

# Flying Fiberglass

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2018

Corvette Club of Western Pennsylvania's

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## The Presidential Blog

The month of September was another fun filled and exciting month for the club. We had some great activities and the only problem was that it went by way too fast.

Note: The Glassport Car Show that was to be held on September 8th was cancelled due to the weather. It has been rescheduled for Saturday, October 6th.

We made another visit to Jennerstown in September to get in some track time and a great time was had by all.

One of the things that this club is known for is getting together for a meal, and to keep that tradition going we went to Tara on the 30th and had a nice drive up there and a great meal as usual.

Since we were not able to secure a sponsor for our Fall Car show we had to cancel that this year.

We are hoping for lots of colorful leaves this year for our Leaf Peeper, scheduled for Sunday, October 21st. Jan and John Hollabaugh have planned a nice trip so make sure you mark the date on your calendar and see the sign-up sheet in this newsletter or see the website for more info. This is one of our last scheduled events for our 'Vette season', other than membership meetings, so let's go out with a bang and have a great turnout.

Of great importance each year is the annual election of Board members in December. The positions open this year are Treasurer, Membership, Vice President, Events and Socials. We need members to serve on the Board. The Board is the driving force for our Club and it is what keeps the Club moving forward. New individuals in these leadership positions can bring new ideas and enthusiasm that will help grow and improve our organization. All club members have life experiences that they can apply to a Board

position. It is a rewarding experience and you get to meet and interact with more of the membership in a personal way. The Election Committee will be calling to ask you to participate, so please seriously consider taking the challenge and join the Board.

As I have mentioned in the past, any suggestions you may have on things you would like to see us do or ways you think we could improve the club and/or our communications to our members are always welcome.

Feel free to contact me at:

E-mail: fpaolo@comcast.net or phone: 724-842-6001.

**Our next membership meeting will be Monday, October 8th, at The Boulevard on Route 22 in Delmont.** The meeting starts at 7:00, but if you want to spend some time with your fellow members come around 6:00 for dinner. Hope to see you there.

*Frank Paolo*



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## **Corvette Museum – Jack White**

See Jack at events to purchase your tickets



New Raffle Tickets

**2019 Arctic White**

**Corvette Coupe**

**\$10**

**Drawing:**

**Thursday, Feb. 2, 2019**

**At 2 pm CT**

6.2 Liter V8 460 HP Engine  
8-Speed Paddle-Shift Automatic transmission  
Magnetic Selective Ride Control  
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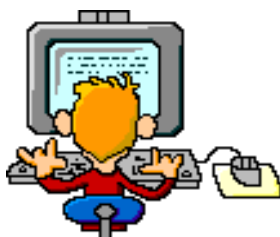
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Corvette Museum Delivery

**CCWP Webmaster**

**Regis Kuzel**

**CCWP.ORG**



Remember, if you take pictures of Club events, participate in other Vette events, or you are featured in an article, share the information with the membership by sending them to the Webmaster. You can reach Regis at 412-818-2295. If you have any pictures of your car or anything you want to add send it to [CCWP@CCWP.org](mailto:CCWP@CCWP.org).

## **NEWSLETTER ARTICLES**

Send all pictures and articles to the editor by the 17th of the month at :

[gyoung1210@msn.com](mailto:gyoung1210@msn.com) or by regular mail to:

Georgeann Young 1210 Harvest Dr.

Monroeville, PA 15146

**Do not use the Club mailing address as delays may occur.**

## September Membership Meeting

The October Membership Meeting will be held on **Monday, October 8th** at The Boulevard in Delmont.

The meeting starts at 7:00 pm but come early and join your Corvette buddies for dinner



The Boulevard  
6543 State Rte 22  
Delmont, PA 15626



## Museum News



Corvette owners have the opportunity to participate in the "NCM Experience" - a program that offers a unique experience with their Corvette at the Museum. Owners can schedule a special visit where their Corvette receives an exterior cleaning and is then displayed on the floor of the Museum delivery area. Guests are given a VIP tour, one-year individual Museum membership, commemorative wall plaque, silver decal recognizing participation in the program, and a number of other gifts. Cost is \$500 and is due at the time of scheduling.

