 and 7/11/2023)

### **Section 3. Duties of the Vice President**

In the absence of the President or in case of his death, resignation or inability to act (which will be determined by the Board of Officers), the duties usually appertaining to that office shall be performed by the Vice President. He shall serve as Chairman of any Board of Officers meeting. He shall serve as Director of social and noncompetitive activities. He shall also actively promote the name of N.R.L. in the community. (amended 7/11/2023)

### **Section 4. Duties of the Secretary**

The Secretary shall attend all meetings of the members and officers and shall record all minutes and the outcome of all votes. He shall submit for publishing in the newsletter or by email to all members who have provided an email address. He shall give all notices of meetings to the members required by law or these bylaws and shall perform all duties incidental to this office required by law or the majority vote of the officers. He shall have custody of the Club's records and keep all Club correspondence. He shall be responsible for absentee voting as detailed in Article IV, Section 2 and Article IX. In the absence of the Secretary from any meeting, a Secretary pro tempore shall be chosen by the presiding Officer. The Secretary shall also act as Club Historian if one is not appointed by the President. (amended 7/11/2023 and 12/12/2023)

### **Section 5. Duties of the Treasurer**

The Treasurer shall, subject to such conditions and restrictions as may be made by the officers, have custody of all monies, debts, and obligations belonging to the Club. He shall receive monies for the Club and deposit it in the Club account. All CONTRACTS, CHECKS, DRAFTS, NOTES OR OTHER ORDERS FOR PAYMENT OF MONEY SHALL BE SIGNED BY THE TREASURER AND PRESIDENT OR VICE PRESIDENT. If these three positions are held by the same member, another co-signer will be selected by the Board of Officers. Also, a co-signer may not be of the same household or related by blood or marriage to the Treasurer. If this should occur, another co-signer will be selected by the Board of Officers. (amended July 2006 and 7/11/2023)

The Treasurer shall prepare a budget for approval by the Board of Officers. Any payments within 10% of the budgeted amount or not exceeding \$25 of the budgeted amount may be paid by the Treasurer. If an obligation does not meet these criteria, the payment must be approved by the Board of Officers. The Treasurer shall give a report on the financial status of the Club at the monthly meeting, and, if so requested, at any other meeting of the Officers. (amended 7/11/2023)

The Treasurer shall also be responsible for maintaining the Corporate and Not-For-Profit status of the Club.

#### **Section 6. Duties of the N.C.C.C. Governor**

The Governor shall attend the N.C.C.C. meeting(s) in accordance with N.C.C.C. rules, and shall be reimbursed by the Club for such expenses as approved by the Board of Officers. His duty shall be in compliance with the duties outlined in the N.C.C.C. Rule Book.

#### **Section 7. Duties of the Director of Competition**

The Director of Competition shall be responsible for the administration of all Club sanctioned and Competition events. He shall be the resident authority for any conversation relative to competition. He shall also be in charge of award acquisition for any Club oriented events.

#### **Section 8. Duties of the Membership Director**

The Membership Director shall be charged with the responsibility for keeping up-to-date records of all members. He shall be in charge of collecting monies due for membership, both initial and renewal. He shall be in charge of selling club property at the Club function. He shall be responsible for contacting all prospective members who have expressed an interest in Club membership. (amended 7/11/2023)

#### **Section 9. Duties of the Publication Director**

The Publication Director shall be in charge of Club newsletter. He shall be the Editor, Writer, Publisher and distributor of this publication. At his discretion he may designate any or all of these functions to volunteers. If done so, he shall be final authority and hold full responsibility for this publication, within reason. (amended 7/11/2023)

#### **Section 10. Duties of the Director of Public Relations**

The Director of Public Relations shall be responsible for the advertising of upcoming Club events, and also for any post event articles. He shall also be responsible for promoting the name of the Club in the community.

#### **Section 11. Duties of the Sergeant-At-Arms**

The Sergeant-At-Arms will be the policing body at any Club function, or gathering of Club members. He shall keep order at the meetings and use whatever methods are necessary to do so, including physical expulsion. He shall do his best to protect any Club property as well as the personal property of any member and guests. He shall also be charged with the responsibility of assisting the Membership director in making any guests feel welcome. (amended July 2006)

# Nomination Ballot

## NRL Elections for Calendar Year 2026

Officer/Position:	Nominations:
President	Fred Marano Diane Wagner?
Vice President	Fred Marano
Secretary	
Treasurer (2 year term) Up for Election again for 2027	XXXXXXXXXXXX
NCCC Governor	Dan Wagner
Director of Competition	Dan Wagner Chris Strohm
Membership Director	Ed Frost
Publication Director	Diane Wagner
Director of Public Relations	
Sergeant At Arms (2 positions)	Ed Wodniakowski Santo Scafide

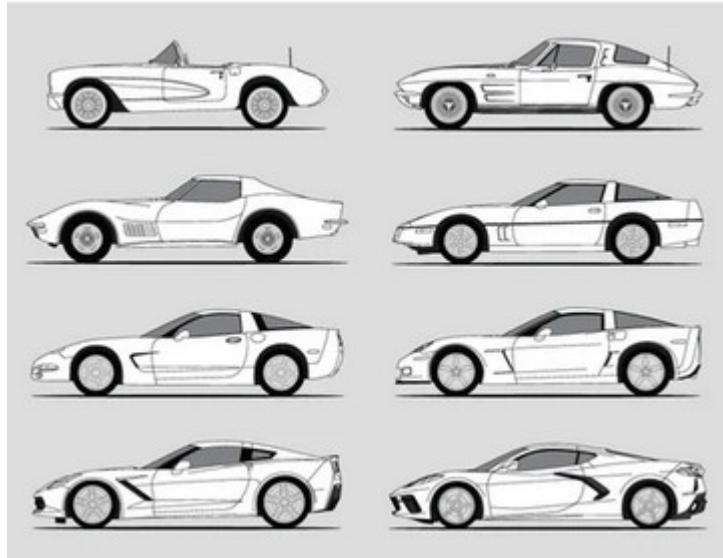


# TRIVIA TIME!



## November 2025 Question

**What year is the rarest Corvette?**





## October 2025 Trivia Answer

**What was the first year that a side mounted exhaust system was used?**



**1965**

## Our Meeting Place



Real Time Sports bar located in Elk Grove Village is a sports bar like you have never seen before. With 50 HD TVs and a 20 foot jumbo screen, we offer all sports games minute by minute. Unbelievable food and awesome drink specials keep our customers coming back for more. We look forward to seeing you soon!

Real Time Sports Bar  
Tel: 847-534-5000  
1120 W Devon Ave  
Elk Grove Village, IL 60007

## Advertising in the NRL *REPORTER*

Advertising in the *Reporter* is very simple. First you choose the size and space which best suits your needs and pocketbook and then how long a period you want your ad to run.

Once those decisions have been made, you will need to choose the design of your ad.

If you already have an ad in another publication, we can simply reproduce it for inclusion in the *Reporter*. Or, you may want to use your business card, which works just as well.

If you wish to create a new ad, we can assist you with your design at no additional charge.

Ad Size	One Month	Three Months	Six Months	One Year
1/8 Page (Business card size)	\$2.50	\$7.00	\$13.00	\$25.00
1/4 Page	\$5.00	\$15.00	\$25.00	\$45.00
1/2 Page	\$10.00	\$30.00	\$50.00	\$90.00
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Diane

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