# Flying Fiberglass

# December 2018



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### **The Presidential Blog**

November was certainly an interesting month weather wise. Most of the month brought us cold, wet weather and even a little early snow. All that is a sure sign that the 2018 Corvette season is drawing to a close and it's time to get our cars ready for storage until next spring.

As we come to the end of the year and look back on 2018 I can say that it was a very good year for CCWP. Our membership has grown, activities and events were plentiful and fun and participation was good. We even had some newer members attend and pitch in to help with the activities. The only way to truly appreciate your car, our club and its members is to join in and get involved. That's the best way to have fun, meet new people, and grow new friendships, all while sharing the one thing we all have in common-our Corvettes.

I would like to apologize for not making the November Membership meeting and fulfilling my duties as President. I had knee replacement surgery and wasn't getting around too well at that time. Thanks to Rich Zisek and the other Board members for filling in for me.

December is an important month for us with one major activity to take place at our membership meeting. The election of new Board members tops our agenda for the meeting. We have only been able to fill three of the slots that are open—Allen Young will run again for Membership Director, Vince Morich will run again for Vice President, and Mike D'Iorio will join the slate to run for Treasurer. Unfortunately we have not had anyone step up to run for the remaining two positions—Social and Events. There will be a ballot at the meeting and everyone will be asked to cast their votes. Installation of new officers is effective January 1, 2019.

Special thanks goes to Tom Henry Chevrolet for sponsoring our Spring Corvette Show. It was a successful show and the money from the 50/50 went to the Greater Pittsburgh Community Food Bank. I also want to thank Jennerstown Speedway for opening the track to the Club. We had a great time there this year and they want us to come back again next year.

The After-Christmas Party is scheduled for Saturday, January 12, 2019 at Lakeview in Greensburg. This is a great way to start off the new year so plan to attend to enjoy a good meal and good friends. The reservation form is in this newsletter so get your checkbook ready and send your reservation to Allen Young.

As I close out 2018 as President of CCWP I want to thank the Board and all of our members for helping to make this past year enjoyable. So many people do so much to make our club outstanding and successful that it is impossible to thank them all. Sue Marnell, as our past Events Director, arranged a full year of events that made our club the envy of others in the area. Sue has encouraged more people to 'join in' and enjoy the benefits of membership and camaraderie of friends. To those Board members leaving as well as those staying on I want to thank you for making my job easier. And a big THANK YOU to all members who have participated in and helped at our events, you are the soul of CCWP! Thanks to Bob and Sue Marnell for stepping in to help as

With the coming holidays Deb and I want to wish everyone a Joyous Holiday Season and a Happy and Prosperous New Year.

Feel free to contact me with any questions or suggestions at:

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

Our next membership meeting will be Monday, December 10th, 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

# **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
Multi-Mode performance exhaust
Z51 Style 5-Split Spoke Chrome Aluminum Wheels with Red Painted Calipers

One piece Transparent Removable Roof Panel
Chevrolet Infotainment Audio System with Navigation
Performance Date and Video Recorder

2LT Equipment Group with Adrenaline Red leather interior Including head-up display, heated/ventilated seats, Bose 10-speaker audio system, universal home remote, and remote vehicle starter system

Chrome Badge Package Carbon Flash Hood Stinger Stripe Battery Protection Package Front License Plate Bracket Corvette Museum Delivery

# CCWP Webmaster Regis Kuzel



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.



# NEWSLETTER ARTICLES

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

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.

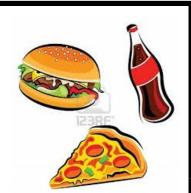
# **December Membership Meeting**

The December Membership Meeting will be held on **Monday, December 10th** 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**



The 2019 ZR1 has recently been reviewed and the consensus is: Power. It is a two seater coupe with better performance for your dollar than anything on four wheels. Base price is \$122,095 if you want to fit that in your budget. It is the crown jewel of the C7 Corvette lineup and possibly the fastest and quickest front-engine Corvette that Chevrolet will ever build. It has 755 hp from a 6.2 liter supercharged V8 and has 715 lb-ft torque. It comes in a seven-speed manual but is also available with an eight-speed automatic.