The first Shadow Gray Corvette has been delivered. It went to Jim and Judy Schubert of Stockton, IL. It is a 2019 Z06 model.

As part of the Museum's Anniversary Celebration, Corvette Club Ambassadors who achieved 'Master Ambassador' status were awarded and clubs were recognized with special awards. There were 72 ambassadors that reached 'Master Status'. There are some high performance driving events on the schedule. October 6-7 is the 10/10ths Motorsports. This event was conceived out of pure passion for the sport. Drivers of all skill levels are welcome and there is a group that fits you. October 13-14 are Chin Track Days. This event is modeled on lower enrollment, fewer run groups, and more track time. This format utilizes only 3 run groups and all drivers are classified according to experience. During the event groups rotate sessions on the track every 30 minutes. See Museum website for details.

The website is [www.corvettemuseum.org](http://www.corvettemuseum.org)

**NOTE: Jack White, the CCWP ambassador to the Museum is stepping down and we are looking for someone to take his place. If interested contact Jack at 412-779-5228**

## October Birthdays — Allen Young



1st	Aaron Lopatich	15th	John Balog	27th	Randy Materewicz
4th	Margie Eles	18th	Chris Graham	28th	Oren Grimenstein
6th	Linda Maker	22nd	Charlie Roslund	28th	Karen Stevens
9th	Jonnie Grimenstein	22nd	Debra Urban	29th	Gary Beighley
9th	Shannon Laney	23rd	Lee McDonald		Dan Clark
11th	Frienda Edwards	24th	Clyde Martz		John Maher
11th	Dennis Smith	24th	Raymond Ratay		Mike Wilson
12th	Eileen McGovern	25th	Mike Weber		



## Upcoming 2018 Club Activities

October 2, 2018	CCWP Board Meeting @ The Boulevard
October 6, 2018	Glassport Car Show (Rescheduled)
October 8 2018	Membership Meeting @ The Boulevard
October 21, 2018	Leaf Peeper
November 6, 2018	CCWP Board Meeting @ The Boulevard
November 12, 2018	Membership Meeting @ The Boulevard

**DON'T FORGET!!!** Watch future editions of the Flying Fiberglass for additional events and information on The Corvette Club of Western PA.

**ALSO:** please check out our website for any last minute changes that may affect an event you plan on attending. Our site is updated as new information becomes available. Don't forget! Visit: [www.ccwp.org](http://www.ccwp.org)

## Illness & Condolences

If a Club member wishes to notify the Club of a death, illness, or accident in his/her (or fellow members) family please notify Connie Jelovich at 724-325-2571, CAJJELO4@comcast.net with the information. The information will be passed on to other Club members at the next general meeting if so desired.

## Condolences



We extend our deepest sympathies to Richard Novotny, Judy. She will be missed.  
Our thoughts and prayers are with you and your family. May she rest in peace.

## New Members — Allen Young



Welcome  
New Members of the  
Corvette Club of Western PA

Membership questions??

Contact Allen Young

412-372-7802

E-mail:

ayoung1210@msn.com

## September Raffle Winner



New Raffle Tickets

2019 Torch Red

Corvette Convertible

\$10

Drawing:

Saturday, Sept. 1, 2018

At 3 pm CT

## 2018 Planned Events

On October 21, 2018 we have the Leaf Peeper scheduled.

Board Meetings and General Membership Meetings (other than those pizza meetings in the summer) are at The Boulevard Restaurant in Delmont.

Be sure to check the monthly newsletter and website for any new events that have been scheduled, other general information, pictures, and other surprises, and to see the some of the great sponsors we have.

Any questions or suggestions contact any Board member (see front page for contact info)



## 2018 LEAF PEEPER CRUISE

Sunday, OCTOBER 21

(Time of departure will be communicated to participants by email or phone.)

**FEATURES:** Cruise through the beautiful Laurel Highlands; stop at the unique Laurel Caverns- the largest cave in Pennsylvania and one of the deepest in the United States; Lunch at the Braddock Inn on Rte. 40!

