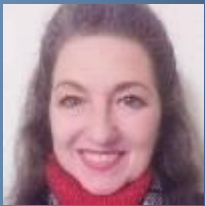




Vette Ventures

The Newsletter of the **Corvettes of the Bay** Car Club

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Happy August to all!

It's hard to believe that we are nearing the end of summer and approaching fall already. We've experienced some interesting weather this season, for sure, yet it has been decent enough to get some good driving time in, also. Hopefully that continues for a while yet.

That said, thank you to The Village Grille for hosting the monthly club meeting...the first of many, I'm sure! The turnout was wonderful with 81 in attendance and a lot full of Corvettes for all to see!

Hopefully our group continues to grow and blossom and show some wonderful fruits by connecting with more Vette owners and encouraging others to become an owner.

Please share the Corvettes of the Bay information with others and invite those who are owners, but not yet part of the club. It's always fun to share the VROOM with others!!

Stay safe with the whacky weather! Let's get out and do some more get-togethers! We can do gatherings at many different sorts of places...parks, game sites, archery or shooting ranges, or maybe even consider hosting something at home if you're blessed with the means to do so...game night, camp out, bonfire, etc.

Any way you look at it, we can come up with SO many different ways to enjoy the cars AND the people who drive them!!

Every chance you get, remember to make room for the VROOM!!

ENJOY!! 😊

April Basten

President



Corvettes of the Bay Monthly Meeting Minutes

August 3, 2021

Call to Order: President April Basten called the meeting to order at 7:00 pm at The Village Grille, Allouez, WI with 81 members in attendance. I believe a record for our meeting.

Approval of July Minutes as posted: President Basten called for a motion to approve minutes as posted in the newsletter. Motion was made by Dan Miller and seconded by Fred Bartman.

Treasurer's Report: Diane Lyman reported the status of the club's assets, membership is currently 175 paid members and 4 honorary members. President Basten called for a motion to approve treasurer's report, motion was made by Diane VanBoxtel and seconded by Tom Harrison, motion approved.

Scrip Program: Diane reported that for the month of July we sold \$500.00 worth of scrip gas cards. The gas cards are accepted at all Shell Gas stations in WI and Upper Michigan and will be on sale at each meeting. Kwik Trip Car Wash Cards are now available at each meeting for \$30.00 for 5 washes.

New Members: We have a past member that decided to rejoin, her name is Carol Jacobs, she drives a brand new 2021 Elkhart Lake Blue Convertible. Also, David Routhieaux plans to join, he drives a 2005 Mag Red Corvette.

Summary of Past Runs and Events:

July 11 - A run to Door County Coyote Roadhouse and then on to the Maritime Museum was led by Tony and Sally Steffen. About 24 cars joined on this run. Good food and fellowship by all.

July 15 - Bill and Cheryl Smet led a scenic run to Waterfront Bar & Grill in Kewaunee. 20 cars were on this run. Everyone had fun and enjoyed good food.

July 17 - Tony and Sally Steffen let people know that they were planning on going to Von Stiehl's Winery and to meet them there if interested in going. 13 Corvettes came to enjoy wine and music.

July 20 - A visit to Renaissance Assisted Living led by Tony and Sally Steffen, 13 cars participated, and when they arrived the seniors there enjoyed it very much. Some even gave rides. After that, Mark Hendricks and 9 cars went for supper to The Marq for some delicious tacos.

The Summer Party was a big hit!!!!!! 110 members signed up to enjoy the afternoon at The Automobile Gallery. Good food and music from Dan Linssen and vocals from Angelina Terrien. We had a guessing game by Vickie Linssen on our custom license plates and why you chose them, and a scavenger hunt with questions and looking for the answers about the cars in the gallery. A big thank you to Diane VanBoxtel and Sally Steffen for all your help in setting up this great day.

Upcoming Runs and Events:

August 11 - Guy Ringle & Elizabeth Vieau are planning a dinner run to Draft Gastropub in Appleton. Meeting at 4:15 at the Brickhouse and leaving at 4:30 sharp. Come enjoy a drive and good food.