John Heinricy, Corvette Hall of Fame inductee, retired GM engineer and NCM Motorsports Park Board Member, has won his 14th SCAA National Championship Title driving a No. 56 Chevrolet Camaro in the American Sedan Class at Sonoma Raceway.

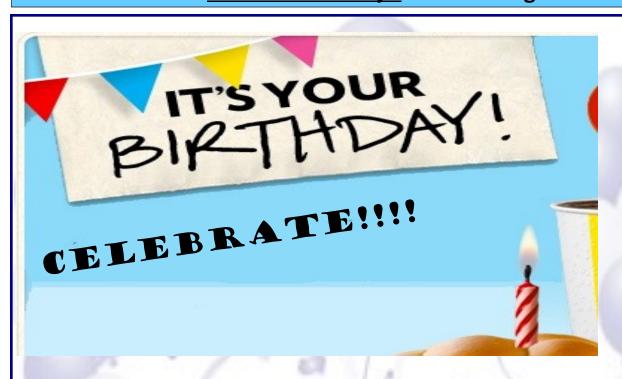
The NCM Motorsports Park offers two new programs putting you in the classroom and behind the wheel with champion-ship winning driver Andy Pilgrim. This is an opportunity to learn from one of the best pro racers in the U.S. Andy's unique teaching abilities will ensure that you gain understanding and speed using the NCM facility. You can bring your own car or use one furnished by the NCM.

In a recent compilation of the top 12 Automotive Museums in the U.S. by HiCousumption.com the National Corvette Museum was third in their lineup.

The website is 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

# **December Birthdays** — Allen Young



3rd	John Hollabaugh	9th	Hildy Krish	26th	Scott Lewandowski
3rd	Gail Thomas	14th	Phil Cassel	27th	James Urban
8th	Mike D'iorio	15th	Jack White	31st	Ken Rock
8th	Bill Ferri	18th	Johnna Kuzel		Margaret Clark
8th	Sylvia Foley	20th	Debbie Jenson		Sharyn Vikara
8th	Becky Spinella	26th	Carol Bomba		

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# **Upcoming 2018 Club Activities**

December 4, 2018 CCWP Board Meeting @ The Boulevard

December 10, 2018 Membership Meeting @ The Boulevard

January 8, 2019 CCWP Board Meeting @ The Boulevard

January 12, 2019 After Christmas Party @ Lakeview

February 5, 2019 CCWP Board Meeting @ The Boulevard

March 5, 2019 CCWP Board Meeting @ The Boulevard

March 11, 2019 Monthly Membership Meeting

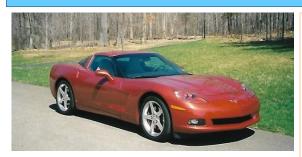
**DON'T FORGET!!!** Watch future editions of the Flying Fiberglass for additional events and information on The Corvette Club of Western PA.

<u>ALSO:</u> 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

### **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, CAJJJELO4@comcast.net with the information. The information will be passed on to other Club members at the next general meeting if so desired.

# **For Sale**



2006 Daytona Sunset Orange Metallic Coupe with Cashmere Leather Interior with 28,000 miles. Garage kept.

Automatic Transmission with 6-speed paddle shift.

3LT Preferred Equipment Group.

Many extras including car cover.

Asking \$24,000 but price is negotiable.

Contact Gerry Bomba

412-4666489

# **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

Skip & Susan Kunczwąski

Irwin, PA

1968 Red Convertible

### **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. 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.

There are no new updates but keep an eye out for more information as we go along and get closer to the event.



The Board of Directors would like to wish all members of CCWP and their families a Merry Christmas and Happy Holiday Season.