**NOTE:** There is no entrance charge for Laurel Caverns Park. You will need to pay ahead if you are planning to go on one of the GUIDED CAVE TOURS AVAILABLE:

**TRADITIONAL:** Steps and sloped floors both up and down; one hour in length; elevation from the visitor's center to the lowest point on this tour is 150 feet (only a third of the way to the cave's lowest point). Appropriate shoes as well as a jacket for 52 degree year around cave temperature are also recommended. Total underground walking distance is about 3,000 ft. covering only 20% of the cave's three miles of passages. **NOTE:** All passages are lighted!

**MODIFIED TRADITIONAL TOUR:** No steps— no steep cave slopes; 30 minute tour. You will still see many spectacular sites. Again, appropriate shoes and jacket are recommended.

**MORE:** Kavernputt (miniature golf); Gemstone panning; Gift shop; Five county view!

**Questions?** Call John or Jan @724-545-1832 (h); cell 412-400-6427. (30-car limit!)

\*\*\*\*\*REGISTRATION\*\*\*\*\*Cut  
Cut and mail BY OCTOBER 14<sup>th</sup> to: Jan Hollabaugh, 199 Wilson Road, Worthington, PA 16262. Include check for Cavern Tour(s), as applicable, made payable to CCWP. PLEASE PRINT!

**NAMES:** \_\_\_\_\_

**PHONE:** (Cell) \_\_\_\_\_ (home) \_\_\_\_\_ Email \_\_\_\_\_

**Either Cavern Tour – GROUP RATE per person:** Age 65 and up: \$10.00; Under age 65: \$12.00

**#of participants for Traditional Cave Tour** \_\_\_\_\_; **# for Modified Cave Tour** \_\_\_\_\_



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## 60th Anniversary Merchandise

Pictured here are items that we have purchased to celebrate the Club's 60th Anniversary. If you are interested in purchasing any of these items please join us at a membership meeting or some other event to pick them up. If you have any questions you can contact any Board member for assistance.

Not Pictured: Window decals with 60th Anniversary logo Cost: \$3.00



### CCWP LOGO Tumbler

18 oz. Stainless Steel

Double wall insulating for hot or cold.

Spill proof cap to protect your Vette!

**Special for members \$6.00**

Will be available at the meetings.



Price: \$15.00



Price: \$15.00



Recently the Pittsburgh Tri-State Chapter of NCRS organized a visit to the Vinoski Winery in Rostraver, Dave Kitch, a member of both NCRS and CCWP extended an invitation to our club to join them and a number of our members did join their club for the visit. The host was Dave Brown from Vinoski Winery. The event included a tour of the palatial building on the grounds, wine tasting, wine making, a buffet dinner in the courtyard followed by a concert presented by the Bill Matthews Tribute Band 'Antz Marching'. A good time was had by all.





## **2019 National Corvette Caravan**

The date for the 2019 Caravan is Aug. 28-31, 2019. This marks the 25th Anniversary of the Museum, Registration for the event at the Museum is now open and can be accessed on the NCM website. If registering, be sure to register each person, not just your car. Each person will have to select which caravan they are planning to travel with, or select NO CARAVAN if not planning on traveling with one. For this event there will be only one NCM registration fee. As an upgrade for 2019, credentials will be distributed before you arrive in Bowling Green by the Caravan Captains, so it is important that you choose which Caravan Captain you will be traveling with.

If you are planning on traveling with the Atlantic Corvette Caravan (new name for the New Jersey Caravan, which is the one we traveled with last Caravan) you can reach out to John & Mary Nist, the Captains, at [atlanticcaptains2019@gmail.com](mailto:atlanticcaptains2019@gmail.com). This caravan does have rooms reserved in Bowling Green so if the club travels with this Caravan there is a better chance we would be able to stay together.