August 24 - Ken & Kristi Tedford along with Patti Vlieger & Roger Schroeder leading a run through some scenic countryside. Meeting at Shell on Hwy 54/57 at 3:00 pm and leaving by 3:15, and after this fantastic run, cocktails and dinner at Riverside Ballroom, Green Bay.

August 31 - Mark & Bev Hendricks will be doing a dinner run to The Marq restaurant in DePere. Meeting at Costco tire center at 3:00 pm, RSVP by August 27, more information will be coming.

Other Events Coming:

September ? - A run will be planned by Don & Deb VandenAvond, more information coming.

October 16 - Rick & Sally Northrop planning a dinner run to Iron Grill Golf Course in Iola, great roads, and meal cost is \$14.95 per person. Also, more information coming.

Open Forum:

The new meeting place for the Club was great, Village Grille in Allouez, 801 Hoffman Road, Green Bay. We have several monitors now to show lots of great pictures and other information. Dan Linssen explained how a run can be made easier using the 2 second rule for spacing between cars. That way other non Vette people know that we are in a group. If there is too big a space between cars, people don't realize that they are in the middle of our group.

If you would like to show a run you had, make a video about 2 to 3 minutes long and it can be shown at the meeting. Like Tony and Sally Steffen's run to Door County, it was great.

We need a volunteer for Keith Bauer's role of sending out email reminders about dinner runs and other events. He will be stepping down by the end of this year and we will NEED someone to fill his spot. Please email Keith at keithbauer@gmail.com for information or questions about this position.

Volunteer for Sally Northrop's role is also needed, she will be leaving the board at the end of this year. You can email Sally at salnorthrop@gmail.com.

Adjournment was at 7:51 pm. President April Basten asked for a motion to adjourn, motion made by Tony Steffen and seconded by Ken Lyman.

Elizabeth Kelling
Corvettes of the Bay Secretary

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You get out of your club what you put into it.



AUGUST BIRTHDAYS

BRANDON ROHDE (AUG 2)
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DAVID RIEBE (AUG 28)
JEFF KEMPKE (AUG 30)
SUE ROUSSEAU (AUG 30)

AUGUST ANNIVERSARIES

KEITH AND LINDA BAUER (AUG 5)
DON AND SHEILA JAEGER (AUG 5)
RON AND DELPHINE WACH (AUG 13)
CONRAD AND KAREN SUTEK (AUG 14)
CHUCK AND CHRIS TEMPLER (AUG 14)
MIKE AND GWEN HANNON (AUG 20)
SCOT AND SARA THOMPSON (AUG 24)
JIM AND SUE WOEPSE (AUG 25)

MONTHLY DINNER RUN LEADERS 2021 SEASONAL ICE CREAM RUN LEADERS

August	Guy Ringle & Elizabeth Vieau
"	Ken & Kristi Tedford/ Patti Vlieger & Roger Schroeder
"	Mark & Bev Hendricks
September	Don & Deb VandenAvond
October	Rick & Sally Northrop
November	open
December	open
Fall Run	open
Christmas Party	Deb VandenAvond (Jan 2022)

When you have selected a specific date for your dinner or ice cream run, or to volunteer for an open month, email the details to Keithabauer@gmail.com.

Keith will add it to the events calendar on the website and email the members.

Visit the Events/Community tabs at www.corvettesofthebay.org to see the most up-to-date list of events!

SCRIP Cards available for purchase at monthly meetings

- Shell Gas Cards - \$25, \$50, and \$100 amounts

- Kwik Trip Car Wash Cards - \$30 each for 5 Ultimate washes

Contact our treasurer to purchase cards.

Contact The Editor

If you have any questions or concerns with the content of the newsletter, or would like to submit an article, please contact the editor, Diane Lyman, at dtlyman@hotmail.com. Looking for articles about "your first Corvette."

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New Meeting Location



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