Name:

Address:

Email Address

Email Address

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

New and Renewal Membership Application Date: \_\_\_/\_\_/ New: Renewal: \_\_\_\_ Home Phone: ( ) (Last Name) (First Name) (Street) (City) (State) (Zip Code) \_ Cell Phone: (\_ Member's Birth Date: \_\_\_/\_\_/ (At least the month & day) Name for Name Badge: \_ Spouse's/Domestic Partner Name (if joining): Cell Phone: (\_\_\_\_\_ Birth Date: \_\_\_/\_\_/ (At least the month & day) Name for Name Badge: \_\_ Year of Your Corvette: \_\_\_\_\_ Color: \_\_\_\_\_ Body Style: □Coupe □Convertible □Hardtop Year of Your Corvette: \_\_\_\_\_ Color: \_\_\_\_\_ Body Style: □Coupe □Convertible □Hardtop 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 1st To December 31st ☐ 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 1st thru Dec 31st): \$30.00 for a single/\$35.00 for a couple Amount enclosed: Newsletter by US mail (Jan 1st thru Dec 31st): \$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: \_\_\_ (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 Revised (9/25/17)



### **CCWP 2018 Sponsors**









Our Family has been in the restaurant business for over 40 years. We are privately owned and operated. We pride ourselves on top quality products, made from scratch soups, sauces and specials.







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8282 Route 22 New Alexandria PA 15670

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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

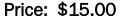
Double wall insulating for hot or cold.

Spill proof cap to protect your Vette!

# **Special for members \$6.00**

Will be available at the meetings.







Price: \$15.00

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If you are unable to attend the December meeting and would like to cast your vote, please fill in the above ballot and mail to the CCWP mailbox:

CCWP P.O. Box 46311 Monroeville, PA 15146



# **AN INVITATION**

### CORVETTE CLUB OF WESTERN PENNSYLVANIA AFTER CHRISTMAS PARTY

SATURDAY, JANUARY 12, 2019 FERRANTE'S LAKEVIEW BANQUET CENTER 6153 Route 30 Greensburg, PA 15601

Hors d'Oeuvres at 5 P.M. Buffet Dinner with Desert at 6 P.M. DJ and dancing till 10 P.M. Cash Bar

Cost: \$30 per person

Reservations required	-	Deadline: December	31.	2018

Make checks payable to CCWP and mail to

Allen E. Young 1210 Harvest Dr. Monroeville, PA 15146

#### General Membership Meeting (Unapproved)

Monday, December 12, 2018

The monthly membership meeting was held at The Boulevard Restaurant in Delmont. Frank Paolo was absent (medical reason) and Rich Zisek ran the meeting. The meeting was called to order at 7:00 pm.

#### **Director's Reports**

#### Membership-Allen Young

Time to renew your membership for 2019. For 2019 there are 28 families and 35 members paid. The application is in the newsletter.

#### Vice-President / Insurance-Vince Morich

Insurance is paid.

The After-Christmas Party will be held Saturday, January 12th, at Lakeview Center on Route 30. Doors open at 5:00 pm and will end at 10:00 pm, dinner served at 6:00 pm. It will be a buffet dinner with a cash bar and there will be a DJ for entertainment. Deadline December 31st.

#### Social - Vacant

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

We are looking for someone to take over this position for 2019.

#### 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.

Thanks to Jan and John Hollabaugh for a great Leaf Peeper, even

though the weather wasn't the best. We had a good time anyway. We are looking into the Caravan that is planned for next year. It is scheduled over Labor Day weekend. We are still waiting to decide which Caravan we aill be joining, although we are leaning toward the one from Detroit.

#### Newsletter-Georgeann Young

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.

#### 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.

#### **Old Business**

We are looking to regroup and take a new approach to how we do our event planning. We are looking for suggestions on how we can make some changes to how we plan and run events.

#### **New Business**

December is Election month and we are still looking fro some members to step up and run for the open positions.

#### Treasurer—Rich Zisek

Report given by Rich. Motion to approve was made by Tim Zimmerman and seconded by Bob Whitesides.

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

The next CCWP meeting will be Monday, December 10th at the Boulevard on Route 22 in Delmont at 7:00 p.m.

The meeting adjourned at 7:25 pm.