There is another Caravan leaving from Michigan and this one has an interesting itinerary, including time on the track in Indianapolis. However, I'm not sure they have any rooms blocked off for their drivers. It looks like the leaders will be Verna and Larry Courtney and more information on that Caravan can be obtained at [corvettecaravan.com/mi](http://corvettecaravan.com/mi). Keep an eye out for more information as we go along and get closer to the event.

## **Corvettes at Carlisle**





## Corvette Club of Western Pennsylvania ("C.C.W.P.")

### New and Renewal Membership Application

Date: \_\_\_\_/\_\_\_\_/\_\_\_\_ New: \_\_\_\_ Renewal: \_\_\_\_

Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Home Phone: (\_\_\_\_) \_\_\_\_\_  
(Last Name) (First Name)

Address: \_\_\_\_\_  
(Street) (City) (State) (Zip Code)

Email Address \_\_\_\_\_ Cell Phone: (\_\_\_\_) \_\_\_\_\_

Member's Birth Date: \_\_\_\_/\_\_\_\_/\_\_\_\_ (At least the month & day) Name for Name Badge: \_\_\_\_\_

Spouse's/Domestic Partner Name (if joining): \_\_\_\_\_  
(first) (last)

Email Address \_\_\_\_\_ Cell Phone: (\_\_\_\_) \_\_\_\_\_

Birth Date: \_\_\_\_/\_\_\_\_/\_\_\_\_ (At least the month & day) Name for Name Badge: \_\_\_\_\_

Year of Your Corvette: \_\_\_\_ Color: \_\_\_\_ Body Style: ☐ Coupe ☐ Convertible ☐ Hardtop

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How did you hear about CCWP? \_\_\_\_\_

#### Requirements of membership

To be completed by new members only

Please answer yes or no to these statements.

- ☐ Yes ☐ No I understand I must be at least 18 years old to be a member.  
☐ Yes ☐ No I understand the membership year runs from January 1<sup>st</sup> To December 31<sup>st</sup>  
☐ Yes ☐ No I understand my name, e-mail address and telephone number may be printed in the monthly newsletter

**The newsletter is available on the website below. Check here to have it mailed to you. ☐**  
 (please note that having it mailed to you will cost an additional \$15 yearly above your annual dues)

#### Membership Dues

**Newsletter by e-mail** (Jan 1<sup>st</sup> thru Dec 31<sup>st</sup>): \$30.00 for a single/ \$35.00 for a couple Amount enclosed: \_\_\_\_\_

**Newsletter by US mail** (Jan 1<sup>st</sup> thru Dec 31<sup>st</sup>): \$45.00 for a single/ \$50.00 for a couple Amount enclosed: \_\_\_\_\_

#### Liability Statement

In consideration of membership in the Corvette Club of Western Pennsylvania, I/we acknowledge that I/we have liability insurance on all of our cars as that is a requirement of membership. Also as a requirement of membership, I/we release, indemnify and hold harmless the Board of Directors, staff members and general membership of CCWP from any and all claims, causes of actions, property damages, judgments, lawsuits and injuries whether known or unknown for any reason whatsoever as a result of my attendance and/or participation or the attendance and/or participation of my guests before, during, and after any event associated with or sponsored by CCWP.

Applicant's Signature: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_/\_\_\_\_/\_\_\_\_  
(Signature is required)

Applicant's Signature: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_/\_\_\_\_/\_\_\_\_  
(Signature is required)

After completing the information above, please mail this application with a check or money order payable to C.C.W.P. to:

Allen Young  
 C.C.W.P Membership Director  
 1210 Harvest Drive  
 Monroeville, PA 15146

General membership meetings are held on the second Monday of each month at 7:00 pm.

Join us online at [WWW.CCWP.ORG](http://WWW.CCWP.ORG)

Revised (9/25/17)



**September 8, 2018 - 11am to 5pm**



**Contact: Regis Kuzel**  
**412-818-2295**  
**CCWP@CCWP.ORG**

**Join follow members for breakfast at 9am  
 at Falorio's. Buffet style to be announced  
 for \$9/person...**



**Falorio's**

**519 Monongahela Ave**  
**Glassport, PA 15045**

**Reserved parking in front  
 of restaurant for members  
 that confirm with me ahead  
 of time....**



**Please Note: This event has been  
 rescheduled. The new date is  
 Saturday, October 6th.**

**Trucks, bikes**

**\*\* Entire street blocked off!**

**\*\* food vendors, crafts, etc.**

**Sponsored by Glassport  
 Development Corporation.**

## General Membership Meeting (Unapproved)

Monday, September 10, 2018

The monthly membership meeting was held at The Boulevard Restaurant in Delmont. Frank Paolo called the meeting to order at 7:00 pm.

**Director's Reports****Membership— Allen Young                      Absent**

Report given by Rich Zisek. To date we have 153 families and 259 members.

For anyone who joins from September 1 through the end of the year their membership will cover the remainder of 2018 and all of 2019.

**Vice-President / Insurance— Vince Morich**

Insurance is paid.

Vince is taking over the planning for the After-Christmas Party.

**Social— Vacant**

Monthly membership meetings will continue at the Boulevard at least until the end of the year.

Vince is looking into some places for the After Christmas Party. We are still looking into Rizzo's in Crabtree and the other is Veltre's in Plum (this is where the 60th Banquet was held). If anyone has any suggestions let someone on the Board know.

**Events— Vacant**

**Please check the Website and our Facebook page-they have all the activities and details.**

We are looking for someone to take over this position.

September 8th—The Glassport Car Show was cancelled due to weather and rescheduled for September 22 (later changed to October 6th).

September 23—Jennerstown event.

September 30th—Visit to Tara for Brunch. If interested, you need to let Ron Thomas know so they can make reservations for the correct number.

Jan and John Hollabaugh will be in charge of the Leaf Peeper. It is scheduled for October 21st. More details to come and sign up sheet will be in the Newsletter. We will be eating at the Braddock Inn and touring the Laurel Caverns. Max for parking is 30 cars.

We are looking into the Caravan that is planned for next year. It is scheduled over Labor Day weekend. There is a group going from New Jersey and one from Detroit (this one is being led by Larry Courtney). Both have different routes planned and the Detroit group is planning on going to the Indy Speedway to get on the track. More details to come.

Autocross— They are going to try and work with Jennerstown next year to set up at least one event there.

All events for the rest of the year are listed on the website.

**Newsletter—Georgeann Young                      Absent**

Everything for the Newsletter should be submitted by the 17th of the month.

**60th Anniversary Merchandise**

There is some merchandise available that commemorates our 60th anniversary. All items along with the prices are shown in the newsletter. These will be available at meetings and some events.

**SPECIAL REPORTS****Historical Committee — Frank Paolo**

No report.

**Museum—Jack White**

Jack has tickets available for the next drawing in September.

**Health and Welfare Committee- Connie Jelovich**

No report.

**Competition—Frank Paolo**

No report.

**WPCCC—Frank Paolo**

No report

**Website/Facebook**

Regis is continuing to improve the website. We now have an email site for CCWP and we are going to do mass emails from there. More people will have access to this so if they have an event they can send out notifications themselves. The 60th Anniversary merchandise is also on the website. We had a spam email come through and it was caught. As a result, Regis tightened up security and right now only Board members have access.

**Old Business****New Business**

We are looking to regroup and take a new approach to how we do our event planning. We need to have more participation from the members and are looking for them to volunteer to take the lead on an event they would like to see occur. Regis is going to set up a suggestion box and any suggestions a member sends can go there and it will go to our email. These would then be discussed at the Board meeting and then brought to the members to see if there is interest in the event. We may also post some ideas that members could pick from.

We will be getting ready for elections to take place in December. We will have the list of positions that will be open for this year at next month's meeting.

**Treasurer—Rich Zisek**

Report given by Rich. It was noted that we spent more on the picnic and the 60th banquet than we took in. Approved by the members

**Treasurer's Report only available at General Membership Mtgs.**

The next CCWP meeting will be Monday, October 8th at the Boulevard on Route 22 in Delmont at 7:00 p.m.

The meeting adjourned at 8:00 pm.

